

# Jeffrey Nall, Ph.D.

Curriculum Vitae

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## EDUCATION

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- Ph.D., Comparative Studies** 2011  
Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida
- Area of focus: Public Intellectuals with a concentration in Feminism, Gender and Sexuality Studies
  - Dissertation: *Interrogating Social Conceptualizations of Childbirth and Gender*
- Graduate Certificate, Women's Studies** 2009  
Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL
- Master of Liberal Studies** 2007  
Rollins College, Winter Park, FL
- Thesis: *Condorcet: Male Prophet of Feminism. Reclaiming Man's Feminist History*
- Bachelor of Arts, Humanities** 2004  
Rollins College, Winter Park, FL.
- Associate of Arts, General Studies** 2004  
Brevard Community College, Melbourne, FL.

## CURRICULUM/ COURSE DEVELOPMENT

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- Co-designed online course, Encountering the Humanities** 2016  
Philosophy Department, University of Central Florida
- Co-designed online course, Intro to Sexuality and Gender Studies** 2016  
Women Gender and Sexuality Studies, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL
- Created Men and Masculinities** 2012  
Women Gender and Sexuality Studies, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL

## CERTIFICATIONS/ PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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- eLearning Designer/ Facilitator certification** 2016  
Center for eLearning, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL

<b>Social/Behavioral Research Investigators and Key Personnel course</b> Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI Program)	2016
<b>Teaching Certificate in Philosophy</b> Indian River State College, Fort Pierce, FL. Certification renewed June 2015	2010, 2015
<b>Instructor Fundamentals</b> Indian River State College, Fort Pierce, FL. Guide to institution and how to use Blackboard Angel	2011
<b>Writing Across the Curriculum (WAC) certification</b> Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL	2010

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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<b>Master Instructor, Philosophy</b> Indian River State College, Fort Pierce, FL	Fall 2016-Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Intro to Ethics (PHI 2630) (2 sections)</li> <li>• Introduction to Humanities (Hum 1020) (1 section)</li> <li>• Critical Thinking (PHI 1103) (3 sections)</li> </ul>	
<b>Visiting Lecturer, Philosophy</b> University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL	Fall 2015-Summer 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Intro to Philosophy (PHI 2010) (3 section)</li> <li>• Encountering the Humanities (HUM 2020) (3 sections)</li> <li>• Freedom and Justice (PHM3100) (1 section)</li> <li>• Encountering the Humanities (HUM 2020) (2 online sections)</li> </ul>	
<b>Adjunct Instructor, Philosophy and Humanities</b> Indian River State College, Fort Pierce, FL	Summer 2010-Summer 2015, Summer 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Intro to Ethics (PHI 2630) (7 sections)</li> <li>• Humanities Philosophy (Hum 1533) (15 sections)</li> <li>• Introduction to Humanities (Hum 1020) (1 section)</li> <li>• Critical Thinking (PHI 1103) (16 sections)</li> <li>• Intro to Philosophy (PHI 1010) (5 section)</li> </ul>	
<b>Adjunct Instructor, Women, Gender, and Sexuality Instructor</b> Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL	Spring 2011-Fall 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Intro to Sexuality and Gender Studies (WST 2608) (1 section)</li> <li>• Men, Masculinity, and Feminisms (WST 4930) (3 sections)</li> <li>• Sex, Violence, and Hollywood (WST 4337) (5 sections)</li> <li>• Feminist Perspectives on Gender (WST 3315) (1 section)</li> <li>• Sex and Gender in American Culture (WST 3640) (2 sections)</li> <li>• Intro to Women's Studies (WST 2010) (1 section)</li> </ul>	

## PUBLICATIONS

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### Books

*Feminism and the Mastery of Women and Childbirth: An Ecofeminist Examination of the Cultural Maiming and Reclaiming of Maternal Agency During Childbirth.* Palo Alto, CA: Academica Press LLC, 2014

### Book Chapters/Edited Volumes

“What’s so Funny about Childbirth? The Projection of Patriarchal Masculinity in Popular Comedic Childbirth Guides.” In *Essential Breakthroughs: Conversations about Men, Mothers, and Mothering*, edited by Gary Lee Pelletier and Fiona Joy Green, 148-178. Radford, Ontario, CA: Demeter Press, 2015.

