### **EMPLOYMENT**

University of Cologne, CONCEPT, Postdoctoral Fellow 10/2025-now 04/2025-07/2025 University Psychiatric Clinics Basel, National Service ETH Zürich, Chair Michael Hampe, Research Assistant 10/2018-10/2019 Universität Zürich, Faculty of Philosophy, **Teaching Assistant** 09/2015–12/2018

#### **EDUCATION**

## University of Cambridge, PhD in Philosophy

10/2021-03/2025

- · Thesis: Action, Motive, and Self-Knowledge: An Inquiry into the Uncertain Agent
- · Supervisors: Richard Holton, Jessie Munton
- · Examiners: Rae Langton (internal), Richard Moran (Harvard)
- · Exchange Term at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin 04/2022 - 07/2022University of Cambridge, MPhil in Philosophy 09/2020-08/2021

· Best performance in the year

Barcelona School of Economics, MSc in Economics 09/2019-07/2020 Universität Zürich, BA in Philosophy and Economics 09/2014-12/2018

- · Thesis: Wittgenstein on Uncertainty in Introspection
- · Supervisor: Hans-Johann Glock
- · Exchange Term at Utrecht University 02/2017-07/2017

#### **AREAS**

Specialization

Philosophy of Mind, Epistemology, Political Philosophy

Competence

Ethics, Philosophy of Language

# PEER-REVIEWED **PUBLICATIONS**

- 9. Rational Uncertainty and the Success Norm for Inquiry, Mind, forthcoming
- 8. Uncertain Action, **Synthese**, forthcoming
- 7. Wittgenstein, Mouffe and the Depth of Political Disagreement, Synthese, forthcoming
- 6. Scepticism about Self-Knowledge of Motives, The Monist, 108(1): pp. 92–104,
- 5. Is OCD Epistemically Irrational?, Philosophy, Psychiatry & Psychology, 30(2): pp. 133-146, 2023
- 4. The Rational and the Sane: Reply to Kious and Flores, Philosophy, Psychia**try & Psychology**, 30(2): 155–158, 2023
- 3. What's the Linguistic Meaning of Delusional Utterances? Speech Act Theory as a Tool for Understanding Delusions (with Julian Hofmann and Anke Maatz), Philosophical Psychology, 36(7): pp. 1394–1414, 2023
- 2. Can Wittgenstein's Philosophy account for Uncertainty in Introspection?, Wittgenstein-Studien, 12(1): pp. 145–163, 2021
- 1. Soll man PopulistInnen zu Podiumsdiskussionen einladen? (with Martin Beckstein), **Zeitschrift für politische Theorie**, 10(2): pp. 169-192, 2019

## IN PROGRESS

Recent Work in the Epistemology of Inquiry, commissioned for **Analysis**Kind-Explanations and the Off-Ramps of Inquiry (with Jordan Scott), under review at **Philosophical Studies** 

TEACHING	University of Cologne		
	· Self-Knowledge (BA-Seminar)	10/2025 - 02/2026	
	· Scepticism (MA-Seminar)	10/2025 - 02/2026	
	University of Cambridge		
	· Lecturer: Epistemology of Mind	02/2024-04/2024	
	· Supervisor: Political Philosophy	10/2024-06/2025	
	Wittgenstein and his Successors (Anscombe, Austin)	10/2022-06/2025	
	Philosophy of Mind	10/2023-06/2024	
	Epistemology	10/2023-04/2024	
	Philosophy of Science (Economics and Psychiatry)	10/2023-04/2024	
	· History of Philosophy	10/2021-06/2022 10/2022-12/2022	
	Seminar Leader: Metaphysics Universität Zürich	10/2022-12/2022	
	Philosophy of Everyday Life (with Glenn Anderau)	09/2018-12/2018	
	· Wittgenstein: Philosophical Investigations	09/2017-12/2017	
	Formal Logic I & II	02/2016-12/2016	
	· Art and Photography in the Netherlands	09/2015-12/2015	
TALKS	(* = peer-reviewed, ∱ = invited)		
(SELECTION)	Sceptical Inquiry		
	· 2025 Symposium of the Swiss Philosophical Society*	08/2025	
	· Cambridge Episteme Group	03/2025	
	· Moral Sciences Club, University of Cambridge†	11/2023	
	Uncertain Action		
	· Philosophy, Law & Politics Graduate Forum (online)*	05/2024	
	· Theory of Action Conference, University of Neuchâtel	* 12/2023	
	· Dynamics of Agency Conference, University of Helsinki*		
	Rational Uncertainty and the Success Norm for Inquiry		
	· Colloquium for Theoretical Philosophy, University of Zurich <sup>+</sup>		
	• 11 <sup>TH</sup> European Congress for Analytic Philosophy, Vien		
	· Early Career Network on Inquiry (online)*	04/2023	
	Knowing Your Motives		
	· Personality Psychology Lab, Ruhr University†	11/2023	
	· Mental Sciences Club, University of Cambridge†	10/2022	
	· Duties to Oneself Conference, Central European Uni	iversity* 10/2021	
	The Ethics of Diagnoses		
	· Philosophy of Psychopathology Conference at Camb	ridge 06/2023	
	· Health Neuroscience Lab, University of Cambridge	02/2023	
	Kind Explanations and the Off-Ramps of Inquiry (with Jordan Sco	ott)	
	· Word Workshop (online)	10/2024	
	· Rutgers Epistemology Group	11/2022	

OUTREACH	Grübeln nervt—trifft aber einen Nerv der Zeit, (I was featured as an expert in a		
(SELECTION)	piece on overthinking, in German) SRF	06/2025	
	On the Irrationality of OCD, The Philosopher's Nest	12/2024	
	Overthinking wird unterschätzt, (a piece on overthinking in the German edition of		
	'Psychology Today') Psychologie Heute	02/2024	
	Is OCD Epistemically Irrational?, Imperfect Cognitions	12/2023	
	Philosophical Pathologies, Moral Sciences Club Podcast	11/2023	
	If thinking is rational, what makes overthinking irrational?, Psyche	10/2023	
AWARDS	Swiss Study Foundation Annual Scholarship	09/2024	
	DGPPN-Preis für Philosophie der Psychiatrie und Psychotherapie, for my paper "Is OCD Epistemically Irrational?" 11/2022		
	Boustany Cambridge Pembroke Scholarship in Philosophy	09/2021	
	Matthew Buncombe Prize for best performance in the MPhil	07/2021	
	Swiss Study Foundation Financial Support	09/2020	
	Barcelona School of Economics 100% Fee Waiver	09/2019	
	Swiss European Mobility programme Scholarship	02/2017	
SERVICE	Participant in the 'I Didn't Know Philosophers Did That!' Outreach Event, funded by the Institute of Philosophy London 02/2025		
		08/2024–now	
	Refereeing for Philosophers' Imprint, Philosophical Topics, Review of Psychology, Australasian Journal of Philosophy	Philosophy and 04/2023–now	
	One of the secretaries, Moral Sciences Club Cambridge 09/2	022-07/2023	
	Interim Student Representative, Faculty of Philosophy 07/2	022-10/2022	
	Co-organized conference on the Philosophy of Psychopathology, University of Cambridge (with Jessie Munton)  06/2023		
	Co-organized workshop on Duties to Oneself at MANCEPT 2022, University of Manchester (with Janis Schaab) 09/2022		
	Interviewer for prospective students at the University of Cambridge	12/2022	
	Co-organizer Episteme Group 05/9	022-04/2025	
LANGUAGES	German (native), English, Italian, French.		
REFERENCES	On request.		