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SPECIALIZATIONS: Philosophy of Mind, Philosophy of Science (especially Neuroscience), Cognitive Science

COMPETENCIES: Logic, Metaphysics/Epistemology/Phil.Lang., Ethics

EDUCATION

1997-2000	**Ph.D., Philosophy,** Philosophy-Neuroscience-Psychology Program Washington University in St. Louis. Dissertation: ***Objective Subjectivity: Allocentric and Egocentric Representations in Thought and Experience*** (William Bechtel, Director).
1995-1997	**M.A., Philosophy,** Philosophy-Neuroscience-Psychology Program Washington University in St. Louis
1993-1995	**B.A., Philosophy,** University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
1991-1993	**A.A., Philosophy,** College of Du Page, Glen Ellyn, Illinois

EMPLOYMENT AND APPOINTMENTS (tenured and tenure track)

2023 - present	**Full Professor** Department of History, Philosophy, and Liberal Studies, William Paterson University
2011 - 2022	**Full Professor** Department of Philosophy, William Paterson University
2017 - 2022	**Chairperson** Department of Philosophy, William Paterson University
2005 - 2011	**Associate Professor** **Chairperson** Department of Philosophy, William Paterson University
2010 – present	**Adjunct Professor** Department of Psychology, William Paterson University
2000 – 2005	**Assistant Professor [tenure track]** Department of Philosophy, William Paterson University

EMPLOYMENT AND APPOINTMENTS (other)

2004 – 2006	**Co-Director, McDonnell Project in Philosophy and the Neurosciences** Department of Philosophy, Simon Fraser University, Burnaby, Canada
2000 – 2006	**Junior Member, McDonnell Project in Philosophy and the Neurosciences** Department of Philosophy, Simon Fraser University, Burnaby, Canada
1997 – 2000	**Publication Editor**, *Philosophical Psychology*
1999	**Visiting Scholar**, Department of Philosophy, University of Pittsburgh
1998	**Adjunct Instructor**, Department of Philosophy, University of Missouri, St. Louis
1997	**Adjunct Instructor**, University College, Washington University, St. Louis

Books

1. Mandik, Pete. (2022) ***This is Philosophy of Mind: An Introduction, Second Edition***. Oxford: Wiley-Blackwell. First edition (2014) ***This is Philosophy of Mind: An Introduction***. Oxford: Wiley-Blackwell. [Arabic edition, 2021, Saudi Arabia]
2. Mandik, Pete. (2010) ***Key Terms in Philosophy of Mind***. New York: Continuum. [Chinese edition, 2016; Persian edition, 2016, Mohammad Hassan Torabi (translator) Neveeseh Parsi Publications, Tehran, Iran]
3. Kolak, Daniel, Hirstein, William, Mandik, Pete, and Waskan, Jonathan (2006). ***Cognitive Science: An Introduction to the Mind and Brain***. New York: Routledge
4. Bechtel, William, Mandik, Pete, Mundale, Jennifer, and Stufflebeam, Robert. (Eds.) (2001). ***Philosophy and the Neurosciences: A Reader***. Oxford: Basil Blackwell.

Books in Progress

1. Mandik, Pete, (contract pending; in preparation; expected 2027) ***AI and Emotions***. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
2. Mandik, Pete, (Under contract; in preparation; expected 2026) ***Physicalist Theories of Consciousness***. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
3. Mandik, Pete, (Under contract; in preparation; expected 2026) ***PhilosophyComix: Philosophy of Mind***. Indianapolis: Hackett Publishing.
4. Mandik, Pete, (Under contract; in preparation; expected 2027) ***PhilosophyComix: Ethics***. Indianapolis: Hackett Publishing.
5. Mandik, Pete, (Under contract; in preparation; expected 2027) ***PhilosophyComix: Critical Thinking***. Indianapolis: Hackett Publishing.

Journal Articles and Book Chapters

1. Mandik, Pete. (Invited; in progress) Cartesianism as a degenerating research program. In: S. Flemming and Keith Frankish (eds.) *Beyond the Hard Problem.* Oxford: Oxford University Press (invited
2. Mandik, Pete. (2025) **Conscious Intelligent Robots Are Virtually Inevitable.** In: C. Sosis (ed.) *Too Weird to Believe, Too Plausible to Deny*. New York: Routledge. (Oct 30, 2025)
3. Mandik, Pete. (2023). **Sliders**. *Journal of Consciousness Studies*, **30**(9-10), 154-163. Reprinted in Kammerer, François and Frankish, Keith (eds.) (2025) *The Landscape of Introspection*, Exeter, UK: Imprint Academic.
4. Schneider, Susan and Mandik, Pete. (2018). **How Philosophy of Mind Can Shape the Future.** In: A. Kind (ed.) *Philosophy of Mind in the Twentieth and Twenty-first Centuries* New York: Routledge. (pp. 303-319).(July 9, 2018). Reprinted in Chalmers, D. (Jan 20, 2021). *Philosophy of Mind: Classical and Contemporary Readings, Second Edition*. Oxford University Press (pp. 791-802).
5. Mandik, Pete. (2018). **Cognitive Approaches to Phenomenal Consciousness**. In: Jacquette, D. (ed.), *The Bloomsbury Companion to the Philosophy of Consciousness*. New York: Bloomsbury. (pp. 347-370). (January 25, 2018)
6. Mandik, Pete. (2017). **Robot Pain**. In: Corns, J. (ed.). *The Routledge Handbook of Philosophy of Pain*. New York: Routledge. (pp. 200-209). (June 27, 2017)
7. Mandik, Pete (2017). **The Myth of Color Sensations, or How Not to See a Yellow Banana.** *Topics in Cognitive Science*. 9(1), 228-240. http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/tops.12238 (January 28, 2017)
8. Mandik, Pete (2017). **The Neurophilosophy of Consciousness.** In**:** Velmans, Max and Schneider, Susan (eds.) *The Blackwell Companion to Consciousness, 2nd Edition*. Oxford: Basil Blackwell. pp. 458-471. [updated from 2006 version]
9. Mandik, Pete (2016). **Meta-Illusionism and Qualia Quietism**. *Journal of Consciousness Studies,* **23**(11-12), 140-148. Reprinted in Frankish, Keith (ed.) (2017) *Illusionism as a Theory of Consciousness*, Exeter, UK: Imprint Academic.
10. Mandik, Pete. (2015). **Metaphysical Daring as a Posthuman Survival Strategy.** *Midwest Studies in Philosophy,* 39(1), 144-157.
11. Mandik, Pete. (2015). **Conscious-state Anti-realism**. In: Munoz-Suarez, C. and De Brigard, F (eds.). *Content and Consciousness Revisited: With Replies by Daniel Dennett*. (pp. 185-197). Berlin: Springer.
12. Mandik, Pete. (2013). **What is Visual and Phenomenal but Concerns neither Hue nor Shade?**. In R. Brown (ed.), *Consciousness Inside and Out: Phenomenology, Neuroscience, and the Nature of Experience,* Studies in Brain and Mind 6, (pp. 219-227). London, Springer. DOI 10.1007/978-94-007-6001-1 17
13. Brown, Richard and Mandik, Pete. (2012). **On Whether the Higher-Order Thought Theory of Consciousness Entails Cognitive Phenomenology, Or: What is it Like to Think that One Thinks that P?** *Philosophical Topics*, 40(2), 1-12.

