

Julius Schönherr

Personal Data

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Area of Specialization

Philosophy of Mind/Cognitive Science, Normative Ethics

Area of competence

Bioethics, Ethics of Climate Change

Education

Spring 2019
(expected) Ph.D. Philosophy, **University of Maryland**, College Park
Thesis: Mindreading for cooperation: a moderately minimalist approach
Advisor: Peter Carruthers, Distinguished University Professor
Committee: Dan Moller, Eric Pacuit

August 2012 M.A. Philosophy, **Humboldt University**, Berlin

August 2010 B.A. Philosophy, **Humboldt University**, Berlin

Peer Reviewed Publications

Schönherr, J. (In press). When Forgiveness Comes Easy. *The Journal of Value Inquiry*.

Schönherr, J. (In press). Lucky Joint Action. *Philosophical Psychology*.

Schönherr, Julius (2018). Still Lives for Headaches: A reply to Dorsey and Voorhoeve. *Utilitas*, 30 (2):209-218.

Schönherr, J., & Westra, E. (2017). Beyond 'Interaction': How to Understand Social Effects on Social Cognition. *The British Journal for the Philosophy of Science*. (online first)

Schönherr, J. (2017). What's so Special About Interaction in Social Cognition?. *Review of Philosophy and Psychology*, 8(2), 181-198.

Conference Proceedings

Schönherr, J. (2013). What makes moral values queer? In: Spitzley, T., Hoeltje, M., & Spohn, W. (eds.). *GAP.8* (Proceedings of the tri-annual meeting of the German Society for Analytic Philosophy).

Schönherr, J. (2012). Moral Principles despite Particularism. In: Petersen, Borchers, O., Dagmar, Spitzley, D., Stöckler, T. *GAP.7*. (Proceedings of the tri-annual meeting of the German Society for Analytic Philosophy).

Papers in Preparation

Schönherr, J. (Under review). Coordinating through Precedent Without Common Inductive Standards.

- The Endorsement View of Forgiveness
 - Joint Action without Joint Intention
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Professional presentations

- Jan. 2019 “When Forgiveness Comes Easy” at the eastern division meeting of the APA, New York, New York, USA
- Sept. 2017 “Lucky Joint Action”, presented at the conference *Philosophy Days* in Uppsala, Sweden
- June 2017 “Joint Actions without Joint Goals”, presented at the Joint Action Workshop at the Berlin School of Mind and Brain.
- August 2015 “The problem of imperceptible contributions to harm”, Linköping, Sweden; presented at the conference *Globalisation and Global Justice*.
- July 2015 “What’s so special about interaction in social cognition?” Tartu, Estonia; presented at the annual conference of the European Society for Philosophy and Psychology
- June 2015 “What’s so special about interaction in social cognition?” (poster presentation), Berlin School of Mind and Brain, Berlin; presented at the conference *The nature and origins of cognition*.
- June 2014 “The Explanatory Keep of Intentional State Ascriptions: Two Accounts”, Krakow, Poland; presented at the Jagiellonian-Rutgers Conference in Cognitive Science 2014 (CogSciJR14)
- Sept. 2012 “What makes moral values queer?” Constance, Germany; presented at the triennial conference of the Germany Society for Analytical Philosophy
- Sept. 2009 “Moral principles despite particularism”, Bremen, Germany; presented at the triennial conference of the Germany Society for Analytical Philosophy

Teaching experience

As principal instructor

- Spring 2018 “Topic in Bioethics: Autonomy”, University of Maryland, College Park
- Fall 2017 “Introduction to Ethics”, University of Maryland, College Park
- Summer 2017 “Ethics of Climate Change” (taught online), University of Maryland, College Park
- Fall 2016 “Philosophy of the Environment”, University of Maryland, College Park
- Fall 2015 “Philosophy of the Environment”, University of Maryland, College Park

As teaching assistant

- Spring 2016 “Political and Social Philosophy”, University of Maryland, College Park
- Spring 2015 “Darwin’s dangerous idea”, University of Maryland, College Park
- Fall 2014 “Contemporary moral issues”, University of Maryland, College Park
- Spring 2014 “Know Thyself: Wisdom Through Cognitive Science”, University of Maryland, College Park
- Fall 2010 “Introduction to philosophy”, Humboldt University, Berlin
- Fall 2009 “Introduction to philosophy”, Humboldt University, Berlin

Service work

- Sep. 2017 – present Undergraduate advisor, University of Maryland, College Park
- Sep. 2016 – May 2017 Graduate Representative for the department of philosophy, University of Maryland, College park
- Sept 2015 – May 2016 Representative at the Dean’s Graduate Student Advisory Board, University of Maryland, College Park

Awards and Prizes

- 2018 Marc Sanders APA Graduate Student prize. One of three annual APA (eastern division) graduate student prizes for the best papers in mind, metaphysics, epistemology or ethics. (\$1000)
- 2018 Ann G. Wylie Semester Dissertation Fellowship (\$16000) (University-wide fellowship, awarded to around 40 students from around 4000 eligible students.)
- 2014 Jacob K. Goldhaber Travel Grant (\$700)

Languages

- German: Native
- English: Fluent
- Spanish: Proficient