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Current position

Professor, Department of philosophy, University of Bergen

Areas of specialization

Normative ethics, Applied ethics, Bioethics, Political philosophy, Forgiveness

Areas of competence

Baruch Spinoza, Metaethics, Emotions

Education

2009	PhD in Philosophy, University of Oslo
2003	MA in Philosophy, University of Oslo
2003	BA in Philosophy, University of Oslo

Previous positions

2010-2016	* Associate Professor, Department of philosophy, University of Bergen
2012-2014	* <i>Researcher</i> , Department of global public health and primary care
2009-2010	* <i>Director</i> , The national committee for research ethics in the social sciences and humanities

- 2006-2010 * *Guest researcher*, Centre for development and the environment (SUM), University of Oslo
- 2009 * *Advisor*, Department of research, Ministry of Education and Research
- 2005-2009 * *Research fellow*, Department of philosophy, classics, history of art and ideas & the Ethics programme, University of Oslo
- 2003-2005 * *Lecturer*, Nesna University College

Teaching

- 2016 * **Moral philosophy (FIL128/228/328), Environmental ethics (FIL116/236/336), Examen Philosophicum**, University of Bergen - **Ethics (MNSES9100)**, University of Oslo
- 2015 * **Environmental Ethics (FIL106/236/336)**, University of Bergen - **Ethics (MNSES9100)**, University of Oslo
- 2014 * **Moral philosophy (FIL128/228/328), Environmental ethics (FIL106/236/336), Political philosophy (FIL116/216/316), Examen philosophicum**, University of Bergen - **Ethics (MNSES9100)**, University of Oslo
- 2013 * **Moral philosophy (FIL128/228/328), Environmental ethics (FIL106/236/336), Examen philosophicum**, University of Bergen - **Ethics (MNSES9100)**, University of Oslo
- 2012 * **Ethics (FIL127/227/328), Environmental ethics (FIL106/236/336), Tolerance, Examen philosophicum**, University of Bergen - **Ethics (MNSES9100)**, University of Oslo - **Ethics (DSP100)**, University of Stavanger
- 2011 * **Ethics (FIL127/227/328), Tolerance and pluralism, Examen philosophicum**, University of Bergen - **Ethics (MNSES9100)**, University of Oslo - **Ethics (DSP100)**, University of Stavanger
- 2010 * **Examen philosophicum**, University of Bergen, **Ethics (MNSES9100)**, University of Oslo - **Ethics (DSP100)**, University of Stavanger
- 2009 * **Environmental philosophy (SUM4014), Ethics (MNSES9100)**, University of Oslo - **Ethics (DSP100)**, University of Stavanger
- 2008 * **Environmental philosophy (SUM4014), Ethics (MNSES9100)**, University of Oslo - **Ethics (DSP100)**, University of Stavanger
- 2007 * **Environmental philosophy (SUM4014)**, University of Oslo
- 2006 * **Environmental philosophy (SUM4014)**, University of Oslo
- 2003-2005 * **Ethics and philosophy**, Nesna University College

Publications

BOOKS

- 2017 * Gamlund, E., & Solberg, C. T. (eds) (2017) *Saving People from the Badness of Death*. New York: Oxford University Press (forthcoming).
- 2016 * Gamlund, E., Svendsen, L. Fr. H. & Säätelä, S. (2016) *Filosofi for Humanister*. Oslo: Universitetsforlaget.
- 2015 * Lie, R. K., Svendsen, L. Fr. H., & E. Gamlund. (2015) *Filosofi og Helseforskning*. Bergen: Alvheim & Eide Forlag.

JOURNAL ARTICLES AND CHAPTERS (PEER REVIEW)