14. Mandik, Pete. (2012). **Mental Colors, Conceptual Overlap, and Discriminating Knowledge of Particulars.** *Consciousness and Cognition,* 21(2), 641-643, http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.concog.2011.06.007
15. Mandik, Pete. (2012). **Color-Consciousness Conceptualism.** *Consciousness and Cognition.* 21 (2), 617-631, http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.concog.2010.11.010
16. Mandik, Pete. (2011). **Supervenience and Neuroscience**. *Synthese*. 180 (3), 443-463, http://dx.doi.org/10.1007/s11229-010-9712-8
17. Mandik, Pete. (2010). **Control Consciousness**. *Topics in Cognitive Science*, 2 (4), 643-657. http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/j.1756-8765.2010.01084.x
18. Mandik, Pete. (2010). **Swamp Mary's Revenge: Deviant Phenomenal Knowledge and Physicalism**. *Philosophical Studies*. 148 (2), 231-247. http://dx.doi.org/10.1007/s11098-008-9322-1
19. Mandik, Pete. (2009). **Beware of the Unicorn: Consciousness as Being Represented and Other Things that Don't Exist**. *Journal of Consciousness Studies*. 16(1), 5-36.
20. Mandik, Pete. (2009). **The Neurophilosophy of Subjectivity**. In: Bickle, John (ed.) *The Oxford Handbook of Philosophy and Neuroscience*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. pp. 601-618.
21. Mandik, Pete and Weisberg, Josh. (2008). **Type-Q Materialism.** In Chase Wrenn, (ed.), *Naturalism, Reference, and Ontology: Essays in Honor of Roger F. Gibson*, New York: Peter Lang Publishing. pp. 223-246.
22. Mandik, Pete. (2008). **L'exploit Neurologique de L'objectivité**. In: Poirier, Pierre and Faucher, Luc (eds.) *Des Neurosciences à la Philosophie: Neurophilosophie et philosophie des neurosciences*. Paris: Éditions Syllepse. pp. 453-476.
23. Mandik, Pete. (2008). **An Epistemological Theory of Consciousness?** In Alessio Plebe & Vivian M. De La Cruz (eds.), *Philosophy in the Neuroscience Era*. Rome: Squilibri. pp.136-158.
24. Mandik, Pete. (2008). **Cognitive Cellular Automata.** *Complex Biological Systems: Applications in Real Life*. Hyderabad, India: Icfai University Press.
25. Mandik, Pete. (2007). **Shit Happens**. *Episteme: A Journal of Social Epistemology*. *4* (2), 205-218, http://dx.doi.org/10.3366/epi.2007.4.2.205
26. Mandik, Pete, Collins, Mike, and Vereschagin, Alex. (2007). **Evolving Artificial Minds and Brains**. In: Andrea Schalley and Drew Khlentzos (eds.) *Mental States, Vol. 1: Nature, Function, Evolution.* Amsterdam: John Benjamins Publishers. pp. 75-94.
27. Mandik, Pete. (2007). **Picturing, Showing, and Solipsism in Wittgenstein's Tractatus.** *Analysis and Metaphysics 6*(1). Reprinted in Marin Turelea and George Lazaroiu (eds.) (2009) *Wittgenstein and Contemporary Philosophy*. Bucharest, Romania: Ars Academica. pp. 152-159.
28. Brook, Andrew and Mandik, Pete. (2007). **The Philosophy and Neuroscience Movement.** *Analyse & Kritik 29*(1): 3-23. http://www.analyse-und-kritik.net/en/2007-1/AK_Brook_Mandik_2007.pdf

29. Mandik, Pete. (2006). **The Neurophilosophy of Consciousness.** In**:** Velmans, Max and Schneider, Susan (eds.) *The Blackwell Companion to Consciousness*. Oxford: Basil Blackwell. pp. 418-430.
30. Mandik, Pete. (2006) **The Introspectability of Brain States as Such**. In: Keeley, Brian (ed.) *Paul M. Churchland: Contemporary Philosophy in Focus* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. pp. 66-87.
31. Mandik, Pete. (2005). **Action Oriented Representation**. In: Brook, Andrew and Akins, Kathleen (eds.) *Cognition and the Brain: The Philosophy and Neuroscience Movement*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. pp. 284-305.
32. Mandik, Pete and Brook, Andrew. (2005). **Introduction.** In: Brook, Andrew and Akins, Kathleen (eds.) *Cognition and the Brain: The Philosophy and Neuroscience Movement*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. pp. 1-24.
33. Mandik, Pete. (2005). **Phenomenal Consciousness and the Allocentric-Egocentric Interface**. In: R. Buccheri et al. (eds.); *Endophysics, Time, Quantum and the Subjective*. World Scientific Publishing Co. pp. 463-485.
34. Mandik, Pete. (2003). **Varieties of Representation in Evolved and Embodied Neural Networks.** *Biology and Philosophy.* 18 (1): 95-130.
35. Grush, Rick and Mandik, Pete. (2002). **Representational Parts**. *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*. 1 (4): 389-394.
36. Mandik, Pete and Clark, Andy. (2002). **Selective Representing and World Making**. *Minds and Machines* 12(3): 383-395.
37. Mandik, Pete. (2002). **Synthetic Neuroethology**. *Metaphilosophy*. 33 (1-2): 11-29. Reprinted in *CyberPhilosophy: The Intersection of Philosophy and Computing*, James H. Moor and Terrell Ward Bynum, (eds.), Oxford: Blackwell, 2002.
38. Mandik, Pete. (2001) **Mental Representation and the Subjectivity of Consciousness**. *Philosophical Psychology* 14 (2): 179-202.
39. Mandik, Pete. (2001) **Points of View from the Brain's Eye View: Subjectivity and Neural Representation***. Philosophy and the Neurosciences: A Reader*. (Eds.) William Bechtel, Pete Mandik, Jennifer Mundale, and Robert Stufflebeam, Oxford: Basil Blackwell. pp. 312-327.
40. Bechtel, William, Mandik, Pete, and Mundale, Jennifer (2001). **Philosophy Meets the Neurosciences**. In: Bechtel W, Mandik P, Mundale J, and Stufflebeam RS (eds.) *Philosophy and the neurosciences: A reader*. Oxford: Basil Blackwell. pp. 4-22.
41. Mandik, Pete. (1999) **Qualia, Space, and Control**. *Philosophical Psychology* 12 (1): 47-60.
42. Mandik, Pete. (1998). **Handlung und Erfahrung: Ueber die konstitutive Rolle motorischer Kontrolle bei der Erzeugung raeumlicher Qualia** [Action and Experience: On the Constitutive Role of Motor Control in the Generation of Spatial Qualia]. In *Bewusstsein und Repraesentation* [*Consciousness and Representation*] (eds.) Heinz-Dieter Heckman and Frank Esken. Paderborn: Ferdinand Schoningh.
43. Mandik, Pete. (1998) **Objectivity Without Space**. *The Electronic Journal of Analytic Philosophy, Special Issue on the Philosophy of Gareth Evans.* http://ejap.louisiana.edu/EJAP/1998/mandik98.html.

