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Curriculum Vitae

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Academic Affiliations

- 1994-... **Professor**, Philosophy Department & Asian Studies, The City College of the City University of New York
- 1997-98 **Instructor**, Graduate Course in Philosophical Practice, Felician College, New Jersey
- 1993-94 **Lecturer**, Arts One Program (Great Books), University of British Columbia
- 1993-94 **Lecturer**, Department of Philosophy, Capilano College, North Vancouver
- 1992-94 **Lecturer**, Department of Philosophy, University of British Columbia, Vancouver
- 1992 **Instructor**, Coquitlam Continuing Education, Grade 11 Mathematics for mature students
- 1990-91 **Supply Teacher**, Bonaventure Polyvalent School, Bonaventure, Quebec
- 1988-89 **Pre-Doctoral Fellow**, Edelstein Centre, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
- 1987-88 **Lecturer & Research Fellow**, Dept. of History & Philosophy of Science, University College London
- 1983-84 **Research Assistant**, Physics Department, Concordia University, Montreal
- 1982 **Research Assistant**, Chemistry Department, Concordia University, Montreal

Executive Education Affiliations

- 2015-... **Faculty**, Ducere, Melbourne/Canberra, Australia
- 2009 **Faculty**, Festival of Thinkers, Abu Dhabi
- 2006-... **Faculty**, Horasis: Global Arabia, Asia, China, India, Russia Meetings
- 2000-... **Faculty**, World Economic Forum, Geneva-Davos-New York-Delhi-Beijing-Singapore
- 2001-05 **Faculty**, Institute for Local Gov't., SW Leadership & Governance Program, Univ. of Arizona
- 2004 **Fellow**, The Aspen Institute, Executive Seminar
- 2004 **Faculty**, Omega Institute for Holistic Studies, Rhinebeck, NY
- 1999-... **Faculty**, American Philosophical Practitioners Association
- 1991-94 **Executive Moderator**, Canadian Business & Professional Ethics Network, Univ. of British Columbia

Leadership Roles

- 2011-14 **Chair**, Department of Philosophy, The City College of New York
- 2012-13 **Dialogues** with SGI Youth Leaders in Los Angeles, Miami, New York, Toronto, Vancouver, Washington
- 2009-10 **Chair**, Department of Philosophy, The City College of New York
- 2007-... **Faculty**, Global Leadership Fellows Programme, World Economic Forum
- 2005-... **Founding Editor-in-Chief**, *Philosophical Practice: Journal of the APPA*
- 2003 **Program Leader**, for Global Leaders of Tomorrow, World Economic Forum
- 1999 -... **Founding President**, American Philosophical Practitioners Association (APPA)
- 1998 **Executive Director**, American Society for Philosophy, Counseling & Psychotherapy (ASPCP)
- 1997 **President**, American Society for Philosophy, Counseling & Psychotherapy (ASPCP)

Academic Qualifications

- 1992 **Ph.D.**, University College London, England, in Philosophy of Science
- 1984 **B. Sc. (with Great Distinction)**, Concordia University, Montreal, in Theoretical Physics
- 1980 **Diploma**, Control Data Institute, Montreal, in Digital Computing Technology
- 1972 **Diploma**, Dawson College, Montreal, in pre-University Liberal Arts
- 1968 **McGill Junior Certificate**, Lower Canada College, Montreal, in secondary studies

Accredited Courses Taught

- 2007-... **Macaulay Honors College**: Applied Ethics Across the Disciplines, The Rational Animal, Ethics
- 1994-... **The City College of New York**: Asian Philosophy, Biomedical Ethics, Buddhism, Chinese Philosophy, Comparative Ethics, Computer Ethics, Critical Thinking, Decision Theory, Engineering Ethics, Environmental Ethics, Independent Study, Indian Philosophy, Introductory Philosophy, Philosophy of Artificial Intelligence, Philosophy of Science Fiction, Senior Seminar, Symbolic Logic, The Rational Animal, World Philosophies, Senior Engineering Project supervisor and co-sponsor
- 2004 **Omega Institute (Rhinebeck)**: Continuing Education Units (CEUs) for mental health professionals
- 2002 **European Association of Psychiatrists (Stockholm)**: CEUs for psychiatrists
- 2002 **Australian Psychotherapy Congress (Melbourne)**: CEUs for psychotherapists
- 1998 **Felician College, NJ**: Philosophical Counseling (graduate course)
- 1992-94 **Capilano College, BC**: Business Ethics, Environmental Ethics, Ethics, Philosophy of Law
- 1991-94 **University of British Columbia**: Biomedical Ethics, Critical Thinking, Deductive Logic, Great Books, Philosophy of Science, Scientific Reasoning

1990-91 **Bonaventure School, QC:** Mathematics, Sciences, Moral Education, PC application software.

