



## 2019 Eric Paul Allison Memorial Prize Fellowship

### **ROBERT WALTER has been awarded the Eric Paul Allison Memorial Prize Fellowship for 2019!**

Robert Walter has just graduated from UC San Diego, Summa Cum Laude, with a B.A. in Philosophy with department honors. His Philosophy Honors Thesis, which was supervised by Associate Professor Matthew Fulkerson, was entitled “An Empirically Grounded Approach to Permissivism.”

He has been awarded multiple philosophy-oriented fellowships and scholarships, including a National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship.

He will begin graduate school in Fall 2019 in Yale’s Philosophy and Psychology Combined Ph.D. program, advised by Professor Laurie Paul and Professor Brian Scholl.

At UC San Diego Robert took leadership positions in the Philosophy Club, in the planning of the 2019 Undergraduate Research Conference and a special undergraduate conference held jointly with San Diego Community College District, and in administration of the UC San Diego undergraduate journal in Philosophy, *Intuitions*.

He was also a member of UC San Diego’s inaugural team for the APPE Intercollegiate Ethic’s Bowl competition, led by Professor Samuel Rickless.

In 2019 Robert became a father, and he hopes to become a Professor and continue to conduct research and teach in Philosophy and Psychology.

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