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Education

Ph.D. in Philosophy, Boston College
M.A. in Philosophy, Boston College
B.A. with Honors in Philosophy, State University of New York at Stony Brook

Dissertation

Title: "Plato's Philebus: A Philosophical Method and Its Application"
Director: Professor Arthur R. Madigan, S.J.
Second Reader: Professor John J. Cleary

Area of Specialization

Ancient Greek Philosophy, especially Plato and Aristotle

Areas of Competence

History of Medieval Philosophy (especially St. Augustine and St. Thomas)
History of Modern and Contemporary Philosophy
The Bible (Hebrew and New Testament)
Ethics (Medieval and Modern)
Epistemology (Ancient, Medieval, and Modern)
Metaphysics (Ancient, Medieval, and Modern)
Introduction to Political Philosophy
Logic, Aristotelian and Symbolic
Literature, Ancient Greek, Roman, and Medieval
Freud
Elementary Ancient Greek

Professional Associations

American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division
Ancient Philosophy Society
International Plato Society
Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy
The New England Symposium on Ancient Philosophy
The Association of Core Texts and Courses
American Catholic Philosophical Association

Recent Academic Positions Held at Boston College

I. Associate Professor of the Practice of Philosophy in the Philosophy Department

Teaching Responsibilities in the Morrissey College of Arts & Sciences at Boston College

Capstone: A Life Well Lived, Undergraduate Elective (3 credits, Aug. 2023-Dec. 2023)
The Greeks and Their Gods, Undergraduate Elective (3 credits, Aug. 2023-Dec. 2023)
Enduring Questions: Exploring the Mystery of God (3 credits, Aug. 2023-Dec. 2023)

Capstone: A Life Well Lived, Undergraduate Elective (3 credits, Aug. 2022-Dec. 2022)
The Aristotelian Ethics, Undergraduate/Graduate Elective (3 credits, Jan. 2023-May 2023)
First Year Perspectives, Two Sections (6 credits per semester, Aug. 2022-May 2023)*

Capstone: A Life Well Lived, Undergraduate Elective (3 credits, Aug. 2021-Dec. 2021)
Plato's Republic, Undergraduate/Graduate Elective (3 credits, Jan. 2022-May 2022)
First Year Perspectives, Two Sections (6 credits per semester, Aug. 2021-May 2022)*

Capstone: A Life Well Lived, Undergraduate Elective (3 credits, Aug. 2020-Dec. 2020)
The Greeks and Their Gods, Undergraduate Elective (3 credits, Jan. 2021-May 2021)
First Year Perspectives, Two Sections (6 credits per semester, Aug. 2020-May 2021)*

Courage to Know (3 credits, Aug. 2019-Dec. 2019)**
Courage to Know (3 credits, Jan. 2020-May 2020)
First Year Perspectives, Two Sections (6 credits per semester, Aug. 2019-May 2020)*

II. Assistant Professor of the Practice of Philosophy in the Philosophy Department

The Greeks and Their Gods, Undergraduate Elective (3 credits, Aug.-Dec. 2018)
Courage to Know (3 credits, Jan.-May 2019)
First Year Perspectives, Two Sections (6 credits per semester, Aug. 2018-May 2019)*

The Aristotelian Ethics, Undergraduate/Graduate Elective (3 credits, Aug.-Dec. 2017)
First Year Perspectives, Two Sections (6 credits per semester, Aug. 2017-May 2018)*

Plato's Republic, Undergraduate/Graduate Elective (3 credits, Aug.-Dec. 2016)
First Year Perspectives, Two Sections (6 credits per semester, Aug. 2016-May 2017)*

The Aristotelian Ethics, Undergraduate/Graduate Elective (3 credits, Aug.-Dec. 2015)
First Year Perspectives, Two Sections (6 credits per semester, Aug. 2015-May 2016)*