1987-88 **University College London:** Philosophy of Science (undergraduate & postgraduate sections)

Graduate Supervision

2016-17 Research supervisor for two Visiting Scholars from China; one from Guangxi University; the other, from Shandong University at Weihai.

2013-14 External supervisor of candidate for M.A. in Conflictology at the Open University of Catalonia, Spain

2012-... External supervisor of Ph.D. candidate in Philosophy at the University of Bucharest, Romania

2012 External supervisor of Ph.D. candidate in Philosophy at Shandong Normal University, China, and Visiting Scholar at CCNY

2012-19 External supervisor of Ph.D. candidate in Philosophy at the Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico (UNAM), Mexico City

2000 External Examiner on Ph.D. thesis in Education at the University of British Columbia

Books

2019: *On Human Conflict: The Philosophical Foundations of War and Peace*, Rowman & Littlefield, Lanham, MD

2018: *Eloquent Sinking: A Gaspesian Tragicomedy*, Waterside Press, Dan Diego

2014: *The Power of Dao: Finding Serenity in Changing Times*, Argo-Navis (Perseus Books), Denver. New edition by Waterside Press, San Diego, 2017. Translated into 6 languages

2012: *The Inner Philosopher: Conversations on Philosophy's Transformative Power*. A dialogue with Daisaku Ikeda. Cambridge, MA: Dialogue Path Press. Translated into 6 languages

2007: *The Middle Way: Finding Happiness in a World of Extremes*, Sterling, New York & London. Translated into 5 languages.

2003: *Therapy for the Sane: How Philosophy Can Change Your Life*, Bloomsbury, New York & London. Translated into 13 languages.

2001: *Philosophical Practice*, Academic Press, NY.

1999: *Plato Not Prozac: Applying Philosophy to Everyday Problems*, HarperCollins, NY. Translated into 27 languages.

1994: *Fair New World*, Backlash Books, Vancouver.

Edited Book

2018: *Vice Versa: Collected & Neglected Poems (1931-2017)* by Rosaline Tafler. Amazon Create Space. Compiled by Julian Marinoff. Note: Rosaline Tafler (born 1923) is the editor's mother.

