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Education

- Ph.D. Department of Sociology, University of Chicago** Dec. 1994
Dissertation: "Organization and Information at the Bed-Side: The Experience of the Medical Division of Labor by University Hospitals' Inpatients"
- M.A. Department of Sociology, University of Chicago** June 1988
Thesis: "Birth Doctors and Death Doctors: Materials Complexity and the Development of Obstetrics, Pediatrics and Geriatrics"
- B.A. Department of Sociology-Anthropology, Oberlin College** May 1983
Thesis: "Altered States of Consciousness and Social Structure: Glossolalia in the Pentecostal Church"

Current Employment

- Interim Director, Office of Institutional Research and Planning, Trinity College, Hartford, CT** March 2010 -
Associate Director, Office of Institutional Research and Planning, Trinity College, Hartford, CT Sept 1999 - Feb 2010
<http://www.trincoll.edu/TrinityAZ/InstitutionalResearch/>
Design, manage and report on a suite of surveys of students, parents, faculty, and administrators. Manage survey databases. Serve on the Admissions and Financial Aid Committee, and other ad hoc committees. Respond to data requests.
- Lecturer, Public Policy Studies, Graduate Program, Trinity College, Hartford, CT** Aug. 2000 -
<http://internet2.trincoll.edu/facProfiles/Default.aspx?fid=1004332>
Teach "Health Policy," "Bioethics," "Drug Policy," "Infectious Diseases and Public Policy," "Emerging Biotechnologies and Public Policy," "Happiness," and "Research Methods." Manage graduate student research and thesis projects.

Key Skills

Communication Skills My writing style is clear and concise, whether it is writing a memo, an essay or a book. Between twenty five years experience teaching graduate and undergraduate courses, ten years as a radio talk show host, and extensive experience speaking to diverse audiences, I am a very comfortable oral communicator.

Leadership and Teamwork Having always sought out and held many positions of leadership, from editor of a university newspaper to executive director of two non-profit organizations, I have a developed capacity for leadership and collegial teamwork.

Statistical Analysis and Data Management I conducted my first survey as a high school journalist, and have been conducting and analyzing survey data since then. I am a long time user of Excel and Access, and the statistical analysis tool SPSS.

Environmental Monitoring and Synthetic Scenario Creation I am a continual environmental scanner, using a variety of online sources, and a skilled generator of synthetic planning scenarios.

Entrepreneurship My first business was a computer dating service which I started as a sophomore in college. I have generated consulting employment through my home business, Changesurfer Consulting, since 1994. Since 2004, when I founded the nonprofit Institute for Ethics and Emerging Technologies, I have organized five successful conferences and seminars.

Web Design and Social Media Marketing I designed my first website in 1993 and have been webmaster for half dozen websites since then. I have used email, blogs, video, audio, Facebook, LinkedIn, Second Life and Twitter to promote events and build campaigns.