“Disparate Destinations, Parallel Paths: An Analysis of Contemporary Atheist and Christian Parenting Literature.” In *Religion and the New Atheism: A Critical Appraisal*, edited by Amarnath Amarasingam, 179-202. Leiden: Brill, 2010. (Republished Haymarket Books, 2012.)

“Protestors as Persons of Interest: Coordinated Police Surveillance of a Funeral for Civil Rights.” In *Law against Liberty: The Criminalization of Dissent*, edited by Jeff Shantz, Chapter 5. Vandepias Publishing, 2011.

“Condorcet and Feminist Masculinity.” *Growing Our Field: Emerging Perspectives on Masculinities and Men’s Lives 2*, edited by Marlen Elliot Harrison and Phillip Ward Schnarrs, 151-161. Harriman, Tenn.: Men’s Studies Press, LLC, 2011.

“One Woman’s Story of Birthing New Life and Discovering New Strength.” In *Beyond Burning Bras: Feminist Activism for Everyone*, edited by Laura Finley, 115-118. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2010.

“Under the Watchful Eye.” In *The Cost of Freedom: Anthology of Peace and Activism*, edited by Michael Annis, Mike Palecek, Whitney Trettien, 22-25. Denver, Co: Howling Dog Press, 2007.

### Refereed Journal Articles

“Fade to White or Stereotype: Patriarchal Policing of Gender Norms in TV and Filmic Representations of Childbirth.” *Gender Questions* 2, no.1 (2014) :12-34.

“Mother Beware: Perilous Scholarly and News Media Discourse around Homebirth.” *International Journal of Communication and Health* 1, no.2 (2013) : 37-48.

“Emphasizing Virtue over Victory, Why We Should Adopt a Virtue Ethics Approach to Social Change.” *Zeteo*, Spring (2013) : 1-20.

"High-Fidelity Birth Simulators in American Culture: An Ecofeminist Analysis." *The Journal of American Culture* 35, no 1 (2012): 52-64.

"Ethical Spectacle: Memorial in a Time of War." *Reconstruction: Studies in Contemporary Culture: "Inventions of Activism"* 10, no.3 (2010) : 1-21.

"Exhuming the History of Feminist Masculinity: Condorcet, 18<sup>th</sup> Century Radical Male Feminist." *Culture, Society & Masculinities* 2, no. 1 (2010): 42-61

"Fundamentalist Atheism and its Intellectual Failures." *Humanity & Society* 32, no.3 (2008): 263-280.

"Condorcet's Legacy Among the Philosophes and the Value of His Feminism for Today's Man." *Essays in the Philosophy of Humanism* 16, no. 1 (2008): 39-57.

"Illusion of Conversion." *The Journal of Graduate Liberal Studies* XII, no.1 (2006): 54-71.

"A New Vision for Freethought: Reaching Out to Friends in Faithful Places." *Essays in the Philosophy of Humanism* 14 (2006): 51-68.

## **Popular Press**

"Remembering the Humanism of Martin Luther King." *The Humanist*, January 1, 2015.

"Woman-Made: How Rethinking Pregnancy and Childbirth Could Undermine Sexism and Honor Women's Reproductive Rights." *Truth Out*, December 7, 2014.

"Unmasking the Patriarchal Values in Halloween Costumes: Naughty Leopards, Sassy Space Girls and Warrior Ninjas." *Truth Out*, October. 31, 2013.

"The Perils of Patriarchy for Men as well as Women," *Truth Out*, October 19, 2013.

"The Low Pay Behind America's Fast Food." *Toward Freedom*, August 29, 2013.

"Why Should we All be Considered 'Equal'?" *Truth Out* , August 22, 2013.

"How Hollywood Helps to Obscure the Ugly Truth about American Militarism." *Truth Out*, November 4, 2012.

"Exploding Five Myths that Dehumanize the Poor." *Truth Out*, October 26, 2012. Republished by [EverdayFeminism.com](http://EverdayFeminism.com), November 6, 2012.

"Combating Slavery in Coffee and Chocolate Production." *Toward Freedom*, January 5, 2012. (Republished by *Nation of Change* on January 13, 2012 and *Truth Out* on January 15, 2012.)

"How the Ignorance and Inaction of Americans Fosters Misery Around the Globe." *Toward Freedom*, August 3, 2011.

“What Americans Have to Learn from the Arab Spring.” *Toward Freedom*, July 21, 2011.

“Hannah Arendt: The Trouble with Representative Government in the US.” *ZNet*, December 24, 2008.

