

Academic Curriculum Vitae

PERSONAL DETAILS

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SPECIALIZATION AND COMPETENCE

Areas of Specialization	Classical German Philosophy, History of Metaphysics, History of Natural Philosophy.
Areas of Competence	Environmental Philosophy, History and Philosophy of Science, Intercultural Philosophy.

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Oct. 2022 – Sept. 2024	Marie Curie Postdoctoral Fellowship at KU Leuven with a secondment at the University of Cambridge.
Oct. 2021 – Sept. 2022	KU Leuven Postdoctoral Mandate (PDM).
Nov. 2019 – Aug. 2021	Alexander von Humboldt Postdoctoral Fellowship at LMU Munich and the Schelling Commission of the Bavarian Academy of Sciences.
June 2018 – July 2019	Postdoctoral Fellow of the Coordination of Superior Level Staff Improvement (Capes-Brazil) at the Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG).

EDUCATION

Sept. 2013 – Oct. 2017	PhD in Philosophy. Université Catholique de Louvain. Supervisor: Marc Maesschalck.
Aug. 2011 – July 2013	Master in Philosophy. Université Catholique de Louvain (Erasmus Mundus Europhilosophie, Philosophies Françaises et Allemandes). Supervisor: Gilbert Gérard.

PRIZES, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

2022 – 2025	Senior Postdoctoral Fellowship – Research Foundation Flanders (FWO). Host institution: KU Leuven (two years of unpaid leave to carry out the Marie Curie project).
2022 – 2024	Marie Curie Postdoctoral Fellowship (MSCA). Host institution: KU Leuven. Secondment: University of Cambridge.
2021 – 2022	KU Leuven Postdoctoral Mandate.
2019 – 2021	Alexander von Humboldt Postdoctoral Fellowship. Host institution: LMU Munich and Schelling Commission of the Bavarian Academy of Sciences.
2018 – 2019	Postdoctoral Fellowship. Coordination of Superior Level Staff Improvement (Capes-Brazil). Host institution: Federal University of Minas Gerais, Brazil
2015 and 2016	Visiting Fellowship. University of Osaka, Japan (1 month and 3 weeks).
2013 – 2017	PhD Fellowship. Fonds Spécial de la Recherche (FSR). Université Catholique de Louvain.
2011 – 2013	Master Fellowship from the European Commission – Erasmus Mundus Europhilosophie, philosophies françaises et allemandes dans l’espace européen.

PUBLICATIONS

Monograph

La philosophie comme Wissenschaftslehre – le projet fichtéen d’une nouvelle pratique du savoir. Hildesheim / Zurich / New York: Georg Olms – Europaea Memoria, 2018.

Reviews:

- A. Carbone. *Fichte-Studien* 49 (2021): 441–444.
- J. Heleno. In *Revista Filosófica de Coimbra* 29, no 58 (2020): 505–8.

Edited Volume

Forthcoming *The Concept of Nature in Classical German Philosophy* (Berlin: De Gruyter).