- 2018 * Gamlund, E., (2018) "Age, death and the allocation of life-saving resources", in E. Gamlund & C. T. Solberg (eds) *Saving People from the Badness of Death*, Oxford University Press (forthcoming).
- 2018 * Gamlund, E., (co-authored with C. T. Solberg) (2018) "Introduction: Perspectives on death and its relevance for summary measures of population health", in E. Gamlund & C.T. Solberg (eds) *Saving People from the Badness of Death*, Oxford University Press (forthcoming).
- 2018 * Gamlund, E. (co-authored with J. Millum, E. Ngamasana & C. T. Solberg) (2018) "The valuation of deaths at different ages", in O. F. Norheim et al. (eds) *Global Health Priority-Setting: Beyond Cost-Effectiveness*, Oxford University Press (forthcoming).
- 2017 * Gamlund, E., (2017) "Hva legitimerer filosofi i Norge?", *Norsk Filosofisk Tidsskrift* 1-2: 6-14.
- 2016 * Gamlund, E. (co-authored with C. T. Solberg & P. Sørheim) (2016), "En tapt fremtid - Den filosofiske debatten om døden som et onde", *Arr-Idéhistorisk Tidsskrift* nr. 2: 3-15.
- 2016 * Gamlund, E., (2016), "What is so important about completing lives? A critique of the modified youngest first principle of scarce resource allocation", *Theoretical Medicine and Bioethics* 37.2 (April): 113-128.
- 2016 * Gamlund, E. (co-authored with C. T. Solberg) (2016), "The badness of death and priorities in health", *BMC Medical Ethics* 17:21.
- 2014 * Gamlund, E., (2014), "Ethical aspects of self-forgiveness", *SATS Northern European Journal of Philosophy* 15.2: 237-256.

- 2014 * Gamlund, E., (2014), (co-authored with C. T. Solberg). "Når er det verst å miste sitt liv? Relevansen av filosofiske grunnlagsteorier for helseprioriteringer", *Norsk Filosofisk Tidsskrift* nr. 3-4: 205-217.
- 2012 * Gamlund, E., (2012), "Hva er galt med dypøkologien? Noen kommentarer til Arne Naess' Økosofi T", *Norsk Filosofisk Tidsskrift* 47.4: 229-244.
- 2011 * Gamlund, E., (2011), (co-authored with K. S. Ekeli). "Reconsidering Approaches to Moral Status", *Ethics, Policy & Environment* 14.3: 361-375.
- 2011 * Gamlund, E., (2011), "Introduction to Confronting Environmental Values", *Ethics, Policy & Environment* 14.3: 307-312.
- 2011 * Gamlund, E., (2011), "Living under the Guidance of Reason: Arne Naess's interpretation of Spinoza", *Inquiry* 54.1: 2-17.
- 2011 * Gamlund, E., (2011), "Forgiveness without Blame", i C. Fricke (red), *The Ethics of Forgiveness*. Routledge Studies in Ethics and Moral Theory, London & New York: Routledge: 107-129.
- 2010 * Gamlund, E., (2010), "Supererogatory Forgiveness", *Inquiry* 53.6: 540-564.
- 2010 * Gamlund, E., (2010), "The Duty to Forgive Repentant Wrongdoers," *International Journal of Philosophical Studies* 18.5: 651-671.
- 2007 * Gamlund, E., (2007), "Who Has Moral Status in the Environment? A Spinozistic Answer," *The Trumpeter* vol 23, nr 1: 3-27.
- 2006 * Gamlund, E., (2006), "Arne Naess`s Humanistic Ethic," *The Trumpeter* vol 22, nr 1: 104-117.
- 2005 * Gamlund, E., (2005), "Spinoza og Konfliktløsning. Et Frigjøringsperspektiv," *Norsk Filosofisk Tidsskrift* 40.1: 38-56.
- 2004 * Gamlund, E., (2004), "Hvem har Moralsk Status i Naturen? Et Spinozistisk Argument", *Parabel - tidsskrift for filosofi- og vitenskapsteori*, 7.2: 41-68.
- 2003 * Gamlund, E., (2003), "Kan Spinozas etikk forstås som interpersonlig og holistisk?" *Agora journal for metafysisk spekulasjon* 2-3: 149-174.

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- 2016 * Gamlund, E., (2016), "Når du forstår hvorfor vi skal være moralske," i Trond A. Skjelbred (red) *Perspektiver på PR*. Bergen: Fagbokforlaget.
- 2013 * Gamlund, E., (2013), "Ethiske perspektiver på dyr og natur" i G. Larsen, R. Sollund & M. Tønnessen (red.) *Hvem er villest i landet her? Menneskets forbruk og kontroll av dyr*, Oslo: Spartacus Forlag.

