

## Academic Appointments

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08/2022-	Tenure-track Research Fellow	Academia Sinica (The National Academy of Taiwan)
08/2021-07/2022	Tenure-track Assistant Professor	Institute of Philosophy, National Tsing Hua University
01/2021-07/2021	Postdoctoral Researcher	Institute of Philosophy, National Tsing Hua University
10/2017-01/2018	Non-stipendiary Lecturer	St John's College, University of Oxford
10/2016-01/2017	Non-stipendiary Lecturer	St John's College, University of Oxford

## Education

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2015-2020	<b>DPhil in Philosophy</b> , Balliol College, University of Oxford Thesis: " <i>The Rationality and Normativity of Intention</i> " (Passed without correction) Supervisors: Prof Alison Hills and Prof Terence Irwin Examiners: Prof Ralph Wedgwood and Prof Ruth Chang
2013-2015	<b>BPhil in Philosophy</b> , The Queen's College, University of Oxford Thesis: " <i>Subjective Theories of Normative Reason</i> " Supervisor: Prof Terence Irwin
2006-2011	<b>Bachelor of Laws in Law and Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy</b> , National Taiwan University

## Areas of Specialization

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Meta-ethics, Philosophy of Action, Rationality and Agency

## Areas of Competence

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Philosophy of Mind, Philosophy of Economics

## Publications

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1. "Preference Ordering and the Epistemic Peril of Comparison," *Episteme* (forthcoming).
2. "Rational Norms for Degreed Intention (and the Discrepancy between Theoretical and Practical Reason)," *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* (2023) 101(2): 360–374.
3. "Intention," (in Chinese)  
*The Chinese Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (2022).
4. "Misinformation, Subjectivism, and the Rational Criticizability of Desire,"  
*Philosophical Studies* (2021) 178(3): 845–66.

## Talks

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1. "Temporally-Extended Instrumental Rationality and Self-Defeat,"  
08/2024 *Humboldt Normativity Conference 2024*, Humboldt University
2. "Putting Things in Order,"  
07/2024 *The British Society for Ethical Theory Annual Conference*, The University of Edinburgh  
05/2024 *The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Workshop on Value Theory*, Lund University  
12/2023 *The 5<sup>th</sup> Taiwan Philosophical Logic Colloquium*, National Taiwan University (invited)
3. "Instrumental Agency and the Pre-conditions of Ends,"  
04/2024 *Annual Laval Agency Conference*, Laval University
4. "Self-Defeat and Means-End Incoherence,"

