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RESEARCH INTERESTS

AOS: Political Theory, Climate Politics, Climate Ethics, Markets, Theories of Justice, Normative and Applied Ethics.

AOC: Climate Policy and Governance, Environmental Economics, Philosophy of Economics.

1. ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Université Laval Professeur Adjoint/Assistant Professor Département de Science Politique/Department of Political Science	2019 – Present
McGill University SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellow Department of Political Science	2018 – 2019
Yale University Postdoctoral Fellow - MacMillan Center Lecturer - Department of Political Science	2016 – 2018

2. ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

University College London, Department of Philosophy Ph.D. Thesis title: <i>Justice in a Non-Ideal World</i> . Primary Supervisor: Professor Jonathan Wolff	2012 – 2017
Yale University, MacMillan Center for International and Area Studies Visiting Fellow	2015
University of Montreal, Department of Philosophy M.A. (Research). Distinction. Supervisor: Professor Peter Dietsch	2010 – 2012
University of Montreal, Department of Philosophy B.A. Distinction. Dean's list	2006 – 2010

3. RESEARCH FUNDING

GRANTS, PRIZES AND AWARDS

SSHRC Connection Grant - Principal Investigator Value: \$11,600.00 With matching funds: \$17,400.00 Conference Project: Building the Canadian Green Economy: A Just Transition (Sept. 2019)	March 2019
McGill University Dean of Arts Development Fund - Principal Investigator Value: \$2,000.00 Conference Project: Building the Canadian Green Economy: A Just Transition (Sept. 2019)	March 2019
FRQSC Star Researcher Prize Value: \$1,000.00	May 2016
YALE-UCL Bursary Award Value: \$5,850.00	Fall 2015

SELECTED SCHOLARSHIPS AND FELLOWSHIPS

SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellowship Annual Value: \$45,000.00	2018 – 2020
FRQSC Postdoctoral Fellowship Annual Value: \$30,000.00	2016 – 2018
FRQSC Doctoral Scholarship Annual value: \$20,000.00	2013 – 2016
UCL Overseas Research Scholarship Annual value: \$33,450.00	2013 – 2016
SSHRC Master's Scholarship – J.A. Bombardier Scholarship Value: \$17,500.00	2010 – 2011
GRIPP Fellowship Value: \$2,000.00	2011 – 2012

4. PUBLICATIONS

Book – Single-authored monograph

- (2019) Gajevic Sayegh, A., “Justice in a Non-Ideal World. Bridging the Gap Between Political Theory and Real-World Politics”. London: Rowman and Littlefield International, 256 pages.

Book Chapter

- (2018) Gajevic Sayegh, A., “Climate Finance: Moral Theory and Political Practice”, T. Jafry (Ed.), The Routledge Handbook of Climate Justice. London: Routledge.
- (Forthcoming) Gajevic Sayegh, A., Environmental Justice, Essential Concepts of Global Environmental Governance - Second Edition (Morin, J.F. and Orsini A. eds.), London: Routledge.

Single-authored publications in scholarly journals

- (2019) Gajevic Sayegh, A., “Pricing Carbon for Climate Justice”, Ethics, Policy & Environment. Selected as Target Article.
- (2018) Gajevic Sayegh, A., “Climate Justice After Paris: A Normative Framework”, Journal of Global Ethics, 13(3). pp.344-365.
- (2017) Gajevic Sayegh, A., “A Case of Non-Ideal Guidance: Tackling Tax Competition”, Moral Philosophy and Politics, 4(1). pp.141-171.
- (2016) Gajevic Sayegh, A., “Justice in a Non-Ideal World: the Case of Climate Change”, Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy. pp. 1-22.

Book reviews

- (Forthcoming) Book Review. Economics & Philosophy. “Taxation”, O'Neill and Orr (eds.), Oxford University Press, 2018.
- (2016) Book Review. Ethical Theory and Moral Practice. “Climate Justice: Vulnerability and Protection” by Henri Shue, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 2014.
- (2016) Book Review. Contemporary Political Philosophy. “Catching Capital: The Ethics of Tax Competition” by Peter Dietsch, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 2015.

Reports

- (2019) « La Tarification du Carbone et l'Utilisation de ses Revenus », rédigé pour Force Jeunesse.
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5. GRADUATE AND POSTDOCTORAL EXPERIENCE

TEACHING

Professor – Université Laval	From 2019
Théories contemporaines de la Justice Sociale, Department of Political Science	
Idées Politiques et Société Juste, Department of Political Science	
Lecturer – Yale University	
<i>The Ethics of Climate Change</i> , Departments of Political Science, Philosophy and School of Environment	Spring 2018
<i>Markets and Morals</i> , Department of Political Science and Philosophy	Spring 2018
<i>The Ethics of Climate Change</i> , Departments of Political Science, Philosophy and School of Environment	Spring 2017
Seminar Leader/PGTA – UCL	
<i>Global Justice and Health (3rd year)</i> , Department of Philosophy	Spring 2015
<i>Introduction to Political Philosophy (1st year)</i> , Department of Philosophy	Fall 2014
<i>Marxism (2nd year)</i> , Department of Philosophy	Fall 2014
<i>Global Justice and Health (3rd year)</i> , Department of Philosophy	Spring 2014
<i>Applied Ethics (2nd year)</i> , Department of Philosophy	Fall 2013
Teaching Assistant – University of Montreal	
<i>Ethics and Politics (1st year)</i> , Department of Philosophy	Spring 2012
<i>Bioethics: Fundamental Notions in Ethics (1st year)</i> , course offered by the Philosophy Department to the Department of Biomedical Science	Fall 2011
<i>Introduction to Political Theory (1st year)</i> , Department of Political Science	Spring 2011
<i>Bioethics: Fundamental Notions in Ethics (1st year)</i> , course offered by the Philosophy Department to the Biomedical Science Department	Fall 2010

