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## Employment

2022- ARC Future Fellow. School of Philosophy, RSSH, ANU  
2020- Professor. School of Philosophy, RSSH, ANU  
18-21 Project Leader. Humanising Machine Intelligence Grand Challenge, ANU  
17-19 Head of School. School of Philosophy, RSSH, ANU  
17-19 Associate Professor. School of Philosophy, RSSH, ANU  
2015- Senior Research Fellow. School of Philosophy, RSSH, ANU  
11-14 Continuing Research Fellow. School of Philosophy, RSSH, ANU  
09-11 Research Associate, Institute for Ethics, Law, and Armed Conflict (ELAC), University of Oxford  
07-09 Retained Lecturer in Political Theory, Pembroke College, Oxford

## Education

06-09 D.Phil. Politics (Political Theory), Department of Politics, Oxford  
'War and Associative Duties'. Supervisor Henry Shue, examined by Jeff McMahan and David Rodin  
04-06 M.Phil. Politics (Political Theory), Department of Politics, Oxford  
Distinction. 'A Critical Analysis of Corrective Justice', supervised by David Miller  
99-02 BA (Hons) English Language and Literature, Wadham College, Oxford  
First class honours.

## Prizes, Fellowships, Honours

2022 Tanner Lecture on AI and Human Values, Human-Centred AI Institute, Stanford University  
2022 Mala and Solomon Kamm Lecture in Ethics, Safra Centre for Ethics, Harvard University  
2022 ARC Future Fellow. School of Philosophy, RSSH, ANU  
2021 Member of 15-person US National Academies of Science, Engineering and Medicine Study Committee on 'Ethics and Governance of Responsible Computing Research', led by Professor Barbara Grosz (Harvard)  
2019 Vice-Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Research, ANU  
2016 Academy of Social Sciences of Australia Early Career Researcher Commendation (Panel D: History and Philosophy)  
13-15 ARC Discovery Early Career Research Award Fellow. School of Philosophy, RSSH, ANU  
2012 Carnegie Ethics Council Global Ethics Fellowship  
2011 Visiting fellow at programme on Sovereignty, Global Justice, and the Ethics of War, Institute of Advanced Studies (IAS), Hebrew University of Jerusalem  
2011 American Philosophical Association Frank Chapman Sharp memorial prize for the best unpublished monograph on the philosophy of war and peace  
Biennial prize (USD1500). Awarded for monograph derived from unpublished chapters of thesis  
2009 *Res Publica* Postgraduate Essay Prize for 2008  
Prize (GBP100) awarded for my paper 'The Nature and Disvalue of Injury'  
2008 Society for Applied Philosophy Annual Conference Postgraduate Essay Prize  
Prize awarded for paper 'Risk and Responsibility', judged best postgraduate essay  
2007 Social Science Division Teaching Excellence Award (Category A)  
GBP1500 Higher Education Funding Council for England Award, for outstanding teaching.  
02-03 Harvard University, Frank Knox Fellowship  
Scholarship totalling approx. \$50,000 for year of study at Harvard  
00-02 Wadham College, Schools Prize and Junior Scholarship

Prize for Wadham's highest ever mark in English final essay (84%). Scholarship for 1<sup>st</sup> in prelims.

## Research Publications

### Monographs

2016 *Sparing Civilians*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Review excerpts:

"Seth Lazar has emerged as one of the most potent voices in contemporary ethics of war. In this short, indispensable, book he provides a compelling defence of the principle of Moral Distinction... There are many illuminating discussions of central issues in Just War Theory, all delivered in Lazar's lucid and compact prose which is a joy to read... this is a hugely important book that will shape the debate on civilian immunity for years to come." David Rodin, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*.

"This book will make a difference in the future of just war theory. It is an important challenge to the basic assumptions of the leading contemporary just war theorists, and it is an indictment against their starting points. It is well written and its readability is enhanced by its avoidance of the technical language of most contemporary discussions of just war theory. The author can avoid technical and specialist language because his challenge is at a primitive level, factually and maybe logically prior to the level of most contemporary work in the field. Moreover, this book is innovative concerning how to do applied ethics more generally. Everyone in ethics will be interested in the author's discussions of opportunistic vs. eliminative killing in Chapter 3 and the thought experiments in his discussion of risk in Chapter 4." Peter Tramel, *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*.