Peer-reviewed Articles

- Forthcoming A Missing Link between Kant and Fichte: Ernst Platner's Role in the Genesis of Fichte's Genetic Method. In *Journal of the History of Philosophy*.
- 2024 The Importance of Kant's Schematism for Schelling's Project of a Philosophy of Nature. In *Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie* 106 (1): 79–105.
- 2022 La réévaluation fichtéenne du réalisme à la lumière de son échange épistolaire avec Schelling. In *Fichte-Studien* 51(2): 266–284.
- 2021 Nature at the Core of Idealism – the Birth of Two Strands of Post-Kantian Philosophy. In *Idealistic Studies* 51 (1): 27–49.
- 2020 Fichte et la puissante impuissance du langage. In *Archives de Philosophie* 83 (1): 19–32.
- 2020 From Pure Reason to Human Spirit – Fichte's Philosophical Exploration of a New Semantic Field. In *Revista Filosófica de Coimbra* 29 (57): 89–106.
- 2020 Only Anthropophagy unites us – Oswald de Andrade's Decolonial Project. In *Cultural Studies* 34 (1): 122–42.
- 2018 Knowing, Creating and Teaching – Fichte's Conception of Philosophy as *Wissenschaftslehre*. In *Fichte-Studien* 46: 249–67.
- 2018 *A deutsche Nation e a Razão Tupiniquim* – o pensamento vivo diante do conceito estéril. In *Trans/Form/Ação* 41 (4): 53–74.
- 2017 La matrice juridique et révolutionnaire de la pensée kantienne. In *Kriterion. Revista de Filosofia* 58 (138): 653–72.
- 2016 Le voyageur et le pouvoir magique – une étude de la *Wissenschaftslehre*. In *AUC Interpretationes – Studia Philosophica Europeanea* 6 (1–2): 55–71.
- 2015 La pensée nomade et les ontologies cachées. Eduardo Viveiros de Castro face à la pensée régulatrice. In *AUC Interpretationes – Studia Philosophica Europeanea* 5 (1): 37–58.

Peer-reviewed Book Chapters

- Forthcoming From Kant to Schelling: Metaphysics of Nature and the Rise of Modern Science. In *The Concept of Nature in Classical German Philosophy*, ed. by L. F. Garcia. Berlin: De Gruyter.

- Forthcoming Kant in Südamerika. In *Handbuch Kantianismus*, ed. by J. Noller. Stuttgart: Metzler.
- 2023 Schelling and Röschlaub on the Concept of Life – at the Crossroads between Philosophy and Medicine. In *Philosophy, Medicine, and their Historical Relations*, edited by W. Euler and A. Grzelinski: 217–240. Torún: Nicolaus Copernicus University Publishing House.
- 2020 Notas para uma leitura filosófica do Manifesto Antropófago. In *Filosofia e Literatura: para uma sobrevivência da crítica*, edited by M. Araújo, K. Bresolin, and H. Ribeiro: 63–89. Pelotas: UFPel.
- 2017 Die Inszenierung des Subjekts. Für eine Neubewertung unserer philosophischen Erbschaft. In *Unzugänglichkeit des Selbst. (Interkulturelle) Perspektiven auf die Subjektivität*, edited by F. Gurjanov: 19–44. Nordhausen: Traugott Bautz.

Other

- Forthcoming Ernst Platner: Pragmatische Geschichte, Popularphilosophie, Sprache, Trieblehre. In *Fichte-Handbuch. Leben – Werk – Wirkung*, edited by M. D’Alfonso, A. Falduto, and C. Klotz. Baden-Baden: Nomos.
- 2020 Oswald de Andrade / Anthropophagy. In *ODIP: The Online Dictionary of Intercultural Philosophy (2020)*, Thorsten Botz-Bornstein (ed.), URL = www.Odiphilosophy.com/Anthropophagy.
- 2020 Filosofia e Antropofagia. In *IV Colóquio Pensadores Brasileiros*, edited by P. Margutti, 29–54. Porto Alegre: Editora Fi.
- 2018 De la monoculture de la Raison à l’écologie des Savoirs – Boaventura de Sousa Santos et la lutte contre l’épistémicide. In *L’art du comprendre* 25: 225–42.

Translations with Introduction and Notes

- 2020 Schelling, F. W. J. *Exposição do meu Sistema da Filosofia*. Orig.: *Darstellung meines Systems der Philosophie*. São Paulo: Clandestina.
- 2020 Schelling, F. W. J. *Preleções Privadas de Stuttgart*. Orig.: *Stuttgarter Privatvorlesungen*. São Paulo: Clandestina.

Collaboration in Editorial Work

In preparation Johann Gottlieb Fichte. *Transzendente Logik II (1812)*. Study edition by I. Radrizzani with the collaboration of L. F. Garcia. Stuttgart: Frommann-Holzboog.