Previous Employment

Project Coordinator, Banner Implementation, Eastern Connecticut State Univ., Willimantic, CT Assisted with the implementation of a multi-campus information management system.	July '99 - Aug '99
Assistant Director, Office of Planning and Inst. Research, Eastern Connecticut State Univ. Willimantic, CT Managed data collection and reporting, participated in various committees.	Nov. '98 - June '99
Analyst, ECHO Project, Sociology Department, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT Managed data collection, analyzed data and collaborated in the reporting. PIs: Douglas Heckathorn and Robert Broadhead. <i>Supported by grants from the CDC and the National Institute on Drug Abuse.</i>	June '97 - Nov. '98
Analyst, Office of Institutional Research, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT Designed, fielded and reported on annual alumni surveys, analyzed and reported on student evaluations of courses, and conducted many other ad hoc research activities.	Feb. '97 - Nov. '98
Analyst, LaRabida Children's Hospital, Chicago, IL Data analyst in study of neonatal care. P.I. John Lantos M.D. <i>Supported by the Greenwall Foundation.</i>	Aug. '94 - Aug. '95
Analyst, EpiQual Program/Midwest Business Group on Health, Chicago, IL Designed and analyzed multi-hospital, multi-employer studies of consumer satisfaction with health care.	May '94
Coordinator, Workshop on Health, Culture and Society, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL Networked faculty and students with interests in health research.	June '93 - June '94
Analyst and Consultant, University of Chicago Hospitals, Chicago, IL Care Redesign committee. Designed and analyzed surveys of patient, provider and employee satisfaction.	Jan. '91 - Aug. '96
Assistant Director of Research, Center for Clinical Medical Ethics, U. of Chicago, Chicago, IL Founder-Editor, <i>Doctor-Patient Studies</i> Founder-Webmaster, CCME Website	May '91 - Aug. '96
Research Assistant, Center for Health Administration Studies, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL Assisted in research on the prenatal care and birth outcomes of women enrolled in prepaid, capitated Medicaid, and on comprehensive ambulatory geriatric care.	May '88 - May '91
Research Assistant, Division of Social Sciences, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL Assisted in project on the impact of technological innovation on the workplace. P.I. Edward Laumann PhD. <i>Supported by the National Academy of Science.</i>	Jan. '88 - Jan. '89
Research Assistant, Division of Social Sciences, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL Assisted in project on AIDS, sexual behavior and public policy.	Jan. '87 - Jan. '88
Novice Monk, Sarvodaya Shramadana, Patikadha Training Center, Sri Lanka Studied meditation and Buddhist history.	Jan. '84 - May '84
Research Assistant, Sarvodaya Shramadana, Colombo, Sri Lanka Assisted in a variety of rural development projects.	June. '83 - June '85

Some Former Consulting Clients

Proctor and Gamble
Sandia National Labs
Institute for the Future
Foundation for the Future
American Association for the
Advancement of Science
National Science Foundation

Midwest Business Group on Health
University of Chicago Hospital
LaRabida Childrens Hospital
CT Office of Legislative Management
Connecticut Pharmacists Association
Gerson Lehrman Group
College of the Holy Cross

Megacities Project
Hartford Public Schools
Fondation Pour L'Innovation Politique
Consortium on High Achievement and
Success
Southside Institutions Neighborhood
Alliance (Hartford CT)

Professional Memberships

Fellow, World Academy of Arts and Science
Member, American Sociological Association
Member, American Society for Bioethics and Humanities
Member, Association of Futurist Leaders
Member, Connecticut Association for Institutional Research
Member, Eastern Sociological Association
Member, Neuroethics Society
Member, North East Association for Institutional Research
Member, Scanning for Emerging Science and Technology Issues (SESTI)
Member, Working Group on Ethics and Technology at Yale University

Volunteer Positions

Chair, Institutional Review Board, Trinity College, Hartford, CT	2009-
Editorial Board, International Journal of Technoethics	2009-
Staff, Family Retreat, Insight Meditation Society, Barre MA	2009-
Co-Manager, Hartford Ethics Group, Hartford CT	2008 -
Associate Editor, Journal of Evolution and Technology	2007-
President, Connecticut Association for Institutional Research	2006 -2007
Vice President, Connecticut Association for Institutional Research	2005-2006
Executive Director, Institute for Ethics and Emerging Technologies	2004 -
Editor in Chief, Journal of Evolution and Technology	2004-2007
Member, Trinity College Institutional Review Board, Hartford CT	2002-
Secretary, Humanity+	2002-2010
President, Unitarian Fellowship of Storrs, Storrs CT	2000-2002
Producer, Changesurfer Radio, Storrs CT	1999 -

Books

Citizen Cyborg: Why Democratic Societies Must Respond to the Redesigned Human of the Future. (Westview Press) 2004

Cyborg Buddha: Using Neurotechnology to Become Better People (2010)