"Seth Lazar's *Sparing Civilians* is the first book-length philosophical defense of the principle [of Noncombatant Immunity], and thus is a timely contribution to the debate on just war. Timeliness, however, is not the only quality of the book. The volume provides an innovative defense of one of the central tenets of just war, offering a set of compelling arguments that draw on some of the most sophisticated tools of contemporary moral and political philosophy. The picture that emerges is a powerful one. Moreover, the book is a pleasure to read. Lazar displays a remarkable capacity to formulate some of the most complex issues in contemporary just war theory in a clear and accessible way.... The central ideas of Lazar's book are powerful and important. I expect them to have a significant impact on how the philosophical debate on just war will develop in the coming years. As they should." Massimo Renzo, *Ethics*.

"Throughout, Lazar's arguments are novel, ingenious, and frequently convincing (not to mention numerous). In fact... Lazar somewhat undersells the book's contribution. Though billed as a focussed defence of civilian immunity, the book provides some of the key materials for a markedly different way of approaching the justification of war (and the use of force more generally)... *Sparing Civilians* is a superb book which deserves to be taken very seriously." Jonathan Parry, *Philosophical Review*.

### Edited Volumes and Symposia

- 2022 Normative Theory and AI. *Philosophical Studies* (guest editor with Claire Benn, Todd Karhu, and Pamela Robinson)
- 2021 Proceedings of the 2021 AAAI/ACM Artificial Intelligence, Ethics, and Society Conference (Co-Editor, with Marion Fourcade, Ben Kuipers, Deirdre Mulligan)
- 2021 The Political Philosophy of Data and AI. *Canadian Journal of Philosophy* (guest editor with Kate Vredenburg and Annette Zimmermann)
- 2020 Topical Collection on Norms for Risk. *Synthese* (guest editor, with Alan Hájek and lead editor Renee Bolinger)
- 2018 *The Oxford Handbook of Ethics of War*. Oxford: Oxford University Press (Co-Editor, with Helen Frowe).
- 2017 Symposium on Ethics and Decision Theory. *Ethics* (guest editor), 127/3
- 2014 *The Morality of Defensive War*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. (Co-Editor, with Cécile Fabre)
- 2011 Symposium on Jeff McMahan's *Killing in War*. *Ethics* (guest editor), 122/1