- 01/2024 *The 10<sup>th</sup> Workshop on Normativity and Reasoning*, NYU Abu Dhabi
5. "Rational Choice Beyond the Comparative Frame"  
04/2023 *The 30<sup>th</sup> Inter-University Workshop on Philosophy and Cognitive Science*, University of Valencia
  6. "Do Reasons Transmit to the Pre-conditions of Reasons?"  
04/2023 *2023 Pacific Division Meeting (Colloquium)*, American Philosophical Association  
05/2022 *Workshop on Reasons, Ought, and Normative Transmission*, Humboldt University
  7. "Can Epistemic Defects Provide Practical Defeaters?"  
03/2023 *Workshop on Knowledge, Rationality, and Defeat*, Hiroshima University (invited)
  8. "Distorted Perception and Irrational Evaluation,"  
09/2022 *Conference on Apprehending Value*, PThU Amsterdam
  9. "Comparative Judgment and Evaluation"  
08/2022 *Work-in-Progress Seminar*, Academia Sinica (invited)  
04/2022 *Workshop on Mind and Judgment*, National Taiwan University (invited)
  10. "Some Rational Problems with Comparative Valuing"  
01/2022 *2022 Eastern Division Meeting (Colloquium)*, American Philosophical Association  
08/2021 *The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress*, University of Colorado  
07/2021 *The 95<sup>th</sup> Joint Session, Aristotelian Society & the Mind Association*  
04/2021 *Faculty Colloquium*, National Chung Cheng University (invited)
  11. "The Constitutive Norms and Justification for Commitment"  
09/2021 *Conference on Preferences, Commitments and Choice*, University of Zurich
  12. "The Internalist Connection between Intention and All-Things-Considered Judgment"  
02/2021 *2021 Central Division Meeting (Colloquium)*, American Philosophical Association
  13. "Re-motivating the Internalist Constraint"  
11/2020 *Workshop on Metaethics and Metaepistemology*, University of Vienna
  14. "Do We Have a Reason to Do What We Desire to Do?"  
11/2020 *Faculty Colloquium*, Soochow University (invited)
  15. "Value and Reason in the Face of Misinformation"  
08/2020 *Faculty Colloquium*, National Tsing Hua University (invited)
  16. "In Defense of the Executive Conception of Instrumental Rationality"  
03/2020 *Slippery Slope Normativity Summit*, Inland Norway University  
07/2019 *The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Southern Normativity Group Conference*, Cardiff University
  17. "Why Intention Presupposes Mental Unity"  
10/2019 *Action and Ethics: How, Why, Ought*, University of Utah  
08/2019 *New Horizons in Action and Agency*, University of Helsinki
  18. "An Analysis of the Structure of Instrumental Irrationality and Executive Vice"  
07/2019 *The 93<sup>rd</sup> Joint Session, Aristotelian Society & the Mind Association*, University of Durham  
03/2019 *Tennessee Value and Agency Conference*, University of Tennessee
  19. "Subjectivism and Two Kinds of Authenticity"  
12/2018 *Lake Geneva Graduate Conference*, University of Neuchâtel
  20. "The Rational Irrelevance of Desire Strength"  
11/2018 *Ockham Society*, University of Oxford
  21. "Misinformed Desire and the Foundations of Subjectivism"  
03/2018 *Connecticut Graduate Conference in Philosophy*, University of Connecticut  
04/2017 *Stockholm Philosophy Graduate Conference*, University of Stockholm
  22. "Davidson's Constitutivist Picture of Practical Rationality"  
11/2017 *Workshop on Donald Davidson's Philosophy*, National Taiwan University
  23. "Agency, Instrumental Rationality, and the Hierarchy of Desires"

- 09/2017 *Salzburg Conference for Young Analytic Philosophy*, University of Salzburg
24. "How Can Ends Be Rationally Criticized under Instrumental Rationality?"  
02/2017 *DPhil Seminar*, University of Oxford
25. "Instrumental Rationality and the Cognitive Grounding of Desire"  
01/2017 *Ockham Society*, University of Oxford
26. "Two Constraints on Subjectivist Theories of Normative Reason"  
07/2016 *The 5<sup>th</sup> Understanding Value Conference*, University of Sheffield
27. "Moral Motivation, Goal, and Background Beliefs"  
06/2014 *Ockham Society*, University of Oxford

## Selected Grants and Awards

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**Research Grant for 2030 Emerging Young Scholars**, (Project: "The Basis for Rational Choice"),  
National Science and Technology Council, Taiwan, 2024-2026

**The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Essay Prize by the Antwerp Centre for Philosophical Psychology**, 2024

**Research Grant for Junior Researchers** (Project: "Instrumental Rationality: Necessary Means and Pre-conditions"), National Science and Technology Council, Taiwan, 2022-23

**Vice-Chancellors' Fund**, University of Oxford, 2019

**Junior Maintenance Grant**, Balliol College, University of Oxford, 2017, 2018

**Overseas Study Scholarship**, Ministry of Education, Taiwan, 2013-2016

**Graduate Lecturing Scheme Award**, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Oxford, 2019

**Research Travel Bursary**, The Aristotelian Society, 2019

**Research Travel Grants**, Balliol College and Faculty of Philosophy, University of Oxford, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

## Teaching Experience

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### As Sole or Primary Instructor

#### Introductory-level Courses

1. **Introduction to Value Theory**  
Institute of Philosophy, National Tsing Hua University, Fall 2024
2. **Metaethics**  
Institute of Philosophy, National Tsing Hua University, Fall 2023
3. **Introduction to Value Theory**  
Institute of Philosophy, National Tsing Hua University, Fall 2021
4. **Key Topics in Normativity**  
Faculty of Philosophy, University of Oxford, Hilary 2019
5. **Philosophy of Mind and Personal Identity**  
Jesus College, University of Oxford, Trinity 2018

#### Upper-level Courses

6. **Rationality in Philosophy and Economics**  
Institute of Philosophy, National Tsing Hua University, Fall 2022
7. **Rationality and Time**  
Institute of Philosophy, National Tsing Hua University, Spring 2022
8. **Final Honours School Ethics (Advanced Ethics)**  
St Catherine's College, University of Oxford, Trinity 2020