Encyclopedia Entries, Book Reviews, and Web Articles

1. Mandik, Pete. (2022). **Review of Helen De Cruz *Philosophy Illustrated: Forty-two Thought Experiments to Broaden Your Mind*.** *The Philosophers' Magazine*. Issue 96, 1st Quarter 2022 (pp. 114-116). https://www.pdcnet.org/tpm/content/tpm_2022_0096_0114_0116
2. Mandik, Pete. (2015). **Review of Russell Blackford and Damien Broderick (eds.), *Intelligence Unbound: The Future of Uploaded and Machine Minds***. *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*. 2015.08.03. https://ndpr.nd.edu/news/59764-intelligence-unbound-the-future-of-uploaded-and-machine-minds/
3. Mandik, Pete. (2014). **What's It Like When Your Eyes Move?** In Schwenkler, J. (ed.) Symposium on Wayne Wu's "Against Division: Consciousness, Information, and the Visual Streams", *Brains: A Group Blog on Topics in the Philosophy and Science of Mind*. http://philosophyofbrains.com/2014/09/08/symposium-on-wayne-wu-against-division-consciousness-information-and-the-visual-streams-mind-language-29-4-383-406.aspx
4. Mandik, Pete. (2013). **Reflecting on Neural Self-reflection: The Churchlandish Introspection of Brain States**. In Schwenkler, J. (ed.) Symposium on Paul Churchland's "Matter and Consciousness" (3rd ed., 2013), *Brains: A Group Blog on Topics in the Philosophy and Science of Mind*. http://philosophyofbrains.com/wp-content/uploads/2013/09/Mandik-on-Churchlands-Matter-and-Consciousness.pdf
5. Mandik, Pete. (2013). **Behaviorism, Philosophical Conceptions of**. In: Kaldis, B. (ed.) *Encyclopedia of Philosophy and the Social Sciences*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
6. Bickle, John, Mandik, Peter, and Landreth, Anthony, (2012). **The Philosophy of Neuroscience**. The *Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (Summer 2012 Edition), Edward N. Zalta (ed.), URL = <http://plato.stanford.edu/archives/sum2012/entries/neuroscience/>. [updated from 1999 version by Bickle & Mandik] [peer reviewed]
7. Mandik, Pete. (2011). **The Philosophy of Cognitive Science**. *Oxford Bibliographies Online: Philosophy*. doi: 10.1093/obo/9780195396577-0019
8. Mandik, Pete. (2011). **Review of Peter Cave's *Do Llamas Fall in Love? 33 Perplexing Philosophy Puzzles.*** *Times Higher Education* 2011.02.24.
9. Mandik, Pete. (2010). **Review of Martin Cohen, *Mind Games: 31 Days to Rediscover Your Brain***. *Times Higher Education*. 2010.12.09.
10. Mandik, Pete. (2009). **Review of Catherine Malabou, *What Should We Do With Our Brain?*** *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*. 2009.04.27. http://ndpr.nd.edu/review.cfm?id=15887
11. Mandik, Pete. (2005). **Evans, Michael Gareth Justin (1946–80)**. In S. Brown (Ed.). The Dictionary of Twentieth-Century British Philosophers (pp. 268–269). Bristol: Thoemmes. http://dx.doi.org/10.5040/9781350052437-0100
12. Mandik, Pete and Bechtel, William. (2002). **Philosophy of Science**. In: Nadel, Lynn (ed.) *The Encyclopedia of Cognitive Science.* London: Macmillan. [peer reviewed]
13. Mandik, Pete. (1999). **Objectivity/Subjectivity**. *The Field Guide to the Philosophy of Mind*. http://www.uniroma3.it/kant/field/

14. Mandik, Pete. (1997). **Review of Michael Tye, *Ten Problems of Consciousness: A Representational Theory of the Phenomenal Mind***. *Philosophical Psychology*. 10 (1): 127-129.

PRESENTATIONS, CONTRIBUTED

1. **On Whether the Higher-Order Thought Theory of Consciousness Entails Cognitive Phenomenology, or: What is it Like to Think that One Thinks that P?** (co-authored with Richard Brown) Presented at the annual meeting of The Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology in Austin, Texas (March 2, 2013).
2. **Conscious-state Anti-realism** Fourth Annual Online Consciousness Conference (February 17, 2012).
3. **Color-Consciousness Conceptualism** Second Annual Online Consciousness Conference (February 19, 2010).
4. **Consciousness Without Subjectivity (condensed version)** Toward a Science of Consciousness 2008, Tucson, Arizona (April 11, 2008).
5. **Introspecting Brain States as Such.** Presented at the annual meeting of The Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology in Charleston, South Carolina (April 14, 2006).
6. **Phenomenal Consciousness and the Allocentric-egocentric Interface**. Toward a Science of Consciousness 2006, Tucson, Arizona (April 5, 2006).
7. **Neurons, Evolution, and Mental Representation.** Presented at the 2003 meeting of the Joint International Conference on Cognitive Science, Sydney Australia. (July 15, 2003).
8. **Physical Subjectivity: Points of View from the Brain's Eye View.** Presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Division American Philosophical Association (Dec. 30, 2000).
9. **Information and Isomorphism in Neural Representation.** Presented at the 6th congress of the Nordic Association for Semiotic Studies, Copenhagen Denmark (November 23, 2000).
10. **Physical Subjectivity: Points of View from the Brain's Eye View.** Presented at the New Jersey Regional Philosophical Association Fall Meeting, at Felician College (Nov.18, 2000).
11. **Physical Subjectivity: Points of View from the Brain's Eye View.** Presented at the annual meeting of The Society for Philosophy and Psychology (June 17, 2000). *Winner of the 2000 SPP William James Prize for best graduate student paper.*
12. **Cognitive Neuroscience and Fine-Grained Supervenience.** Presented at the annual meeting of The Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology in Louisville, Kentucky (April 2, 1999).
13. **Action and Experience: Motor Control and Spatial Qualia.** Presented at the annual meeting of The Society for Philosophy and Psychology (June 12, 1998). *Winner of the 1998 SPP William James Prize for best graduate student paper.*

14. **Action and Experience: Motor Control and Spatial Qualia.** Presented at the annual meeting of The Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology (April 9, 1998).
15. **Supervenience, Self-Reference, and Anti-Functionalism.** Presented at the Nineteenth Annual Graduate Philosophy Conference, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (April 11, 1997).
16. **The Tale of Roboto and Homunculo: A Psychophysicalist Puzzle.** Presented at the National Graduate Student Conference, Washington University (October 12, 1996).

