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**PUBLICATIONS:**

„The Representation of Life“, in *Virtues and Reasons*, Oxford University Press, 1995.

„The Living Individual and its Kind“, *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, vol. 21, 1998.

„Two Forms of Practical Generality“, in *Practical Rationality and Preference*, Cambridge University Press, 2001.

„What is it to Wrong Someone? A Puzzle about Justice“, in *Reason and Value*, Oxford University Press, 2004.

„Apprehending Human Form,“ *Modern Moral Philosophy*, Cambridge University Press, 2004.

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# Texts on Ethics

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**DATES**

Thursdays  
Beginning May 12

**TIME**

10am - 1pm

**LOCATION**

GWZ Room 2 1.16