Published Articles and Essays

- “Human Enhancement Technologies and Health Policy,” *Cambridge Quarterly of Healthcare Ethics* (2010)
- “Transhumanism as a Scientific Movement,” in *Leadership in Science and Technology: A Reference Handbook* edited by William Sims Bainbridge. Sage. (2010)
- “Buddhism and the Neuroethics of Cognitive Enhancement,” *Accountability in Research* (2010)
- “The Future of Race,” *Transforming Race 2010*, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio 2010
- “Personhood,” in *The Transhumanist Reader*, eds. Max More and Natasha Vita-More 2010
- “Buddhism and the Ethics of Machine Intelligence,” in *The Ethics of Machine Intelligence*, eds. Patrick Lin and Fritz Allhoff. MIT Press. 2010
- “Utopian Possibilities for the Body” in *BookForum* 2010
- “Contradictions from the Enlightenment Roots of Transhumanism,” *Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*, forthcoming 2010
- (translated into Slovenian) “Globalna regulacija tehnologije in potencialno apokaliptične tehnološke grožnje,” In: Mali, Franc in Pustovrh Toni (eds): Družbeni izzivi razvoja konvergentnih tehnologij. Časopis za kritiko znanosti (The Social Challenges of Emerging Technologies. Journal for the Criticism of Science) 237: 117-129. 2009
- “Five Major Changes to American Life by 2020,” *Nanotechnology and Development News*, May 2009
- “TechnoProgressive Biopolitics and Human Enhancement,” in *Progress in Bioethics*, ed. Jonathan Moreno and Sam Berger. MIT Press. pp. 163-188 2009
- “Beyond Human Nature,” in *Unnatural Selection: The Challenges of Engineering Tomorrow’s People*, eds. Peter Healey and Steve Rayner. London: Earthscan. pp. 51-59. 2009
- “Social Pressures for Technological Mood Management: What’s Wrong With Society Wanting Us to be Happy and Friendly?” *Free Inquiry*, 29(5):28-32.. 2009
- “Contemporary biopolitics in 1920s British futurism,” *EMBO Reports* 9. S59-S63. 2008
- “Women Should Have the Right to Choose the Sex of Their Children,” in *At Issue: Should Parents Be Allowed to Choose the Gender of Their Children?* ed. Laura K. Egenorf. Gale/Greenhaven Press. pp. 31-40 2008
- “Millennial Tendencies in Response to Apocalyptic Risks,” in *Global Catastrophic Risks*, edited by Nick Bostrom and Milan Circovic. Oxford University Press. pp. 73-90 2008
- “Global Technology Regulation and Potentially Apocalyptic Technological Threats,” in *Nanoethics*. Eds. Patrick Lin, Fritz Allhoff, Jim Moor and John Weckert. Wiley. pp. 201-214. 2008
- Hughes, James and George Dvorsky. Postgenderism: Beyond the Gender Binary. IEET White Paper. <http://ieet.org/archive/IEET-03-PostGender.pdf> 2008
- Review of *Fatal Misconception: The Struggle to Control World Population* by Matthew Connelly, *Times Higher Education Supplement*. May 29. <http://www.timeshighereducation.co.uk/story.asp?sectioncode=26&storycode=402168&c=1> 2008
- “Pondering the Future of Death Over A Mojito” *New Scientist*. Dec 7, 2007 <http://ieet.org/index.php/IEET/more/2164/> 2007