PRESENTATIONS, INVITED

1. **Philosophy and Comics.** Presented to the William Paterson University Art Department (April 22, 2025).
2. **Metaphysical Daring and Mind Uploading** Guest zoom lecture for Max Deutsch's PHIL 7003 The Nature of AI, Hong Kong University, Hong Kong (November 15, 2023)
3. **On Being Abstract** Presented at the Montclair Philosophy Workshop at Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ (May 2, 2019)
4. **Innocence, Ignorance, and Illusion: How do we know that we know what we're talking about when we talk about phenomenal consciousness?** Part of the invited symposium Mind, Metaphysics, and Meaning at the meeting of the Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology in San Antonio, TX (March 15, 2018)
5. **Human and Post-Human Strategies for Surviving the Singularity** Presented at *The Singularity: Artificial Intelligence and the Future of Mankind* at Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ (November 27, 2017)
6. **Mind, Metaphysics, and the Future** Presented as the 2016 Warren Steinkraus Lecture on Human Ideals at SUNY Oswego (October 6, 2016)
7. **Robot Pain and the First-Person Perspective** Presented in *The Role of Phenomenal Consciousness* workshop of The Value of Suffering Project at the University of Glasgow, Glasgow, Scotland (October 25, 2015)
8. **Metaphysical Daring as a Posthuman Survival Strategy** Presented in *A Night of Philosophy,* a 12-hour 7pm-7am event at the French Embassy, Fifth Avenue, New York, NY (April 24-25, 2015)
9. **Color Qualia** Part of the invited symposium Philosophy for Cognitive Scientists at the meeting of the Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology in New Orleans, LA (April 3, 2015)
10. **Metaphysical Daring as a Posthuman Survival Strategy** Presented in *Philitechia, The 2014 Hermanns Lectures*, departments of English and Philosophy at University of Texas, Arlington (October 24, 2014)
11. **The Myth of Color Sensations, Or: How Not to See a Yellow Banana** Presented to the CUNY Graduate Center Cognitive Science Symposium and Discussion Group (July 1, 2014)
12. **The Myth of Color Sensations, Or: How Not to See a Yellow Banana** Presented at the workshop, New Directions in Empirically Informed Philosophy of Mind, New York City (May 1, 2014)

13. **Does the Neuroscience of Consciousness Need to Care About the Qualitative Features of Our Conscious States?** Presented in the Distinguished Speaker Series, Seton Hall University Psychology Department (February 24, 2012)
14. **Conscious-state Anti-realism and the Varieties of Consciousness Worth Being a Realist About** Presented to the University of Houston Department of Philosophy (October 28, 2011)
15. **Swamp Mary Semantics: A Case For Physicalism Without Gaps** Presented to the University of Houston Department of Philosophy (October 25, 2011)
16. **Swamp Mary Semantics: A Case For Physicalism Without Gaps** Presented to the NYU Consciousness Project (October 5, 2011)
17. **Does the Neuroscience of Consciousness Need to Care About Qualia?** Presented in the Neuroscience Seminars Series, Champalimaud Center for the Unknown, Lisbon, Portugal. (May 19, 2011)
18. **Swamp Mary Semantics: A Case For Physicalism Without Gaps** Presented to the CUNY Graduate Center Cognitive Science Symposium and Discussion Group (October 8, 2010)
19. **The Slow-switching Slowdown Showdown** Presented as the keynote at the University of Texas at Arlington Summer Seminar in Mind, Cognition, and Neuroethics (July 15, 2010)
20. **A Simple Argument for an Intermediate-Level Theory of Consciousness** Presented at Hamilton College (October 9, 2008)
21. **Consciousness Without Subjectivity (extended version)** University of Cincinnati 44th Annual Philosophy Colloquium: The Churchlands (May 16, 2008)
22. **Transcending Zombies.** Presented to the CUNY Graduate Center Cognitive Science Symposium and Discussion Group (July 5, 2007)
23. **Beware of the Unicorn: Consciousness as Being Represented and Other Things that Do Not Exist.** Part of the invited symposium on intentionality and phenomenal content at the meeting of the Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology in Atlanta, GA (April 5, 2007)
24. **The Neurophilosophy of Subjectivity.** Presented to the CUNY Graduate Center Cognitive Science Symposium and Discussion Group (March 16, 2007)
25. **Introspecting Brain States as Such.** Presented at the New Jersey Regional Philosophical Association Fall Meeting, at Felician College (Nov.12, 2005).
26. **Objective Minds and Subjective Brains**. Felician Socratic Discussion Series, Felician College, Lodi, New Jersey (October 31, 2005)
27. **Consciousness & the Computational Interface Between Egocentric & Allocentric Representations**. McDonnell Project in Philosophy and the Neurosciences public conference "Neurophilosophy: The State of the Art," California Institute of Technology, Pasadena (June 21, 2005)
28. **On the Alleged Transparency of Conscious Experience.** CUNY Graduate Center Philosophy Colloquium Series (March 2, 2005)

29. **Phenomenal Consciousness and the Allo/EgoCentric Interface**. ZiF Interdisciplinary Research Workshop on Endophysics, Time, Quantum and the Subjective, Bielefeld, Germany (January 21, 2005)
30. **Reductive and Representational Explanation in Synthetic Neuroethology**. Presented to the CUNY Graduate Center Cognitive Science Symposium and Discussion Group (December 10, 2004)
31. **Santaraksita and Modern Theories of Perception**. An International Conference on Ancient and Medieval Philosophy, Fordham University, New York, NY. (October 24, 2004)
32. **Evolving Artificial Minds and Brains.** Keynote address of The International Language and Cognition Conference hosted by The University of New England, Australia (September 11, 2004)
33. **Evolution, Emergence, and Representational Realism.** Presented at the Ecole Normale Superieure de Lettres et Sciences Humaines Lyon France in the conference Approche Dynamique de la Cognition, Emergentisme & Representationalisme. (April 24, 2004)
34. **The Neural Correlates of Visual Consciousness.** Presented at the University of Quebec in Montreal (April 16, 2004)
35. **Varieties of Representation in Evolved and Embodied Neural Networks.** Presented at the University of Quebec in Montreal (April 15, 2004)
36. **Modeling Memory and Mental Representation.** Presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Division American Philosophical Association in Special Session Arranged by the APA Committee on Philosophy and Computers (December 29, 2003).
37. **Consciousness, Knowledge, and the Allocentric-Egocentric Interface.** Presented to the CUNY Graduate Center Cognitive Science Symposium and Discussion Group (August 7, 2003).
38. **Consciousness, Knowledge, and the Allocentric-Egocentric Interface.** Presented at the 2003 meeting of the McDonnell Project of Philosophy and Neuroscience, Heron Island, Australia (July 18, 2003).
39. **Evolving Microminds: Mental Representations in Artificial Life.** Presented to The Department of Philosophy at SUNY, Stony Brook (December 5, 2002).
40. **Evolving Microminds: Mental Representations in Artificial Life.** Presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Division American Philosophical Association in The Society for Machines and Mentality session on The Power of Neural Networks (December 27-30, 2002).
41. **Evolving Microminds: Mental Representations in Artificial Life.** Presented to The Department of Philosophy at the University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa (March 14, 2003).
42. **Action-Oriented Representation.** Presented at The Carleton/McDonnell Philosophy and Neuroscience conference at Carleton University in Ottowa, Canada (October 19, 2002).