“Understanding the Evolution of the Media and the Rise of Public Relations through Habermas.” *Toward Freedom*, June 16, 2008.

## **AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

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<b>Nominated for Outstanding Adjunct (Visiting) Faculty Award</b> Florida Atlantic University, Jupiter campus, FL	2013
<b>Outstanding Adjunct Faculty Member</b> Indian River State College, Fort Pierce, FL	2011
<b>Provost’s Dissertation-Year Fellowship Award</b> Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL	2010
<b>Tuition Waiver</b> Comparative Studies, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL	2011-2007
<b>Rollins College Master of Liberal Studies Scholarship</b>	2006, 2004
<b>Finalist in the Felix Morley Journalism Competition</b>	2006-2005
<b>First Place Recipient of The Mark Twain Scholarship Fund, Inc.</b>	2004
<b>Phi Alpha Theta (History honor society) Inductee</b>	2004
<b>Sigma Tau Delta, (International English Honor Society) Inductee</b>	2003
<b>Excel Scholarship for Humanities</b> Rollins College, Brevard, FL	2003

## **PRESENTATIONS**

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**Conference Papers** (Refereed on the Basis of Abstract)  
(Forthcoming) “Lessons from Teaching Men and Masculinity: The Price of Patriarchal Privilege and the Redeeming Power of Feminist Theory in Men’s Lives.” Southeastern Women's Studies Association annual conference, Boca Raton, FL, March 2017.

- “What’s So Funny About Childbirth? The Projection of Patriarchal Masculinity in Popular, Comedic Childbirth Guides.” Presentation at the Southeastern Women’s Studies Association annual conference, Boca Raton, FL, March 28, 2015.
- “Striving for Social Change in the Face of Futility: Reasons We Should Confront Injustice, Despite the Odds.” Presentation at Examining Public Voice, Human Rights, and Social Justice across Time and Space: A Multidisciplinary Symposium, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL, April 5-6, 2013.
- “Stereotyping the Poor: How the Common Sense of the Powerful Functions to Justify the Oppression of the Poor.” Presentation at Toward a Democracy with Rights, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL, March 15-17, 2012.
- “Reproduction of the Patriarchal Feminine Ideal in Cultural Representations of Childbirth,” Presentation at the Florida Consortium for Women’s Studies Conference, at Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL, April 1, 2011.
- “Mannequin Mothers Pregnant with Master Logic.” Presentation at 2<sup>nd</sup> International Humanities and Sustainability Conference, Florida Gulf Coast University, Fort Myers, FL, October 7-9, 2010.
- “Humanism and Peace Activism.” Presentation at the American Humanist Association annual conference, San Jose, CA, June 3-6, 2010.
- “18<sup>th</sup> Century *Philosophe*, Condorcet and Feminist Masculinity.” Presentation at the American Men’s Studies Association annual Men and Masculinities conference, Atlanta, GA, March 25-28, 2010.
- “Mannequin Mother and Master Consciousness.” Presentation at the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Women’s Studies Graduate Student Association Symposium, “Feminisms, Genders, and Sexualities: Discourses on Body Politics, at Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL, March 19, 2010.
- “The Problems of Militarism.” Teach in presented during Peace Week for Peace Studies department, at Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL, February 19, 2010.
- “Colonization of Childbirth.” Presented in absentia at University of Oregon’s conference, Philosophical Inquiry into Pregnancy, Childbirth and Mothering, May 14-16, 2009.
- “Ethical Spectacle: Memorial in a Time of War,” presented in absentia in Protest Issues panel at the 2009 Popular Culture Association/American Culture Association conference in New Orleans.
- “Fundamentalist Atheism and Its Intellectual Failures.” Presentation at 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Religion Graduate Student Symposium, “Identity, Boundaries, & Movement in Religion,” Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL, February 20-22, 2009.
- “Build-up to War with Iran and the Anti-war Response.” Teach-in, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida, October 22, 2008.

“Enlightened Eunuch, Violent Dissent: Accessing the Problems of Empowering Enlightenment and the Political Use of Violence.” Presentation at Nova Southeastern University’s inaugural Human Rights Symposium, June 27, 2008.

“Antagonistic Atheists – Secular Fanaticism.” Presentation at Association for Humanist Sociology Annual Meeting, Hendersonville, Nevada, October 25, 2007.

