

# Academic CV

## Nora Tsou

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### Interests:

Primary Interests: Latin American Philosophy, Phenomenology, Hermeneutics, Decolonial Feminism

Secondary Interests: 20th Century Continental Philosophy, Philosophy of Race, Liberation Philosophy

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### Education:

Texas A&M University, Department of Philosophy, College Station, Current  
PhD Candidate (Degree Expected May 2028)

San José State University, Department of Philosophy, San José, May 2022  
M.A. in Philosophy

Dominican University of California, San Rafael, December 2019  
B.A. in Humanities and Cultural Studies

Thesis Title: "Asian-American Visibility: Movement Toward Authenticity and Exposing the White Gaze"

University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, April 2018  
3 years undergraduate work in psychology and philosophy

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### Publications:

Tsou, Nora. "The Asian-American Experience and the White Gaze: On the Potentiality

of Naming Oneself from Nowhere” *The Logic of Racial Practice*, edited by Brock Bahler, 55-75. Lanham: Lexington Books, 2021.

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## Teaching Experience:

### *Full Course Responsibility*

PHIL 61 Moral Issues (2 sections), Fall 2020  
Substitute Oct.-Dec.  
PHIL 10 Intro to Phil (2 sections), Spring 2021  
PHIL 9W Math and Logic Workshop (2 sections), Summer 2021  
Early Start Program, Mon.-Thurs. recitation for PHIL9  
PHIL 57 Logic and Critical Reasoning (2 sections), Fall 2021

### *Graduate Assistant*

PHIL 9 Math/ Logic for GE (2 sections) (Andrew Delunas), Summer 2021  
PHIL 186 Professional and Business Ethics (Rebecca Chan), Summer 2021  
PHIL 186 Professional and Business Ethics (Rebecca Chan), Fall 2021  
Weekly discussion leader and grading assistant

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## Graduate Coursework:

### *In Progress*

PHIL620 Contemporary Philosophy (Ted George) Fall 2022  
PHIL664 Philosophy of Technology (Martin Peterson, Glen Miller) Fall 2022  
HIST675 Research in Chicano-Latino History (Carlos Blanton) Fall 2022

### *Completed*

PHIL 291 Advanced Seminar in Metaphysics (Rebecca Chan) Spring 2022  
PHIL 118 Latin American Philosophy (Carlos Sánchez) Fall 2021  
PHIL 290 Advanced Seminar on Nietzsche (Thomas Leddy) Fall 2021  
PHIL 157 Intermediate Logic (Noah Friedman-Biglin) Spring 2021  
PHIL291 Political Epistemology (Etienne Brown) Spring 2021  
PHIL292 Moral Psychology (Karin Brown) Spring 2021  
PHIL298 Directed Reading on Phenomenology (Carlos Sánchez) Spring 2021  
PHIL290 Advanced Seminar in Faith (Carlos Sánchez, Rebecca Chan) Fall 2020  
PHIL289 Graduate Pro Seminar, (Carlos Sánchez, Rebecca Chan) Fall 2020  
PHIL157 Philosophy of Language (Bo Mou) Fall 2020

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## Awards and Honors:

Presidential Scholarship, Dominican University of California, 2018–2019

Dominican Grant, Dominican University of California, 2018–2019  
Presidential Scholarship, University of Pittsburgh, 2015–2018  
Panther Pride Award, University of Pittsburgh 2015–2018

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### Leadership Roles:

President for San José State University Philosophy Club, Spring 2021

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### Service Experience:

Chair for “An Alternative for the Temporal Neutrality Thesis,” by Dong-yong Choi. Colloquium: Practical Reason, APA Pacific Division. Virtual Meeting, April 8, 2021.

Volunteer at Calle 24 | Latino Task Force, San Francisco, 2020–2021

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### Languages:

Intermediate Spanish

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### References:

Brock Bahler, Professor of Philosophy and Religious Studies at University of Pittsburgh  
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[carlos.sanchez@sjsu.edu](mailto:carlos.sanchez@sjsu.edu)

Noah Friedman-Biglin, Professor of Philosophy at San José State University  
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Rebecca Chan, Professor of Philosophy at San José State University  
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