43. **Alternate Minds: Variations of Consciousness and Cognition in Philosophy and Science Fiction.** Presented to the CUNY Graduate Center Cognitive Science Symposium and Discussion Group (August 15, 2002).
44. **Representational and Epistemological Theories of Consciousness.** Presented to the CUNY Graduate Center Cognitive Science Symposium and Discussion Group (April 19, 2002).
45. **Artificial Life and Mental Representation.** Presented to the Scientific and Philosophical Studies of Mind Program, Franklin and Marshall College (March 22, 2002).
46. **Varieties of Representation in Evolved Autonomous Agents**. Presented to the CUNY Graduate Center Cognitive Science Symposium and Discussion Group (Dec. 14, 2001).
47. **The Mental Lives of Sticks: Explorations of Evolutionary Embodied Connectionism.** Presented at the 2001 meeting of the McDonnell Project of Philosophy and Neuroscience (June 8, 2001).
48. **Are Mental Properties Brain Properties?** Presented to the Felician College Department of Philosophy (May 1, 2001).
49. **Points of View From the Brain's Eye View: Subjectivity and Neural Representation.** Presented to the University of Pittsburgh Theoretical Cognition Group (Sept. 22, 1999).
50. **Remarks on the Co-evolution of Language and the Brain.** Presented at the Winter Symposium of the Center for Semiotic Research, University of Aarhus, Denmark (January 24, 1998).

Commentaries and Other Presentations

1. **Consciousness.** Zoom presentation to the Spirit of the Senses Salon in Phoenix, AZ. (June 5, 2022) http://spiritofthesenses.org/calendar.htm https://youtu.be/vwYaQMnWONw
2. **Democracy Dialogues: Conspiracy Theories** panel discussion with Elizabeth Haines, Pete Mandik, and Danielle Wallace. William Paterson University. (April 8, 2021) https://youtu.be/fxMu4pl04SM
3. **This Is *This Is Philosophy of Mind*** Skype presentation of my 2013 book, *This Is Philosophy of Mind: An Introduction*, with Alexis Phillipous' philosophy class at Wallington High School for Girls, London UK (December 14, 2015)
4. **On Conspiracy Theories and Shit Happening** Google Hangouts presentation of my 2007 article, "Shit Happens," with Moti Mizrahi's epistemology class at St. John's University, Queens, NY (April 17, 2015)
5. **This Is *This Is Philosophy of Mind*** Skype presentation of my 2013 book, *This Is Philosophy of Mind: An Introduction*, with Alexis Phillipous' philosophy class at Wallington High School for Girls, London UK (December 17, 2014)
6. **Commentary on Chris Crogan's "Minds, Brains, and Contents"** video presentation included as part of the 2nd Annual Online Undergraduate Philosophy Conference (April 28, 2014).

7. **Commentary on David Heeger's "Traveling Waves in Visual Cortex During Binocular Rivalry"** presented at the conference, Attention, Expectation, and Awareness in Visual Perception at Columbia University (November 19, 2011).
8. **Commentary on Kathleen Akins's "Black and White and Color"** presented at the Third Annual Online Consciousness Conference (February 18, 2011).
9. **Commentary on Michael Anderson's "Evidence for Massive Redeployment of Brain Areas in Cognitive Functions"** presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology in St. Louis, Missouri. (June 3, 2006).
10. **Neural Representation, Embodied and Evolved.** Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology in St. Louis, Missouri. (June 3, 2006).
11. **The Neural Correlates of Visual Consciousness.** Presented to the William Paterson University Department of Psychology (Feb 19, 2004)
12. **Commentary on Gabriel Love's "Knowledge-How and Knowledge-That".** Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology in Pasadena, CA. (June 19, 2003).
13. **Action-Oriented Representation.** Presented to the William Paterson University Department of Psychology (Spring 2003).
14. **Artificial Life and Neural Networks.** Guest lecture for Prof. Chase Wrenn's Cognitive Science class, The Department of Philosophy at the University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa (March 13, 2003).
15. **Commentary on Vijay Mascarenhas' "Intentionality, Causality and Self-Consciousness"** Presented at the New Jersey Regional Philosophical Association Fall Meeting, at Felician College (Nov.16, 2002).
16. **Who Cares About Objectivity?** William Paterson University Accepted Student Day Philosophy Lecture (April 28, 2002).
17. **Artificial Life and Neural Networks.** Guest lecture for Prof. Anthony Chemero's Artificial Life class, Scientific and Philosophical Studies of Mind Program, Franklin and Marshall College (March 21, 2002).
18. **Egocentric Representation in Evolved Autonomous Agents.** Presented as a College of Humanities and Social Sciences Faculty Research Seminar (Feb. 22, 2002)
19. **Robots and Artificial Life (with Shawn Gaston)** Presented to the William Paterson University Philosophy Club (Nov. 28, 2001).
20. **The Mental Lives of Sticks: Explorations of Evolutionary Embodied Connectionism.** Presented as a William Paterson University Philosophy Department Colloquium (Nov. 21, 2001).
21. **Commentary on Carrie Figdor's "Cognitive Science and the Causal Efficacy of Content"** Presented at the New Jersey Regional Philosophical Association Fall Meeting, at Felician College (Nov.17, 2001).
22. **Commentary on Eric Schwitzgebel's "How Well Do We Know Our Own Conscious Experience? The Case of Mental Imagery"** Presented at the annual meeting of The Society for Philosophy and Psychology (June 16, 2001).

23. **Mind, Matter, and Mathematics.** Guest lecture for Prof. Eric Steinhart's Philosophy of Mathematics class. William Paterson University, New Jersey. (March 28, 2001)
24. **Scientific and Philosophical Perspectives on Consciousness.** Guest lecture for Prof. Kate Makarec's Introduction to Cognitive Science class. William Paterson University, New Jersey. (Feb. 12, 2001).
25. **Information and Isomorphism in Neural Representation.** Presented as a William Paterson University Department of Philosophy colloquium (October 18, 2000).
26. **Commentary on Barbara Montero's "The Epistemic/Ontic Divide".** Presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Philosophical Association in Lincoln, Nebraska (Oct. 6, 2000).
27. **Commentary on William Robinson's "Representationalism and Epiphenomenalism".** Presented at the annual meeting of The Society for Philosophy and Psychology (June 12, 1999).

Comics, Animation, and Illustration

1. Mandik, Pete (July 25, 2023). **Philosophy Through Comics.** Invited guest post 3-page comic-essay exploring the question "can you do philosophy with comics?", *Daily Nous*, https://dailynous.com/2023/07/25/philosophy-through-comics-guest-post/
2. *Mind Chunks Moments*, (June 1, 2021). An 18-part animated video series for Oxford University Press, for use as media tutorials paired with the text Vaughn, Lewis (2021) Philosophy Here and Now: Powerful Ideas in Everyday Life, Fourth Edition New York: Oxford University Press. https://global.oup.com/academic/product/philosophy-here-and-now-9780197543412?cc=us&lang=en&#
3. *Mind Chunks*, (2015-present), a monthly comic strip I write and draw for the philosophy blog, *Daily Nous* (dailynous.com).
4. Mandik, Pete (2017) **Heart Parts**. In Eros Livieratos (ed.) *Mereological Nihilism* Orange, NJ: In a Rut Comics. pp. 19-21. Sold at Birdcage Bottom Books https://birdcage-bottom-books.myshopify.com/products/mereological-nihilism
5. My painting *Exomusicology* used as the cover art for Eric Schwitzgebel's book *The Perplexities of Consciousness* (MIT Press) http://mitpress.mit.edu/books/perplexities-consciousness (January 2011).
6. Peaslee, Mark and Mandik, Pete (1994) *Go Die 2/Metaphrenia 2*. Urbana, IL: 5-D Comix.
7. Dave King, Mark Peaslee, Pete Mandik (1994) *A Few Weasels More*. Urbana, IL: 5-D Comix.
8. Mandik, Pete *The Evil Poet* daily comic appearing in *The Daily Illini* (1993-1995).
9. Dave King, Mark Peaslee, Pete Mandik, Darrin Drda, Angela Barbaro, and Roger Luteyn (1993) *5-D Comix: Issue #1*. Urbana, IL: Parasol.
10. Contributing animator for "Concrete Dress" by Flavor Channel music video directed by Sean York and Julie Murphy. Evanston, IL (1993) https://youtu.be/lvThB8_EBig
11. Mandik, Pete (1990) *Metaphrenia #1*. Glendale Heights, IL: Metaphrenia Press.

