

CAMERON LUGO

Curriculum Vitae

clugo@nd.edu | 423-794-7634
University of Notre Dame Department of Philosophy
300 Malloy Hall, Notre Dame, IN 46556

RESEARCH

Interests: medieval philosophy, early modern philosophy, metaphysics

Languages: Latin, Ancient Greek, German (B2 reading, B1 speaking/writing), French (in progress)

EDUCATION

University of Notre Dame	2022–
Ph.D. in Philosophy (in progress)	
M.A. in Classics, emphasis in Latin (in progress)	
Graduate Minor in Medieval Studies (in progress)	
Yale University B.A. in Philosophy (with Distinction, <i>summa cum laude</i>)	2019–22
▪ Member, Phi Beta Kappa Society (Alpha of Connecticut)	
▪ Winner, Henry Edwards Ellsworth Prize for Humanities Jonathan Edwards College	
▪ Winner, Poorvu Writing Center at Yale University Essay Contest	
Furman University no degree; transferred to Yale University	2017–19

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“ <i>Doctor Communis</i> or ‘ <i>Christus Unus Omnium Magister</i> ’? Aquinas versus Bonaventure on Certainty” <i>Symposium Thomisticum</i> (Prague, Czech Republic) accepted conference abstract	Jun 2025
“Bonaventure’s Illumination Argument for God’s Existence: Reexamining its Scope and Status” American Catholic Philosophical Association Annual Meeting: “Male and Female He Created Them” (Chicago, IL) breakout panel: “Meinongianism, Panentheism, and Illuminationism”	Oct 2024
“If ‘God Is Not,’ God Is: Bonaventure’s Illumination Argument” University of Notre Dame History of Philosophy Forum Work-in-Progress Luncheon	Oct 2024

- “If ‘God Is Not,’ God Is: Bonaventure’s Illumination Argument” | University of Notre Dame Department of Philosophy Graduate Colloquium Oct 2024
- “Aquinas and Proclus on Theistic Argument: Metaphysical Presuppositions and Method” | Aquinas at 800: *Ad Multos Annos* (University of Notre Dame) | breakout panel: “Metaphysics: Natural Theology” Sep 2024
- “Aquinas and Calvin on the Immortality of the Soul” | American Catholic Philosophical Association Annual Meeting: “The Human Person” (Houston, TX) | breakout panel: “Aquinas in the Renaissance” Nov 2023

TEACHING AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Instructor of Record** | University of Notre Dame Department of Philosophy
- Philosophies of Aquinas and Bonaventure: God, Nature, and Knowledge scheduled Fall 2025
- Teaching Assistant** | University of Notre Dame Department of Philosophy
- Modern Philosophy (PHIL 30302) | IOR: Samuel Newlands Fall 2023
 - Introduction to Philosophy (PHIL 20100) | IOR: Richard Cross Spring 2024
 - Medical Ethics (PHIL 20602) | IOR: Ted Warfield Fall 2024
- Graduate Coach** | InGenius Prep Jun 2021–
- Provide individualized coaching to high school clients on college applications
 - Clients admitted to Dartmouth, Harvard, Northwestern, Princeton, UC–Berkeley, and others
- Editorial Assistant** | Tocqueville Program at Furman University Spring 2019
- Benjamin Storey and Jenna Silber Storey, *Why We Are Restless* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2021)

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

- Participant, Thomistic Seminar** | Witherspoon Institute (Princeton, NJ) Aug 2024
- Topic: Aquinas on Human Nature
- Participant, PHYSIS Convivium in Rome, Italy** | Notre Dame PHYSIS Institute Jun 2024
- Weeklong advanced research seminar
 - One of eight faculty and eight graduate student/postdoctoral participants
 - Led research seminar on Proclus and Aquinas on theistic argument
- Select Reading and Language Study Groups (at Notre Dame):**
- Spoken Latin study group Jan 2025–
 - Spoken Attic Greek study group Sep 2023–

- Scholastic Latin (Francisco Suárez) reading group 2023–24
- Aquinas, *Summa Contra Gentiles* reading group Fall 2023

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Graduate Student Colloquium Series Co-Organizer/MC** | University of Notre Dame Department of Philosophy 2023–24
- Graduate Cohort Representative** | University of Notre Dame Department of Philosophy 2023–24

MEMBERSHIPS

American Catholic Philosophical Association
 American Philosophical Association
 Society for Medieval and Renaissance Philosophy
 Society for Medieval Logic and Metaphysics
 Society of Christian Philosophers

GRADUATE-LEVEL COURSEWORK

History of Philosophy

- Aquinas on the Soul (O’Callaghan)
- Aristotle’s Ethics (Kelsey)
- Avicenna, Averroes, and Aquinas on the Intellect (Therese Cory, Ogden)
- Elements of Reasoning in Neoplatonism: Metaphysics and Nature (Robichaud)
- Leibniz (Newlands)
- Medieval Theories of Universals (Cross)
- Platonism and Christianity in the Fifteenth Century: The *Corpus Dionysiacum*, Ancient Platonism, and Marsilio Ficino (Robichaud)

Metaphysics, Epistemology, and Logic

- Proseminar (topic: Saul Kripke and David Lewis) (McDaniel)
- Metaphysics of Science (Nolan)
- Properties, Relations, and Propositions (Nolan, Speaks)
- Perception and Consciousness (Cutter)

- Intermediate Logic (Beall)

Ethics and Philosophy of Religion

- Ethical Theory (Audi)
- Recent Work in Analytic Philosophy of Religion (at Yale—DeRose, Pittard)
- Theological Predication and Divine Attributes (at Yale—Pittard)
- Directed Readings: Divine Hiddenness (Rea)

Classical Languages and Literatures

- Latin Paleography (David Gura; in progress)
- Introduction to Christian Latin Texts (Hildegund Müller)
- Medieval Latin Survey (Hildegund Müller; in progress)