Published Articles and Essays

- “Beyond the Medical Model of Gender Dysphoria to Morphological Self-Determination,” in *Biomedical Ethics: A Multidisciplinary Approach to Moral Issues in Medicine and Biology*, ed. David Steinberg. Dartmouth College Press. 2007. 2007
- “From Human-Racism to Personhood: Humanism After Human Nature,” in *Science and Ethics: Can Science Help Us Make Wise Moral Judgments?* Ed. Paul Kurtz. Prometheus Books. pp. 166-178. 2007
- “Technocitizenship, innovation and the biopolitics of medical devices,” *Medical Devices Daily*. Sept 26, 2007 <http://www.medicaldevicedaily.com/> 2007
- “Träumen mit Diderot,” in *What If? Zukunftsbilder der Informationsgesellschaft*. Eds. Stefan Iglhaut, Herbert Kapfer, Florian Rötzer. Telepolis Heise. pp. 165-170. 2007
- “The Compatibility of Religious and Transhumanist Views of Metaphysics, Suffering, Virtue and Transcendence in an Enhanced Future,” *Global Spiral* 8(2). <http://www.metanexus.net/Magazine/tabid/68/id/9930/Default.aspx> 2007
- “The Struggle for a Smarter World,” *Futures*, 39(8), October 2007, pp. 942-954. 2007
- “Buddhist Bioethics,” in *Principles of Health Care Ethics* second edition, Oxford University Press, 2007. pp. 127-134. 2007
- “Beyond Human Nature: Human-Racism in the Debate Over Genetic and Nanotechnological Enhancement,” in *Nanoscale: Issues and Perspectives for the Nano Century*. edited by Nigel M. de S. Cameron and M. Ellen Mitchell. John Wiley and Sons. pp. 61-70. 2007
- “What Comes After Homo Sapiens?,” *New Scientist*, 2006 Nov 18: 70-72. 2006
- “Human Enhancement and the Emergent Technopolitics of the 21st Century,” in *Managing Nano-Bio-Info-Cogno Innovations: Converging Technologies in Society* edited by W.S. Bainbridge & M.C. Roco.. Springer: 285-308. 2006
- “Beyond the Medical Model of Gender Dysphoria to Morphological Self-Determination,” *Lahey Clinic Medical Ethics Journal*, Winter. pp. 10-11. 2006
- “The Illusiveness of Immortality,” in *Death And Anti-Death*, Volume 3: Fifty Years After Einstein, One Hundred Fifty Years After Kierkegaard, ed. Charles Tandy, Ria University Press. <http://www.ria.edu/rup/#deathanti> 2006
- “Beyond 'Real Boys' and Back to Parental Obligations,” *American Journal of Bioethics* 5(3):61 2005
- Review of Wesley J. Smith’s *Consumer's Guide to a Brave New World*, in *Betterhumans*, Jan 1 2005
- “Humanism for Personhood: Against Human-Racism: A New Fight for Human Rights” *Free Inquiry*, June/July 2004: 36-37. 2004
- “The Death of Death,” in *Brain Death and Disorders of Consciousness*. eds. Calixto Machado and D. Alan Shewmon. Kluwer. Pps. 79-88. 2004
- “The human condition hurts: We'd be fools not to better it,” *Globe and Mail*, page A15, Aug 29 2003
- “Cloning as a Valid Reproductive Option,” *Hartford Courant*, page A11, Oct 21 2002
- D. D. Heckathorn, R. S. Broadhead, J.J. Hughes, S. Semaan “Extensions of Respondent-Driven Sampling: A New Approach to the Study of Injection Drug Users Aged 18-25.” *AIDS and Behavior* 6(1):55-67. 2002

