

RESOURCES FOR GRAD STUDENTS & RECENT GRADUATES

(Job Search, Grants, PhD Applications, Research & Writing etc.)

Academic Position Search

Advice

- APA Guidance for Philosophy Job Seekers: apaonline.org/page/guidance_job_seekers and apaonline.org/page/placement_brochure
- Columbia University Center for Career Education, Tips & Resources: careereducation.columbia.edu/tips-resources
- Job mentoring program for women in philosophy: jobmentoringforwomen.wordpress.com
- Job market mentoring program: philosopherscocoon.typepad.com/blog/2018/06/mentoring-program-signups-open.html
- Purdue University Online Writing Lab (OWL), Academic cover letters: owl.purdue.edu/owl/job_search_writing/job_search_letters/academic_cover_letters/index.html
- The Philosophers' Cocoon Job Market Blog: philosopherscocoon.typepad.com/blog/job-market/
- The Professor is in (theprofessorisin.com)
- Vitae (vitae.ac.uk)

Open positions

- American Catholic Philosophical Association list: acpaweb.org/employment/
- Chronicle of Higher Education: chroniclevitae.com/job_search/new?cid=UCHETOPNAV
- Inside Higher Ed: careers.insidehighered.com/
- Higher Ed Jobs: <https://www.higheredjobs.com/>
- Higher Education Recruitment Consortium: <https://www.hercjobs.org/>
- Times Higher Ed: <https://www.timeshighereducation.com/unijobs/en-us/>
- Academic Keys: <https://www.academickeys.com/>
- PhilJobs: Jobs for Philosophers (philjobs.org/)
- Philos-L (liverpool.ac.uk/philosophy/philos-l/)
- Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy list: ssep.org/resources/jobs-of-interest/

Alt-Ac (Non-Academic) Jobs

- #Alt-Ac (mediacommons.org/alt-ac/)
- BC Career Center (bc.edu/bc-web/offices/student-affairs/sites/careers/sites/graduate-students.html)
- Beyond Academia: Professional Opportunities for Philosophers (apaonline.org/page/beyondacademia)
- Free Range Philosophers (freerangephilosophers.com/)
- Going Alt-Ac: How to Begin (insidehighered.com/blogs/gradhacker/going-alt-ac-how-begin)
- Chronicle of Higher Education: chroniclevitae.com/job_search/new?cid=UCHETOPNAV

- Inside Higher Ed: careers.insidehighered.com/
- Non-Academic Career Options for PhDs in the Humanities and Social Sciences (careereducation.columbia.edu/resources/non-academic-career-options-phds-humanities-and-social-sciences)
- PhDs at Work (phdsatwork.com/)
- Philosophers beyond Academia Network (apaonline.org/page/PhilBeyond)
- Phil Skills (philskills.com/)
- Purdue OWL, Job search writing: owl.purdue.edu/owl/job_search_writing/preparing_an_application/index.html
- The Versatile PhD (bc.edu/content/bc-web/schools/mcas/graduate/current-students/the-versatile-ph-d-0.html)
- indeed.com
- idealist.org

Applying to PhD Programs (for MA students)

Programs

- APA programs guide (gradguide.apaonline.org/)
- Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy guide: ssep.org/resources/program-rankings/
- Programs with continental philosophy: ssep.org/resources/graduate-programs/

Preparation

- Columbia University Center for Career Education, Tips & Resources (careereducation.columbia.edu/topics/graduate-school)
- Purdue OWL, Graduate Schools Application: owl.purdue.edu/owl/general_writing/graduate_school_applications/index.html
- How to Write a Personal Statement for a PhD Program Application (careereducation.columbia.edu/resources/how-write-personal-statement-phd-program-application)
- Purdue OWL, Personal statement: owl.purdue.edu/owl/job_search_writing/preparing_an_application/writing_the_personal_statement/index.html

Associations and Societies

- APA Listing: apaonline.org/general/recommended_links.asp?cc=32994

Conferences, Talks, Workshop, etc.

Events

- Bos-Phil (mailing list for greater Boston area): <boston-philosophy.lists.brandeis.edu>
- APA announcements: apaonline.org/events/event_list.asp?cid=7216
- SPEP announcements: ssep.org/resources/conferences-of-interest/

Calls for papers

- APA announcements: apaonline.org/page/calls
- PhilEvents: philevents.org/
- SPEP announcements: spep.org/resources/calls-for-papers/
- Check relevant societies web sites.