The Aristotelian Ethics, Undergraduate/Graduate Elective (3 credits, Sept.- Dec. 2014)
First Year Perspectives, Two Sections (6 credits per semester, Sept. 2014-May 2015)*

First Year Perspectives (6 credits per semester, Sept. 2013-May 2014)**
First Year Honors in Arts & Sciences (6 credits per semester, Sept. 2013-May 2014)**

Teaching Responsibilities in the Woods College of Advancing Studies at Boston College

Introduction to Ethics, Undergraduate Course (3 credits, June-August 2018)

Ethics, Undergraduate Course (3 credits, May-June 2017)

Service to Boston College

MCAS Working Group on Expansion of the Capstone Program (Spring 2024 to present)

Participant in Program Honoring Arthur Madigan S.J., at Boston College, 3 May 2024

Major Advisor to Five Students in MCAS (2024)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to Six Students in MCAS (Fall 2023)

Assisted Arthur Madigan, S.J. with the publication of his book (Summer 2021 to Dec. 2023)

Observation & Evaluation of the Teaching of Juan Carlos Rivera Castro, S.J. (November 2023)

Presenter on Teaching Aristotle's Ethics, Graduate Philosophy Teaching Seminar (Oct. 20, 23)

Faculty Advisor for Four Summer Orientation Sessions in MCAS (Summer 2023)

Participant in activities related to hiring of Aristotle & Prof. of the Practice Positions (Spr, 23)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to ~ Thirteen Students in MCAS (Fall 2022 & Spring 2023)

Assisted Graduate Student with Master's Qualifying Paper in Philosophy (Fall 22-Spring 23)

Presenter on Teaching Aristotle's Ethics, Graduate Philosophy Teaching Seminar (Sept. 23, 22)

Faculty Advisor for Four Summer Orientation Sessions in MCAS (Summer 2022)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to Twelve Students in MCAS (Fall 2021 & Spring 2022)

Faculty Advisor for Four Summer Orientation Sessions in MCAS (Summer 2021)

Member of Preliminary Doctoral Comps Board in Philosophy (May 19, 2021)

Reviewer for the Donald J. White Teaching Award (March 2021)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to Eleven Students in MCAS (Spring 2021)

Reviewer, Master's Qualifying Paper in Philosophy, Philosophy Department (December 2020)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to Eleven Students in MCAS (Fall 2020)

Faculty Advisor for Three Summer Orientation Sessions in MCAS (Summer 2020)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to Twenty-Four Students in MCAS (Spring 2020)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to Twenty-Five Students in MCAS (Fall 2019)

Faculty Advisor for Four Summer Orientation Sessions in MCAS (Summer 2019)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to Eleven Students in MCAS (Spring 2019)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to Twelve Students in MCAS (Fall 2018)

Faculty Advisor for Four Summer Orientation Sessions in MCAS (Summer 2018)

Member of Masters Comprehensive Exam Panel in Philosophy (May 23, 2018)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to Sixteen Students in MCAS (Spring 2018)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to Seventeen Students in MCAS (Fall 2017)

Faculty Advisor for Five Summer Orientation Sessions in MCAS (Summer 2017)

Director of Undergraduate Studies in Philosophy (Spring, January – June 2017)

Member of the Undergraduate Committee in the Philosophy Department (Spring 2017)

Ex Officio Member of the Advisory Committee to the Chair of the Phil. Dept. (Spring 2017)

Pre-Major & Major Advisor to Thirteen Students in MCAS (Spring 2017)
Pre-Major Advisor to Twelve Students in MCAS (Fall 2016)
Faculty Advisor for Four Summer Orientation Sessions in MCAS (Summer 2016)

Pre-Major Advisor Eleven Students in MCAS (Spring 2016)
Pre-Major Advisor to Twelve Students in MCAS (Fall 2015)
Faculty Advisor for Four Summer Orientation Sessions in MCAS (Summer 2015)