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- “The Future of Death: Cryonics and the Telos of Liberal Individualism,” *Journal of Evolution and Technology*, 6(1): 1-23. 2001, June
- “From Anti-Globalization to Global Governance,” *Yankee Radical*: 6-8. 2001, June
- Hughes, J. and J. Lantos “Medical Ethics through the Star Trek Lens,” *Literature and Medicine* 20(1): 26-38. 2001, Spring
- “Liberty, Equality and Solidarity in our Genetically Engineered Future,” in *Engineering the Human Germline*. Edited by Gregory Stock. Oxford University Press, pps. 130-132. 1999
- “Buddhism and Abortion: A Western Approach,” in *Buddhism and Abortion*, Damien Keown ed., MacMillan. Pp. 183-198 1999
- “Paying Injection Drug Users to Educate and Recruit Their Peers: Why Participant-Driven Interventions are an Ethical Public Health Model” in *Quality Management in Health Care* 7(4):4-12. 1999, Summer
- R.S. Broadhead, D.D. Heckathorn, D.L. Weakliem, D.L. Anthony, H. Madray, R.J. Mills, J.J. Hughes “Harnessing Peer Networks as an Instrument for AIDS Prevention: Results from a Peer-Driven Intervention” in *Public Health Reports* Vol. 113, Supp. 1: 42-57 1998, June
- "Faculty Evaluations at the University of Connecticut, 1993 to 1996," Office of Institutional Research, University of Connecticut. 24 pgs. Presented at the 1997 Northeast Association for Institutional Research meetings. 1997, November
- “Hirntod und technologischer Wandel,” (“Brain Death and Technological Change: Personal Identity, Neural Protheses and Uploading” translated into German) *Telepolis* <http://www.heise.de/tp/deutsch/special/bio/2179/1.html> 1997, August
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- "Duplicity about Duplication: Cloning as Lens for Millennial Angst," in English and in German in *Telepolis* [<http://www.heise.de/tp/deutsch/special/bio/2179/1.html>] 1997, March
- Review of Armstrong and Armstrong's *Wasting Away: The Undermining of Canadian Health Care* in *American Journal of Sociology* 103(2): 527-528. 1997, Sept
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- “Embracing Change with All Four Arms: A Defense of Human Genetic Engineering,” (in English and translated into German) *Telepolis* [<http://www.heise.de/tp/>] and *Eubios Journal of Asian and International Bioethics*, 6(4):94-101. 1996, June
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- “Managed Care, University Hospitals and the Doctor-Nurse Division of Labor” *Research in the Sociology of Health Care, Volume 13A* (JAI Press): 63-92. 1996
- “Aliens, Technology and Freedom: SF Consumption and SocioEthical Attitudes,” *Futures Research Quarterly*, Winter, 11(4): 39-58. 1995, Winter
- “Doctors are Dinosaurs in a High-Tech World,” *New York Newsday* 1995, July 1

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- J. Hughes and Damien Keown "Buddhist Bioethics: A Bibliographic Essay," *Journal of Buddhist Ethics* 2. 1995, June
<http://www.buddhistethics.org/2/dkhughes.html>
- "Beginnings and Endings: The Buddhist Mythos of the Arising and Passing Away of the World," in *Buddhist Perceptions of Desirable Societies in the Future*, eds. Sulak Sivaraksa et al. UN Univ./IRCD: Bangkok. 1993
- Review of Zussman's *Intensive Care: Medical Ethics and the Medical Profession*, in *American Journal of Sociology* 99(1): 262-263. 1993, June
- Claire Kohrman and J. Hughes "Medicaid Enrollees in HMOs: A Comparative Analysis of Perinatal Outcomes for Mothers and Newborns in a Large Chicago HMO" Center for Health Administration Studies, University of Chicago. Chicago. 1990, August
- "World Buddhism and the Peace Movement," *Bulletin of Peace Proposals* 18(3): 449-468. 1987, May

Selected College Service and Presentations in Institutional Research (1999-2009)

Service

Chair, Institutional Review Board, Trinity College, Hartford, CT	2009-
Member, Trinity College Rebranding Committee	2008-2009
President, Connecticut Association for Institutional Research	2006 -2007
Vice President, Connecticut Association for Institutional Research	2005-2006
Member, Committee on Student Engagement and Campus Community, Trinity College	2006-2007
Member, Admissions and Financial Aid Committee	2004-
Member, Health Professions Advisory Committee	2003-2004
Member, Assessment Committee, Consortium on High Achievement and Success	2002-
Chair, Institutional Review Board, Trinity College, Hartford, CT	2001-
Member, Committee on Academic Standards and Excellence, Trinity College	2000-2001