Contributed Book Chapters

- 2020: "Last Laughs and Dead Ends: How to Get Death's Goat, or Let's Put the 'Yin' Back in 'Dying'," *Yearbook for the Philosophy of Humor*, ed. Lydia Amir, De Gruyter, Berlin, forthcoming
- 2019: "Doing Good and Living Well," in Proceedings of the 15th ICPP, edited by David Sumiacher, Novedades Educativas of Argentina, Buenos Aires, in the press
- 2018: "A Time to Waken the Wisdom of the Middle Way," in *Our World Today: Reflections from American Thinkers*, edited by Masao Yokota, Ushio, Tokyo, 92-102
- 2017: "Dada as Philosophical Practice, Philosophical Practice as Dada," in *New Frontiers of Philosophical Practice*, edited by Lydia Amir, Cambridge Scholars Press, Newcastle, 4-33
- 2017: "Interview," in *The Philosophy Clinic*, edited by Stephen Costello, Cambridge Scholars Press, Newcastle, 119-144
- 2017: "Philosophical Practice as Political Activism," in *Socrate à l'agora. Que peut la parole philosophique?* edited by Mieke de Moor, VRIN, Paris, 107-125
- 2016: "All the Great Things in the World Start from the Small" in *The Habit : Borrowing Life Strategies from the World's Most Creative Leaders*, edited by Douglas Huh, Yolimwon Publishing Group, Seoul, 102-109
- 2015: "Critical Thinking, Ethics, and Philosophical Counseling," in *The Beacon of Mind*, edited by Andrea Blackie and John Spencer, Param Media, Vancouver, 158-173.
- 2014: "A Skeptical View of Sustainability," in *Design a Pattern of Sustainable Growth*, edited by Daniele Schirilo, ASERS Publishing, Craiova, Romania, 14-30.
- 2013: Extract from *The Inner Philosopher*, in *Daisaku Ikeda -- Sekai tonō Taiwa (Daisaku Ikeda -- Dialogue with World Figures)*, Daizan Bunmei Publishing Company, Tokyo, 196-199.
- 2013: "Philosophical Challenges in Building a Culture of Peace," in *Voices for the Culture of Peace: Compendium of the SGI-USA Culture of Peace Distinguished Speaker Series*, volume 2. Editor: Ian McIlraith. Publisher: Culture of Peace Press, Los Angeles, 149-180.
- 2013: Chapter in *Philosophical Practice: Five Questions*, edited by Jeanette Bresson Ladegaard Knox. Automatic Press, Birkerød, Denmark, 183-202.
- 2010: "Synchronicity, Serpents, and 'Something-Else-ness'," in *The Challenge of Dialogue*, eds. Jens Peter Brune, Horst Gronke, Dieter Krohn, Münster/London: LIT, Volume 12, *Series on Socratic Philosophizing*.
- 2007: "Ethics, Globalization and Hunger: An Ethicist's Perspective," in *Ethics, Globalization and Hunger*, eds. Per Pinstrup-Anderson and Peter Sandoe, Springer Netherlands, 29-49.
- 2006: "The PC Tyranny", in *In The Agora*, eds. Andrew Irvine & John Russell, The University of Toronto Press, Toronto, 456-461.
- 2006: "Tres Desafíos Para la Filosofía Práctica", in *La Filosofía a las Puertas del Tercer Milenio*, ed. & trans. Jose Barrientos Rastrojo, Fenix Editoria, Universidad de Sevilla, 135-146.
- 2005: "The Matrix and Plato's Cave: Why the Sequels Failed," in *More Matrix and Philosophy*, ed. William Irwin, Open Court, Chicago, 3-11.

- 2004: "Thus Spake Settembrini," in *Philosophy and Psychiatry*, eds. Thomas Schramme & Johannes Thome, De Gruyter, Berlin , 27-49.
- 2003: "The Big Picture: What is Business Ethics? What are Its Prospects in Asia?," in *Asia's New Crisis*, eds. Pamela Mar & Frank-Jürgen Richter, John Wiley & Sons Asia, Singapore, 16-40.
- 2003: "The Geometry of Defection" in Cheryl Hughes and James Wong, eds., *Social Philosophy Today*, Volume 17, Philosophy Documentation Center, Charlottesville, 69-90.
- 1998: "The Failure of Success: How Exploiters are Exploited in the Prisoner's Dilemma," in *Modeling Rational and Moral Agents*, Peter Danielson, ed., Vancouver Cognitive Science Series, Oxford University Press, 161-185.
- 1997: "The Quest for Meaning," in *Mind Versus Computer: Were Dreyfus and Winograd Right?*, M. Gams & M. Paprzycki, X. Wu, eds., IOS Press, Amsterdam, 64-79.
- 1996: "An Approach to Indian Philosophy: Hindu and Buddhist Doctrines of Karma," in *Reason, Knowledge and Value*, CCNY Philosophy Dept., eds., McGraw-Hill, 214-248.
- 1995: "On the Emergence of Ethical Counseling," in *Essays on Philosophical Counseling*, Ran Lahav & Maria Tillmanns, eds., University Press of America, Lanham, 171-191.

