

# Shen Pan

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## Appointments

- 2024– Postdoctoral Fellow, National Institutes of Health, Department of Bioethics  
2023–2024 Lecturer, University of Maryland, College Park, Department of Philosophy

## Education

- 2023 Ph.D. in Philosophy, University of Maryland, College Park  
Dissertation: *Memory, Time, and Temporal Experience*  
Supervisor: Peter Carruthers
- 2016 M.A. in Philosophy, University of Oklahoma
- 2014 B.A. in Philosophy, Renmin University of China
- 2012–13 Visiting Student, University of California, Davis

## Articles & Presentations

### Publications

- [3] “Déjà vu may be illusory gist-identification” (with Peter Carruthers), *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, 2023. [\[doi\]](#)
- [2] “What is so special about episodic memory: Lessons from the system-experience distinction”, *Synthese*, 2022. [\[doi\]](#)
- [1] “No doing without time” (with Peter Carruthers), *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, 2019. [\[doi\]](#)

### Manuscripts

- A paper on supported decision-making and authenticity (in preparation)
- A paper on informed consent in psychedelic-assisted psychotherapy (in preparation)
- A paper on temporal relief and future bias (in preparation)
- A paper on memory, anticipation, and future bias (under review)
- A paper on distortions of temporal experience (under review)
- A paper on temporal passage phenomenology (draft available upon request)

### Talks

- 2024 “Altered temporality in life-threatening danger”, *Philosophy of Time Naturalized*, Wake Forest University
- 2023 “Towards a multi-level account of felt passage”, *International Association for the Philosophy of Time 8th Annual Conference*, University of Sydney
- 2022 “Altered temporality in life-threatening danger”, *113th Annual Meeting of the Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology*

- 2021 “Dynamic music, non-dynamic time”, *2022 APA Eastern Division*  
 “Subjective passage of time in episodic memory”, *Time and Memory Workshop*, Hang Seng Centre for Cognitive Studies, University of Sheffield  
 “Experiencing the passage of time”, *MindGrad 2021: The Consciousness of Time*, University of Warwick  
 “How can episodic memory be metarepresentational and uniquely human?”, *Centre for Philosophy of Memory*, Université Grenoble Alpes
- 2019 “Episodic phenomenology without (meta?)cognitive phenomenology”, *Issues in Philosophy of Memory 2*, Université Grenoble Alpes
- 2017 “Natural logic: rethinking reasoning in natural language”, *2017 Norwegian Summer Institute on Language and Mind*, University of Oslo
- 2014 “Conceivability and justification”, *1st Annual Beijing Analytic Philosophy Conference*, Renmin University of China

### Commentaries

- 2021 Comments on Evan Woods, *2021 APA Central Division*  
 2019 Comments on Maria Balcells, *International Association for the Philosophy of Time 6th Annual Conference*, University of Colorado, Boulder

### Grants, Awards & Honors

- 2023 Early-career Researchers Travel Prize, International Association for the Philosophy of Time  
 2022 ARHU Summer Fellowship, University of Maryland  
 2021 Ann G. Wylie Dissertation Fellowship, University of Maryland  
 2020 Dean’s Fellowship, College of Arts & Humanities, University of Maryland  
 2019 Early-career Researchers Travel Prize, *Issues in Philosophy of Memory 2*  
 2019, 2022 ARHU Graduate Student Travel Award, University of Maryland  
 2017, 2022 Jacob K. Goldhaber Award, University of Maryland  
 2016 Moreland Perkins Fellowship in Philosophy, University of Maryland  
 2014–16 Graduate Fellowship, University of Oklahoma  
 2014 Distinguished Thesis in Philosophy, Renmin University of China  
 2012–13 Presidential Scholarship for Studying Abroad, Renmin University of China

### Teaching

#### Instructor — University of Maryland

- Value Theory Rights and Wrongs of Killing People  
 Bioethics: Regulating Right and Wrong  
 Contemporary Moral Issues  
 Ethics of Sex
- Metaphysics Metaphysics  
 Philosophy of Mind  
 It’s About Time  
 Philosophy of Space and Time
- Misc. Modern Philosophy  
 Philosophy of Race  
 Artificial Intelligence: Brains, Minds, and Machines ([Terp Young Scholars](#))

## Pedagogical Training

2022 Teaching Professional Ethics through Experiential Learning: the Georgetown Approach  
2019 Johns Hopkins Teaching Institute

## Departmental and Professional Service

### Committee Work

2023–2024 Ethics Committee, University of Maryland Capital Region Medical Center  
2019–2020 Philosophy of Mind Search Committee, University of Maryland  
2017–2020 Graduate Representative, Department of Philosophy, University of Maryland

### Conferences and Colloquia

2017–2020 Organizer, University of Maryland Graduate Philosophy Colloquium Series  
2015–16 Reviewer, University of Oklahoma Graduate Philosophy Conference  
2015 Co-organizer, *I Can't Breathe: An Interactive Workshop*, Center for Social Justice, University of Oklahoma

### Referee

*Philosophical Psychology* (2); *Synthese* (1)