Pre-Major Advisor to Eleven Students in Arts & Sciences (Spring 2015)
Pre-Major Advisor to Thirteen Students in Arts & Sciences (Fall 2014)
Faculty Advisor for Four Summer Orientation Sessions (Summer 2014)

Pre-Major Advisor to Twenty-Nine Students in Arts & Sciences (Spring 2014)
Pre-Major Advisor to Thirty-Two Students in Arts & Sciences (Fall 2013)
Participant in Canvas Early Adopters Program (Fall 2013 – Spring 2014)
Faculty Advisor for Three Summer Orientation Sessions (Summer 2013)

Faculty Development Activities at Boston College

Participant in the “2024 Compañia Pilgrimage” in Spain & Rome (June 18-28, 2024)
Participant in Capstone Annual Faculty Development Day (May 21, 2024)
Participant in Perspectives Workshop (May 16, 2024)

Participant in MCAS Academic Advising Workshop (June 6, 2023)
Participant in Capstone Annual Faculty Development Days (May 23 & 25, 2023)
Participant in Three Day Perspectives Workshop (May 17 -19, 2023)
Participant in Enduring Questions Course Design Workshop (February – April 2023)

Participant in MCAS Academic Advising Workshop (June 7, 2022)
Participant in Capstone Annual Faculty Development Days (May 24 & 26, 2022)
Participant in Perspectives Workshop (May 18-20, 2022)

Participant in the CTE Cohort, Traditions of Formation & Our Teaching (May 2021-May 2022)
Participant in Courage to Know Faculty Day (January 13, 2022)
Participant in MCAS Academic Advising Workshop (May 10 & August 25, 2021)
Participant in Capstone Annual Faculty Development Days (May 25 & 27, 2021)
Participant in Perspectives Workshop (May 18-19, 2021)

Participant in Courage to Know Faculty Day (January 26, 2021)
Participant in CTE January Course Prep Retreat (Jan. 11-14, 2021)
Participant in “Breathe,” Faculty Formation Retreat (Cohasset, MA; October 10, 2020)
Participant in MCAS Academic Advising Workshop (June 1, 2020)
Participant in Capstone Annual Faculty Development Day (May 21, 2020)
Participant in Perspectives Workshop (May 15, 2020)

Participant in Workshops & Meetings for Online Teaching (March 9 – December 18, 2020)
Attended the CTE, Excellence in Teaching Day Webinar (May 5, 2020)
Participant in Perspectives Faculty Meetings (February 5 – October 23, 2020)
Attended Meeting for the Costa Rica Immersion Trip (January 30, 2020)
Participant in Courage to Know Faculty Day (January 9, 2020)

Attended Academic Lectures (September 2019 – December 2019)
Participant in the Intersections Villa Faculty Writing Retreat (June 10 –14, 2019)
Participant in the Center for Teaching Excellence Faculty Teaching Retreat (June 3-7, 2019)
Participant in Three-Day Perspectives Workshop (May 15 –17, 2019)

Attended Academic Lectures (September 2018 – May 2019)
Attended the CTE, Excellence in Teaching Day (May 6, 2019)
Attended Intersections Forefront Social (February 4 & April 29, 2019)
Participant in All Day Pre-Major & Summer Orientation Advisor Symposium (May 24, 2018)
Participant in Three-Day Perspectives Workshop (May 16 –18, 2018)

Attended Academic Lectures (September 2017 – May 2018)
Attended Faculty Consultation Group run by Assoc. Vice Provost McGuinness (Spring 2018)
Attended Courage to Know Faculty Day (January 9, 2018)
Participant in All Day Pre-Major & Summer Orientation Advisor Symposium (June 6, 2017)
Participant in Three-Day Perspectives Workshop (May 17–19, 2017)

Attended Academic Lectures (September 2016 – May 2017)
Participant in All Day Morrissey College Dean’s Retreat (January 10, 2017)
Participant in All Day Pre-Major & Summer Orientation Advisor Symposium (June 7, 2016)
Participant in Three-Day Perspectives Workshop (May 18–20, 2016)