ASSESSMENT OF STUDENT WORK

Senior Essay Supervisor	Spring 2018
Department of Political Science – Yale University	
Senior Essay Examiner (Second Reader)	2017-2018
Department of Political Science – Yale University	
Supervisor (Visiting Fellows in Climate Ethics)	Spring 2017
MacMillan Center – Yale University	

6. SELECTED TALKS

- “A Just Green Economy Transition”** Sept 2019
McGill Climate Conference: Building the Canadian Green Economy, [McGill University](#).
- “Pricing carbon and its Political Acceptability”** June 2019
International Public Policy Association Annual Conference, [Concordia University](#).
- “Climate Justice Finance: Moral Theory and Political Practice”** April 2019
Guest Lecture, Doctoral Program in Climate Change, [University of Graz](#).
- “Revisiting Intergenerational Climate Justice”** Mars 2019
New Directions in Environmental Law Conference, Faculty of Law and FES, [Yale University](#).
- “Market Forces, Moral Duties and Climate Action”**, Feb 2019
American Philosophical Association, *Central Division Meeting*, [Denver](#).
- “Market Forces, Moral Duties and Climate Action”**, Sept 2018
MANCEPT Workshop, *The Political Philosophy of Harm-Reduction*, [University of Manchester](#).
- “Market Forces, Moral Duties and Climate Action”**, Sept 2018
MANCEPT Workshop, *Climate Change Mitigation and Imperfect Duties*, [University of Manchester](#).
- “Collective Action, Self-Interest and Polycentric Climate Governance”**
Annual Postdoctoral Symposium, [Yale University](#) June 2018
The Fight Against Climate Change Conference, [Yale University](#) Oct 2017
- “Pricing Carbon for Climate Justice”**
ECPR General Conference 2017, [University of Oslo](#) Sept 2017
The MacMillan Center for International and Area Studies Academic Exchange, [Yale University](#) Dec 2016
ESRC Conference on Climate Ethics and Climate Economics, [University of Nottingham](#) Apr 2016
Legal and Political Theory Graduate Conference, [University of Warwick](#) Feb 2016
- “Climate Justice After Paris”**
Climate Ethics Workshop, [University of Washington](#) May 2017
Priority in Practice Conference, [University of Oxford](#) May 2017
- “The Global Governance of Climate Change”**
New Topics on Global Justice Conference, [Yale University](#) Oct 2016
- “Relational Justice in a Non-Ideal World: Tackling Illicit Financial Flows”**
Relational Academic Symposium, [University of Cambridge](#) Sept 2015
- “Justice in a Non-Ideal World: the Case of Climate Change”**
Doctoral Seminar Series, [Université Catholique de Lille](#) Jan 2015
- “The Normative Foundations of Relational Justice”**,
European Political Science Association (EPSA), [Royal Society Edinburgh](#) Jun 2014
Ethics Research Center (CREUM), [University of Montreal](#) Apr 2014
- “Can Ideal Theory Guide Non-Ideal Theory? A Functionalist Account”**
Department of Philosophy Graduate Conference, [UCL](#) Sept 2013
The Brave New World Conference in Political Theory, [University of Manchester](#) Jun 2013
- “Le Plan Nord: de la science à la société civile” (Plan Nord, from Science to Civil Society)**
80th congress of the [Francophone Association for Knowledge \(ACFAS\)](#), Montreal, May 2012

“Distributive Justice and Tort-based Justice: A Practice-dependent Account for Global Poverty Eradication”

Graduate Conference on Global Justice, New York University (NYU).

Apr 2012

“Global Poverty Eradication: Ideal or Non-Ideal Theory?”

Canadian Philosophy Association (CPA), Annual Congress, University of New Brunswick.

May 2011

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Reviewer

2015-2019

Book publishers:

- Routledge

Academic Journals:

- The Journal of Politics
- Philosophical Papers
- International Theory
- The Ethics Forum/Les Ateliers de l'Éthique

Colloquia organization

“Building the Canadian Green Economy: A Just Transition” (Project Director – SSHRC Grant Application), Department of Political Science, McGill University.

Sept 2019

“The fight against climate change: Can the law save us? Can politics save us?” MacMillan Center and Department of Political Science, Yale University.

Oct 2017

“New Topics in Global Justice” MacMillan Center for International and Area Studies, Yale University.

Oct 2016

“Plan Nord, bénéfices, inconvénients et alternatives au développement du Nord Québécois”, 80th congress of the Association francophone pour le Savoir (ACFAS), Montreal.

May 2012

Research Assistant

Department of Philosophy, UCL. *Paying People to Act in Their Own Interests: Incentives versus Rationalization in Public Health*, Published in Public Health Ethics, October, 2014.

Summer 2013

Leading author: Prof Jonathan Wolff

SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT

Administrator, Federation of Students Associations of the University of Montreal Campus (FAÉCUM).

2009-2011

Sociopolitical Affairs Coordinator, University of Montréal Philosophy Students Association (ADEPUM).

2008-2010

Elected member of the University of Montreal Faculty of Arts and Sciences Council (CONFAS).

2009-2012

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

Native: Portuguese and French

Fluent: English and Spanish