

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

- Ph.D. In *Philosophy*, from University of California, at Berkeley, 1996
Title: "The Metaphysics of Signs and the Semantics of Quotation"
Advisors: Charles Chihara, Stephen Neale and John Searle
- B.A. In *Philosophy, Politics and Economics*, from Oxford University, Balliol
College, 1989
- Cand.Mag. University of Oslo/Bergen, 1989

Employment

- 2007 Arché Professor, University of St. Andrews
- 2004 Professor, University of Oslo
- 2006 - 2007: CUF Lecturer at the University of Oxford, Fellow & Tutor at Somerville
College.
- 2003- 2005 Associate Professor, Vassar College
- 1996-2003 Assistant Professor, Vassar College.
- 1995-96 Visiting Lecturer, Department of Philosophy, Rutgers University
- 1989-95 Teaching Assistant, Department of Philosophy, UC Berkeley

Administration and Service

- 2006: Director of the research project *Shared Content*, at the Norwegian Research Foundation and the University of Oslo.
- 2006: Co-Director of Linguistic Agency, *Centre for the Study of Mind in Nature*, the University of Oslo.
- 2004-2006 Director of Graduate Studies in Philosophy and Humanistic informatics at the University of Oslo
- 2004-2006 Co-Organizer of 'the Philosophical Seminar' at the University of Oslo.

Publications

Publications: Book

- Insensitive Semantics. A Defense of Semantic Minimalism and Speech Act Pluralism, Blackwell, 2005. (w/ E. Lepore)

Publications: Papers

- Propositional Skeletons and Disquotational Reports: Reply to Humberstone
Proceedings of the Aristotelian Society, 2007.
- Relevance Theory and Shared Content
Advances in Pragmatics (Ed. Noel Burton-Roberts), Palgrave Macmillan, 2007, (w. E. Lepore)
- Content Relativism and Semantic Blindness
Essays on Relativism (Ed. Manuel Carcia-Carpintero and Max Kolbel)
- Semantics and Pragmatics: Some Central Issues
In *Context and Content* (eds Peters and Preyer), OUP 2007
- Reply to Kent Bach, John Hawthorn, Kepa Korta & John Perry, and Rob Stainton
Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, 2007, (w. E. Lepore)
- Locations and Binding
Analysis, 2007 (w. John Hawthorne)

- The Myth of Unarticulated Constituents
Essays in Honor of John Perry, 2007, MIT Press. (w. E. Lepore)
- Quotation, Context Sensitivity, Signs and Expressions
Nous Supplement, 2006 (w. E. Lepore)
- Reply to Francois Recanati, Ann Bezuidenhout, Steven Gross, Zoltan Szabo, and Charles Travis
Mind and Language, 2006
- Shared Content
Oxford Handbook of Philosophy of Language, OUP 2006 (w. E. Lepore)
- Pluralistic Scepticism
Philosophical Perspectives, 2005
- A Tall Tale: in Defense of Semantic Minimalism and Speech Act Pluralism
Contextualism, Preyer (ed) Oxford University Press, 2005 (w/ E. Lepore)
- Quotation
Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy (w. E. Lepore)
- Varieties of Quotation Revisited
Belgian Journal of Linguistics, 2005, (w/ E. Lepore)
- Radical and Moderate Pragmatic: Does Meaning Determine Truth Conditions?
Semantics versus Pragmatics, Z. Zoltan (ed) Oxford University Press, 2005.
(with E. Lepore)
- Context Shifting Arguments
Philosophical Perspectives 17: Language and Philosophical Linguistics,
Blackwell 2004 (w/ E. Lepore)
- Indexicality, Binding, Anaphora, and *a Priori* Truth
Analysis 2002 (w/ E. Lepore)
- Insensitive Quantifiers
Truth and Meaning 2001, O'Rourke (ed.), Seven Bridges Press (w/ Lepore)
- Believing in Words
Synthese, 2001 (w/ J. Dever)
- Reference Externalized and the Role of Intuitions in Semantic Theory
American Philosophical Quarterly, 36-4 1999 (w/ D. Winblad)

- Intuitions
Facta Philosophica, 1 1999 (w/ D. Winblad)
- Using, Mentioning and Quoting
Mind, 642-750, vol. 108.432 October 1999 (w/ E. Lepore)
- Intentions in Words
Nous, 33:1 1999
- Reply to Commentaries
Philosophy and Linguistics, R. Stainton (ed.), Westview Press, 1999 (w. E. Lepore)
- Semantics for Quotation
Donald Davidson: Truth, Meaning, and Knowledge, (Routledge Studies in Twentieth Century Philosophy, 1999), Ed. Urszula M. Zeglen (With a reply from Donald Davidson) (w/ E. Lepore).
- Reply to Tsohatzidis
Mind, 665-666, 1998 (w/ E. Lepore)
- Reply to Richard and Reimer
Mind and Language 14-4, 1998 (w/ E. Lepore)
- Semantic Theory and Indirect Speech
Protosociology 1997;10:3-25
- On an Alleged Connection Between Indirect Speech and The Theory of Meaning
Mind and Language 12-3/4 1997 (w/ E. Lepore)
- Varieties of Quotation
Mind, 106.423, 1997 (w/ E. Lepore)

Forthcoming

- Language Turned on Itself, OUP 2007 (w. E. Lepore).

