

# Brady M. DeHoust

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## Education:

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Doctor of Philosophy (in progress) August 2020-Present  
Department of Philosophy and Humanities, Texas A&M University

Master of Arts (in progress) August 2020-Present  
Department of English, Texas A&M University

Bachelor of Arts, *Summa Cum Laude*, Honors Program May 2019  
Departments of Philosophy (with Distinction) and Communication,  
Christopher Newport University

## Research and Teaching:

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AOE: 19th and 20th Century Continental Philosophy (esp. hermeneutics, existentialism, phenomenology), Philosophy of Religion, Ethics (esp. virtue ethics, history of ethics)

AOC: History of Philosophy (esp. Ancient Greek), Aesthetics (esp. literature and mythology), Philosophy of Rhetoric and Communication, Social and Political Philosophy, Applied Ethics

## Teaching & Related Experience:

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### *Instructor of Record:*

PHIL/ENGR 482: Engineering Ethics (Summer Term II), Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, July 2021.

- Hybrid course
- Included developing, recording and editing video lectures/slide shows for online course.

### *Teaching Assistant:*

PHIL 111: Contemporary Moral Issues, Dr. Martin Peterson, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, August-December 2021.

- Spring 2022: sections 504, 505, 506

PHIL 251: Introduction to Philosophy, Dr. Martin Peterson, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, January-May 2022.

- Fall 2021: sections 505, 506, 507

PHIL/ENGR 482: Engineering Ethics (two sections), Dr. Martin Peterson and Dr. Glen Miller, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.

- Fall 2022: sections 503, 509, 510
- Spring 2022: section 903
- Spring 2021: sections 925 and 928 (hybrid)
- Fall 2020: sections 912 and 917 (hybrid)

*Related Experience:*

*Graduate Facilitator & Session Leader*, Aggie School of Athens Philosophy for Children (P4C) Summer Camp, Department of Philosophy, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, June 2022.

*Philosophy Tutor* (CRLA Certified), Center for Academic Success, Christopher Newport University, Newport News, VA, August 2017-April 2019.

*Writing Associate*, Dept. of Philosophy and Religion, Christopher Newport University, Newport News, VA, January-April 2018.

**Publications:**

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“Rhetoric and Virtue: Toward an Ethics for the Symbol Using Animal,” *The Cupola*, Vol. 13 (June 2019): 91-111.

“‘Of Men and of Angels’: An Axiology of Communication,” *The Cupola*, Vol. 12 (June 2018): 124-151.

**Presentations:**

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"Saturation and Language: The Possibility of the Pure Historical Event in Marion and Gadamer." submitted presentation, *60th Annual Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy Conference*, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, October 2022.

"Being, Becoming, and the State: Tracing Temporality and Organicity in the *Republic* and the *Statesman*," submitted presentation, *7th Annual History of Philosophy Society Conference: The Political Community*, Baylor University, Waco, TX, April 2022.

"Kant or Hegel? (This Time, Religion)" (with Theodore George), TAMU Continental Philosophy Reading and Study Group, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, September 2021.

“Rhetoric and Virtue: Toward an Ethics for the Symbol Using Animal,” submitted presentation, *Paideia* conference, Christopher Newport University, Newport News, VA, April 2019.

“‘Of Men and of Angels’: An Axiology of Communication,” submitted presentation, Hoaglund conference, Christopher Newport University, Newport News, VA, March 2019.

**Awards, Scholarships, & Stipends:**

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*Graduate Archive and Fieldwork Grant*, Glasscock Center for Humanities Research, April 2022.  
For fieldwork in Germany toward research project on Martin Luther's hermeneutics. \$1000.

*GPAC Summer Research Grant*, TAMU Graduate Program Advisory Committee, April 2022;  
For German language study and research at the Herder-Institut, Leipzig (B1). \$3436.

*GPAC Language Study Grants*, TAMU Graduate Program Advisory Committee, Apr., Sept., & Nov.  
2021, Jan. 2022;  
For German language study through the Goethe Institute, Chicago (A1, A2.1, A2.2, A2.3).

*Underwood Scholarship in Philosophy*, CNU Dept. of Philosophy and Religion, Dec. 2018;  
For excellence in philosophical scholarship. \$1500.

*Honors Research Stipend*, CNU Honors Program, May 2018;  
For independent research: "Ethics and the Appalachian Trail." \$1000.