Book Reviews

- 2023 Jelscha Schmid, ‘The methods of metaphilosophy Kant, Maimon, and Schelling on how to philosophize about philosophy’. In *Fichte-Studien* 52: 303–309.
- 2022 Michael Lewin, ‘Das System der Ideen: Zur perspektivistischen Begründung der Vernunft im Anschluss an Kant und Fichte’. In *Kantian Journal* 41 (2): 148–158.
- 2021 Karin de Boer, ‘Kant’s Reform of Metaphysics – The Critique of Pure Reason Reconsidered’. In *Studia Kantiana* 19 (1): 121–29.

Organization of Conferences and Lecture Series

- 2024 *Virtual Kant Congress with a Cosmopolitan Purpose*. Co-organized with Andrew Chignell, Karin de Boer, and Alexander Quanbeck. Series of online talks taking place throughout 2024 to mark the 300th anniversary of Kant’s birth.
- Continuous *Leuven Seminar in Classical German Philosophy* (Spring 2022 – present). Lecture Series co-organized with Karin de Boer and Pierpaolo Betti.
- 2023 *German Idealism and the Question of Colonialism*. Co-organized with Pavel Reichl at KU Leuven, February 24–25.
- 2022 *Synthesis and Construction in Classical German Philosophy*. Organized at LMU Munich, November 11–12.
- 2022 *Leuven Kant Conference 2022*. Co-organized with Karin de Boer, Pavel Reichl, and Pierpaolo Betti at KU Leuven (May 26–28).
- 2021 *International Conference: The Concept of Nature in German Idealism*. Organized at LMU Munich (April 8–10).

Talks (2018–2024)

- 2024 Fichte’s Metaphysical Deduction of the Categories. *The Sixteenth Biennial Meeting of The North American Fichte Society*, University College London, June 15.

- 2023 Schelling and the Chemical Revolution. **Invited talk** at the online lecture series *Global Classes*, Pontifical Catholic University of Paraná and University of Ferrara, October 26.
- 2023 Schellings Hypothese der höheren Physik. **Invited talk** at the conference *Schellings Naturphilosophie und ihre Aktualität*, Universität Tübingen, June 26–28.
- 2023 From Knowledge of History to the History of Knowledge: Postcolonial Approaches to German Idealism. *German Idealism and the Question of Colonialism*, KU Leuven, February 24–25.
- 2022 Between Synthesis and Construction. Schelling’s Philosophical Engagement with Chemistry. *Synthesis and Construction in Classical German Philosophy*, LMU Munich, November 11–12.
- 2022 Fichte und Pestalozzi: Transzendentalphilosophie als Bildungssystem. *Fichte-Kongress Leipzig 2022*, Universität Leipzig, September 28 – October 1.
- 2022 Ernst Platner’s History of the Mind: An Underappreciated Link between Kant and Fichte. *Leuven Kant Conference 2022*, KU Leuven, May 26–28.
- 2022 La querelle entre Fichte et Schelling à la lumière du débat écologique. **Invited talk** at the *Journée d’étude sur Schelling et Fichte (1794–1800)*, Université Paris X Nanterre, April 22.
- 2022 Schelling’s Dynamical Account of Matter in Light of his Engagement with Chemistry. **Invited talk** at the Colloquium *Filosofías de la naturaleza en el idealismo alemán*. Universidad Autónoma de Mexico (UNAM), March 23.
- 2021 Der zweite Pantheismus-Vorwurf. *Online-Tagung: F. W. J. Schelling: Über das Wesen der menschlichen Freiheit und die damit zusammenhängenden Gegenstände (Freiheitsschrift)*, IUC-Dubrovnik, May 3–5.
- 2021 A Dynamical Concept of Matter: The Kantian Source of Schelling’s Philosophy of Nature. **Invited talk** at the *Leuven Seminar in German Classical Philosophy* (online), KU Leuven, April 22.
- 2021 Schelling and the Need for a Metaphysics of Nature. Online International Conference *Nature in German Idealism*, LMU Munich, April 9.