Awards and Fellowships

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| 2007 | CSMN: With eight other applicants, awarded 120 million (NOK) over 10 years from NFR. |
| 2006 | Shared Content: Awarded 4.5 million (NOK), from NFR. |

- 2005 Promising Young Scholar Award, School of Humanities, UiO
- 1991-3 Research Fellow at Norwegian Research Council For the Humanities
- 1992 Isabelle Hooper Creed Fellowship (from UC Berkeley)
- 1991 Norway-America Fellowship (from the Norway-America Assoc.)
- 1989 Ralph W. Church Fellowship (from UC Berkeley)
- 1989 Regents Fellowship (from UC Berkeley)
- 1988 I was made a Scholar at Oxford (i.e. I could wear a very long gown)
- 1988 Ernest Walker Price (essay award from Balliol College, Oxford)
- 1988 Brynies Jordan Fellowship (from University of Oslo/Balliol College)
- 1987 Brynies Jordan Fellowship (from University of Oslo/Balliol College)

Conference Papers and Invited Talks

- 06/07 Normal University, Beijing, China. Semantics Workshop
- 05/07 Institut Nicod, Paris: Assertion without Norms
- 12/06 American Philosophical Association, Eastern Conference: Symposium on Context Sensitivity
- 09/06 Philosophical Society, University of Oxford: Agreement, Content and Relativism
- 09/06 University of St Andrews: Agreement, Content and Relativism
- 07/06 Joint Sessions, "Reply to Humbertson"
- 06/06 Free University, Brussels: Context and Content
- 06/06 University of Beijing: Shared Content
- 05/06 University College Dublin: The Perils of Contextualism
- 05/06 University of London, School of Advanced Study: Conference on *Insensitive Semantics*

- 04/06 University of Birmingham, Logic and Language: Content Relativism
- 03/06 Rutgers University: Content Relativism
- 01/06 University of Oxford: Tests for Context Dependence
- 06/05 University of Lisbon, Meaning and Communication: *Pluralistic Skepticism: Advertisement for Speech Act Pluralism*
- 05/05 Canadian Philosophical Association (Symposium, four papers on Insensitive Semantics, my replies)
- 05/05 Stockholm University, Contextualism Conference, *Pluralistic Skepticism*
- 03/05 American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, Symposium on Insensitive Semantics, (Reply to John MacFarlane, and Ken Taylor.)
- 10/04 University of Torun, Poland: *A Disquotational Semantics for "know"*
- 04/04 University of Connecticut: Semantics Workshop, *Shared Content*
- 08/03 University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, *Context Shifting*
- 06/03 University of Buenos Aires, *Context Shifting*
- 03/03 American Philosophical Association, Central Division, Invited Symposium Paper, *Context Shifting* (Reply by Kent Bach and Rob Stainton)
- 11/02 University of Oslo, *Context Shifting Arguments*
- 08/02 Autonoma National University of Mexico, Mexico City, *Indefiniteness*
- 4/02 American Philosophical Association, Central Division, *Reply to Jackman*
- 9/01 Birkbeck College Conference, *Radical and Moderate Pragmatics*
- 3/00 North East Philosophy Conference, *In Defense of Grice*
- 3/00 Rutgers International Semantics Workshop, *Quantification*
- 9/99 Rutgers International Semantics Workshop, *Insensitive Quantification*
- 8/99 Puebla, Mexico, Inter-American Philosophy Conference, *Quantification*

- 3/99 American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, *Intuitions*
- 10/98 Vassar College, colloquium, *In Defence of Grice*
- 10/98 University of Istanbul, *Saying and Implicating*
- 6/98 World Congress of Philosophy, Boston, *Intuitions*
- 12/97 University of Oslo, Norway, *The Role of Intuitions in Philosophy*
- 11/97 SUNY, Albany, *Intuition*
- 6/96 Canadian Philosophical Association, *Varieties of Quotation*
- 4/96 The American Philosophical Association, Central Division, in Chicago. *On an Alleged Connection Between Indirect Speech and the Theory of Meaning* Reply from Mark Richard.
- 4/96 The American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, in Seattle. *Varieties of Quotation*. Reply from Ray Elguardo.
- 3/96 University of Florida, Thl., Florida, *The Metaphysics of Signs and the Semantics of Quotation*
- 1/96 University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, *The Metaphysics of Signs and the Semantics of Quotation*
- 12/95 Graduate Center at CUNY, *The Metaphysics of Signs and Semantics of Quotation*
- 11/95 Rutgers University, *Quotation*
- 10/95 Kazimierz, Poland: Conference on Tarski and Davidson's Semantic Program, *Three Varieties of Quotation*. Reply from Donald Davidson.
- 11/94 UC Berkeley Colloquia Series, *If 'Tigers' Is A Rigid Designator, How Can Tigers Be Dangerous"*
- 9/94 Stanford University, CSLI, *Quotation*
- 5/94 UC Berkeley-Stanford Conference, *Theories of Words*
- 5/94 UC Berkeley-Stanford Conference, *In Defense of a Defense of Externalism*
Reply To S.Bendecker"

- 5/93 UC Berkeley-Stanford Conference, *Quotation*
- 3/93 UC Berkeley: Conference On Context and Interpretation, *The First Person Pronoun and the Self* (reply to talk by Professor Francois Recanati)