Attended Academic Lectures (September 2015 – May 2016)
Intersections Villa Faculty Writing Retreat (June 8 –12, 2015)
Participant in All Day Pre-Major & Summer Orientation Advisor Symposium (June 4, 2015)
Participant in Three-Day Perspectives Workshop (May 13 –15, 2015)

Attended Academic Lectures (September 2014 – May 2015)
Intersections Common Room Faculty Retreat (June 4 – 6, 2014)
Participant in All Day Pre-Major & Summer Orientation Advisor Symposium (June 2, 2014)
Participant in Three-Day Perspectives Workshop (May 14 –16, 2014)

Attended Scholarly Lectures (September 2013 – May 2014)
Attended Boston College Classics Course, Roman Religion (Fall 2013)
Power Point Workshop (October 10, 2013)
Participant in Three-Day Perspectives Workshop (May 15 –17, 2013)

III. Lecturer in the Philosophy Dept. & Honors Program in Arts & Sciences at Boston College

Teaching Responsibilities as Lecturer at Boston College

First Year Perspectives (6 credits each semester, September 2012- May 2013)**
First Year Honors in Arts & Sciences (6 credits each semester, Sept. 2012- May 2013)**
Philosophy of the Person (3 credits each semester, September 2012- May 2013)

First Year Perspectives (6 credits each semester, September 2011- May 2012)**
First Year Honors in Arts & Sciences (6 credits each semester, Sept. 2011- May 2012)**
Philosophy of the Person (3 credits each semester, September 2011- May 2012)

First Year Perspectives (6 credits each semester, September 2010- May 2011)**
First Year Honors in Arts & Sciences (6 credits each semester, Sept. 2010- May 2011)**
Philosophy of the Person (3 credits each semester, September 2010- May 2011)

First Year Perspectives (6 credits each semester, September 2009- May 2010)
First Year Honors in Arts & Sciences (6 credits each semester, Sept. 2009- May 2010)**
Philosophy of the Person (3 credits each semester, September 2009- May 2010)

First Year Perspectives (6 credits each semester, September 2008-May 2009)
First Year Honors in Arts & Sciences (6 credits each semester, Sept. 2008-May 2009)**
Philosophy of the Person (3 credits each semester, September 2008-May 2009)

First Year Perspectives (6 credits each semester, September 2007-May 2008)
Two Sections of First Yr. Honors in A & S (12 credits semester, Sept. 2007-May 2008)**
Logic (3 credits, Spring 2008)

Two Sections of First Year Perspectives (12 credits each semester, Sept. 2006-May 2007)
First Year Honors in Arts & Sciences (6 credits each semester, Sept. 2006-May 2007)**
Logic (3 credits, Spring 2007)

First Year Perspectives (6 credits each semester, September 2005-May 2006)
First Year Honors in Arts & Sciences (6 credits each semester, Sept. 2005-May 2006)**
Logic (3 credits, Fall 2006)

Two Sections of Philosophy of the Person (6 credits each term, Sept. 2004 - May 2005)
One Section of Philosophy of the Person (3 credits, Spring 2005)
Greek Philosophy, Upper Level Undergraduate Elective (Fall 2004)

Philosophy of the Person (3 credits each semester, Fall 2003- Spring 2004)

Two Graduate Courses on Plato (Spring 1990, Fall 1998)

*Pre-Major Advisor to One Section of Students in the Morrissey College of Arts & Sciences

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Academic Responsibilities as Lecturer in the Philosophy Department & the Honors Program in Arts & Sciences at Boston College

Active Participant in Yearly Three-Day Faculty Workshop for the Perspectives' Program
Academic Advisor to Perspectives Students who are in the College of Arts & Sciences
Active Participant in all Faculty Meetings of the Honors Program
Academic Advisor to First Year Honors Students who are in the College of Arts & Sciences
Member of Honors Program Sub-Committee on Meeting 6 Credit Course Load
Participant in Honor's Faculty Workshops on the Use of Computers as an Aid to Teaching (June 2006 & July 2008)

Scholarly Lectures

Discussion of "The Liberal Aristotelianism of Martha Nussbaum," in *Contemporary Aristotelian Ethics*, Program Honoring Arthur Madigan S.J., at Boston College, 3 May 2024.