“Why Humanists Should and Must Befriend the Progressive Faithful/The Religious Left, Our Partners in Reason and Progress.” Presentation at the American Humanist annual conference, Tampa, FL, May 12, 2006

“Martin Luther King the Humanist.” Presentation at annual meeting of the Association for Humanist Sociology, in Tampa, FL, October 29, 2005.

“A New Vision for Freethought: Reaching Out to Friends in Faithful Places.” Presentation at Secular Student Alliance annual conference, Ohio State University, Columbus, Oh, August 12, 2005.

### **INVITED PUBLIC LECTURES** (SELECTED 2012-2017)

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(Forthcoming) “Why Can’t We Eat the Cat? The Ethical Case for Veganism.” Lecture for Lifelong Learning Society, Florida Atlantic University, Jupiter, FL, April 18, 2017.

(Forthcoming) “How Men Can Help Empower Women.” Workshop presentation at The Women’s Leadership Symposium, University of Miami, Miami, FL, March 25, 2017.

(Forthcoming) “Social Change through Chocolate and Coffee.” Invited lecture at Deerfield Progressive Forum, Deerfield Beach, January 14, 2017

“Why All are Equal: The Meaning of Moral Equality.” Invited lecture at Buckman Bridge Unitarian Universalist Society, Jacksonville, FL, September 25, 2016

“Why Bother? Striving for Social Change in the Face of Futility.” Invited lecture at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Vero Beach, Vero Beach, FL, September 18, 2016

“The Feminist Compass: Understanding and Confronting Sexist Culture.” Workshop presentation at The Women’s Leadership Symposium, University of Miami, Miami, FL, March 19, 2016.

“Men are Not from Mars and Women are Not from Venus.” Lecture for the Lifelong Learning Society, Florida Atlantic University, Jupiter, FL, March 11, 2016.

“Men: Agents and Victims of Patriarchy.” Luncheon presentation at the Feminist Graduate Association Annual Symposium, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL March 4, 2016.

“Frightening Facts about Chocolate (and Coffee) and How to Foster Change this Halloween and Beyond.” Presentation at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of St. Augustine, October 25, 2015.

“Social Change through Chocolate and Coffee.” Presentation at the Nature Coast Unitarian Universalists, May 24, 2015.

“Keep Out: Toxic Masculinity.” Workshop presentation at The Women’s Leadership Symposium, University of Miami, FL, March 21, 2015.

“Ethical Considerations of the Fight for \$15.” Presentation at the Deerfield Progressive Forum, Deerfield Beach, FL, February 21, 2015.

“Striving for Social Change in the Face of Futility.” Presentation at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of St Augustine, FL, January 25, 2015.

“Occupy Ethics: The Meaning of Moral Equality.” Presentation at the Manatee Unitarian Universalist, Bradenton, FL December 14, 2014.

“Chocolate, Slavery, and Our Moral Obligations.” Presentation at the University Unitarian Universalist Society, Orlando, FL, June 23, 2013.

“How the Poor are Stereotyped, and what we can do about it.” Presentation at the River of Grass UU Congregation, Davie, FL, May 26, 2013.

“Our Moral Responsibility in Light of the Arab Spring.” Presentation at the Buckman Bridge Unitarian Universalist Society, Jacksonville, FL, September 2, 2012.

## **SERVICE**

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**Organized Departmental Colloquium** April 8, 2016  
Organized colloquium featuring philosopher, Simon Glynn, Ph.D. of Florida Atlantic University

**Humanities and Philosophy Curriculum Committees** Fall 2015-Spring 2016  
Sat on two curriculum committees, University of Central Florida

**Faculty Panelist** 2011  
Discussion with journalist H.D.S. Greenway on U.S. foreign policy. Center for Media and Journalism Studies, Indian River State College, Ft. Pierce, FL, March 24, 2011.

**Panel Organizer and Contributor** 2010  
“Why Peace is a humanist issue: humanism’s anti-war legacy.” American Humanist Association annual conference, San Jose, CA, June 3-6, 2010.

**Conference co-organizer and panel moderator** 2010  
“Why Interdisciplinary Approaches to Knowledge?” Conference hosted by Comparative Studies Student Association, at Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL, April 16, 2010.

**Vice President** 2009–2011



Comparative Studies Students Association, Florida Atlantic University.

**Panel Contributor**

2008

“Making the Case for the New Enlightenment.” International Humanist and Ethical Union 17<sup>th</sup> World Humanist Congress and the American Humanist Association 67<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference, June 8, 2008.

**REFERENCES**

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