POPULAR ARTICLES

- "Tillit basert på skjønn", kronikk i *Dagbladet* 15.8.2017.
- "Uvitende, uansvarlige og irrasjonelle velgere har en moralsk plikt til å avstå fra å stemme", kronikk i *Aftenposten* 20.7.2017 (co-authored with Kristian Skagen Ekeli).
- "Familieetikkenes mor", kronikk i *Bergens Tidende* 7.6.2017 (co-authored with Steinar Bøyum).
- "Tanker om det som betyr noe", *Morgenbladet* 20.1.2017.
- "Moralisme er bedre enn relativisme", *Røyst "Moral"* nr. 5, 2016.
- "Hva skylder vi våre foreldre?" *Bergens Tidende* 6.8.2016.
- "Skal vi frykte døden?", *Avisen Vårt Land* 25.7.2016.
- "Filosofisk impact", *Salongen.no* 15.3.2016.
- "Det er moralsk galt å spise kjøtt", *Aftenposten* 29.9.2015.
- "Hvor mye vil du egentlig vite?", *NRK Ytring* 19.9.2015.
- "Vi må stille krav til foreldre", *Bergens Tidende* 28.4.2015.
- "Hva skal vi med filosofi?", *Salongen.no* 10.3.2015.
- "Skolen svikter barna", *Bergens Tidende* 14.11.2014.
- "En forskers bekjennelser", *Forskerforum* nr. 5.2014.
- "Klima - spiller det noen rolle hva du gjør?", *Bergens Tidende* 2.3.2014.
- "Berettiget skadefryd", *NRK Ytring* 3.11.2014.
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- "Hva er galt med dypøkologien?", *Klassekampen* 8.1.2013.
- "Roseboblen som sprakk", *Dagsavisen* 16.5.2012.
- "Pelsdyroppdrett: Regjeringens verkebyll", (co-authored with Eskil Pedersen m.fl.), *Dagsavisen* 16.1.2012.
- "Den utilgivelige ondskapen", *Bergens Tidene* 16.8.2011.
- "Hvorfor skal vi kjøre tog?", *Aftenposten* 14.9. 2010.
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- "Egg og samfunn", (co-authored with HildeValbjørn Hagelin, *Klassekampen* 6.4.2010.
- "Pelsdyravl bør forbys", (co-authored with Live

Kleveland), *Klassekampen* 15.9.2009.
“Den grønne bølgen”, (co-authored with Kristian Bjørkdahl), *Dagbladet* 27.8.2009.
“Det er tid for tilgivelse”, *Aftenposten* 6.10.2008.
“Klimaendringer, Fattigdom og Etik”, *RØST* 1/2007: 27-31.
“Moralsk betenkelig”, *Dagbladet* 13.4.2007.
“Uunngåelig dommedag”, *Nytid* 18.5.2007.
“Har dypøkologien en fremtid?”, *Morgenbladet* 6.1.2006.

Various blog entries on www.politiskfilosofi.no

Media activities

I do extensive dissemination of my research through the media. In addition to writing popular articles and giving lectures outside of the university, I regularly participate in a radio program on NRK (Verdibørsen), and I am often interviewed in newspapers and magazines on topics related to my own research.

Other services and activities

- 2011 - * Member of the international research group *Priorities2020*. The project is headed by Ole F. Norheim, University of Bergen, and investigates the normative foundations of priorities in global health. Collaborate partners are Harvard University, University of Pennsylvania, and National Institute of Health.
- 2015-2016 * Organizer of two international workshops *Saving lives from the badness of death*, in cooperation between the Universities of Bergen and Oslo. The first workshop took place in Oslo in June 2015, and the second workshop took place in Oxford in June 2016.
- 2014 * Organizer of international workshop *Priorities2020*, University of Bergen, May 2014.
- 2010 * Organizer of international workshop on *Confronting environmental values*, University of Oslo, June 2010.
- 2011 * Guest editor for special issue of *Ethics, Policy & Environment*, 14.3.2011.
- 2017 * Guest editor (with Steinar Bøyum) for special issue of *Nordic Journal of Applied Ethics* nr. 1/2017, on *Family Ethics*.

- 2017 * Guest editor (with Sveinung S. Sundfør) for a special issue of *Norsk Filosofisk Tidsskrift* nr. 3-4/2017, on *Moralism*.
- 2014-2015 * Member of working group for thematic profile areas for research in the humanities, Faculty of the Humanities, University of Bergen.
- 2013 * Research leader course, Faculty of humanities and Faculty of social sciences, University of Bergen.
- 2012 - * Member of the Research committee, Department of philosophy, University of Bergen.
- 2012-2017 * Member of the Central Appeals Committee, University of Bergen.
- 2006-2009 * Member of the Department Board, Department of philosophy, classics, history of art- and ideas (IFIKK), University of Oslo.

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