Publications in Scholarly Journals

- 2019: "Humanities Therapy as a Remedy for the Detriments of Technosociety," Keynote Address at the ICHTT at Nanjing University, *Journal of Humanities Therapy*, 10.2, 1-19.
- 2019: "Contemporary Philosophical Practice: Forces That Favor, and Hinder, Its Progress," *Revue Roumaine de Philosophie*, 63.2 , 337-350.
- 2017: "Psychology is the Child of Philosophy," Interview with Montse Rovira. *EC Psychology and Psychiatry*, 4.1, 6-14.
- 2016: "Playing with Ideas," Interview with Scott Eberle. *American Journal of Play*, 9.1, 1-18
- 2016: "Introduction to Philosophical Practice," *Journal of the University of Anhui*, 5, 27-35.
- 2016: "Atlas Shrugged, Akston Counseled: How Ayn Rand Re-Invented Philosophical Practice," *Journal of Humanities Therapy*, 7.1, 1-24.
- 2016: "Mind Over Mind, Mind Over Brain, Man Over Man: A Convergence of Buddhism, Neuroscience, and Nietzsche," in *Proceedings of 2016 Mind Humanities International Conference*, Wonkwang University, 581-608.
- 2016: "Time to Awaken to the Value of the Wisdom of the Middle Way," *Ushio*, January 2016, 130-137 (in Japanese)
- 2015: "Synchronicities, Serpents, and Something-Elsehood," *Interdisciplinaire Vereniging voor Analytische Psychologie*, 30, 38-63
- 2014: "The Case Against a 'Philosophical DSM'," co-authored by Vaughana Feary, *Journal of Humanities Therapy*, 5, 47-70.
- 2014: "Biological Roots of Conflict, and Its Resolution via Cultural Evolution," *The Journal of Conflictology*, 5.2, 2-13.

- 2013: "Editorial on the 12th ICPP," *Philosophical Practice*, 8.3, 1238.
- 2012: "Humanities Therapy: Restoring Well-Being in an Age of Culturally-Induced Illness." Keynote address, in *Proceedings of the 11th International Conference on Philosophical Practice*, Humanities Institute, Kangwon National University, 27-48.
- 2012: "Editorial on the 11th ICCP," *Philosophical Practice*, 7.3, 1011-14.
- 2011: "Theory and Practice of Philosophical Counseling", *Journal of Humanities Therapy*, 2, 1-17.
- 2011: "Commemorating Fifty Years of IOP", *The Journal of Oriental Studies*, Vol. 50, #2, 78.
- 2011: "Transforming Poison into Medicine: The Role of Dualism in Psychiatry," *The World Journal of Biological Psychiatry*, 12(S1), 66-69.
- 2010: "Philosophy Nanosecond," Editorial, *Philosophical Practice*, 5.3, 655-656.
- 2009: "Theory and Practice of Philosophical Counseling," *Proceedings of the First International Conference on Humanities Therapy*, Kangwon National University Humanities Institute, 17-24.
- 2007: "Geometry of the Lotus: The Middle Way and Humanity's Future," *Journal of the Institute for Oriental Studies*.
- 2006: "Leonard Cohen," entry in the *Encyclopedia of Erotic Literature*, eds. Gaetan Brulotte & John Phillips, Routledge, London, 261-263.
- 2005: "One Philosopher is Worth a Hundred 'C-Words'," editorial, *Philosophical Practice*, 1.1, 1-10.
- 2003: "General Semantics and Philosophical Practice: Korzybski's Contributions to the Global Village," *General Semantics Bulletin*, 69, 13-26 (The Alfred Korzybski Memorial Lecture, 2001.)
- 2003: "Overcoming the Pain of Life," *Journal of the Institute for Oriental Studies*, 13, 143-159.
- 2003: "The Book of Changes as a Counseling Tool," *Practical Philosophy*, 6.1, 56-62.
- 2000: "Inculcating Virtue in Philosophical Practice," *Journal of Philosophy in the Contemporary World*, 7, 51-63.
- 2000: "Employment Equity versus Equal Opportunity," *Sexuality and Culture*, 4, Fall 2000, 23-44.
- 1999: "The Tragedy of the Coffeehouse: Costly Riding, and How to Avert It," *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 43, 434-450.
- 1999: "On Virtual Liberty: Offense, Harm and Censorship in Cyberspace," *Inquiry: Critical Thinking Across the Disciplines*, 18, 64-76.
- 1998: "What Philosophical Counseling Can't Do," *Journal of Philosophy in the Contemporary World*, 5:33-41.
- 1997: "Philosophy Meets Pirandello: Six Professions in Search of a Schema," *Proceedings of the Second International Congress on Philosophical Practice*, Wim v.d. Vlist, ed., Internationale School voor Wijsbegeerte, The Netherlands, 107-115.
- 1996: "A Reply to Rapoport," *Theory and Decision*, 41, 157-164.
- 1996: "How Braess' Paradox Solves Newcomb's Problem: Not!," *International Studies in the Philosophy of Science*, 10, 217-237.