## Peer-Reviewed Articles

- 2021 'What's Wrong with Automated Influence', with Claire Benn, *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*  
'Deontological Decision Theory and Lesser-evil Options', with Peter A. Graham, *Synthese*, 198, 6889-6916
- 2020 'Duty and Doubt', *Journal of Practical Ethics*, 8/1, 28-55  
'Should I Use that Rating Factor? A Philosophical Approach to an Old Problem' with Chris Dolman (lead author), Tiberio Caetano, and Dimitri Semenovich, *2020 All Actuaries Summit*
- 2019 'Deontological Decision Theory and the Grounds of Subjective Permissibility', *Oxford Studies in Normative Ethics*, 9  
'Self-Ownership and Agent-Centred Options', *Social Philosophy and Policy*, 36/2, 36-50  
'Accommodating Options', *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly*, 100/1, 233-255  
'Moral Status and Agent-Centred Options', *Utilitas*, 31/1, 83-105  
'Axiological Absolutism and Risk' (with Chad Lee-Stronach), *Noûs*, 53/1, 97-113
- 2018 'Limited Aggregation and Risk', *Philosophy & Public Affairs*, 46/2, 117-159  
'Moral Sunk Costs', *Philosophical Quarterly*, 68/273, 841-861  
'Strengthening Moral Distinction' (response to symposium on *Sparing Civilians*), *Law and Philosophy*, 37/3, 327-349  
'In Dubious Battle: Uncertainty and the Ethics of Killing', *Philosophical Studies*, 175/4, 859-883
- 2017 'Risky Killing: How Risks Worsen Violations of Objective Rights', *Journal of Moral Philosophy*, 16/1, 1-26  
'Deontological Decision Theory and Agent-Centred Options', *Ethics*, 127/3, 579-609  
'Response: Limiting Defensive Rights', *Journal of Applied Philosophy*, 34/1, 19-23  
'Proxy Battles in Just War Theory: Jus in Bello, the Site of Justice, and Feasibility Constraints' (with Laura Valentini), *Oxford Studies in Political Philosophy*, volume 3  
'Evaluating the Revisionist Critique of Just War Theory', *Daedalus*, 146/1, 113-124  
'Just War Theory: Revisionists Vs Traditionalists', *Annual Review of Political Science*, 20, 37-54  
'Anton's Game: Deontological Decision Theory for an Iterated Decision Problem', *Utilitas*, 29/1, 88-109
- 2016 'Complicity, Collectives, and Killing in War', *Law and Philosophy*, 35/4, 365-389  
'The Justification of Associative Duties', *Journal of Moral Philosophy*, 13/1, 28-55  
'Authorization and the Morality of War', *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, 94/2, 211-226
- 2015 'Risky Killing and the Ethics of War', *Ethics*, 126/1, 91-117  
'Authority, Oaths, Contracts, and Uncertainty in War', *Thought*, 4/1, 52-58
- 2014 'Necessity and Noncombatant Immunity', *Review of International Studies*, 40/1, 53-76
- 2013 'Associative Duties and the Ethics of Killing in War', *Journal of Practical Ethics*, 1/1, 3-48
- 2012 'Necessity in Self-Defense and War', *Philosophy & Public Affairs*, 40/1, 3-44
- 2010 'A Liberal Defence of (Some) Duties to Compatriots', *Journal of Applied Philosophy*, 27/3, 246-257  
'The Responsibility Dilemma for *Killing in War*: A Review Essay', *Philosophy & Public Affairs*, 38/2, 180-213
- 2009 'Responsibility, Risk, and Killing in Self-Defense', *Ethics*, 119/4, 699-728  
'Debate: Do Associative Duties Really Not Matter?', *Journal of Political Philosophy*, 17/1, 90-101  
'The Nature and Disvalue of Injury', *Res Publica*, 15/3, 289-304
- 2008 'Corrective Justice and the Possibility of Rectification', *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice*, 11/4, 355-68

## Chapters in Peer-Reviewed Edited Volumes

- 2022 'Power and AI', *The Oxford Handbook of AI Governance*, Johannes Himmelreich et al. (eds.), New York: Oxford University Press.
- 2018 'The Ethics of War', (with Helen Frowe) *The Oxford Handbook of Ethics of War*, Seth Lazar and Helen Frowe (eds.), New York: Oxford University Press. 8,700 words.  
'Method in the Morality of War', *The Oxford Handbook of Ethics of War*, Seth Lazar and Helen Frowe (eds.), New York: Oxford University Press. 11,300 words.

- 2016 'War', *Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, Zalta (ed.), Spring 2016 edition: <http://plato.stanford.edu/entries/war/>. 18,400 words.
- 'War's Endings and the Structure of Just War Theory', *The Ethics of War*, Sam Rickless and Saba Bazargan (eds.), New York: Oxford University Press. 7,500 words.
- 'Travel, Friends, and Killing', in *Philosophers Take on the World*, Edmonds (ed.), Oxford: Oxford University Press, 25-27. 1,000 words.
- 'The Associativist Account of the Ethics of War', *Global Political Theory*, David Held and Pietro Maffettone (eds.), Cambridge: Polity, 158-179. 11,400 words.
- 'Liability and the Ethics of War: A Reply to Strawser and McMahan', *The Ethics of Self-Defence*, Coons and Weber (ed.), New York: Oxford University Press, 292-304. 5,000 words.
- 2014 'National Defence, Self-Defence, and the Problem of Political Aggression', in *The Morality of Defensive War*, Lazar and Fabre (eds.), Oxford: Oxford University Press, 9-37. 16,000 words.
- 2013 'War', *International Encyclopaedia of Ethics*, LaFollette (ed.), Wiley-Blackwell. 8000 words.
- 'Just War Theory', *Oxford Companion to Comparative Politics*, Joel Krieger (ed.), Oxford University Press. 3,500 words.
- 2012 'Scepticism about *Jus Post Bellum*', *Morality, Jus Post Bellum, and International Law* Larry May, Andrew Forcehimes (eds.), Cambridge: CUP, 204-22. 8,515 words.
- 'The Morality and Law of War', *Routledge Companion to Philosophy of Law*, Andrei Marmor (ed.), London: Routledge, 364-79. 9,500 words.

