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Research Areas

Area Of Specialisation: Ancient Philosophy

Areas Of Competence: Philosophy of Mathematics, Philosophy of Logic, Feminist Philosophy

Education

DPhil Philosophy **2018 - present**

University of Oxford, Pembroke College

Supervisors: Prof Ursula Coope & Dr Michail Peramatzis

Thesis title: Geometry Without Space: Geometry and the Physics of Spatial Magnitudes in Aristotle

BPhil Philosophy (Distinction) **2016 - 18**

University of Oxford, Somerville College

Supervisor: Prof Anna Marmodoro

Thesis title: Void and Spatiality in Epicurus' *Letter to Herodotus*

MA Philosophy (Distinction) **2013 - 16**

Università di Bologna

Supervisors: Prof Walter Cavini & Prof Marco Panza (CNRS Paris)

Thesis title: Aristotele e la continuità: una lettura della *Fisica*

BA Philosophy (Distinction) **2010 - 13**

Università di Bologna & Université de Dijon-Bourgogne

Publications

Review of Christian Pfeiffer, *Aristotle's Theory of Bodies* (OUP, 2018). *Ancient Philosophy Today: DIALOGOI*. 1 (2019) 2: 256-273.

Review of Diana Quarantotto (ed.) *Aristotle's Physics I. A Systematic Exploration* (CUP, 2018). *Ancient Philosophy Today: DIALOGOI*. 2 (2020) 1: 75-82.

Scholarships & Awards

Clarendon Scholarship **2018 - 21**

University of Oxford & Pembroke College

Full-cost scholarship for the DPhil in Philosophy

Archibald Jackson Prize <i>Somerville College, Oxford</i> Prize for obtaining a Distinction in the BPhil Philosophy	2018
Guido Paolucci Award for the Humanities <i>Rotary Club Bologna</i> Award conferred to the best student of the Humanities Department of the University of Bologna	2016
Award for Academic Excellence <i>Università di Bologna</i>	2015
Erasmus+ Scholarship <i>Visiting Student at Paris I - Panthéon-Sorbonne</i>	2014 - 15
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Erasmus+ Scholarship <i>To cover the costs of living in Dijon for one year, to obtain a binational BA</i>	2012 - 13

Teaching

Atomism vs Continuity in Ancient Physics <i>Lectures, University of Oxford</i>	Michaelmas 2020
Aristotle on Nature, Life and the Mind <i>Tutor at University and Hertford Colleges, Oxford</i>	Trinity 2019; Hilary 2020; Trinity 2020
Plato's <i>Meno</i> and <i>Euthyphro</i> <i>Tutor at University and Wadham Colleges, Oxford</i>	Michaelmas 2019
Feminism and Philosophy <i>Tutor at Somerville and Trinity Colleges, Oxford</i>	Michaelmas 2019
Introduction to Logic <i>Teaching Assistant at Hertford College, Oxford</i>	Michaelmas 2018
Introduction to Modern Philosophy <i>Graduate Teaching Assistant, Università di Bologna</i>	2015 - 16
Philosophy of Science <i>Graduate Teaching Assistant, Università di Bologna</i>	2015
Ancient Greek Translation Seminar <i>Tutor, Università di Bologna</i>	2012 - 14

Conferences

- Geometrical Changes: Change and Motion in Aristotle's Philosophy of Geometry 2020
XIX Congreso Internacional de Filosofía Griega, Madrid postponed due to Covid-19
Aristotle's *Physics* VIII.10, 266a10-b6 2020
ESAP conference in Rome (invited speaker) postponed due to Covid-19
- Abstraction and Intelligible Matter 2020
Triangle Workshop, University of Cambridge (invited speaker) postponed due to Covid-19
- Geometrical Changes: Change and Motion in Aristotle's Philosophy of Geometry 2020
Post Graduate Work in Progress Seminar, Institute for Ancient Studies, London.
- Geometrical Changes: Change and Motion in Aristotle's Philosophy of Geometry 2020
Ancient Philosophy Workshop, University of Oxford (invited speaker)
- Aristotele e gli Oggetti Geometrici 2019
Ciclo di Incontri sulla Metafisica Antica, Università di Pavia (invited speaker)
- Continuité Aristotélicienne 2019
Part of the Symposium 'Continuité, Mathématisation et Changement Conceptuel'; Congrès Triennial International de la Société de Philosophie Analytique, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium.
- Merry-Go-Round: Can the Eternal Circular Motion of the Celestial Spheres Be Considered a Change? 2018
Workshop 'Contemporary Perspectives on Aristotle's Physics', Ligerz, Switzerland.
- On Neo-Fregean Metaontology: MacBride's New Dilemma 2018
11th Cambridge Graduate Conference on the Philosophy of Mathematics and Logic, St John's College, University of Cambridge.

Summer Schools

- Summer School on the History of Space in Mathematics** 2020
Leipzig, Germany postponed due to Covid-19
- MCMP Summer School on Mathematical Philosophy for Female Students** 2016
LMU Munich
- École thématique 'La constitution de l'objectivité mathématique'** 2016
Université Toulouse III Paul Sabatier, CIMI

Organisation of Academic Activities

- DPhil Seminar** 2020
University of Oxford; main organiser
- 23rd Oxford Graduate Philosophy Conference** 2019
University of Oxford; main organiser

Workshop: Pushing the Boundaries: *Kinēsis* and *Peras* in Aristotle's *Physics* 2019
University of Oxford; organiser

Jowett Society 2018
University of Oxford; committee member

Ockham Society 2017
University of Oxford; committee member

Professional Service

Graduate Training Representative 2020 – 2021
University of Oxford

Research Assistant 2019 - now
For Prof Susanne Bobzien, University of Oxford

Referee 2020
Ancient Philosophy Today: DIALOGOI

Interviewer for Undergraduate Admissions 2019
Keble and Worcester Colleges, University of Oxford

Graduate Welfare Representative 2018 - 19
University of Oxford

Languages

Italian
Native Speaker

German
Beginner

English
Fluent (IELTS 8.5/9)

Ancient Greek
Excellent Reading Knowledge

French
Fluent (DALF C2)

Latin
Good Reading Knowledge

References

Prof Ursula Coope
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Prof Anna Marmodoro
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Durham University & Corpus Christi College,
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Dr Michail Peramatzis
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Worcester College, University of Oxford
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