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Curriculum Vitae

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Education

- Sep. 2016 – Present **University of Saint Andrews**, *PhD in Philosophy*.
- Oct. 2015 – Jul. 2016 **University of Cambridge**, *MPhil in Philosophy*, Final Grade: 2.1, Final Average: 62.
- Oct. 2013 – Sept. 2015 **University of Pisa**, “*Laurea Magistrale*” in *Philosophy (Equivalent MA)*, GPA: 110 *Cum Laude*/110, Equivalent “Full Marks with Highest Distinctions”.
- Sept. 2012 – Sept. 2013 **University of Pisa**, “*Laurea*” in *Philosophy (Equivalent BA)*, GPA: 110 *Cum Laude*/110, Equivalent “Full Marks with Highest Distinctions”.
- Sept. 2010 – Jun. 2012 **Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome**, *Baccalaureate in Philosophy*, GPA 9.5/10, *Magna Cum Laude*.

Awards

- Oct. 2013 **Highest Distinctions BA Graduation Prize**, *University of Pisa*, Total Amount: 250 Euros.
- Oct. 2011 – Jan. 2012 **Student Scholarship**, *Pontifical Gregorian University*, Total Amount: 960 Euros.

Research

- Apr. 2016 – Jun. 2016 **University of Cambridge**, *MPhil Thesis: First-Order Hyper-Actualism. An Enquiry into the Semantics of Modal Logic*, Defended: 20th June 2016, Mark: 58.
- Oct. 2013 – Jul. 2015 **University of Pisa**, *MA Thesis: If Possible then Necessary: Leibniz and Gödel on the Ontological Argument*, Defended: 30th September 2015, Assessment: *Excellent*.
- Oct. 2014 – Dec. 2014 **University of Oxford, Champion Hall**, Graduate Visiting Student.
- Sept. 2012 – Sept. 2013 **University of Pisa**, *BA Thesis: Natural Numbers as Abstract Objects. A Defence of Mathematical Realism*, Defended: 9th September 2013, Assessment: *Excellent*.
- Aug. 2011 – Jun. 2012 **Pontifical Gregorian University**, *Baccalaureate Thesis: Axiomatic Foundation in Mathematics and Gödel’s Incompleteness Theorems*, Submitted: 4th June 2012, Assessment: 10/10.

Academic Experience

- Sep. 2016 – Present **University of St. Andrews**, Member of the **Arché Centre for Logic, Language, Metaphysics and Epistemology**.
Working on the Following Research Projects:
 - *History and Philosophy of Logic and Mathematics*;
 - *Metaphysics: Identity, Existence and Structure*.
- Sep. 2016 – Present **University of St. Andrews**, Member of the Arché Logic Group.

Teaching Activities

- Sep. 2016 – Dec. 2016 **University of Saint Andrews**, Tutor for: *Intermediate Logic*.
- Oct. 2015 – Jun. 2016 **University of Cambridge**, Class Marker for: *Formal Logic* (Part 1A).

Areas of Interest

Modal Logic Philosophy of Logic
Model Theory Metaphysics

Publications

- “*Ens a Se* and *Ens Creatum*: A Twofold Treatment of the Predicate of Existence in Leibniz’s Ontological Argument”, Contribution Accepted for Presentation in the *First World Congress on Logic and Religion*, João Pessoa, Brazil, 1st April – 5th April 2015. Article Forthcoming in the Peer-Review Issue of the Congress.
- “Sussidiarietà e Soggettività della Società”, with E. De Luca and R. Carbonara, in S. SANGALLI (Ed.), *La Sussidiarietà. Mappe e Rotte di Esplorazione*, GB Press, Roma, 2014, 165 - 211.

Talks

Invited Speaker

- **10th Metaphysics Reloaded Conference, Rosmini Institute, Varese, Italy, 14th-15th November 2015**, Talk on: “Modal and Conceptual Ontological Arguments. Some Remarks on Gödel, Descartes and Meinong”.

Accepted Speaker

- **First World Congress on Logic and Religion, João Pessoa, Brazil, 1st – 5th April 2015**. Talk on: “*Ens a Se* and *Ens Creatum*: A Twofold Treatment of the Predicate of Existence in Leibniz’s Ontological Argument”.
- **60th Centro Studi Filosofici di Gallarate Conference, I Fondamenti dell’Etica (Eng. “The Foundations of Ethics”)**, Vercelli, Italy, 9th – 11th September 2015. Talk on: “Che cos’è una Semantica Leibniziana” (Eng. “What is a Leibnizian Semantics?”).