## Grants

### External Grants

- 2021 ARC Future Fellowship (FT21) Award — AUD1,020,698  
'Automatic Authorities: Charting a Course for Legitimate AI'. Sole CI. Start of project expected mid-2022. This project aims to develop novel theories of power and its justification, and apply them to the use of AI by state and non-state actors to exercise power.
- 2019 Templeton World Charity Foundation 'Diverse Intelligences' Grant — USD234,000  
'Moral Skill and Artificial Intelligence'. Project Director. With Co-Director Claire Benn, and CIs Jenny Davis, Toni Erskine, Colin Klein. This project will ask whether outsourcing morally weighted decisions to automated systems can lead to 'moral deskilling', and whether there are ways to design automated systems so that they make us better, not worse, at exercising moral judgment.
- 2016 ARC Discovery Project Award (DP17) — AUD335,000  
'Ethics and Risk'. Lead CI. Other CIs and PIs: Lara Buchak (Berkeley); Katie Steele (ANU); Alan Hájek (ANU); Frank Jackson (ANU); Philip Pettit (ANU).
- 2013 ARC Discovery Early Career Research Award (DE13) — AUD366,000  
'Justifying War'. Sole CI.
- 05-08 Arts and Humanities Research Council, Doctoral Fellowship — GBP60,000

### Internal Grants

- 2019 ANU Grand Challenge Program (AUD5.5m)  
'Humanising Machine Intelligence'. Project Leader. Other team members: Damian Clifford, Jenny Davis, Toni Erskine, Colin Klein, Hanna Kurniawati, Sarah Logan, Katie Steele, Sylvie Thiébaux, Lexing Xie. Multidisciplinary project on the morality, law and politics of data and AI. For information see [hmi.anu.edu.au](http://hmi.anu.edu.au)
- 2018 RSSS Cross-College Collaboration Grant (AUD30,000). Lead CI
- 2016 CASS Workshop Grant (AUD3,000)
- 2014 CASS Research Committee Conference Support (AUD12,000). Lead CI
- 2013 CASS Short Term Visitor Grants (AUD5,000 and AUD2,500); RSSS Strategic Conference Support (AUD15,000); CASS Internal Grants Conference Support (AUD6,000)
- 2012 RSSS Conference Travel Award (AUD2,500); CASS Pilot Hub Award (AUD5,000)

- 06-10 John Fell OUP Research Fund Award, Department of Politics, Society for Applied Philosophy, Mind Association Major Conference Grant, (GBP8,000), Oxford University Vice-Chancellors' Fund Award (GBP1,650), Department of Politics, Cyril Foster, Winchester and Norman Chester Funds (GBP950), St Peter's College (GBP1,100)
- 04-06 St Peter's College and Department of Politics, Graduate Studentship (c. GBP20,000)

## Research Events Convened

### Conferences

- 2022 ACM Fairness, Accountability and Transparency Conference  
General co-chair (one of three) for the top CS and interdisciplinary conference for AI ethics. Budget expected to be around USD600,000.
- 2021 AAAI/ACM AI, Ethics and Society Conference  
Program co-chair (one of four) for one of the two top CS and interdisciplinary conferences for AI ethics. Also convened 'Platform Power and AI' panel discussion.
- 2020 Ethics of Data Science Conference, University of Sydney  
Member of four-person organising committee for regional interdisciplinary conference on the morality, law and politics of data and AI. Postponed to 2021.