12. Art editor and contributing illustrator for *Voices of Conflict: Teenagers Themselves vol. 2* (1987) and *Voices of Hope: Teenagers Themselves vol. 3* (1988), New York: Adama Books.
13. Pete Mandik and Mark Peaslee *Bits of Bonzer* comic strip, *The Glenbard East Echo* , Lombard, IL (1985-1988).

Media Appearances, Abstracts, Squibs, and Other

1. Interviewed for Tansman, Will "Peter Mandik Gives a Guide on Meditation and Philosophy" *The Beacon* (Apr 9, 2025) https://wpubeacon.com/13566/art/peter-mandik-gives-a-guide-on-meditation-and-philosophy/
2. Guest appearance on *Lance Independent* YouTube channel episode "Reviewing Emerson Green on Mental Privacy with Pete Mandik" (Dec 19, 2024) https://www.youtube.com/live/QOTT7gKgk5E?si=yvdQk0QBQ_T6guOe
3. Guest appearance on *Real Atheology* podcast and YouTube channel episode "Pete Mandik on Materialism, Quine, and Religious Mysticism" (Jun 7, 2024) https://youtu.be/J4r5bWGd_AM?si=i5NBuDQArznUKgXf
4. Guest appearance on *Lance Independent* YouTube channel episode "P-Zombie Apocalypse? Discussion Consciousness with Pete Mandik" (Feb 22, 2024) https://www.youtube.com/live/KnRdgAyOkMg?si=3cBHo2_F2hDSh2Qe
5. Guest appearance on *Digital Gnosis* YouTube channel episode "Can We Talk About Consciousness…or Not? | Qualia Quietism w/ Pete Mandik" (Feb 20, 2024) https://www.youtube.com/live/1dT0MyuFlLM?si=x7njZeVAKUywGlE_
6. Guest appearance on *Terrifying Questions* podcast Episode 5: Is Enlightenment Fake? (April 3 2023). https://open.spotify.com/show/1mK3LoVLWALiBRjkBUZf1Z
7. Guest appearance on Friction Philosophy podcast and YouTube channel. Episode 89: Pete Mandik | Mind. (Aug 4, 2022). https://youtu.be/UuzSgXcKZyc
8. Guest appearance on Keith Frankish's *Mind to Mind* podcast, episode #2 "Pete Mandik" (April 16, 2022). https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/pete-mandik/id1605464030?i=1000557803122
9. Guest appearance on Geoff Allen's *Extrapolator* podcast, episode #15 "Pete Mandik: Perceiving the World" https://www.podbean.com/ew/pb-y6gvr-1108c36 (October 27, 2021)
10. Interviewed for Beckerman, Jim, "What is reality? In a divided America, maybe philosophers can tell us," *The Record/* northjersey.com */USA Today*. (https://www.northjersey.com/story/entertainment/columnists/jim-beckerman/2021/02/26/2021-america-maybe-philosophers-can-tell-us-whats-real-whats-not/4404417001/) (February 26, 2021)
11. My paper "Shit Happens" discussed on the *Podcaster's Guide to the Conspiracy* podcast https://conspiracism.podbean.com/e/shit-happens/ (February 11, 2021)
12. Guest appearances on philosophy and cognitive science podcast, *Consciousness Live!* hosted by Richard Brown, CUNY LaGuardia, Episodes 39 (May 27, 2020).
13. Guest appearances on philosophy and cognitive science podcast, *Consciousness Live!* hosted by Richard Brown, CUNY LaGuardia, Episodes 31 (April 6, 2020).

14. My comic at DailyNous discussed in "I laugh, therefore I am" by Aditya Mani Jha in *The Hindu Business Line* (January 9, 2018) https://www.thehindubusinessline.com/blink/know/i-laugh-therefore-i-am/article9952204.ece
15. Contributor to Eric Schwitzgebel's "Appendix: Philosophers Recommend Science Fiction" in Susan Schneider (2016) *Science Fiction and Philosophy: From Time Travel to Superintelligence, Second Edition*. Wiley.
16. Winner: *Chicago Tribune* Tweet of the Week https://www.chicagotribune.com/columns/eric-zorn/ct-pick-em-an-click-em-the-tweet-of-the-week-returns-20160405-htmlstory.html for my 1/21/2016 tweet, "Hey,dogs barking, we get it: At the core of existence dwells an unspeakable malaise."(April 5, 2016)
17. My paper "Metaphysical Daring as a Posthuman Survival Strategy" discussed on *Wired Minds* podcast, episode 1. (September 27, 2015)
18. Interviewed for Nicholson, Malcolm T., "Upload Your Mind and Live Forever," *Hopes & Fears.* (http://www.hopesandfears.com/hopes/future/science/214207-uploading-your-mind*)* (June 15, 2015).
19. Featured in Kaminer, A. "Where Theory and Research Meet to Jam About the Mind." *New York Times* December 9, 2012. http://www.nytimes.com/2012/12/10/nyregion/jamming-about-the-mind-at-qualia-fest.html
20. Interviewed for "Brain Hammer: Pete Mandik Interviewed by Richard Marshall" *3:AM Magazine*. (http://www.3ammagazine.com/3am/brain-hammer/) (May 1, 2012).
21. Appeared on Philosophy TV (www.philostv.com) discussing higher-order thought theories of consciousness with Prof. Richard Brown of Laguardia Community College (October 4, 2010).
22. Interviewed for Begley, S. "There May Be More To a Vegetative State Than Science Thought." *Wall Street Journal* September 8, 2006. https://www.wsj.com/articles/SB115766990059456911
23. My robot/multi-media project "Prayer Bot 2.0" was featured in a May 15, 2006 article by Jeremy Douglass in *Writer Response Theory*.
24. Mandik, Pete (2006) Abstract: Phenomenal Consciousness and the Allocentric-egocentric Interface *Consciousness Research Abstracts (Tucson 2006).* Charlottesville: Imprint Academic.
25. Interviewed for *Imagine* Magazine of John Hopkins University Center for Talented Youth. July 20, 2005
26. Interviewed for "Strange Angels" radio program. California State University, Long Beach Radio Station KBEACH. Air date: August 20, 2005.
27. Interviewed for "People are Just Complicated Robots" by Aaron Kinsman *The Pioneer Times* Tuesday October 5, 2004.
28. (2003) My digital presence has been documented by the Dutch artist Manon de Boer on her SKOR-commissioned website PanoramicPortraits http://www.skor.nl/PanoramicPortraits/
29. Interviewed for *Unwound* (2003), a documentary film about robots by director/producer Jeff Cioletti