- 1995: "Has Turing Slain the Jabberwock?," *Informatica*, (Special Issue: Mind \leftrightarrow Computer), **19**, 513-526.
- 1994: "A Resolution of Bertrand's Paradox," *Philosophy of Science*, **61**, 1-24.
- 1994: "Hobbes, Spinoza, Kant, Highway Robbery and Game Theory," *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, **72**, 445-462.
- 1993: "Three Pseudo-Paradoxes in 'Quantum' Decision Theory: Apparent Effects of Observation on Probability and Utility," *Theory and Decision*, **35**, 55-73.
- 1992: "Maximizing Expected Utilities in the Prisoner's Dilemma," *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, **36**, 183-216.
- 1990: "The Inapplicability of Evolutionarily Stable Strategy to the Prisoner's Dilemma," *The British Journal for the Philosophy of Science*, **41**, 461-472.

Journal Editorship

- 2005-... *Philosophical Practice: Journal of the APPA*, publishes 3 issues per year, <https://appa.edu/journal/>

Filmography

- 2010: Role in *Changing Our Minds*, directed by David Sousa. Living Life Films, premiered Los Angeles 2010. <http://www.changingourmindsmovie.com/>
- 2006: Leading role in *Way of the Puck*, directed by Eric Anderson, Creative Ape Productions, premiered at Worldfest Houston International Film Festival . See <http://wayofthepuck.com/>
- 2004: Leading role in *Table Hockey: The Movie*, directed by Thor Henrikson, Triad Film Productions, aired on CTV and the Independent Film Channel. <http://www.triadfilms.ns.ca/>

Videography

- 2007-... Thirty-one short videos on diverse topics, LuMar Productions, on Lou Marinoff's YouTube Channel. More than 120,000 views to date. <http://www.youtube.com/user/loumarinoff?feature=mhum>

Discography

- 2017: *Bytes from the Underground*. Compilation of early recordings by Lou Marinoff & Friends. <https://store.cdbaby.com/cd/loumarinoffandfriends>
- 2015: *Classical Journey*. Selected recordings for unaccompanied guitar, 1976-2009. Works by Bach, Brouwer, Lauro, Sanz, Sor, Tarrega. <http://www.cdbaby.com/cd/loumarinoff>
- 2014: Digital re-mastering and re-release of *Marinoff Ex Machina*, an album of original songs (recorded 1973). <http://www.cdbaby.com/cd/louismarinoff>

Photography

- 2009-... Exhibiting more than 5,000 photos in galleries at <http://loumarinoff.zenfolio.com/>

Book and Film Reviews

- 2017: Review of *Creatures of a Day*, by Irvin Yalom, in *Philosophical Practice*, **12.1**, 1905-09.
- 2012: Review of *The Spinoza Problem*, by Irvin Yalom, reprinted in *Psychotherapy in Australia*, May 2012.

- 2012: Review of *The Spinoza Problem*, by Irvin Yalom, in *Philosophical Practice*, **7.1**, 945-50.
- 2010: Review of *Nonsense on Stilts*, by Massimo Pigliucci, in *Times Higher Education*, June 10, <http://www.timeshighereducation.co.uk/story.asp?storycode=411973>
- 2010: Review of *Winning Habits*, by B.P. Bam, in *Philosophical Practice*, **5.1**, 600-602.
- 2005-... Reviews of several dozen books under editorship of *Philosophical Practice: Journal of the APPA*
- 2003: Review of *Blinded by the Right*, by David Brock, in *Sexuality and Culture*, **7**, 84-87.
- 2002: Review of *Political Correctness: The Revolt of the Primitive*, by Howard Schwartz, in *Sexuality and Culture*, **6**:97-02.
- 2001: Review of *Quills*, in *Sexuality and Culture*, **5**, 11-17.
- 1997: Review of *Moral Panic*, by John Fekete, in *Sexuality and Culture*, **1**, 293-297.
- 1996: Review of *Personal Existence After Death*, by Robert Geis, in *Canadian Philosophical Reviews*, **16**, 396-7.
- 1995: Review of *Metaphysical Myths, Mathematical Practice*, by Jody Azzouni, *Canadian Philosophical Reviews*, **5**, 156-158.
- 1994: Review of *The Language of First-Order Logic with Tarski's World 4.0*, by Jon Barwise and John Etchemendy, *Canadian Philosophical Reviews*, **14**, 162-164.