Presentations

“The Future of Women’s Education,” Educating Women in the 21st Century Conference, Trinity College, Hartford, Connecticut, USA	2010, April 22
“Campus Climate for Diversity 2009,” Consortium on High Achievement and Success, Hartford CT	2010, Jan 29
“How Often is Often?” Pulse Survey Design Conference, MIT, Cambridge MA	2009, Aug 31
“Trinity’s Pulse Instrument Pre-Test,” Pulse Survey Design Conference, MIT, Cambridge MA	2008, Aug
“Trinity’s First Year Students,” FY Program Mentors Orientation, Trinity College	2008, Aug
“Trinity’s First Year Students,” First Year Students’ Orientation, Trinity College	2007, Aug
“Assessing Diversity and Minority Student Achievement: Future Directions for CHAS,” CHAS Executive	2006, Jan
Panel member on “Reaccreditation process,” Connecticut Association for Institutional Research	2005, Oct 23
“An ‘Athletic Divide’ at Trinity? Trinity’s Game of Life,” presented at the Connecticut Association for Institutional Research	2003, Nov 7
“Intellectual Engagement: How Well Are Our Students Doing?,” TCCTR Colloquia	2003, Oct 9
“Using Astin’s Typology to Track and Create Culture Change Among Students,” presented at the North East Association for Institutional Research, Annapolis Maryland	2002, Nov 16-19
“Athletes at Trinity College: Trinity’s Game of Life,” TCCTR Colloquia	2002, Nov 6
“A Brief Look at Athletes at Trinity College,” TCCTR Colloquia	2002, Oct 7
“Student Experiences of Diversity at Trinity”	2002, Oct
“Alumni Self-Reports of Skill Enhancement:Who Improves?,” presented at the 4th Annual AIR/CASE Research Colloquium, Ohio State University in Columbus, Ohio	2001, April 23-24
with William Stuart “Who Talks to Whom On Campus: Using a Survey of Staff Satisfaction with the Service of University Offices to Describe the Structure of Administrative Life,” presented at the North East Association for Institutional Research, Providence Rhode Island	1999, Nov 13-16
"Faculty Evaluations at the University of Connecticut, 1993 to 1996," presented at the Northeast Association of Institutional Research Meetings, Hartford Connecticut	1997, Nov

Selected Recent Talks (2008-2010)

- “Becoming Posthuman in an Inhuman Age” at “The Human Being in an Inhuman Age” Bard College, Red Hook, NY USA 2010, Oct 22
- “The Problems of Transhumanism are the Problems of the Enlightenment” at “H+ Summit: The Rise of the Citizen-Scientist” Harvard University, Cambridge, MA USA 2010, June 12
- “Defining Disability in an Age of Enhancement” at “Disability and Ethics Across the Life Cycle” Union College, Schenectady, New York, USA 2010, May 22
- “The Future of Women’s Education,” Educating Women in the 21st Century Conference, Trinity College, Hartford, Connecticut, USA 2010, April 22
- “When is Enhancement like a Gun?” Beyond the Body? Perspectives on Enhancement, Manchester, UK 2010, April 10
- “Sociology of Happiness,” University of Connecticut Sociology Department 2010, April 6,8
- “Don’t Fear the Future: Democratic Transhumanism and Empowerment through Technology” Tunxis Community College, Farmington, Connecticut 2010, Feb 18
- “Is There a Pro-Mutant Turn in Popular Culture?,” Biopolitics of Popular Culture, Irvine, CA 2009, Dec 4
- “The Future of Neurotechnologies,” Health Horizons, Institute for the Future, San Francisco, CA 2009, Nov 16
- Moderator, discussion of “House of Numbers,” Cinestudio, Trinity College 2009, Nov 5
- “Medicalizing Cognitive Enhancement,” University of Connecticut Sociology Department 2009, Oct 29
- “Medicalizing Transgender Identity,” University of Connecticut Sociology Department 2009, Oct 27
- “Transhumanism and Unitarian-Universalism: Cousins in the Enlightenment Family,” New Haven Unitarian Society, New Haven CT 2009, Oct 25
- “Virtue Engineering,” Institution for Social and Policy Studies, Yale University, New Haven CT 2009, Oct 7
- “Redesigning Humanity – The New Frontier,” with Ray Kurzweil, Woodstock Film Festival 2009, Oct 2
- “How Often is Often?” Pulse Survey Design Conference, MIT, Cambridge MA 2009, Aug 31
- “Science and Technology for Liberation” Galacticon, Chicago IL 2009, Jun 26
- “Technoprogressive Policies to Regulate Human Enhancement Technologies,” Human Enhancement & Nanotechnology Conference, March 28-29, 2009, Western Michigan University 2009, Mar 27
- “Ethics in Business and the Health Care Industry,” San Jacinto College, Houston Texas 2008, Dec 2
- “The Problems with Happiness,” Hartford Ethics Group 2008, Nov 20
- “Ethical Issues in Emerging Technologies: Biopolitics and the Technoprogressive Agenda,” UCSC Crown College, Santa Cruz, CA 2008, Nov 17
- “Cyborg Buddha: Neurotechnologies and the Flourishing Personality,” Convergence 08, Mountain View, CA 2008, Nov 15-16
- “Transnational Regulation of Catastrophic Risks,” Global Catastrophic Risks, Mountain View, CA 2008, Nov 14
- “Religious Dimensions of Contemporary Biopolitics,” Science, Christianity & the New Frontiers of Human Life, Blackstone, Virginia 2008, Oct 20-21
- “Gene Therapy and Neurotechnologies to Enhance Human Virtues,” Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ 2008, Oct 10
- “Avoiding Millennialist Cognitive Biases,” Global Catastrophic Risks Conference, Oxford University, Oxford, UK 2008, July 17-20
- “The Future of Religions/Religions of the Future,” Dialectics of Faith and Technology in the Third Millennium, Extropia, Second Life 2008, June 4-5
- “Evolution in the 21st Century,” International Bioethics Forum, Madison WI 2008, April 17-18
- “The Enlightenment Roots of 21st Century Biopolitics,” Center for Inquiry Conference, Orlando FL 2008, Feb 22-23

Recent Media Appearances (2008-2010, other than Changesurfer Radio)

“Living in 2030” Colin McEnroe Show, WNPR	2010, March 12
“Are You Living in a Computer Simulation?” Colin McEnroe Show, WNPR	2010, Jan 16
“Biopolitics of Popular Culture,” Bloggingheads.tv	2009, Dec 26
“Deep Inside DARPA,” Bloggingheads.tv	2009, Oct 31
“The Future of Growing Older,” CBS News	2009, Sept 28
“Achieving Friendly Artificial Intelligence,” Fastforward Radio	2009, Aug 5
“Technology, Humanity and the Future,” Humanity+ Video Series	2009, May 18
“Pill wars: debate heats up over 'brain booster' drugs,” Christian Science Monitor	2009, May 10
“Future Perfect,” To the Best of Our Knowledge (NPR)	2009, March 22
“Designer Babies: A Right to Choose?,” (interview with Brandon Keim) Wired.com	2009, Mar 9
“Brain-Machine Interfaces Make for Tricky Ethics,” (interview with Brandon Keim) Wired.com	2009, Feb 25
Laura Ingraham Show	2009, Feb 6
“Waiting for the Great Leap...Forward?,” Singularity Summit video series	2008, Oct 22
“A talk with James Hughes: Physicists, zombies, rogue nanobots, and other long-odds threats to life as we know it,” Boston Globe	2008, Sept 7
“The Moment of Death,” National Geographic Channel	2008, Sept 2
“Want to Live Forever?,” Hartford Advocate	2008, Aug 7
“Existential Threats and Risks: We Can’t Escape Impermanence!” “ Buddhist Geeks	2008, July 14
“Senses Census,” Are We Alone?	2008, Feb 14
(interview on Ashley X) Al Jazeera TV	2008, Jan 13
(interview on Ashley X) Paula Zahn show, CNN	2008, Jan 12
(interview on Ashley X) Nancy Grace show, CNN	2008, Jan 4

References

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