"Why Is It Difficult to Overcome Bad Habits and Vices: Lessons from Aristotle," Psychology & The Other, Boston College, 6 October 2023.

"Plato and Aristotle on Virtue," Perspectives Program/Robsham Theater, Boston College, 14 September 2022.

"Aristotle: Goodness and God," Perspectives Program/Robsham Theater, Boston College, 27 October 2021.

"Anger: Its Nature and Value," Psychology & The Other, Boston College, 19 September 2021.

"Aristotle on Anger: Its Virtuous and Vicious States," The Association of Core Texts and Courses, Birmingham, Alabama, April 2020 (Cancelled due to Covid-19).

"Aristotle, Achilles, Courage, and Moral Failure," Ancient Philosophy Society, Hartford, Connecticut & Trinity College, 25 April 2019.

"Aristotle, Achilles, and Anger in the Final Books of the *Iliad*," The Association of Core Texts and Courses, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 13 April 2019.

"Aristotle, Achilles, Courage, and Moral Failure," Boston College Classics Department, 23 October 2018.

"Aristotle, Achilles, Courage, and Moral Failure," Fonte Aretusa: Fourth Interdisciplinary Symposium on the Heritage of Western Greece, Siracusa, Italy, 7 June 20, 2018.

"Achilles, Anger, and Aristotle," The Association of Core Texts and Courses, Framingham, Massachusetts, 20 April 2018.

"An Early Stage of Moral Development in Aristotle, Good Habits," The Association of Core Texts and Courses, Dallas, Texas, 21 April 2017.

"Aristotle, Oedipus, and Anger," The Association of Core Texts and Courses, Atlanta, Georgia, 16 April 2016.

"Commentary on Nickolas Pappas's 'Telling Good Love from Bad in Plato's *Phaedrus*,'" Boston Area Colloquium in Ancient Philosophy, Boston College, 5 November 2015.

"Aristotle's Ethics and the Heroes of the *Iliad*," Curtis McGraw Lecture in Great Books at Seaver College, Pepperdine University, 23 October 2015.

"Aristotle, Temperance, and *Oedipus Tyrannus*," The Association of Core Texts and Courses, Plymouth, Massachusetts, 10 April 2015

“Aristotle on Courage and the Heroes of the *Iliad*, The Association of Core Texts and Courses, Los Angeles, 11 April 2014.

“Plato’s *Meno*: Some Perplexing Issues and their Solutions,” Perspectives Workshop, Boston College, 17 May 2013.

“What Does it Mean to be Virtuous? Aristotle and the *Iliad*,” The Association of Core Texts and Courses, Yale University, 15 April 2011.

"Some Comparisons of the Divine in Plato, Aristotle, Plotinus, and Augustine," The Faculty of the Honors Program in Arts & Sciences, Boston College, 16 May 2006.

"Plato's *Meno*: Is Virtue Really Only True Opinion Acquired by Divine Dispensation?," International Plato Society, University of Würzburg Germany, 29 July 2004.

"Are Continenence and Prudence Related?" American Philosophical Association, Central Division, Chicago Illinois, 8 May 1998

"Commentary on Gail Fine's 'Protagorean Relativisms,'" Boston Area Colloquium in Ancient Philosophy, Harvard University, 3 March 1994.

"Should φρονησις be Restricted to the φρονιμος?: Aristotle's *Nicomachean Ethics*," Society of Ancient Greek Philosophy, SUNY at Binghamton, 30 October 1993.

"The Purpose of the Philosophical Method in Plato's *Politicus*," International Plato Society, University of Bristol England, 26 August 1992.