Books Endorsed, by Invitation

- 2017: Rolf Dobelli, *The Art of the Good Life*, Hachette, NY
- 2017: Ashwani Kumar, *Hope in a Challenged Democracy*, The Wisdom Tree, New Delhi
- 2016: Aleksandar Fatic, *Virtue as Identity*, Rowman & Littlefield, London & New York
- 2014: Jason Ma, editor, *Young Leaders 3.0*, Young Leaders 3.0 Press, Palo Alto, CA
- 2014: Clark Strand, *Waking the Buddha*, Middleway Press, Santa Monica, CA
- 2013: Olivier Urbain, ed., *Daisaku Ikeda and Dialogue for Peace*, I.B. Tauris, London
- 2013: Aviezer Tucker, *Plato for Everyone*, Prometheus Press, NY
- 2012: Ivan Tselichtchev, *China Versus the West*, John Wiley & Sons Asia, Singapore.
- 2009: Ronald Bosco, Daisaku Ikeda, Joel Myerson, *Creating Waldens*, Dialogue Path Press, Boston
- 2007: Seamus Carey, *The Faithful Parent*, Rowman & Littlefield, Lanham, MD
- 2007: Brendan Burchard, *Life's Golden Ticket*, HarperCollins, NY
- 2005: Christina Hoff Summers & Sally Satel, *One Nation Under Therapy*, St. Martin's Press, NY
- 2003: Daisaku Ikeda, René Simard, Guy Bourgeault, *On Being Human: Where Ethics, Medicine and Spirituality Converge*, Middleway Press, Santa Monica, CA

- 2002: William Irwin, ed., *The Matrix and Philosophy*, Open Court, Chicago, IL
- 2001: Phyllis Chesler, *Woman's Inhumanity to Woman*, Nation Books, NY
- 2001: Paulo Coelho, *Veronika Decides to Die*, HarperCollins, NY
- 2000: Oreste Saint-Drôme, *Comment choisir son philosophe*, La Découverte, Paris

Occasional Pieces & Interviews

- 2019: [Essay on Thomas Hobbes](#), in *Footnotes to Plato* series, Times Literary Supplement
- 2016: Interview [with Scott Eberle in American Journal of Play \(in English\)](#)
- 2016: Interview [with Commonwealth Scholarship Commission in English](#)
- 2016: Interview [with Colin Clarke, in Fanfare Magazine \(in English\)](#)
- 2015: Interview [with Montse Rovira, in Psicología Cognitiva \(in Spanish\)](#)
- 2014: Interview [with Marija Milacic, in Sensa \(in Serbian\)](#)
- 2014: Interview [with Anne-Sophie Rochegude, in PsychoMedia \(in French\)](#)
- 2016: Interview with *Fanfare Magazine*, September/October issue
- 2013: Interview with *Europe's Journal of Psychology*: <http://ejop.psychopen.eu/article/view/665/503>
- 2010: "India's Gifts to the Global Village," in *Report on the Global India Business meeting*, Horasis.
- 2010: *Persistence Pays, or Why Cars Have Speedometers*. Times Higher Education, April 1.
<http://www.timeshighereducation.co.uk/story.asp?sectioncode=26&storycode=411033&c=1>
- 2010: "Wither Mother Russia?", in *Report on the Global Russia Business Meeting*, Horasis.
- 2009: "Landmarks in Human Progress," in *Report on the Global China Business Meeting*, Horasis

Membership in Professional Societies (past or current)

American Philosophical Association; American Philosophical Practitioners Association; American Society for Philosophy, Counseling and Psychotherapy; British Society for the Philosophy of Science; Canadian Philosophical Association; Lighthearted Philosophers Society, National Association of Scholars; Philosophy of Science Association.

Invited Lectures & Workshops, past 5 years

- 2018
- Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, Horasis Asia Meeting, Panel Chair: Upholding Diversity & Inclusiveness
 - Mexico City, Mexico, CECAPFI Seminar: Stoicism, Daoism & Buddhism in Philosophical Practice
 - Mexico City, Mexico, 15th ICPP, Keynote Address: Awakening the Inner Philosopher
 - Mexico City, Mexico, 15th ICPP: Panel Presentation: Perspectives on Philosophical Practice
 - Mexico City, Mexico, Latin American Training, Public Lecture: Plato Not Prozac
 - Puebla de Los Angeles, Mexico, Latin American Training, Public Lecture: The Power of Dao
 - New York, NY, APPA Certification Program for Philosophical Counselors, hosted by SGI NY Culture Center