### Workshops

- 2019 'Ethics and AI'; 'Decision Theory and AI'; FM Kamm Masterclass; Stanford HAI Philosophy, AI, and Society panel and workshop
- 2018 'Ethics and Risk'; 'Foundations of Normative Ethics'
- 2017 'On the work of Marc Fleurbaey'; 'Awesome Workshop in Normative Ethics'
- 2016 'Awesome Workshop in Normative Ethics and Political Philosophy'; PPE Masterclass; Dale Dorsey Masterclass; Jake Ross Masterclass; Wlodek Rabinowicz Masterclass
- 2015 'Ethics and Decision Theory'
- 2014 'Feasibility and the Ethics of War', (with Nic Southwood); AAP Stream on Ethics of Force; Christian List Masterclass
- 2013 Honours/Masters Workshop; Legitimacy and Authority; Niko Kolodny Masterclass; Enoch/Jackson/Smith Masterclass; Tom Dougherty Masterclass
- 2011 'War and Global Justice', IAS, Hebrew University of Jerusalem
- 2010 'Why We Fight: The Purposes of Military Force in the Twenty-First Century', second meeting of the ELAC Workshop, Oxford; 'Eliminative and Manipulative Agency in the Ethics of Self-Defence', ELAC, Oxford
- 2009 'Killing in War workshop', first meeting of the ELAC Workshop, Oxford

### Public Lectures Organised

- 2019 Jack Smart lecture by FM Kamm; HMI Lectures by Walter Sinnott-Armstrong, Shannon Vallor, David Danks, Kate Crawford
- 2018 Jack Smart lecture by Michael Smith; Philosophy and Public Policy Lecture by Huw Price
- 2017 Jack Smart lecture by Peter Godfrey-Smith; Launch of Centre for Philosophy of the Sciences, public lecture by Peter Godfrey-Smith; Passmore Lecture by Marc Fleurbaey; Philosophy and Public Policy Lecture by Peter Singer
- 2016 Philosophy and Public Policy Lecture by Leif Wenar; Passmore Lecture by Liz Anderson
- 2014 Passmore Lecture by Jeff McMahan

## Invited Presentations

### Named Lectures

Mala and Solomon Kamm Lecture in Ethics at the Safra Centre for Ethics, **Harvard University**, 2022.

Tanner Lecture on AI and Human Values at the Human-Centered AI Institute, **Stanford University**, 2022.

## Keynotes

Japan Association for Philosophy of Science Annual Meeting, **Tokyo Institute of Technology**, 2021; Keynote lecture at Ethics of Data Science Conference, **University of Sydney**, 2019; Keynote Lecture at Ethics of War in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, **University of Stockholm** (2014).

## Departmental Seminars and other Invited Talks

Invited talk, **Safrá Centre for Ethics** (2020); Guest Lecture, **Diverse Intelligences Summer Institute** (2020); Brown Bag Lecture Series, **World Bank**, Washington DC (2020, Cancelled due to COVID); Guest talk, **NITRD Agency** (2019); Special Lecture, **Carnegie Mellon University** (2019), AI/ML and friends seminar series, **ANU** (2018); Moral Philosophy Seminar, **University of Oxford** (2017, 2013); Moral Sciences Club, **University of Cambridge** (2017); **National University of Singapore** (2017); **University of York** (2017); **University of Melbourne** (2016, 2011); **MIT** (2015, 2019); **UNC-Chapel Hill PPE Group** (2015); **Yale Moral Philosophy Working Group** (2015, 2013); Kadish Center for Morality, Law and Public Affairs, **UC Berkeley** (2015); **Monash University** (2015); **Arizona State University** (2015); **University of Southern California** (2015, 2013); **UNC-Greensboro** (2015); Nathanson Centre for Human Rights, **York University**, Toronto (2014); CSMN Research Seminar, **University of Oslo** (2014); **University of Toronto** (2014, 2011); Program in Ethics and Public Affairs Seminar, **Princeton** (2014); Roskilde University, Copenhagen (2014); **University of St Andrews** (2013); **Victoria University, Wellington** (2013); Uehiro Centre for Practical Ethics, **University of Oxford** (2013); **University of Stirling** (2013); **University of Auckland** (2013); **University of Otago** (2013); **University of Manchester** (2013); **University of Glasgow** (2013); **University of Christchurch** (2013); **Macquarie University** (2013); **University of Adelaide** (2013); **Stanford University** (2013, 2011); **University of Essex** (2013); **University of Warwick** (2013, 2010); **Rutgers University** (2013); **University of Leeds** (2013); **University of Colorado at Boulder Political Science Department** (2013); Political Science, **LSE** (2013); Political Theory Seminar, **University of Cambridge** (2013); Political Theory Seminar, **Cambridge** (2013); **Dartmouth Department of Government** (2011); **Washington University St Louis** (2011); **University of Chicago** (2011); **University of Toronto** (2011); Nuffield Political Theory Workshop, **University of Oxford** (2011).