#### Graduate Courses

- 9 **Intention**  
Institute of Philosophy, National Tsing Hua University, Fall 2021

10. **Proseminar** (co-taught with another instructor)  
Institute of Philosophy, National Tsing Hua University, Spring 2022

## As TA and Sole Tutorial Tutor

1. **General Philosophy (Introduction to Metaphysics and Epistemology)**  
Corpus Christi College, University of Oxford, Hilary and Trinity 2020
2. **Moral Philosophy (Introduction to Ethics)**  
St John's College, University of Oxford, Michaelmas 2017
3. **Moral Philosophy (Introduction to Ethics)**  
St John's College, University of Oxford, Michaelmas 2016
4. **Epistemology** (as TA only)  
Department of Philosophy, National Taiwan University, Fall 2012-Spring 2013

## Professional Services

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### Supervision/Mentoring

1. **Thesis Supervisor**, supervision on Master's theses (x1, from 07/2023) and undergraduate capstone project (x1, from 07/2023) at the Institute of Philosophy, National Tsing Hua University
2. **Thesis Examiner**, examination on Master's theses at National Taiwan University (x1, 07/2023), National Tsing Hua University (x1, 07/2022)
3. **Undergraduate Student Advisor**, The College of Humanities and Social Sciences, National Tsing Hua University, 2021-2023
4. **Postgraduate Student Advisor**, Institute of Philosophy, National Tsing Hua University, 2021-2023
5. **Student Mentor in the Minorities and Philosophy Mentoring Scheme**, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Oxford, 2019
6. **TA Mentor in Preparing for Learning and Teaching Seminar**, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Oxford, 2018

### Reviewing/Commenting

**Referee**, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *Synthese*, *Journal of the American Philosophical Association*, *The Asian Journal of Philosophy*, *Soochow Journal of Philosophical Studies*, *Oxford Research Centre for Humanities Student Project Grant*, *The Biennial Conference of the Asia-Pacific Philosophy of Science Association*, *Oxford Philosophy Graduate Conference*, *Taiwanese Philosophical Association's Distinguished Doctoral and Masters Thesis Award*, *General Research Grant of Taiwan's National Science and Technology Council*, *Junior Research Grant of Taiwan's National Science and Technology Council*, *Postdoctoral Research Fellow Recruitment of Taiwan's National Science and Technology Council*

**Commentator**, on Ralf Bader's "Admissible Factorisations and Hyperintensional Independence" (*Wendy Huang Lecture Series*, National Taiwan University, 2024), on Wooram Lee's "Guidance and the Wrong Kind of Reasons" (*Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress*, University of Colorado, 2023), on Neil Sinhababu's "Humean Nature" (*Book Symposium on Humean Nature*, National Taiwan University, 2017), on several papers on *The Annual Meeting of Taiwanese Philosophical Association* (2021, 2022).

### Roles in Professional Organizations

1. **Secretary-General**, The Taiwan Association for Logic, Methodology and Philosophy of Science and Technology, 09/2024-
2. **Deputy-Secretary-General**, The Taiwan Association for Logic, Methodology and Philosophy of Science and Technology, 09/2023-08/2024
3. **Executive Editor**, *EurAmerica* (an interdisciplinary journal published by the Institute of European and American Studies, Academia Sinica), 01/2023-12/2024

## Outreach Courses

1. **Justice and the Methods of Philosophy**, High School Summer Program in Humanities and Social Sciences, The College of Humanities and Social Sciences, National Tsing Hua University, 2023
2. **Kant's Moral Philosophy and its Historical Significance**, Department of History, National Taiwan Normal University, 2021
3. **The Role of Empathy in the Moral Universe** (co-taught with another instructor), Department for Continuing Education, University of Oxford, 2019
4. **Justice and Political Philosophy**, Radley College, Radley, 2019
5. **The Philosophy of Mind**, Radley College, Radley, 2018
6. **Tutorials on Political Philosophy**, Oxford UNIQ Access Summer Program, University of Oxford, 2017

## Conference/Workshop Organization

**Organizing Committee Member**, *Ockham Society, University of Oxford (2016-2017); DPhil Seminar, University of Oxford (2016-2017)*

## References

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