"A Method for Pleasure and Reason: Plato's *Philebus*," Philosophy Colloquium Series, College of the Holy Cross, 7 April 1992.

"Moral Knowledge in Aristotle's *Nicomachean Ethics*," Philosophers' Holiday Lecture Series, Vassar College, 24 April 1991.

Commentary on Mitchell Miller's "The God-Given Way," Boston Area Colloquium in Ancient Philosophy, Boston College, 5 April 1990.

Publications

"Aristotle, Temperance, and *Oedipus Tyrannus*," The Arts & Sciences of a Core Text Education: What Are They? Why Do We Need Them? Selected Papers from the Twenty-First Annual Conference of the Association for Core Texts and Courses, eds. Ashmon and Tom (2021) 71-75.

“Aristotle, Achilles, Courage, and Moral Failure,” Looking at Beauty to Kalon in Western Greece: Selected Essays from the 2018 Symposium on the Heritage of Western Greece, eds. Reid and Leyh, 4 (2019) 189-202.

"Commentary on Nickolas Pappas's 'Telling Good Love from Bad in Plato's *Phaedrus*,'" Proceedings of the Boston Area Colloquium in Ancient Philosophy, eds. Gurtler and Wians, 32 (2017) 59-67.

"The Purpose of the Philosophical Method in Plato's Statesman," Apeiron 31: no. 2 (1998) 91-126.

"Commentary on Fine," Proceedings of the Boston Area Colloquium in Ancient Philosophy, eds. Cleary and Wians, 10 (1994) 244-53.

"To Lie or Not to Lie: Plato's Republic," Polis 13: no. 1 & 2 (1994) 31-45.

"A Method for Pleasure and Reason: Plato's Philebus," Apeiron 26: no. 1 (1993) 37-55.

Review of Spindel Conference 1988: Aristotle's Ethics, ed. Timothy D. Roche, Ancient Philosophy, 13 (1993) 222-25.

"Commentary on Miller," Proceedings of the Boston Area Colloquium in Ancient Philosophy, eds. Cleary and Shartin, 6 (1990) 360-70

Works in Progress

"Understanding the Relationships of Decision, Right Reason, and Prudence in Aristotle's Ethics"

"Aristotle: A Comparison of Anger & Justice in the *Rhetoric*, *Eudemian* and *Nicomachean Ethics*"

"Aristotle on Anger: Its Virtue and Vices"

"Aristotle, Achilles, and Anger in the Books 23 & 24 of the *Iliad*"

"Plato's *Meno*: Is Virtue Really Only True Opinion Acquired by Divine Dispensation?"

Additional Professional Activities

Referee for the Journal, *Apeiron* (February 2023, December 2022-January 2023, September 2018)

Referee for the Journal, *Journal of the History of Philosophy* (July – August 2018)

Referee for the *Proceedings of The Annual Conference of the Association of Core Texts & Courses* (August – October 2017)

Referee for the Journal, *Ancient Philosophy* (January – May 2016)

Referee for the *Proceedings of The Annual Conference of the Association of Core Texts & Courses* (June – July 2016)

Awards & Grants From Boston College

Faculty Fellowship (Spring 2024)

Teaching, Advising, and Mentoring Grant (Tam Grant) from the Office of the Provost & Dean of Faculties (April 3, 2018) – total award \$4,880.

Intersections Kolvenbach Grant (February 15, 2018) – total award \$1,000.

