

# CURRICULUM VITAE

## **Teresa Bruno-Niño**

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### **Areas of Specialization**

Ethics, Well-being

### **Areas of Competence**

Applied Ethics (Business Ethics, Environmental Ethics, Bioethics, Philosophy of Law), Free Will.

## **Education**

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### **Syracuse University**

*Ph.D. in Philosophy*

August 2012 – present

- All but Dissertation

### **University of Kansas**

*M.A. in Philosophy*

August 2009 – May 2012

- Thesis: *Reflective Equilibrium, Moral Justification and the Charge of Emptiness*
- Oral Defense – Honors

### **National Autonomous University of Mexico**

*M.A. in Philosophy*

August 2007 – June 2009

- Thesis: *Accountability, Reactive Attitudes and Free Will*
- Oral Defense – Honors

### **National Autonomous University of Mexico**

*B.A. in Philosophy*

September 2002 – June 2006

- Thesis: *Kantian Theory of Moral Motivation*
- Oral Defense – Honors

## **Publications**

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Bruno-Niño, Teresa, Werner, Preston J. (2019): You Oughta Know: A Defence of Obligations to Learn, Australasian Journal of Philosophy, DOI: 10.1080/00048402.2018.1547915

Bruno-Niño, Teresa. Review of the book *Happiness Explained: What Human Flourishing is and What We Can Do to Promote It* by Paul Anand. Forthcoming in *Teaching Philosophy*.

## **Paper Presentations**

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“Objectivism without Alienation” (minor title changes)

Central Division meeting, American Philosophical Association

February 2019

Vancouver Summer Philosophy Conference

August 2016

Central States Philosophical Association

November 2015

Northwest Philosophy Conference

October 2015

8<sup>th</sup> meeting of the American Association for Mexican Philosophers, Columbia University

April 2015

“You Oughta Know: A Defence of Obligations to Learn” (co-authored with Preston J. Werner)

Eastern Division meeting, American Philosophical Association (Poster)

January 2019

Joint meeting of the South Carolina Society for Philosophy and North Carolina Philosophical Society

February 2016

“Does All Well-being Resonate? On the Well-being of Non-standard Subjects” Central Division meeting, American Philosophical Association Kansas Workshop on Well-being, University of Kansas	February 2020 August 2018
“Autonomy, Alienation and Well-being: Seeing one’s Well-being through Autonomous Action” Central Division meeting, American Philosophical Association (Poster) Society for Mexican American Philosophy, Eastern Division meeting, American Philosophical Association 10 <sup>th</sup> meeting of the American Association for Mexican Philosophers, UC, Boulder	February 2018 January 2018 September 2017
“Reflective Equilibrium, Emptiness and Conservatism” 5 <sup>th</sup> meeting of the American Association for Mexican Philosophers, Rutgers	May 2012
“Moral Responsibility and the Notion of Control” 3 <sup>rd</sup> meeting of the American Association for Mexican Philosophers, at the Pacific Division meeting, American Philosophical Association	March 2010
“Determinism, Fate and Freedom in Sophocles’ Antigone” 3 <sup>rd</sup> Iberoamerican Conference of Philosophy Students, Bogota, Colombia	April 2009
“Kantian Theory of Moral Motivation” Mexican Association of Philosophy Conference, Mazatlan, Mexico	October 2007

## Comments

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On “Solving the ideal world problem” by Caleb Perl (UC Boulder) Eastern Division meeting, American Philosophical Association	January 2020
On “The Multivocality of Well-being” by Jason Raibley (University of Kansas) Kansas Workshop on Well-Being, University of Kansas	July 2019
On “The Resonance Constraint” by Chris Heathwood (UC Boulder) Kansas Workshop on Well-Being, University of Kansas	July 2017
On “On the Connection Between Racist Ideology and Institutional Racism” by César Cabezas (Columbia) The 2 <sup>nd</sup> Latinx Philosophy Conference, Rutgers University, New Brunswick	April 2017
On “Well-being and Compliance with Oppression” by Rosa Terlazzo (Kansas State University) Pacific Division meeting, American Philosophical Association	April 2017
On “Sibling Partiality” by Jeremy Davis (University of Toronto) Central Division meeting, American Philosophical Association	March 2017
On “Because I said So” by Juan S. Piñeros Glasscock (Yale University) Eastern Division meeting, American Philosophical Association	January 2017
On “Moral Torch Fishing: A Signaling Theory of Blame” by David Shoemaker and Manuel Vargas 9 <sup>th</sup> meeting of the American Association for Mexican Philosophers, Syracuse University	September 2016
On “Doxastic Blame” by Lindsay Rettler (Ohio State University) Pacific Division meeting, American Philosophical Association	March 2016
On “Moral Progress in the History of the Moral Norms” by Andres Luco (Nanyang Technological University) Eastern Division meeting, American Philosophical Association	January 2016
On “Reasons, Dispositions, and Value” by Aaron Elliott (University of Nebraska, Lincoln) Central States Philosophical Association 2015	November 2015