Fellowships & Grants

- BC Research Funding Help: bc.edu/content/bc-web/schools/mcas/graduate/current-students/research-funding.html and bcstudentresearch.wixsite.com/studentresearch
- Purdue OWL, Grant writing: owl.purdue.edu/owl/subject_specific_writing/professional_technical_writing/grant_writing/index.html
- Extensive list of US and International non-APA Prizes, Grants, and Fellowships: apaonline.org/page/grantsandfellowships
- Advice: American Association for the Advancement of Science: sciencemag.org/careers/where-search-funding#

USA

- American Association of University Women, American Fellowships (dissertation fellowships, postdocs, short-term publication grants): aauw.org/resources/programs/fellowships-grants/current-opportunities/american/ ; and International Fellowships: aauw.org/resources/programs/fellowships-grants/current-opportunities/international/
- American Council of Learned Societies – Fellowship and Grant Programs: acls.org/Competitions-and-Deadlines/Mellon-ACLS-Dissertation-Completion-Fellowships
- American Philosophical Society – Grants: amphilsoc.org/grants/research
- APA Grant Funds: apaonline.org/page/grants
- APA Prizes and Fellowships: apaonline.org/page/prizes
- Charlotte W. Newcombe Doctoral Dissertation Fellowships: woodrow.org/fellowships/newcombe/info/newcombe-fellowship-eligibility/
- Federal Grants: grants.gov/
- Ford Foundation Predoctoral Fellowships: sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/PGA_047958
- Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowships: sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/PGA_047959
- Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowships: sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/PGA_171940
- Fulbright US Scholar Program (postdocs): cies.org
- Fulbright US Student Program (MA and PhD): us.fulbrightonline.org/about/fulbright-us-student-program
- Harry Frank Guggenheim Foundation fellowships: hfg.org/index.html
- Human Studies Fellowships: theihs.org/funding/humane-studies-fellowship/
- The Huntington Library Fellowships: huntington.org/fellowships
- Jennings Randolph Peace Scholarship Dissertation Program: usip.org/grants-fellowships/fellowships/jennings-randolph-peace-scholar-dissertation-fellowship-program
- Josephine de Karman Fellowship Trust: dekarman.org/

- Lonergan Institute: bclonergan.org/
- Mellon/ACLS Dissertation Completion Fellowships: acls.org/Competitions-and-Deadlines/Mellon-ACLS-Dissertation-Completion-Fellowships
- Mellon International Dissertation Research Fellowship: ssrc.org/fellowships/view/idrf-fellowship/
- Mitchem Dissertation Fellowship Program: marquette.edu/provost/mitchem-dissertation-program.php
- National Academy of Education, Spencer Dissertation Fellowships: naeducation.org/naedspencer-dissertation-fellowship-program/
- National Academy of Education/Spencer Postdoctoral Fellowships in Education: naeducation.org/naedspencer-postdoctoral-fellowship-program/
- National Endowment for the Humanities Grants: neh.gov/grants
- National Endowment for the Humanities Internships: neh.gov/about/human-resources/neh-internship-program
- National Science Foundation: nsf.gov/funding/index.jsp
- Rhodes Scholarship: rhodesscholar.org/
- Smithsonian Institute Fellowships and Internships: si.edu/ofi
- The Social Science Research Council - Programs, Fellowships & Prizes: ssrc.org/
- Woodrow Wilson Dissertation Fellowships in Women's Studies: woodrow.org/fellowships/womens-studies/

Canada

- (For Canadian citizens) Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) Doctoral Fellowships: sshrc-crsh.gc.ca/
- (For citizens of the Commonwealth of Nations) Commonwealth Scholarship and Fellowship Plan: csfp-online.org
- Fonds de Recherche Société et Culture Québec : frqsc.gouv.qc.ca/fr/bourses-et-subventions
- Fulbright Canada: fulbright.ca/index.php
- Ontario Graduate Scholarships: sgs.utoronto.ca/awards/ontario-graduate-scholarship/
- Vanier Canada Graduate Scholarships: vanier.gc.ca/en/home-accueil.html

