

Last updated: September 2024

KERONG GAO

email: keronggao@ucsb.edu

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Ancient Philosophy, Moral Psychology, Kant, Philosophy of Mind & Action

EDUCATION:

09, 2021 - Now University of California, Santa Barbara
PhD Philosophy
08, 2018 - 08, 2021 Georgia State University
MA Philosophy
09, 2015 - 06, 2018 Shandong University
MA Philosophy
09, 2011 - 06, 2015 Shandong University
BA Archive Science

EMPLOYMENT & SERVICE:

Teaching Assistant

- University of California Santa Barbara
 - Intro to Philosophy, Fall 2024
 - Intro to Ethics, Summer Session B 2022, Fall 2022
 - Critical Thinking, Winter 2023, Spring 2023
 - Ethics, Summer Session B 2023, Spring 2024, Summer Session A 2024
 - History of Philosophy: Ancient, Fall 2023
 - Bioethics, Winter 2024,
- Georgia State University,
 - Intro to Philosophy, Fall 2018
 - Critical Thinking, Fall 2019

Instructor

- Georgia State University
 - Critical Thinking, Spring 2020, Fall 2020

Supplemental Instruction Leader, Georgia State University

Critical Thinking, Spring 2021

Into to Ethics, Summer 2020

Ethics Bowl Judge, Georgia State University, Fall 2018

RESEARCH LANGUAGES

English • Ancient Greek • Latin • Ancient Chinese • Mandarin

CONFERENCE PRESENTATION:

“The Role of Spirit in the Emergence of The Timocratic Young Man”

- Forthcoming, 2025 APA Pacific Division, April, San Francisco, California

“On Reason’s Influence on the Non-Rational Part of the soul in Aristotle”

- 2024 APA Central Division, February 21, New Orleans, Louisiana

“Epistemic Luck in the *Meno*”

- USC/Shandong Conference, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, November 18-19, 2022
- Georgia Philosophical Society 2022 Annual Meeting, University of Georgia, Athens, GA, June 4, 2022

“A Weak Knowledge Condition of Responsibility in Tracing”

- 6th Beijing Analytic Philosophy Conference, Renmin University of China, Beijing, China, June 2019

CONFERENCE SERVICES:

Commentator

Comments on “A Contribution to the Intensive Reading of ‘*To Pantelos On*’ at *Sophist* 248e7-8” by Colin Smith

- 2023 APA Pacific Division, April 5, San Francisco, CA

AWARDS:

2024 The Charlotte Stough Memorial Essay Prize in Philosophy, The Department of Philosophy, University of California, Santa Barbara

2024 Fingarette Conference Travel Fund, The Department of Philosophy, University of California, Santa Barbara

2023 Fingarette Conference Travel Fund, The Department of Philosophy, University of California, Santa Barbara

2023 APA Meeting Assistance Fund for the 2023 Pacific Division Meeting

2023 Graduate Student Association’s Conference Travel Grant, University of California, Santa Barbara

2022 Graduate Student Association’s Conference Travel Grant, University of California, Santa Barbara

2017 Kwang-Hua Scholarship, Shandong University

2016 & 2017 Outstanding Graduate Student Scholarship, Shandong University

2015 Outstanding New Graduate Student Scholarship, Shandong University

2014 National Endeavor Scholarship, Shandong University

Professional Workshops:

June 2024 “Designing a Writing-Based Course: An Online Workshop” organized by the art of writing program in UC Berkeley

Professional Societies:

American Philosophical Association

Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy