Phillip Anthony Berns

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Education:

Jesuit High School—Class of 2005 (New Orleans, LA)

Tulane University—Class of 2009

B.A—Philosophy

Tulane University—Class of 2010

M.A—Philosophy

Notre Dame Seminary (Graduate School of Theology)—Class of 2013

M.T.S.

University of St. Thomas-Houston-

Ph.D—Philosophy (forthcoming)

• Dissertation topic: A Thomistic Consideration of Economics

Courses Taught:

Professor of Philosophy and Theology at Collegium Sanctorum Angelorum in Hagerstown, MD (2021-Present)

- THL 101—Old Testament (Fall 2021, Fall 2023)
- THL 301—Moral Theology (Spring 2024)
- THL 302—Catholic Doctrine (Fall 2024)
- TRV 101—Logic: Language and Grammar (Fall 2021-2023)
- TRV 102—Socratic Logic (Spring 2022-2024)
- TRV 201—Readings in Written Rhetoric (Fall 2023)
- TRV 202—Written Rhetoric (Spring 2024)
- TRV 301—Oral Rhetoric (Fall 2023)
- PHL 102—Plato: Introduction to Philosophy (Spring 2022, 2024)
- PHL 201—Philosophy of Nature (Fall 2022)
- PHL 202—Philosophy of Man (Spring 2023)
- PHL 301—Ethics (Spring 2024)
- PHL 401—Political Philosophy (Fall 2024)

Adjunct Professor of Philosophy and Theology at University of St. Thomas-Houston (2018-2021)

- PHIL 1311-Philosophy of the Human Person (Spring 2018; Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Spring 2021)
- PHIL 2314-Ethics (Fall 2018, Summer 2019; Summer 2020)
- PHIL 3349-History of Modern Philosophy (Fall 2019)
- THEO 3349-Moral Theology (Fall 2018-Fall 2020)
- THEO 2301-Catholic Doctrine (Spring 2021)

Conference Presentations

2019 American Maritain Association

"Scholastic Science and Modern Clarity: What Thomism Offers Theology"

2018 American Catholic Philosophical Association

"The Ethical Impermissibility of Cross-Sex Hormone Therapy in Gender Dysphoric Minors"

2021 American Catholic Philosophical Association

"A Metaphysical Consideration of Economics"

Publications

"The Ethical Impermissibility of Cross-Sex Hormone Therapy in Gender Dysphoric Minors," *Proceedings of the American Catholic Philosophical Association*, 2018.

Additional Experience

Experience at the Collegium as Academic Dean

- Hiring faculty
- Recruiting students
- Curriculum revision
- Initiated accreditation process

Experience at the University of St. Thomas-Houston

- Collecting course syllabi
- 2 years devising, revising, and implementing institution wide rubric to assess learning outcomes Online teaching experience from Summer 2020-Fall 2020, utilizing online interface for digital assessment and content delivery.