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**Degree Education**

B.S., Computer Engineering, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2006  
B.A., Philosophy, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2006

**Non-Degree Education**

Facoltà di Filosofia, Pontificia Università Lateranense, Rome, Italy, 2003-2005

**Areas of Interest**

Philosophy of Science, Causation, Aristotelian Science and Logic, Information Processing, History of Chemistry

**Presentations**

"Aristotle's Practical Syllogism: Putting Human Deliberation into Action." *Thought and Action in Aristotle and the Aristotelian Tradition*: Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 16-18 June 2009.

"Aristotle's Syllogism on the Basis of a Hypothesis." 105<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the *American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division*: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 27-30 December 2008.

"John Dalton: From Puzzles to Chemistry by Way of Meteorology." *2008 History of Science Society Conference*: Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 6-9 November 2008.

"Aristotle on Spontaneous Generation." *Aristotle, Ethics, and Science: A Conference and Graduate Student Workshop*: St. Joseph's University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 4-5 October 2008.

"The Causal Markov Condition: Should You Choose to Accept It?" *Causality and Probability in the Sciences (CAPITS 2008)*: University of Kent, Canterbury, UK, 10-12 September 2008.

**Academic Employment & Teaching Experience**

University of Pittsburgh

HPS 0515: "Magic, Medicine, and Science", Teaching Assistant for Paolo Palmieri, Spring 2008  
HPS 0437: "Darwinism and Its Critics", Teaching Assistant for James Lennox, Fall 2007

University of Illinois

Civil & Environmental Engineering Department, Database Programming for Tami Bond, Summer 2006

**Honors and Awards**

University of Pittsburgh

Mellon Fellowship (2006-07, 2008-09, 2010-11)  
Wesley Salmon Fund Grant Recipient (May 2008)  
APA Eastern Division Graduate Student Travel Stipend (December 2008)

University of Illinois

Jules D. Falzer Scholarship (2005-2006)  
United Conveyor Foundation Scholarship (2001-2003, 2005-2006)  
Illinois General Assembly Scholarship (2000-2001, 2005-2006)  
UIUC College of Engineering Dean's List (All semesters of enrollment, 2000-2003, 2005-2006)

Mary Chow Scholarship (2001-2002)  
Eta Kappa Nu Honor Society Membership (Inducted 2002)  
Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society Membership (Inducted 2001)  
National Honor Society Alumni Scholarship (2000-01)  
Women in Engineering Distinguished Scholar Award (2000)

**Language Proficiency**

English – Native Language  
Italian – Fluent  
Ancient Greek (Attic) – Intermediate Reading Knowledge

**Professional Memberships**

American Philosophical Association  
History of Science Society  
International Society for History of Philosophy of Science  
Philosophy of Science Association