On “How Not to Defend the Factoring Account” by Sarah Raskoff (University of Arizona) Central Division meeting, American Philosophical Association	February 2015
On “Can we Believe for Practical Reasons?” by Juan Comesaña (University of Arizona) 20th meeting of the Sociedad Filosófica Iberoamericana, Huatulco, Mexico	January 2015
On “On the Causal Import of the Looping Effects of Kinds of People” by Lourdes Ortiz (UCSC) 7th meeting of the American Association for Mexican Philosophers, Stanford University	March 2014
On “Willing that Others” by Carlos Núñez (Stanford University) 6th meeting of the American Association for Mexican Philosophers, Princeton University	May 2013
On “Is Historical Injustice beyond the Scope of Rawlsian Theory?” by Moises Vaca and Juan Espindola 4th meeting of the American Association for Mexican Philosophers, UNAM, Mexico City	May 2011

## Home Institution Presentations and Comments

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### *Paper Presentations*

“Objectivism without Alienation” (minor title changes) Syracuse University ABD Workshop Working Papers, Syracuse University Philosophy Women’s Group	December 2015 October 2014
“Moral Categoricity and Pragmatics” Working Papers, Syracuse University	November 2014
“Inescapability and the Nature of Moral Normativity” Working Papers, Syracuse University	November 2013
“Reflective Equilibrium, Emptiness and Conservatism” (minor title changes) Ethics Reading Group, MIT Graduate Student Colloquium, University of Kansas	November 2011 March 2011

### *Comments*

On “Failing to Resonate with Subjective Accounts of Well-being” by Nikki Fortier Syracuse University ABD Workshop	March 2019
On “Non-Sensory Phenomenology and the Metaphysics of Pleasure and Pain” by Lorenza D’Angelo Syracuse University ABD Workshop	April 2018
On “Moral Torch Fishing: A Signaling Theory of Blame” by Manuel Vargas and David Shoemaker 9th meeting of the American Association for Mexican Philosophers, Syracuse University	September 2016
On “Hypocrisy: Tribute Vice Pays to Virtue” by Sam Elgin Syracuse University Philosophy Graduate Student Conference	March 2015
On “Rational Identities and the Myth of the Taken” by Andrew Flynn Syracuse University Philosophy Graduate Student Conference	February 2014

## Teaching Experience

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### Syracuse University

August 2019 – December 2019

### Department of Philosophy

#### *Teaching Assistant*

- PHI 191 Ethics & Contemporary Issues: The Meaning of Life, Fall 2019. Instructor: Dr. Verena Erlenbusch-Anderson

<b>The Pennsylvania State University</b> <b>Department of Philosophy</b> <i>Main Instructor</i>	August 2016 – May 2019
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PHIL 105 Philosophy of Law, Spring 2019</li> <li>• PHIL 132 Introduction to Bioethics, Fall 2018</li> <li>• PHIL 13 Philosophy, Nature and Environment, Spring 2018</li> <li>• PHIL 12 Symbolic Logic, Spring 2017</li> <li>• PHIL 106 Introduction to Business Ethics, Fall 2016</li> </ul>	
<b>Syracuse University</b> <b>Department of Philosophy</b> <i>Main Instructor</i>	August 2014 – May 2015
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PHI 192 Introduction to Moral Theory, Fall 2014</li> <li>• PHI 192 Introduction to Moral Theory, Spring 2015</li> </ul>	
<b>Syracuse University</b> <b>Department of Philosophy</b> <i>Teaching Assistant</i>	August 2012 – May 2014
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PHI 107 Theories of Knowledge and Reality, Fall 2012. Instructor: Dr. Robert Van Gulick</li> <li>• PHI 192 Introduction to Moral Theory, Spring 2013. Instructor: Dr. Ben Bradley</li> <li>• PHI 251 Logic, Fall 2013. Instructor: Dr. Thomas McKay</li> <li>• PHI 192 Introduction to Moral Theory, Spring 2014. Instructor: Dr. David Sobel</li> </ul>	
<b>University of Kansas</b> <b>Department of Philosophy</b> <i>Grader, Medical Ethics, Dr. Donald Marquis</i>	January 2010 – May 2010 January 2011 – May 2011
<b>National Autonomous University of Mexico</b> <b>Department of Philosophy and Literature</b> <i>Grader</i>	August 2007 – June 2008
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ethics I and II, Dr. Gustavo Ortiz</li> <li>• Topics in Metaphysics (The Metaphysics of Intentional Action) I and II, Dr. Enrique Villanueva</li> </ul>	

