

Joe Horton  
*Curriculum Vitae*

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*Employment*

Associate Professor, University College London, since September 2021  
Lecturer, University College London, August 2017–September 2021

*Education*

PhD Philosophy, University of Southern California, 2013–2018  
Committee: Jonathan Quong (chair), Mark Schroeder, Ralph Wedgwood,  
Jacob Ross  
MA Political Theory, University of Manchester, 2009–2010  
BA Politics and Modern History, University of Manchester, 2006–2009

*Editorial Positions*

Associate Editor, *Mind*, since July 2023  
Associate Editor, *Philosophy & Public Affairs*, since July 2022

*Areas of Specialization*

Ethics, Political Philosophy

*Areas of Competence*

Decision Theory, Epistemology

*Publications*

1. ‘Evaluative Uncertainty and Permissible Preference’ (with Jacob Ross), *The Philosophical Review* (forthcoming)
2. ‘Evaluative Uncertainty’ (with Jacob Ross), in David Copp, Connie Rosati, and Tina Rulli (eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of Normative Ethics* (forthcoming)
3. ‘Supererogation, Conditional Obligation, and the All or Nothing Problem’, in David Heyd (ed.), *The Handbook of Supererogation* (Springer, 2023)
4. ‘New and Improvable Lives’, *The Journal of Philosophy* 118 (2021)
5. ‘Partial Aggregation in Ethics’, *Philosophy Compass* 16 (2021)
6. ‘Aggregation, Risk, and Reductio’, *Ethics* 130 (2020)

- selected for discussion at PeaSoup.us, with a critical précis by Johann Frick
7. ‘The Exploitation Problem’, *The Journal of Political Philosophy* 27 (2019)
  8. ‘Always Aggregate’, *Philosophy & Public Affairs* 46 (2018)
  9. ‘Aggregation, Complaints, and Risk’, *Philosophy & Public Affairs* 45 (2017)
  10. ‘The All or Nothing Problem’, *The Journal of Philosophy* 114 (2017)
- nominated for *the Philosopher’s Annual*

### *Awards and Fellowships*

The Oakley Endowed Fellowship, USC, 2017–2018  
 Flewelling Award, USC, 2016  
 Dornsife College Graduate Merit Award, USC, 2013–2018  
 Studentship Award, University of Manchester, 2011–2013  
 Tout Prize, University of Manchester, 2009

### *Recent Presentations*

- ‘Evaluative Uncertainty and Permissible Preference’  
 University of Fribourg, May 2024  
 University of St Andrews, June 2023  
 Australian National University, March 2023  
 Dianopia Institute, Australian Catholic University, March 2023  
 National University of Singapore, March 2023  
 LMU Munich, January 2023  
 Princeton University, September 2022  
 Bled Conference on Ethics, June 2022  
 University of Southampton, March 2022
- ‘The Justificatory Procreation Asymmetry’  
 Humboldt University of Berlin, October 2023
- ‘Aggregation and Diachronic Consistency’  
 University of Oxford, January 2023
- ‘Exploitation Expounded’  
 University of Toronto, January 2022
- ‘New and Improvable Lives’  
 University of Cambridge, Moral Sciences Club, May 2021  
 University of Oxford, April 2021  
 Dianopia Institute, Australian Catholic University, August 2020  
 Princeton University, April 2020  
 APA Pacific Division, April 2020  
 University of St Andrews, November 2019

University of Essex, November 2019  
'Aggregation, Risk, and Reductio'  
Cardiff University, March 2019  
'The Exploitation Problem'  
University of Bristol, February 2019  
Oxford Global Priorities Institute, November 2018  
University of Oxford, Moral Philosophy Seminar, October 2018  
University of Warwick, October 2018  
'Always Aggregate'  
London Workshop on Risk and Aggregation, March 2018  
University College London, November 2017  
'Aggregation, Complaints, and Risk'  
University of Southern California, October 2016  
'The All or Nothing Problem'  
University College London, May 2017  
APA Central Division, March 2017  
Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress, August 2016  
University of Colorado Boulder, April 2016

### *Invited Comments*

Tom Dougherty, *Consent Under Duress*  
King's College London, May 2023  
Alec Walen, *The Mechanics of Claims and Permissible Killing in War*  
University of Warwick, May 2022  
T. M. Scanlon, *Why Does Inequality Matter?*  
EHESS, November 2017  
Victor Tadros, 'Localized Restricted Aggregation'  
University of St Andrews, October 2017