- 2020 O conceito de filosofia – do idealismo à Antropofagia. **Invited online inaugural lecture** of the master research program of the Federal University of Mato Grosso (Brazil), September 11.
- 2019 The debate between Fichte and Schelling on Nature. **Invited talk** at the *Colloquio Italo-Brasiliano – Sondaggi nella filosofia della natura moderna e contemporanea*, Università degli Studi di Bari Aldo Moro, December 5.
- 2018 Transcendental philosophy and education – Fichte’s pedagogical insight. *Transcendental philosophy and the public role of philosophy*, international conference at the Diego Portales Universidad, Santiago (Chile), November 26.
- 2018 Le réalisme supérieur et le savoir philosophique – l’échange philosophique entre Fichte et Schelling. *Fichte-Kongress Aix-en-Provence 2018* at the Aix-Marseille Université, October 4–6.

TEACHING

- 2024 BA Course, Early Modern Philosophy: *Modern Science and New Worldviews* at KU Leuven (in Dutch)
- 2023 BA Seminar, Early Modern Philosophy: *Empirical Approaches to the Human Mind* at KU Leuven (in Dutch)
- 2022 MA Course, Metaphysics: *Kant and Fichte on Transcendental Philosophy*, co-taught with Karin de Boer at KU Leuven (in English).
- 2021 BA Seminar, Late Modern Philosophy: *Classical German Philosophy and the Environmental Challenge* at KU Leuven (in English).
- 2021 Advanced Seminar (BA and MA): *The Concept of Nature in German Idealism* at LMU Munich (in German).
- 2020 Advanced Seminar (BA and MA): *French Phenomenology and the Doctrine of Intersubjectivity*, co-taught with Ives Radrizzani at LMU Munich (in German).
- 2019 BA Seminar, Late Modern Philosophy: *The Concept of Spirit in German Idealism: Hegel’s Phenomenology of Spirit* at UFMG (in Portuguese).
- 2019 BA Course, Topics of Philosophy of Culture: *Hegelian Dialectics and its Reception by the Brazilian Anthropophagic Movement* at UGMG (in Portuguese).

2019	BA Course, Topics of Political Philosophy: <i>Introduction to Latin-American Decolonial Philosophy</i> at UFMG (in Portuguese).
2018	BA Course, Topics of Philosophy: <i>Five Concepts of Philosophy from Five Different Geographical Contexts</i> at UFMG (in Portuguese).
2018	BA Seminar: <i>The Concept of Spirit in German Idealism: Fichte and Schelling</i> at UFMG (in Portuguese).
2015	BA Course, Philosophy of Social Sciences: <i>Human Sciences as a Critique of Modernity</i> , co-taught with Fabio Bruschi, Délia Popa, and Gabor Tverdota at UC Louvain (in French).

MASTER'S SUPERVISIONS

2023 – present	Youjia Guo (on Schelling's <i>Essay on Freedom</i>)
2023 – present	Khaya Klanot (on Fichte's concept of nature)
2023 – present	Shahab Vesalimahmoud (on Kant's and Fichte's methods)
2022 – 2023	Derek Burfoot (on Hegel's <i>Phenomenology of Spirit</i>)
2022 – 2023	Zhunlin Dai (on Hegel's philosophy of nature)
2022 – 2023	Paulo Peña (on Fichte's concept of drive)
2022 – 2023	Pelin Ünen (on Hegel's aesthetics)
2022 – 2023	Peter Wilson (on Novalis' concept of philosophy)

TRAINING AND SERVICES TO THE PROFESSION

Ongoing	Referee, in some cases multiple times, for: De Gruyter (book proposal); Fichte-Studien; Journal of Spinoza Studies; Environmental Ethics; Open Philosophy; Exchanges; Symphilosophie – Internationale Zeitschrift für philosophische Romantik; Tijdschrift voor Filosofie; Klesis Revue Philosophique.
2023 – present	Professional development, “Teaching at KU Leuven: Basics of Course Design”
2022 – present	Representative of assisting academic staff (postdoc and PhD) at KU Leuven on departmental and programme committees.