

# ANDREW CHARLES PATRICK WILCOX

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## EDUCATION

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<b>MA</b>	Toronto Metropolitan University, Philosophy 3.87/4.30 CGPA	In progress
<b>BA</b>	Concordia University, Honours Philosophy 3.88/4.30 CGPA, Dean's list 2022, 2023 Minor in professional writing	June 2024
<b>BSc</b>	Mount Allison University, Biochemistry and Cognitive Science	May 2017

## HONORS, AWARDS, AND CERTIFICATES

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**Canada Graduate Scholarship—Master's** September 2024  
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada graduate scholarship.

**Editing Essentials Certification** Jan 2024  
Awarded for a passing grade on the Editors Canada Editing Essentials qualification.

**Dean's List for the Faculty of Arts and Sciences** 2023  
Awarded to a student with an annual GPA of 3.75 and above.

**Vladimir Zeman Philosophy Award** August 2023  
Awarded annually to an undergraduate student judged to be the most accomplished and promising in Kantian and neo-Kantian philosophy, but also in philosophy of science, environmental philosophy, and American Pragmatism. Essay Title: "Christian Augustus Crusius and Immanuel Kant on the Principle of Determining Reason: Free First Actions and Antecedently Determining Causes."

**Concordia Undergraduate Student Research Award** May 2023  
Scholarship to pursue a summer research project under the supervision of a faculty member.

**Ritva Seppanen Award in Professional Writing** April 2023  
Awarded based on academic excellence and a portfolio that shows proficiency, expertise, and competence in professional writing.

**Damon Hartung Award** February 2023  
Awarded to a student who contributed to the Arts and Science community by bringing novel additions to student life and/or academics while remaining in strong academic standing.

**Dean's List for the Faculty of Arts and Sciences** 2022  
Awarded to a student with annual GPA of 3.75 and above.

**Sustainability Ambassador Certification** February 2021  
Awarded for completing the Concordia University Sustainability Ambassador Program.

**Game Design and Development Certificate** June 2019  
Michigan State University's coursera.org Game Design and Development Program.

**International Karate Daigaku degree diploma** April 2016  
Awarded by the International Karate Daigaku for attaining the rank of shodan.

**Certificate of Perseverance** June 2012  
Awarded by the Collège Communautaire du Nouveau Brunswick for continued persistence and dedication in studies.

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## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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**Research Project**, Concordia University, Montreal May 2023 to September 2023  
Title: "Dilthey on Individuality and Historicity in the Human Sciences."  
Advisor: Dr. Nabeel Hamid

- Part of the Concordia Undergraduate Student Research Award.

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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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**Toronto Metropolitan University**, Toronto September 2024 to Current  
**Teaching Assistant**, Department of Philosophy

- Leading weekly tutorial sessions for SSH105 - Critical Thinking.
- Invigilating and grading student tests and exams.
- Paid teaching assistantship.

**Concordia University**, Montreal January 2022 to April 2022  
**Study Group Leader**, Student Success Center

- Organized weekly Zoom study groups for students in PHIL-210: Critical Thinking.
- Typical sessions consisted of a PowerPoint listing concepts and skills, study tables filled out by students, and problem questions discussed amongst the session members.
- Not a formal teaching position; employed to bring students together and help them study for the course and succeed.

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## PRESENTATIONS, COMMENTARIES, AND INVITED LECTURES

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**Presentation**, "The First and Second Axioms Toward a Coherent Description of Reality,"  
Toronto Metropolitan University Philosophy Graduate Student Speaker Series, February 2025.

**Presentation**, “Who Am I? Wilhelm Dilthey on Personality and Individuality,” Philopolis Montreal, February 2024.

**Research Poster Presentation**, “Dilthey on Individuality and Historicity in the Human Sciences,” Concordia Undergraduate Student Research Showcase, November 2023.

**Presentation**, “The Three Basic Axioms of Truth,” Philopolis Montreal, February 2023.

**Commentary**, Andrew Ankerson’s “Frank Herbert’s Dune and the Ontology of Religion,” Philopolis Montreal, February 2023.

## **PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

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**Teaching Foundations in Higher Education Certificate**, Toronto Metropolitan University Graduate Teaching Development Program, June 2025

Awarded for completing the CILT100 Introduction to Higher Education course and taking four Teaching Assistant workshops.

**Leadership & Collaboration Certificate**, Concordia University Student Success Center, October 2023

Awarded for completing four workshops focused on leadership and collaboration.

**Communication & Digital Capabilities Certificate**, Concordia University Student Success Center, September 2020

Awarded for completing four workshops focused on communication and digital capabilities.

### **Coursera.org, non-credit courses**

- Intellectual humility: Practice, November 2017
- Philosophy, Science, and Religion: Philosophy and Religion, September 2017
- Intellectual Humility: Science, July 2017
- Intellectual Humility: Theory, June 2017
- Introduction to Philosophy, June 2016
- Emergent Phenomena in Science and Everyday Life, July 2015

## **MAIN WORK EXPERIENCE**

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### **Philosophy Tutor, 2024-current**

Freelance tutoring undergraduate students to succeed and excel in philosophy.

### **Founder, 2024-current**

Founded the copywriting and copyediting service, Wilcox Writing.

### **English Program Booth Greeter (Fall 2023, Winter 2024)**

Welcoming prospective students to Concordia’s Professional Writing program.

**Senior QA Tester, 2019-2020**

Led a pod of QA Testers; vetted entered bugs; wrote game documentation; created test cases.

**QA Tester, 2018-2019**

Found software product defects and entered reports into the Jira bug reporting system.

**Line Cook, 2011-2016**

Preparing, cooking, and plating food served by waitresses; food quality assessment.

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**COMMUNITY SERVICE & VOLUNTEERING**

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**Senior Editor**

Toronto Metropolitan University's journal of philosophy, *Student Philosophy Journal*, 2024-Current. [Student Philosophy Journal](#)

**Senior Editor**

Concordia University's undergraduate Faculty of Arts and Science academic journal, *Between Arts and Science*, summer 2024. <https://doi.org/10.70578/OLLC8543>

- ISSN 2371-1051 (Print)
- ISSN 2371-106X (Online)

**Editor**

Concordia University's undergraduate journal of philosophy, *The SoPhiA Review*, summer 2024.

**Philosophy Program Booth Greeter (Fall 2023, Winter 2023, and Fall 2022)**

Greeting students interested in the philosophy program at Concordia's Open House day.

**Students of Philosophy Association**

Outreach and Communications Coordinator, Concordia University, 2022-2023.

**Philosophy Department Hiring Student Committee**

Undergraduate participant in interviews and hiring process of a new professor in the Concordia philosophy department, February 2023.

**Board Council Member**

Senate councilor for the Arts and Science Federation of Associations, 2021-2022.

**Students of Philosophy Association**

Chair and Executive Coordinator, Concordia University, 2021-2022.

**Students of Philosophy Association**

Internal Relations and Faculty Liaison, Concordia University, 2020-2021.

**President**

Mount Allison University Karate Club, 2013-2015.

## LANGUAGES

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**English:** Native Language

**French:** Advanced Listener, Intermediate Speaker, Intermediate Reading and Writing

**Portuguese:** Beginner proficiency

## OTHER

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**Iaido practitioner:** Etobicoke Olympium Iaido Club, ikkyu

**Blogging:** [scirephilosophia.wordpress.com](http://scirephilosophia.wordpress.com)

**Freelance writing services:** Wilcox Writing, [www.wilcoxwriting.ca](http://www.wilcoxwriting.ca)