## Conferences/Workshops

**ACM FAccT** Tutorial, 2021; Modelling Morality Workshop, **Carnegie Mellon University** (2020); Ethics and Uncertainty Conference, Center for Moral and Political Philosophy, **Hebrew University of Jerusalem** (2018); Ethics and Risk Workshop, **ANU** (2018); **Social Philosophy and Policy** workshop, London (2018); **Oxford Studies in Normative Ethics** Workshop, Tucson (2018); New Work in Political Philosophy workshop, **Hebrew University of Jerusalem IAS** (2016); Workshop on Ethics and Risk, **University of Stockholm** (2016); ICREA Public Health Workshop, **Barcelona Pompeu-Fabra** (2016); US Military Academy, **West Point** (2015); American Academy Conference, New Dilemmas in Ethics, Technology and War I, **Stanford University** (2015); American Academy Conference, New Dilemmas in Ethics, Technology and War II, USMA, **West Point** (2015); Oxford Studies in Political Philosophy Workshop, **Syracuse** (2015); Feasibility and the Ethics of War Workshop, **ANU** (2014); CRNAP Oxford-ANU-Princeton Workshop, **ANU** (2014); Ethics and War Conference, **UCSD** (2013); Workshop at **Stockholm Centre for the Ethics of War and Peace** (2014); Self-defence workshop, Centre for Human Values, **Princeton** (2013); 'Ethics and Law in War', ELAC workshop, **University of Oxford** (2011); 'Why We Fight: The Purposes of Military Force', ELAC workshop, **University of Oxford** (2010); Workshop on Ethics, Jus Post Bellum, and International Law, CAPPE, **ANU** (2010); 'Asymmetric Wars, International Relations, and Just War Theory', **Belgrade University** (2010); Oxford and Princeton Global Norms/Global Justice Research Collaboration, **University of Oxford** (2009).

## Research Impact

- 2021 Member of 15-person US National Academies of Science, Engineering and Medicine Study Committee on 'Ethics and Governance of Responsible Computing Research', led by Professor Barbara Grosz (Harvard)
- 2020 Public Submission (with other members of HMI and Australian Academy of Science) to Human Rights Commission in response to Human Rights and Technology Report
- 2020 Participated in Gradient Institute-led workshop on the ethics of insurance pricing with IAG

- 2019 Public Submission (with Bob Williamson and the Australian Academy of Science) to the DIIS consultation on Australia's Ethical Framework for AI.
- 2019 Invited Speaker at Plan Jericho/Trusted Autonomous Systems/Defence Science and Technology workshop on Ethical AI for Defence
- 2019 Invited Participant at Defense Innovation Board Roundtable on AI policy principles for the US Department of Defense, subsequently provided comments on draft principles
- 2019 Invited written submission for Defense Innovation Board consultation on AI policy principles
- 2019 Invited Participant, Defence Science and Technology Megatrends Workshop
- 2019 Expert Working Group member, Academy of Social Sciences of Australia report to Office of National Intelligence on US National Academies Decadal Survey
- 2019 Public Submission (with Bob Williamson and the Australian Academy of Science) to the Data61/DIIS consultation on Australia's Ethical Framework for AI
- 2018 Invited Public Submission to Defense Innovation Board consultation on AI policy principles for the US Department of Defense
- 2015 Invited participant in MacArthur Foundation and American Academy of Arts and Sciences project on New Technologies and the Ethics of War
- 2010 Contributed to Advisory Consultation, US Army Professional Military Ethics code