30. Mandik, Pete (1998) Definitions and discussion essays written for Chris Eliasmith (ed.) *Dictionary of Philosophy of Mind* (http://www.artsci.wustl.edu/~philos/MindDict/index.html): Anomalous monism; Causal functionalism; Closure of knowledge under known entailment; Closure of knowledge under entailment; Concept (with Chris Eliasmith);Doxastic; Dualism, Cartesian interactionist; Dualism, property; Dualism, substance; Emergence; Epistemology; Evans, Gareth (with Rick Grush); Externalism; Functionalism: What's the logical relation between functionalism and multiple realizability?; Generality constraint (with Rick Grush); Intentionalism; Internalism; KK-thesis; Knowledge; Multiple realizability (with Chris Eliasmith); Nonconceptual content (with Rick Grush); Occasionalism; Physicalism; Preestablished harmony; Qualia (with Chris Eliasmith); Realism (with Chris Eliasmith); Realization; Silicon chip thought experiment; Skepticism; Skepticism, Cartesian; Supervenience; Token identity thesis.
31. Interviewed for "Academic challenge draws young students to summer program" by Martha Everett *The Record* Vol. 21 No. 34 July 24, 1997.
32. Interviewed for "Clark presides over marriage of many minds" by David Moessner *The Record* Vol. 22 No. 7 Oct. 2, 1997
33. Mandik, Pete (1997) "Androids will not dream. . ." invited response to Philip K. Dick inspired query "Will androids dream of electric sheep?" in *21C: Scanning the Future* #1, 1997: p. 25
34. Mandik, Pete (1996) Abstract: A Puzzle for an Externalist: Would You be Out of Your Mind to Think that You were Out of Your Head or Could Jean and Dean Supervene on the Same Machine? *Consciousness Research Abstracts (Tucson II).* Charlottesville: Imprint Academic.

GRANTS, AWARDS, HONORS, and MICROCREDENTIALS

Digital badge received for completion of Educause course Teaching with Artificial Intelligence 2025 (April 7, 2025) https://www.credly.com/badges/f74aa107-79e5-464c-aa29-aaa450ba79a4/print

Recipient, along with whole WPU Philosophy and History departments of Dean Wartyna Davis' *Mission Mindset* award – "an award that recognizes extraordinary efforts of individuals or groups that put the needs of our students first and who lean into building what's POSSIBLE." In recognition of efforts toward departmental merger (April 21, 2022)

(2011) Expense-covered invited participant in "More or Less: Varieties of Human Cortical Colour Vision," an interdisciplinary conference and workshop in Vancouver, BC (August 4-7), funded by the James S. McDonnell Foundation through a Centennial Fellowship to Kathleen Akins as well as a President's Research Grant from Simon Fraser University.

(2005) $15,000 (Canadian) McDonnell Project Grant for Philosophy and the Neurosciences.

(2003) $5,000 National Endowment of the Humanities Summer Stipend. My project title: *Subjectivity and the Conscious Mind*

(2001-present) William Paterson University Assigned Release Time research awards

(2000) $10,000 (Canadian) McDonnell Project Grant for Philosophy and the Neurosciences. My project title: *Objective and Subjective Neural Representation.*

(2000) William James Prize for best graduate student paper, Society of Philosophy and Psychology

(1999) Washington University Department of Philosophy Dissertation Fellowship

(1998) William James Prize for best graduate student paper, Society of Philosophy and Psychology

(1995-1996; 1997-1998) McDonnell Foundation Fellowship for Philosophy-Neuroscience-Psychology Program

(1995) Bronze Tablet, Highest University Honors, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

(1995) Donald W. Doerscher Award, highest departmental distinction for a graduating senior in philosophy, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

(1995) Lois Shepherd Green Scholarship for exceptional promise in philosophy, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

William Paterson University of New Jersey

History, Philosophy, and Liberal Studies Department: The Well-Lived Life (HIST 1000); Meditation and Mindfulness (PHIL/HIST 2840)

Philosophy Department: Philosophy of Space and Time (PHIL 3280); Philosophy of Mind (PHIL 4100); Philosophy of Science (PHIL 4200); Contemporary Analytic Philosophy (PHIL 4250); Logic (PHIL 2100); Ethics (PHIL 2000); Honors Intro. to Philosophy (PHIL 1100 H) (stand-alone); Honors Intro. to Philosophy (PHIL 1100 H) (Part of the Mind/Brain Course Cluster with General Psychology and Applied Anatomy and Physiology); Independent Study: Philosophical Computation (PHIL 4990); Intro. to Philosophy (PHIL 1100); Philosophy of Language (PHIL 4080); Political Philosophy (PHIL 2220); Special Topics in Philosophy: Theories of Consciousness (PHIL 3990); Special Topics in Philosophy: Meditation and Philosophy (PHIL 3990); Special Topics in Philosophy: Philosophy and Science Fiction (PHIL 3990); Philosophy of the Future (PHIL 1120); Philosophy Capstone (PHIL 4800); 17th & 18th Century Philosophy (PHIL 2170)

Psychology Department: Psychology of Consciousness (PSY 2500)

Cognitive Science Honors Track: Introduction to Cognitive Science (CGSI 2000); Selected Topics in Cognitive Science (CGSI 3000); Independent Study: Cognitive Science Honors Thesis I (CGSI 4010); Independent Study: Cognitive Science Honors Thesis II (CGSI 4020)

Honors College: First-Year Honors Research Seminar

International Neuroscience Doctoral Program, Champalimaud Center for the Unknown, Lisbon, Portugal

Neurophilosophy and Consciousness (May 16-20, 2011)

University of Missouri, St. Louis (Adjunct Instructor)

Philosophy of Science (PHIL 280)

University College, Washington University, St. Louis (Adjunct Instructor)

Intro. to Philosophy (PHIL 110)

Washington University, St. Louis (Teaching Assistant)

Introduction to the Study of the Mind-Brain: Psychological, Biological, and Philosophical Perspectives (HEWLETT 120/121) (Professors Mark Rollins (Philosophy-Neuroscience-Psychology), Steve Peterson (Neuroscience), and David Balota (Psychology)

Existentialism (PHIL 375) (Professor J. Claude Evans)

Intro. to Logic and Critical Analysis (PHIL 100G) (Professor Mark Rollins)

OTHER ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Member, Attention and Performance Laboratory, Department of Psychology, Washington University St. Louis (1999).

