

## Aaron Maddeford

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### EDUCATION

The Catholic University of America

Ph.D., Philosophy

2018

Dissertation: “Francis Bacon on Action, Contemplation, and the Human Good”

Master’s Thesis: “The Compatibility of Rhetoric and Philosophy in Plato, Cicero, and Augustine”

Thomas Aquinas College

B.A., Liberal Arts

2002

AOS: Ethics, Thomas Aquinas

AOC: Ancient philosophy, Aristotle, natural philosophy, early modern philosophy

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

*Associate Instructor*

2020-present

Brightpoint Community College (Richmond, VA)

*Headmaster*

2018-2020

Veritas Preparatory School (a classical high school in Williamsburg, VA)

*Academic Dean & Teacher*

2014-2018

Veritas Preparatory School

Courses taught include logic and ethics

*Adjunct Professor*

2012-2013

John Tyler Community College (Richmond, VA)

*Philosophy Teaching Fellow*

2009-2012

The Catholic University of America

## ACADEMIC WRITING

“The Order of the Active Life to the Contemplative Life in Aquinas’ *Commentary on the Sentences* and *Summa Theologiae*,” forthcoming in *Nova et Vetera*.

“Obedience, Conscience, and *Propria Voluntas* in St. Thomas,” *The Thomist* 86 (2022): 417-44.

Review of Francis Bacon's "*Inquiry Touching Human Nature*": *Virtue, Philosophy, and the Relief of Man's Estate*. *Review of Metaphysics* 65, no. 2 (2011): 436-37.

## LANGUAGES

Latin, French, Greek, German

## VOLUNTEER WORK

*Board of Directors* 2011-present  
A Simple House  
A Catholic ministry, with houses of volunteers in Kansas City and DC, that reaches out in friendship to the poorest through the works of mercy.

*Board of Directors* 2020-2024  
Cardinal Newman Academy  
A new Catholic high school in Richmond, VA.

## AWARDS

*Johannes Quasten Scholarship*, Catholic University 2002-2004, 2006-2007

*Assistant Editor, Review of Metaphysics* 2002-2004

## PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND DEVELOPMENT

Member, American Catholic Philosophical Association

Paleography group run by Dr. Timothy Noone *Summer 2020*

Virtual Paleography Group, run by Drs. Peter Hartman and Zita Toth *2020-present*

Cenaculum Familiae Sancti Hieronymi, a week-long Latin workshop *July 2018*

Conventiculum Latinum Lexintoniense, a week-long Latin workshop *July 2015*