## Research Engagement

- 2020 'Large-Scale Facial Recognition is Incompatible with a Free Society', with Claire Benn and Mario Günther, *The Conversation*, available at <https://theconversation.com/large-scale-facial-recognition-is-incompatible-with-a-free-society-126282>
- 2020 'Contact tracing apps are vital tools in the fight against coronavirus. But who decides how they work?', with Meru Sheel, *The Conversation*, available at <https://theconversation.com/contact-tracing-apps-are-vital-tools-in-the-fight-against-coronavirus-but-who-decides-how-they-work-138206>
- 2020 'We're Sleepwalking into a World of Mass Surveillance', *Barron's*, available at <https://www.barrons.com/articles/your-consent-to-contact-tracing-apps-is-meaningless-51588250580>
- 2019 AI and moral intuition: use it or lose it? ABC Philosopher's Zone interview
- 2019 Interviewed on Episodes 2 and 4 of Series 3 of HiPhi Nation, approx. 100,000 downloads
- 2018 'Why we need more than just data to create ethical driverless cars' (with Colin Klein), *The Conversation*, <http://theconversation.com/why-we-need-more-than-just-data-to-create-ethical-driverless-cars-105650>
- 2016 'Should Civilians be Spared?' *Examining Ethics*, podcast available at <http://examiningethics.org/2016/09/12-seth-lazar-sparing-civilians/>.
- 2014 On Human Shields, *Boston Review*, <http://www.bostonreview.net/world/seth-lazar-human-shields>
- 2014 'Sparing Civilians in War' *Philosophy Bites*, interview by Nigel Warburton and David Edmonds. Released 19/7/2014.
- 2013 The Moral Responsibility of Volunteer Soldiers: Response to McMahan, *Boston Review*, <http://www.bostonreview.net/forum/moral-wounds/seth-lazar-moral-wounds-lazar>
- 2012 'Seth Lazar on Self-Defense in War' *Public Ethics Radio*, Christian Barry (ed.), Carnegie Council for Ethics in International Affairs

## HDR Supervision

- 2011- PhD Panel Chair, School of Philosophy, ANU  
Chair of panel for Emily Leijer and Jake Stone (started 2021), Oliver Rawle (started 2018), Max Fedoseev (started 2016), Josef Holden (started 2015), Chad Lee-Stronach (PhD awarded 2019), Adam Gastineau (MPhil awarded 2016). Fedoseev and Lee-Stronach both won VC Teaching Awards for tutoring. Lee-Stronach is now TT at Northeastern after a Stanford Postdoc.
- 2011- PhD Panel Member, School of Philosophy, ANU  
Member of panel for Shalom Chalson, Jenny Munt, Michael Yang, Kirsten Mann, Devon Cass (PhD 2020), Heather Browning (PhD 2020), Ten Herng Lai (PhD 2020), Adam Bugeja (PhD 2018), Rob Kirby (PhD 2017), Lachlan Umbers (PhD 2017), Matt Hammerton (PhD 2016), Chris Gyngell (PhD 2015), Jonathan Pickering (PhD 2014), Jo Lau (PhD 2013), Stephanie Collins (PhD 2012).

- 2011- PhD Panel Member, Other  
Member of dissertation committee for Adam Betz (University of Illinois, Chicago, PhD 2016)\*, and Steve Woodside (Rutgers, PhD 2016)\*.

## Coursework Teaching

- 2015- Honours Supervision  
Matthew Wiseman, Kida Lin (2019 H1), Eleanor Kay (2018 H1), Oliver Rawle (2017 H1), Kramer Thompson (2017 H1), Julian Christopher Scott (2015 H1).
- 2019 Foundations Seminar (PHIL8011) on 'The Philosophy of AI'. 16 students.
- 2019 Co-Convenor of PHIL3073 'The Moral and Political Philosophy of AI'. 70 students.
- 2019 Co-Convenor of ANU/Humboldt/Princeton Summer Institute on Normativity. 23 students.
- 2017 Foundations Seminar (PHIL8011) on 'Moral Decision Theory'. ≈16 students.
- 15-16 Convenor of Philosophy Honours.
- 13-15 Convenor of PHIL8011 Foundations Seminar.
- 2013 Foundations Seminar (PHIL8011) on 'Liberty', with Philip Pettit. ≈16 students
- 11-14 Convened Graduate Work-in-Progress group in MSPT.
- 2014 Introduced and organised new Project Design Review for first year MSPT students
- 07-09 Pembroke College, Oxford  
Designed syllabus and taught tutorials, for courses on Kant's Ethics, War and Global Justice, Marx and Marxism, and Theory of Politics and Ethics. Also taught revision seminars (larger classes). One of my students went on to become an academic philosopher, now at Cardiff.
- 06-09 Regent's Park, St. Hugh's, St. Peter's, St. Hilda's, Wycliffe Hall, Oxford  
Designed syllabus and taught tutorials for War and Global Justice, Theory of Politics, Ethics
- 06-09 Oxford Overseas Study Course, Taylor University Programme, Oxford