*LENS Grant*, CNU Office of Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity, May 2018;  
For independent research: "'Of Men and of Angels': An Axiology of Communication." \$1000.

*Honors Study Abroad Stipend*, CNU Honors Program, July, 2017;  
For study abroad trip to the University of Oxford, UK. \$2000.

*CNU Summer Scholar Stipend*, CNU Office of Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity,  
June-Aug. 2017;  
For independent research: "Comparing and Contrasting Platonic, Aristotelian, and Biblical Ethics."  
\$2500.

*Honors Program Scholarship*, CNU Honors Program, Aug. 2015-Jan. 2019 (semesterly);  
For admission and continued participation in the Honors Program. \$2000/yr.

### **Service to the Profession:**

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*Faculty and GPAC Student Representative*, Graduate Student in Philosophy (GSiP), Texas A&M University,  
September 2022-Present.

*Technical Assistant*, *Epoché: A Journal of the History of Philosophy*, Summer 2022.

*Reader/Reviewer*, *A Death of the World: Surviving the Death of the Other*, Harris Bechtol (under contract),  
Summer 2022.

*Convener/Program Coordinator*, Continental Philosophy Reading and Study Group, Department of  
Philosophy, Texas A&M University, April 2021-Aug. 2022.

*Keynote Address Moderator*, "Nietzsche and Tragic Philosophizing" (Sean Kirkland), 2022 Texas A&M  
University Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, Texas A&M University, April 16, 2022.

*Session Moderator*, "In Defense of the Devil's Despair: An Argument based on Kierkegaard's Sickness unto Death and Milton's *Paradise Lost*," 2022 Texas A&M University Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, Texas A&M University, April 16, 2022.

*Coordination Assistant/Reviewer*, 2022 Texas A&M University Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, Texas A&M University, October 2021-April 2022.

*Panel Moderator*, "The Affects of Giving and Receiving," "Given Time in Three Times" Conference, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, November 11-12, 2021.

*Panel Moderator*, "New Directions in Hermeneutics," SPEP Conference, Online (Zoom), October 2021.

*Letter Writer*, Professor's Tenure Review, Christopher Newport University Department of Philosophy and Religion, July 1, 2020.

*President*, Phi Sigma Tau, National Philosophy Honor Society, VA Alpha Chapter, August 2018-May 2019.

*Vice President*, Lambda Pi Eta, National Communication Studies Honor Society, August 2018-May 2019.

*Program co-organizer*, Hoaglund conference, CNU Dept. of Philosophy and Religion, Newport News, VA, March 2019.

*Program organizer/moderator*, "Philosophy and Communication Studies: Siblings Separated at Birth," discussion panel, Philosophy Café, CNU Dept. of Philosophy and Religion, Newport News, VA, October 2018.

*Ambassador*, Dept. of Philosophy and Religion, Christopher Newport University, Newport News, VA, March 2017.

### **Honors:**

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*Omicron Delta Kappa*, CNU Circle, (leadership honors society) Dec. 2017.

*Alpha Chi*, VA Zeta Chapter, (academic honors society) Oct. 2017.

*Phi Sigma Tau*, VA Alpha Chapter, (international philosophy honors society) Fall 2017.

*Lambda Pi Eta*, (national communication studies honors society) Fall 2017.

### **Professional Affiliations:**

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Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy (SPEP)

History of Philosophy Society (HOPS)

Continental Philosophy Reading and Study Group, Texas A&M University

Ancient Philosophy Reading Group, Texas A&M University

### **Languages:**

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German (Intermediate/B1)  
Spanish (Elementary)

### Miscellaneous Involvements:

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*"Sprachen bauen Brücken,"* Intensive Summer Language Course, interDaF, Herder-Institut der Universität Leipzig, July 2022 (5 credits, B1-level).

*Institute for Humane Studies Colloquia*, invited participant, Institute for Humane Studies, Christopher Newport University and George Mason University, 2017-2019 (semesterly).

*"Pilgrimage on the Appalachian Trail" Study Away Classes*, Dept. of Philosophy and Religion, Christopher Newport University, May 2017 (student) and 2018 (assistant).

*Oxford Prestigious Scholars Program*, Study Abroad, University of Oxford and Christopher Newport University, July 2017.

### References:

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*Dr. Martin Peterson*  
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