- Malaga, Spain, Horasis, Global India Meeting, Panel Chair: Setting the Agenda--India's Future of Work
- Cascais, Portugal, Horasis Global Meeting, Panel Chair: The Power of Love
- The City College of New York: In Memoriam , K.D. Irani

2017

- Kolkata, India, Horasis Asia Meeting, Panel Chair: Valuing Unity in Diversity
- Sheffield, UK, Horasis China Meeting, Panel Chair: Navigating China's Geopolitics
- La Paz, Bolivia, Descubre y Emrende Tu Propósito, Gran Congreso Virtual: podcast interview
- New York, NY, APPA Certification Program for Philosophical Counselors, hosted by SGI NY Culture Center
- Interlaken, Switzerland, Horasis India Meeting, Panel Chair: Imagining India's Society
- Cascais, Portugal, Horasis Global Meeting, Panel Chair: Update on Values
- Estoril, Portugal, The Estoril Conference, Invited Speaker on European Immigration
- Cornelia Street Cafe, New York, Book Talk on The Power of Dao
- APA Pacific Division Meeting, Seattle, WA, invited panelist on Philosophy of Humor
- CCNY, Graduate Seminar in Philosophical Counseling for visiting students from Kyungpook National University, South Korea
- CCNY, Undergraduate Seminar in Philosophical Counseling for visiting students from Kyungpook National University, South Korea
- Hong Kong, APPA Certification Program for Philosophical Counselors, hosted by the Hong Kong Practical Philosophy Society

2016

- Bangkok, Thailand, Horasis Asia Meeting, Panel Chair: Faith & Values
- Mexico City, Mexico, SGI Culture Center presents, Un dialogo con Lou Marinoff Sobre su libro con Diasaku Ikeda
- Puebla de los Angeles, Mexico, Public lecture: Mas Platon y menos prozac, Organized by Hugo Pereyra & Horacio Lopez, Latin American Training
- Oaxtepec, Mexico, CECAPFI International Conference, Keynote lecture: Filosofica practica como activismo politico
- Interlaken, Switzerland, Horasis China Meeting, Panel Chair: Fulfilling the Chinese Dream
- Zurich, Switzerland, Cafe-Philo with Lou Marinoff, Stoicism, Taoism, Buddhism
- New York, NY, APPA Certification Program for Philosophical Counselors, Hosted by SGI NY Culture Center
- Cascais, Portugal, Horasis India Meeting, Panel Chair: The New Urban Agenda
- Liverpool, UK, Horasis Global Meeting, Panel Chair: The Future of Thought
- Wonkwang University, Jeonju, Republic of Korea, Mind Over Mind: International Conference on Mindfulness, invited paper presentation
- Seminar in Philosophical Counseling, at The City College of New York, for visiting students from Kyungpook National University, Republic of Korea

2015

- Panel Chair, Urbanization and Services Sector, Horasis Global China Meeting, Cascais, Portugal
- APPA Certification Training Program for Philosophical Counselors, hosted by SGI-USA, NY
- Plenary Interview of Sri Sri Ravi Shankar, Horasis Global India Meeting, Interlaken, Switzerland
- Faculty Appointment, Ducere Global Business School, Melbourne, Australia
- APPA Certification Training Program for Philosophical Counselors, invited by the Hong Kong Philosophical Practice Society, Hong Kong SAR

2014

- Invited Lecture, "Ancient Chinese Philosophy and Modern Urban Leadership," Chinese Executive Leadership Academy Pudong (CELAP), Shanghai, China
- Invited Lecture, "Introduction to Philosophical Practice," Department of Philosophy, Jiao Tong University, Shanghai, China