SERVICE

Departmental Service (WPUNJ Philosophy Department)

Search Committee Chairperson for Assistant/Associate Professor of Social Philosophy search resulting in the hire of Joshua Hall (2017-2018)

Search Committee Member for Assistant Professor search resulting in the hire of Laura Di Summa-Knoop (2016-2017)

Search Committee Chairperson for Social & Political Philosophy search resulting in the hire of Stephanie Rivera Berruz (2014)

Search Committee Member for Ethics search resulting in the hire of Elizabeth Victor (2014)

Assessment Coordinator (2004; 2011-2016)

Promotion Committee Chairperson (2012)

Recruitment Officer (2007 – 2011; 2017-2019)

Coordinator, Cognitive Science Laboratory (2000 – 2008)

Colloquium Series Coordinator (2002 - 2005, 2017-2018)

Film Series Coordinator (2002 – 2004)

Search Committee member (2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2014, 2016-2017, 2017-2018)

Web Master (2000-2006)

Faculty Advisor, Cognitive Science Student Research Group (2000 – 2009)

Faculty Advisor, Philosophy Club (2001 – 2004, 2008-2011, 2013-2017)

Faculty Advisor, Secular Student Alliance (2013-2015)

Faculty Advisor, Writers Anonymous (2014-2015)

Faculty Advisor, Phi Sigma Tau (2017 - present)

Adjunct Coordinator (2017-2018)

Colloquia Coordinator (2017-2018)

Liberal Studies Ad Hoc Committee Chair (2017-present)

Departmental Service (Washington University Philosophy Department)

Philosophy-Neuroscience-Psychology Colloquium Committee member (1995 - 1999)

College/University Service (WPUNJ)

Member, COAHSS AI Taskforce (Spring 2026-present)

Panelist and Co-organizer with Elizabeth Brown of Center for Teaching Excellence of Provost-sponsored faculty event, **From Frameworks to Futures: Practical Tools for Purposeful, Inclusive, and Tech-Driven Teaching** (May 19, 2025).

Provost's Fellow for Quality Matters Face-to-Face (QMF2F) Project (Spring 2024-Spring 2025)

Project Co-director for NEH Data Storytelling project (Fall 2022-Spring 2025)

Group member of COAHSS AILE project to develop curriculum for Artificial Intelligence Literacy and Ethics along with Djanna Hill, Christopher Salerno, and Danielle Wallace (2025-present)

Working Group leader for group #3 CAHSS working groups (Fall 2021)

UCC Panelist, Ways of Knowing: Historical and Philosophical Perspectives (2013-2025)

HSS Senior Research Panelist (2019)

HSS Awards Committee (2018-2019)

Environmental Studies Minor Planning Committee (2017-2018)

Faculty Mentor (2017-2018)

HSS Dean search committee member (2010-2011)

HSS UCC Committee member (2010-2016)

Supervisor, as Philosophy Department Chairperson, of the implementation of the Liberal Studies B.A. as a new major program housed in the Department of Philosophy (2009)

Director, Cognitive Science Honors Track (2005-2008)

IT Advisory Committee member (2005–2006)

Office of Sponsored Programs Institutional Review Board committee member (2002 – 2005)

Teaching and Learning Technology Roundtable Committee member (2000 - 2005)

Biopsychology and Cognitive Science Journal Club member (2001 – 2009)

Presented "Evolution, Machines, and Minds" in the Student Center as part of the 2/12/2009 panel discussion *Evolution: Truth or Myth*.

Service to the Profession

Co-host with Keith Frankish of the philosophy and science video podcast *The Persuaders* . YouTube https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLhgvALi0LQGUqsv-9fevHTHTea5Hs5beU (2025-present)

Author of the blog *Drawn to the Void* covering topics in cognitive science and philosophy of mind https://petemandik.substack.com/ (2025-present)

Editorial Board Member of *The Journal of NeuroPhilosophy* https://www.jneurophilosophy.com/index.php/jnp (2022 — Present)

Host of the philosophy and science podcast, *SpaceTimeMind* spacetimemind.com (March 2014 – Present)

Griffith Prize judge for the 2013 meeting of the Southern Society of Philosophy and Psychology, Austin, TX (February 28 – March 2)

Philosophy program chair for the 2012 meeting of the Southern Society of Philosophy and Psychology, Savanna, GA (March 22-24)

Discussion Moderator for entirety of conference and workshop, "More or Less: Varieties of Human Cortical Colour Vision: An Interdisciplinary Conference and Workshop," Simon Fraser University, Vancouver (August 4-7, 2011)

Co-Organizer, McDonnell Project in Philosophy and the Neurosciences Workshop for Early Career Researchers, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena (June 17 – 20, 2005)

Co-Organizer, McDonnell Project in Philosophy and the Neurosciences public conference "Neurophilosophy: The State of the Art," California Institute of Technology, Pasadena (June 21 – 23, 2005)

Program Co-Chair, 2003 meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology

Philosophy Panelist, National Endowment of the Humanities (2002)

Book Manuscript Referee: Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, Kluwer Academic Publishers, MIT Press, Routledge, Longman Publishers, Wadsworth Publishing, Westview Press, Acumen Publishers, Palgrave Macmillan

Journal Article Referee: *Biolinguistics, British Journal for the Philosophy of Science, Canadian Journal of Philosophy*, *Cognitive Science, Cognitive Systems Research, Erkenntnis, Frontiers in Psychology, Journal of Consciousness Studies, Journal of Mind and Behavior, Journal of Philosophical Research, Mind and Language, Minds and Machines, Nature Neuroscience, Philosophical Papers*, *Philosophical Studies*,

Philosophical Psychology, Philosophy of Science, Ratio, Southern Journal of Philosophy, Theoria, Topics in Cognitive Science

Conference Submission Referee: 2014 Meeting of the Southwestern Philosophical Society; Fall 2005 Meeting of The New Jersey Regional Philosophy Association; 2004 Meeting of The Cognitive Science Society; Meetings of The Society for Philosophy and Psychology (2001 to present); Meetings of The Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology; Meetings of Consciousness Online

Session Chair, Fall 2001 Meeting of the New Jersey Regional Philosophy Association

Editorial Board, *Online Dictionary of the Philosophy of Mind* (1997- 2000).

External referee for tenure and promotion review: Texas Tech University, Oakland University, Drake University, Trinity College.

Co-editor, with Daniel Weiskopf and Brian Keeley, of the on-line *Philosophy of Mind and Science Works-in-Progress Sessions* (2006 – 2015)

External reviewer, Bloomsburg University Department of Philosophy (March 2008)

External reviewer, Poland National Science Centre (Dec 19, 2018)

Member of the steering committee of the Consortium on Cognitive Science Instruction

Dissertation committee member for Michael Collins (CUNY Graduate Center), Michal Klincewicz (CUNY Graduate Center).

Dissertation prospectus committee member for Jennifer Corns, CUNY Graduate Center.

Philpapers.org area editor for Philosophy of Neuroscience (2009-2015)

Member, Philosophy Compass User Crew

Member, Lifeboat Foundation Scientific Advisory Board

Assessing Editor, *Journal of Mind and Behavior*

Editorial board member, *Journal of NeuroPhilosophy* https://www.jneurophilosophy.com (2022-present)

I run the academic blogs *Brain Hammer* and *Alternate Minds* and I am a contributor to the philosophy of mind group-blog, *Brains*.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

The American Philosophical Association, The Society for Philosophy and Psychology, The Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Society for the Metaphysics of Science, The Wilfrid Sellars Society

REFERENCES

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