Europe

- Euraxess (euraxess.ec.europa.eu/jobs)
- Marie Curie Individual Fellowships (ec.europa.eu/research/mariecurieactions/actions/individual-fellowships_en)

Belgium

Belgian American Educational Foundation: baef.be/documents/fellowships-for-us-citizens.xml?lang=en

France

- AAP Recherche en SHS : aap-rechercheshs.fr/
- Agence Nationale de la Recherche (anr.fr/)
- Boston College - École Normale Supérieure (Paris) Exchange Program : liesel.yamaguchi@bc.edu
- Campus France: campusbourses.campusfrance.org/fria/bourse/#/catalog
- Chateaubriand Fellowship (chateaubriand-fellowship.org/)
- Fund It (fundit.fr/en)

Germany

- Alexander von Humboldt Foundation: humboldt-foundation.de/web/programmes.html
- DAAD (Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst): daad.org/en/
- Weimar, Nietzsche Archiv: klassik-stiftung.de/forschung/forschungsaktivitaeten/kolleg-friedrich-nietzsche/fellowships/

Italy

- Programma Rita Levi Montalcini (postdocs): miur.gov.it/programma-rita-levi-montalcini. Contact Prof. Andrea Staiti, Parma University <staitia@bc.edu>.

Ireland

- Irish Research Council Postdoctoral Fellowships (research.ie/funding/goipd/)
- Astra Fellows – University College Dublin (ucd.ie/adastrafellows/)

UK

- Leverhulme Early Career Fellowships (leverhulme.ac.uk/early-career-fellowships)
- British Academy Early Career Fellowships (thebritishacademy.ac.uk/funding/british-academy-postdoctoral-fellowships)
- Newton International Fellowships – The Royal Society (royalsociety.org/grants-schemes-awards/grants/newton-international/)
- National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship (for history and philosophy of science): nsfgrfp.org

Philosophy News (General)

Blogs

- Daily Nous (dailynous.com/)
- Leiter Reports: A Philosophy Blog (leiterreports.typepad.com/blog/)
- Philosophy News (philosophynews.com/)
- The Philosopher's Cocoon (philosopherscocoon.typepad.com)

Mailing lists

- Bos-Phil: Boston Area Philosophy Mailing List (lists.brandeis.edu/www/info/boston-philosophy)
- Philos-L (liverpool.ac.uk/philosophy/philos-l/)
- Philosop (lists.louisiana.edu/mailman/listinfo/philosop)

Publishing

- Publishing in philosophy: apaonline.org/general/recommended_links.asp?cc=43686
- Journals list: apaonline.org/general/recommended_links.asp?cc=33093
- Journals APA survey: blog.apaonline.org/2017/04/13/journal-surveys-assessing-the-peer-review-process/
- Publishers: apaonline.org/general/recommended_links.asp?cc=33104
- Series specialized in Continental philosophy: speg.org/resources/academic-presses-and-series-that-specialize-in-continental-philosophy/

Research and Writing

- “Getting started” (BC O’Neill library orientation page): libguides.bc.edu/philosophy. Specialized librarian: Chris Strauber, <chris.strauber@bc.edu>. Quick start: Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy (plato.stanford.edu/), PhilPapers (philpapers.org/), and Oxford Bibliographies (selected and commented bibliographies on authors or topics; O’Neill library database).
- Purdue OWL, General writing: owl.purdue.edu/owl/general_writing/index.html
- Purdue OWL, Research and citations resources: owl.purdue.edu/owl/research_and_citation/resources.html
- Purdue OWL, Writing workshop for grad students: owl.purdue.edu/owl/teacher_and_tutor_resources/teaching_resources/writing_workshops_for_graduate_students/index.html
- A.P. Martinich, *Philosophical Writing. An Introduction*, 4th edition (Oxford: Blackwell, 2016).
- Richard A. Watson, *Writing Philosophy: A Guide to Professional Writing and Publishing* (Southern Illinois University Press, 1992).

Teaching Resources

- APA Teaching Resources: apaonline.org/page/teaching_resources
- BC Center for Teaching Excellence, Grad Student Development Programs: bc.edu/offices/cte/programs-and-events/graduate-student-programs.html
- BC Digital Scholarship Group: ds.bc.edu/
- Boston Area Digital Humanities Consortium: bostondh.org/