### *Teaching*

*Associate Professor at UCL*  
'Topics in Political Philosophy' (2<sup>nd</sup>-year UG)  
'Consequentialism, Kantianism, and the Ideal World' (3<sup>rd</sup>-year UG, MA, and MPhil)  
'The Philosophy of Altruism' (3<sup>rd</sup>-year UG, MA, and MPhil)  
'Recent Work in Moral Philosophy' (MPhil and PhD)  
'Aggregation in Ethics' (MPhil and PhD)  
'Senior Seminar' (MPhil)  
'Practical Criticism' (MPhil)

*PG Teaching Assistant at USC*

‘Current Moral and Social Issues’ (with Mark Schroeder)

‘Ethical Theory and Practice’ (with Jacob Ross)

‘Freedom, Equality, and Social Justice’ (with Jonathan Quong)

‘Modern Philosophy and the Meaning of Life’ (with Edwin McCann)

*PG Teaching Assistant at Manchester*

‘Freedom and Equality’ (with Jonathan Quong)

‘Introduction to Political Theory’ (with Thomas Sinclair)

*Research Supervision*

Hugo Williams, MPhil candidate, 2023–2025

Weijia Zhang, MPhil candidate, 2023–2025

Arianna Bosio, MPhil candidate, 2023

George Baker, MPhil candidate, 2018–2021

Jean-Philippe Thomas, MPhil and PhD candidate, since 2020

Jessica Fischer, PhD candidate, 2017–2021

—postdoc at the LMU Munich, 2022–2024

—postdoc at the Justitia Centre for Advanced Studies in Frankfurt, 2021–2022

Jonathan Fryer, MPhil Candidate, since 2023

Karri Heikkinen, MPhil and PhD candidate, since 2021

Kim Leontiev, PhD candidate, 2021

Laura Custers, MPhil candidate, 2022–2023

Lea Bourguignon, MPhil candidate, 2020–2021

—PhD candidate at the London School of Economics, from 2021

Leora Sung, MPhil and PhD candidate, 2018–2023

—Society for Applied Philosophy Post-Doctoral Fellowship 2023–2024

Luke Devereux, MPhil candidate, 2017–2018

Miguel F. Dos Santos, PhD candidate, 2018–2020

—Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellowship at Uppsala University, 2021–2023

—lecturer at the University of Oxford, 2020–2021

Nikhil Venkatesh, PhD candidate, 2018–2022

—postdoc at the London School of Economics 2022–2025

Yanze Wang, MPhil candidate, 2017–2019

*Dissertation Examination*

Christoph Lernpass, PhD, Australian National University, 2023

Nihar Nilekani, PhD, Birkbeck, 2021

Bastian Steuwer, PhD, London School of Economics, 2020

Patrick Nogoy, MPhil, University College London, 2020

### *Service*

Associate Editor at *Mind*, since 2023

Associate Editor at *Philosophy & Public Affairs*, since 2022

Departmental Tutor for UCL Philosophy, since 2022

External Examiner for KCL Law, since 2023

Member of UCL Philosophy Hiring Committee (x5)

Widening Participation Event Organiser, 2024

Co-organiser for UCL Philosophy Departmental Symposium, 2020–2022

Chair of the Departmental Teaching Committee for UCL Philosophy, 2019–2022

Chair of the Board of Examiners for UCL Philosophy, 2018–2022

Graduate Placement Director for UCL Philosophy, 2018–2019

Careers Liaison Officer for UCL Philosophy, 2017–2019

Co-organiser for ‘The Practical, the Political, and the Ethical’ seminar series at the  
London Institute of Philosophy, 2018–2019

Treasurer for USC Philosophy Graduate Committee, 2016–2017

Referee for USC/UCLA Philosophy Graduate Conference, 2015–2017

### *Journal Refereeing*

Analysis (×6); Australasian Journal of Philosophy (×2); Canadian Journal of  
Philosophy; Economics & Philosophy (×2); Ergo; Erkenntnis (×2); Ethical Theory  
and Moral Practice (×2); Ethics (×3); Journal of Ethics and Social Philosophy (×8);  
Journal of Medical Ethics; Journal of Moral Philosophy; Mind (×5); Noûs (×6);  
Pacific Philosophical Quarterly; Philosophers’ Imprint (×2); Philosophical Quarterly;  
Philosophical Studies (×5); Philosophy; Philosophy and Phenomenological Research  
(×2); Philosophy & Public Affairs (×45); Politics, Philosophy & Economics (×2);  
Political Studies; Principia (×2); Res Philosophica; Synthese; The Journal of  
Philosophy (×6); The Journal of Political Philosophy (×6); The Journal of Value  
Inquiry; Utilitas (×4)

### *References*

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