## Visiting Positions

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Global Priorities Institute, University of Oxford Summer Research Visitor Programme	May – June 2019
Hebrew University of Jerusalem Ph.D. Summer Fellowship	June – July 2015
Massachusetts Institute of Technology Ph.D. student visiting position	September 2011 – December 2011
University of California, Riverside M.A. student visiting position	September 2008 – December 2008

## Academic Service

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### *Chairing*

Madison Metaethics Workshop, session on Daniel Wodak's "Approving on the Basis of Moral and Aesthetic Testimony"	September 2019
Madison Metaethics Workshop, session on Dan Korman and Dustin Locke's "Against Minimalist Responses to Moral Debunking Arguments"	September 2018
Athena in Action. A Networking and Mentoring Workshop for Graduate Student Women in Philosophy	June 2018

Central Division meeting, American Philosophical Association, session on Robert Gruber's, "Evaluating the Uncooperativeness Solution to the Mismatch Problem" February 2018  
 Eastern Division meeting, American Philosophical Association, session on Eden Lin's "Attitudinal and Phenomenological Theories of Pleasure" January 2018  
 Madison Metaethics Workshop, session on Michael Milona and Mark Shroeder's "Desiring under the Proper Guise" September 2017  
 Syracuse Philosophy Annual Workshop and Network (SPAWN) on Well-being, session on Steve Campbell's "The Good Death" June 2016  
 Arizona Normative Ethics Workshop, session on Adam Cureton's "The Concept of Right as the Proper Adjudication of Conflicting Claims" January 2016  
 Chapel Hill Metaethics Workshop, session on Ralph Bader's "The Grounding Argument against Non-Reductive Moral Realism" October 2015

### *Community Outreach*

PIKSI-Boston, Graduate Fellow July 2016  
 Philosophy Class Discussion Leader, Southside Academy Charter School (sessions on racial discrimination, social rules, facts and opinions, and gender stereotypes) Spring 2014 – Fall 2015

### *Referee Work*

Graduate Student Conference, Institute of Philosophical Research (UNAM) July 2019, October 2014  
*Australasian Journal of Philosophy* December 2017  
 SWIP Analytic Mexico, First Essay Contest September 2017  
*Diánoia*, Institute of Philosophical Research (UNAM) June 2017, October 2012  
*Revista de Filosofía*, Complutense University of Madrid January 2016  
*Crítica: Revista Hispanoamericana de Filosofía*, Institute of Philosophical Research (UNAM) June 2012  
 December 2011

### *Coordination*

Associate Editor for PEA Soup Blog January 2017 – Present  
 Co-President of American Association of Mexican Philosophers (with Arturo Javier) May 2015 – September 2016  
 Co-Founder and organizer of Metaethics Reading Group at Syracuse University (with Nicole Dular) 2012-2015  
 Co-Organizer of the Syracuse University Philosophy Women's Group (with Nicole Dular) 2013-2014  
 Founder and organizer of Graduate Student Reading Group at the University of Kansas 2010-2011

## Honors and Awards

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Phi Beta Delta International Honor Society Member March 2013 – February 2014  
 Fulbright Scholarship August 2009 – May 2012  
 Templin Award, The University of Kansas March 2010  
 Intern, Institute of Philosophical Research (UNAM) January 2008 – June 2009

## Other Work Experience

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### **Syracuse University**

August 2014, August 2015

#### *Teaching Mentor*

- Small group leader and mentor during the SU teaching assistant orientation

### **National Autonomous University of Mexico**

March 2005 – July 2007

#### **Institute of Law Research, Dr. Enrique Villanueva (supervisor)**

#### *Research Assistant*

- Assisted with Dr. Villanueva's research on moral philosophy

## Languages

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Fluent English and Spanish, basic French

## References

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### *Research*

David Sobel, Dissertation Advisor  
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### *Teaching*

Kim Frost  
Teaching Mentor, Fall 2014, Spring 2015  
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