- Invited Lecture, "The Relation Between Academic Philosophy and Philosophical Practice," Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities and Social Sciences, Nanjing University, Nanjing, China
- Invited Lecture, "Philosophical Practice in East Asia," Nanjing University, Nanjing, China
- Seminar, Department of Philosophy, "Theories, Methodologies, and Case Studies in Philosophical Practice," Nanjing University, Nanjing, China
- Invited Lecture, "Philosophical Practice: Past, Present, Future," Nanjing University, Nanjing, China
- Public Lecture, "The Power of Tao," The City College of New York
- Panel Chair, "The Chinese Dream," Horasis Global China Business Meeting, Lake Como, Italy
- Invited Paper, "How to be Happy on Mondays," Lighthearted Philosophers Society Conference, Galveston, TX
- Keynote Address, "Practicing at the Edge," 13th International Conference on Philosophical Practice, University of Belgrade, Serbia
- APPA Certification Training Program for Philosophical Counselors, hosted by SGI-USA, NY
- Plenary Panel Chair, Globalizing Indian Firms, Horasis Global India Meeting, Liverpool, UK
- Panel Chair, "India, Karma, and Entrepreneurship," Horasis Global India Business Meeting, Liverpool, UK
- Invited Lecture, "Buddhism, Taoism, and Stoicism in Philosophical Counseling," Atheneum of Madrid, Spain
- Invited Lecture, "Values and Spirituality," Atheneum of Madrid, Spain
- Panel Chair, "Spurring the Economics of Innovation," Global Russia Business Meeting, Valencia, Spain
- Invited Lecture, "The Meaning of Life," Sunday Assembly, New York

Conference Organization

2019	International Conference on Humanities Therapy, Nanjing University, Organizing Committee
2012-...	11th, 12th, 13th, 15th International Conferences on Philosophical Practice, Advisory Committee
2016-...	Horasis Global Visions Community, program consultant
2001-05	World Economic Forum, for Annual General Meeting in Davos, Program Consultant
1999-...	Annual General Meeting, American Philosophical Practitioners Association
1997	The Third International Conference on Philosophical Practice, Organizer.
1994	The First International Conference on Philosophical Counseling, Co-Organizer.
1992	Area Research Institute for the Canadian Business and Professional Ethics Network, Co-Organizer.

Referee for Serial Publications

Foundations of Physics, Philosophy of Science, Journal of Philosophy in the Contemporary World, Australasian Journal of Philosophy, Sexuality and Culture, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Hypatia, Journal of Humanities Therapy

Recent Service to the Philosophy Department and The College

2015- ...	Coach of CCNY's first "Ethics Bowl" team, competed at regional APPE event.
2014 - ...	Proposed creation of Center for Applied Philosophy, pending approval by Provost
2010 - ...	Proposed M.A. Program in Applied Philosophy, approved by CCNY
2007-14	Chaired and/or coordinated numerous Search Committees, as Deputy Chair and Chair of Department.

Public Service

1997-...	Newspaper, magazine, radio, television and podcast interviews, world-wide, mostly concerning philosophical practice.
1997-03	Monthly "Philosopher's Forum", Barnes & Noble Bookstore (6th Avenue, Manhattan), facilitation of unscripted public discourse.
1995-...	<i>Pro bono publico</i> philosophical counseling at City College, on an IRB-approved research protocol.

Awards and Distinctions

- 2019 **Visiting Professor**, Nanjing University, China
- 2019 **Provost's Outstanding Teaching Award**, The City College of New York
- 2019 **Doctor Honoris Causa**, from West University of Timisoara, Romania, for Philosophical Practice
- 2018 **Key to the City of Puebla de los Angeles**, Mexico, in Recognition of Philosophical Practice
- 2018 **Lifetime Achievement Award**, *Who's Who in America*, Marquis Who's Who Publications
- 2015 **Humanities Enrichment Grant**, The City College of New York
- 2011... **Who's Who in America**, Marquis Who's Who Publications
- 2007 **Soka University's Award of Highest Honor**, for Philosophical Practice, Tokyo
- 2003 **Scholarly Achievement Award**, Institute for Oriental Studies, Tokyo
- 2000 **Premios Cultura Book Prize**, University Ramón Llull, for *Mas Platon y Menos Prozac*
- 1996 **PSC-CUNY Research Award**, for project on synthetic evolution of cooperative structures
- 1994 **SSHRC Aid to Occasional Scholarly Conference Award**, to organize The First International Conference on Philosophical Practice, hosted by UBC's Centre for Applied Ethics.
- 1988-89 **Research Fellowship**, Edelstein Centre for the History and Philosophy of Science, Technology and Medicine, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem.
- 1985-88 **Commonwealth Scholarship**, jointly sponsored by the Association of Commonwealth Universities and the British Council, for Ph.D. studies at the University of London.
- 1984 **The Walter Raudorf Medal for Physics**, and **Valedictorian**, Concordia University

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