## Service (University)

- 18-21 Project Leader, Humanising Machine Intelligence Grand Challenge
- 19-20 CASS representative on Academic Board
- 17-19 Head of School, Philosophy
- 17-19 Member of RSSS Executive Committee
- 2019 Chair, Selection Committees  
Hired Sarita Rosenstock, Pamela Robinson, Mario Günther, Operations Manager for HMI.
- 2019 Member, Selection Committee  
Hired Elizabeth Jackson, Michael Nielsen, Claire Benn, Atoosa Kasirzadeh, Alban Grastien.
- 15-19 RSSS Building Consultation, Project Control Group  
Active contributor to RSSS building design consultation and subsequent oversight. In 2017 called attention to reduction in office numbers following floor-plate reduction, resulting in plans being redrawn to preserve office space.
- 13-17 Philosophy Representative on RSSS VF Committee
- 16-17 Devised, coordinated, co-wrote proposal and organised launch for Centre for Philosophy of the Sciences
- 2017 Chair, Selection Committee  
Hired Renée Bolinger.
- 2017 Member, Selection Committee  
Hired Colin Klein (whom I had invited to apply).
- 2016 Chair, Selection Committee  
Hired Rachael Brown.
- 2015 Member, Selection Committee  
Hired Katie Steele (whom I had invited to apply), Ron Planer, Matt Spike.
- 2015 One of three organisers of university-wide survey of ECAs for NECTAR
- 14-16 Deputy Head of School (Research)



- 14-15 Alternate Panel Chair for FoR 22 ERA submission
- 13-15 Early Career Representative on University Research Committee
- 13-16 Convenor of MSPT Monday Seminar
- 13-14 Member, Selection Committee  
Hired Bronwyn Finnigan and Koji Tanaka.
- 2013 Acting Director of CMSPT
- 2013 Organised Honours/Masters Workshop for Prospective Students
- 11-13 Philosophy Representative on CASS Research Committee

## Service (Profession)

- 19-23 Presidential Nominee on MIT Corporation Visiting Committee for the Department of Linguistics and Philosophy
- 2019 Expert Working Group, Academy of Social Sciences of Australia, report to Office of National Intelligence on *Social Science Research & Intelligence in Australia*
- 2018- Editor, *Philosophers' Imprint*
- 2016- Editorial Board, *Oxford Studies in Political Philosophy*
- 2015- Area Editor (political philosophy), *Ergo*
- 2012- Associate Editor, *Journal of Political Philosophy*
- 13-14 Social and Political Philosophy editor for PhilPapers
- 2010 Oxford University Press, Oxford Bibliographies Online  
Contributed 'War' Entry to online bibliography
- 2008- Referee: Ethics, Law and Philosophy, Social Theory and Practice, British Journal of Political Science, Political Studies, International Theory, Journal of Moral Philosophy, Philosophy and Psychology, Philosophical Studies, Review of International Studies, Politics, Philosophy and Economics, Journal of Applied Philosophy, Res Publica, Canadian Journal of Philosophy, Ratio, European Journal of Political Theory, Philosophical Quarterly, Philosophical Review,
- 2008- Refereeing and commentary: Oxford University Press, Routledge, Chicago University Press  
Referee for new book proposals. Reader for McMahan's *Killing in War* manuscript.

## Photography

- 2006- Professional Photography  
Published, exhibited, and prize-winning photos. See [www.sethlazar.org](http://www.sethlazar.org), [www.nightsky.photos](http://www.nightsky.photos)