References

Marina McCoy, Professor of Philosophy at Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467, (617) 552-3858, marina.mccoy@bc.edu

Ronald Tacelli, S.J., Associate Professor of Philosophy at Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467, (617) 552-3859, ronald.tacelli@bc.edu

James Weiss, Associate Professor of Theology & Director of the Capstone Program at Morrissey College Arts & Sciences at Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467, (617) 552-3897, james.weiss@bc.edu

Brian Braman, Former Director of the Perspectives Program at Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467, (617) 552-4022, bramanb@bc.edu

Arthur Madigan, S.J., Former Professor & Chair of the Philosophy Department at Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467, (781) 788-6800, arthur.madigan@bc.edu

Patrick Byrne, Professor Emeritus & Former Chair of the Philosophy Department at Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467, (781) 686-1682, patrick.byrne.1@bc.edu

Mark O'Connor, Professor Emeritus & Former Director of the Honors Program at Morrissey College Arts & Sciences at Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467, (617) 642-4047, mark.oconnor@bc.edu

Jane Kelley Rodeheffer, Former Fetcher Jones Chair of Great Books, Pepperdine University, Malibu, CA 90265 (310) 506-7708, janekelley.rodeheffer@pepperdine.edu

Previous Full-Time Academic Positions

St. John's Seminary College of Liberal Arts (Brighton MA)

Associate Professor of Philosophy, St. John's Seminary, College of Liberal Arts (1993 to 2003)
Assistant Professor of Philosophy, St. John's Seminary, College of Liberal Arts (1989-91, 1992-93)
Lecturer in Philosophy, St. John's Seminary, College of Liberal Arts (1987-89)

College of the Holy Cross, Visiting Assistant Professor of Philosophy (1991-1992)

Medieval Philosophy (Spring 1992)

Logic (Fall 1991, Spring 1992)

Introductory Philosophy Course: Ethical Themes (Fall 1991, Spring 1992)

Plato's Republic, Upper Level Undergraduate Elective (Fall 1991)

Administrative Duties and Committee Responsibilities at St. John's Seminary

Significantly Involved in the Planning of the Masters in Arts in Ministry Program with the Faculty of the School of Theology

Significantly Involved in the Planning of the Two-Year Pre-Theology Program with the Faculty of the School of Theology

Significantly Involved in the Yearly Formational Assessment of Students in the Pre-Theology Program with the Faculty of the School of Theology

Member of College of Liberal Arts Faculty Council
Member of College of Liberal Arts Academic Council
Chair of the College of Liberal Arts Philosophy Department
Faculty Advisor to Students in the College and Pre-Theology Programs
Significantly Involved in Yearly Formational Assessment of Students in the College Program
Member of the Advisory Board for the Dean of the College of Liberal Arts
Member of the Advisory Board for Human Formation Meetings for the College Program
Member of the Future Faculty Committee for the College of Liberal Arts
Member of the Pre-Theology Review Board

Upper Level Electives Taught at St. John's Seminary College of Liberal Arts in Last Five Years

Friendship (Fall 2002)
Aristotle's Ethics (Fall 2001)
Metaphysics (Spring 2001)
Ethical Topics in Plato and Aristotle (Fall 2000, 1999)
Ancient Greek Literature and Philosophy (Spring 2000)
Topics in Aristotle (Spring 1999)

Core Courses Taught at St. John's Seminary College of Liberal Arts in Last Five Years

Logic: Aristotelian and Symbolic (Spring 2003, 2002, 2001, 2000, 1999, 1998)
Integrative Seminar in Philosophy: Ethics and Metaphysics (Spring 2003, 2002)
Ancient Greek Philosophy (Fall 2002, 2001, 2000, 1999, 1998)
Introduction to Philosophy (Fall 1998)
Senior Theses in Philosophy (year long direction of 2-5 undergraduate theses)

Other Courses Taught at St. John's Seminary College of Liberal Arts

Plato (a variety of courses on early, middle, and late dialogues of Plato)
Aristotle (Nicomachean Ethics, Physics, and Metaphysics)
History of Philosophy (Medieval, Modern and Contemporary)
Lying, Epistemology, Theories of Ethics, The Human Person, Existentialism

Prior Significant Academic Positions

Boston College, Teaching Fellow in Philosophy (Fall 1981- Fall 1988)
Logic: Aristotelian and Symbolic (Fall 1986, Spring 1987, and Fall 1988)
Year-long Introductory Philosophy Course (1981 – 1986)