

# Steve Coyne

## **A. BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION**

### **1. PERSONAL**

Steve Coyne  
293 Winona Dr.  
Toronto, ON M6C 3S8

### **2. DEGREES**

PhD (Philosophy), 2021, University of Toronto  
“Liberal Theories of Political Authority (supervisor: David  
Dyzenhaus)

MA (Philosophy), 2011, University of British Columbia

BA Honours (Philosophy), 2009, University of Calgary

BSc (Applied Mathematics), 2009, University of Calgary

### **3. EMPLOYMENT**

2022-present:

Philosophy and Computer Science, University of Toronto (St. George)  
Assistant Professor, CLTA (Teaching-Stream, full-time)

2021-2022

Philosophy, University of Toronto (Mississauga)  
Assistant Professor, Teaching Stream (Part Time)

### **4. HONOURS**

[n/a]

### **5. PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES**

[n/a]

## **B. ACADEMIC HISTORY**

### **6. A. RESEARCH ENDEAVOURS**

Ongoing projects in moral and political philosophy on civil disobedience, authority and reason-giving, autonomy and artificial intelligence

### **B. RESEARCH AWARDS** (grants, contracts, fellowships) during preceding 5 years including:

[n/a]

### **C. PATENTS** awarded during past 5 years.

[n/a]

C. **SCHOLARLY AND PROFESSIONAL WORK\***

Note: the number of pages must be indicated for all publications listed

7. Refereed publications (list published work or work accepted for publication in chronological order)

“Coercion and Obligation as Exercises of Authority”, 2016, *Jurisprudence* 7(3): 575-92

9. Manuscripts/publications, etc. in preparation and submitted to publishers but not yet accepted.

REDACTED

10. Papers presented at meetings and symposia.

‘REDACTED, Canadian Philosophical Association, Edmonton AB, May 2021

‘Political Authority as Arbitrational Authority’, Western Canadian Philosophical Association, Calgary AB, October 2018

‘Authority and the Problem of Moral Reach’, Canadian Philosophical Association Annual Meeting, Toronto ON, May 2017

‘Coercion and Obligation as Exercises of Authority’. Philosophical Association Annual Meeting, Calgary AB, May 2016, World Congress of Philosophy of Law, Washington DC, July 2015

‘Managerial and Arbitrational Authority’, Canadian Philosophical Association Annual Meeting, Ottawa ON, May 2015, Western Canadian Philosophical Association Annual Meeting, Vancouver BC, October 2014

‘A Right-that-he-be-ruled Account of Authority’, University of Waterloo Graduate Conference, Waterloo ON, April 2014, Canadian Philosophical Association Annual Meeting, St. Catherines ON, May 2014

‘The Open Question Argument: An Argument for Non-Reductive Moral Naturalism?’, Western Canadian Philosophical Association Annual Meeting, Lethbridge AB, October 2011

‘Street’s Darwinian Dilemma for Naturalist Theories of Value’, Evolution of Morality and Morality of Evolution Conference, Oxford UK, July 2011

‘Do Referential Intentions Solve Moral Naturalism’s Twin Earth Problem?’, Society for Exact Philosophy Annual Meeting, Winnipeg MB, May 2011

11. Invited Lectures

[n/a]

D. **LIST OF COURSES** (in preceding 5 years)

12. Indicate in each case whether you had major responsibility for design of course. Provide course outline, reading list and set of essay topics as evidence of ability in designing courses.

- A. Undergraduate courses taught

Course	Sessions
Business Ethics (PHL295)	Winter 2023
Topics in Environmental Ethics (PHL373)	Fall 2022

Law and Morality (PHL271)	Fall 2022, Winter 2022, Summer 2020, Summer 2019, Summer 2018 x 2, Summer 2017
Issues in Philosophy of Law (PHL370)	Fall 2022, Fall 2021, Winter 2020 x 2, Summer 2017
Bioethics (PHL281)	Summer 2021, Summer 2019
Introduction to Ethics (PHLA11)	Fall 2020
Advanced Seminar in Political Philosophy (PHLD78)	Winter 2021
Environmental Ethics (PHL273)	Summer 2020
Topics in Normative Ethics (PHL374)	Fall 2021
Critical Reasoning (PHL239)	Winter 2022, Fall 2021

I developed an original syllabus for each of these courses. See my teaching portfolio for more information.

B. Graduate courses taught

[n/a]

C. Theses supervised. Indicate whether primary or secondary supervisor.

[n/a]

D. Other teaching and lectures given (in preceding 5 years)

Ethics Modules in Computer Science Classes for the Embedded Ethics Project at the University of Toronto (St. George) in CSC111, CSC207, CSC311, CSC373, CSC404, CSC420, JSC270

E. **ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS**

(indicate period of service and function)

13 A. Positions held and service on committees and organizations within the University.

[n/a]

B. Positions held and service on committees and organizations outside the University of scholarly and academic significance.

[n/a]

F. **OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION**

I defended my PhD thesis in October 2021.