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CURRICULUM VITAE

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AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Bioethics, Phenomenology, Social and Political Philosophy, History of Philosophy.

AREAS OF COMPETENCE

Continental Philosophy, Ethics, Metaphysics, Philosophy of Language.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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| 2025 | Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Center for Arts and Letters (University of Austin) |
| 2022 | Postdoctoral Fellow, Hamilton Center for Classical and Civic Education (University of Florida) |
| 2021 | John and Daria Barry Postdoctoral Research Fellow, James Madison Program in American Ideals and Institutions (Princeton University) |

EDUCATION

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| 2021 | Ph.D. in Philosophy | Rice University (Houston, TX) |
| 2018 | M.A. in Philosophy | Rice University (Houston, TX) |
| 2013 | M.A. in Philosophy | Tulane University (New Orleans, LA) |
| 2010 | B.A. in German | Princeton University (Princeton, NJ) |

DISSERTATION

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| TITLE: | <i>Social Justice Leftism as Deconstructive Postmodernism</i> |
| COMMITTEE: | Dr. Steven Crowell (chair), Dr. George Sher, Dr. Cary Wolfe |

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Porter, A. (forthcoming) (ed.). *Phenomenology & Posthumanism(s)*. Springer.
- Porter, A. (forthcoming). "Phenomenology and Posthumanism." In *Phenomenology and Posthumanism(s)* (forthcoming). Springer.
- Porter, A. (forthcoming). "Transhumanism and the Future of Justice: Essential Concerns about Artificial 'Judges' and 'Enhanced' Justice." In *Human Dignity and Transhumanism*. Trivent Publishing.
- Porter, A. (forthcoming). "The Philosophy and Politics of Healing the Body." *The Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*.
- Porter, A. (2023). "Transhumanism and Posthumanism(s) on Education." *International Journal of Philosophical Studies* 31(4): 475-500.
- Porter, A. (2023). "Heidegger's 'Metametaphysics': Heidegger on Modernity and Postmodernity." *Interpretation: A Journal of Political Philosophy* 50(1):81-108.
- Porter, A. (2023). "Arguments over Life Extension in Contemporary Bioethics." In E. Valdés, J.A. Lecaros (eds.), *Handbook of Bioethical Decisions Volume I*, pp.247-276. Springer.
- Porter, A. (2020). "Bioethics in the Ruins." *The Journal of Medicine and Philosophy: A Forum for Bioethics and Philosophy of Medicine* 45(3): 259-276.

Porter, A. (2017). "Bioethics and Transhumanism." *The Journal of Medicine and Philosophy: A Forum for Bioethics and Philosophy of Medicine* 42(3): 237-260.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Porter, A. (2024). "Technological Mediation in a Disembodied World: A Review of Christine Rosen's *The Extinction of Experience*." *Public Discourse*.

Porter, A. (2023). "The Philosophy Underlying DEI." *Law & Liberty*.

Porter, A. (2023). "ChatGPT and the Promise of Authenticity." *Law & Liberty*.

Porter, A. (2023). "Will AI Revolutionize Education?" *City Journal*.

Porter, A. (2022). "A Great Day for American Democracy." *RealClearPolitics*.

Porter, A. (2022). "Exercising the Virtues." *Law & Liberty*.

Porter, A. (2022). "Everyone's a Critic, and It's Time to Read the Books." *The Wall Street Journal*.

Porter, A. (2022). "The Brave New World of Biopolitics." *Law & Liberty*.

Porter, A. (2021). "It's Time To Oppose Covid Authoritarianism." *Public Discourse*.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Editorial Board: *International Journal of Philosophy* (September 2024-)
- Editorial Advisory Board: *The Journal of Medicine and Philosophy* (January 2023 -)
- Guest Issue Editor: *The Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*, Volume 42, Issue 3 (June 2017).
- Refereeing and Reviewing: *Ethics & Behavior*, *Filozofia*, *HEC Forum*, *Idealistic Studies*, *Metaphysics*, *Teachers College Record*, *The Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*.

SELECTED AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS

- 2024-2025 Hertog Foundation Fellow (Winter 2024-2025)
- 2021-2022 Barry Fellow, Barry Center for the University and Intellectual Life (The Morningside Institute)
- 2018-2019 Rice Seminar Fellow (Rice University)
- 2018-2019 Mellon Seminar Fellow (Rice University)
- 2018-2019 CENHS Predoctoral Fellow (Rice University)
- 2008-2009 The Mary Cunningham Junior German Prize (Princeton University)

ACADEMIC TEACHING

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

IDH 2930: Descartes' *Meditations* (Spring 2025)

IDH 2930: Humanity and the Question Concerning Technology (Fall 2024)

IDH 2930: Machiavelli's *The Prince* (Spring 2024)

IDH 2930: Plato's *Republic* (Fall 2023)

IDH 2930: Rousseau's Political Writings (Spring 2023)

RICE UNIVERSITY

PHIL 166: Ethics in Pandemics (Fall 2020)

PHIL 105: Historical Introduction to Western Political Philosophy (Summer 2020)

PHIL 101: Contemporary Moral Issues (Summer 2019)

PHIL 105: Historical Introduction to Western Philosophy (Spring 2018)

PRIVATE

Tutorial on Phenomenology (May 2020 – May 2023) | Client: Peter Delancey Swords, J.D.

Tutorial on *Being and Time* (April 2019 – April 2020) | Client: Michael J. Chambers, J.D.