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Employment

2023–   **Graduate Lecturer**
Faculty of Law, University College London

2019–   **Research Assistant**
Dpt. of Philosophy, University of Graz
— Chair of Ethics of Artificial Intelligence (2023–)

Faculty of Law & Dpt. of Philosophy, University of Zurich
— Chair of Applied Ethics (2019–23)
— Chair of Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure Law, and Criminology (2022)
— Chair of Philosophy and Theory of Law, Legal Soc., and Int. Publ. Law (2020–22)
— 'Fundamental Psychological Dispositions in Human-Robot Interactions' (2020)

Education

2022–   **Ph.D. in Law**
University College London
Supervised by Mark Dsouza, John Hyman, and Kevin Toh

Jun–Sep 2023   **Visiting Research Student**
Max Planck Institute for the Study of Crime, Security, and Law
Invited by Philipp-Alexander Hirsch

2019–2021   **Master of Law**
University of Zurich
summa cum laude, Valedictorian (rank 1/215)

2015–2019   **Bachelor of Law**
University of Zurich

Publications

PEER-REVIEWED

2024   **'The Unity of Motive'**. Forthcoming in *Argumenta*.
— runner-up for Young Scholar Prize
— winner of Lex Academic Prize

2023   **'Causation, Foreseeability, and Norms'** (with M. Kneer). *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*, 45, pp. 888–895.

2023   **'Causation and the Silly Norm Effect'** (with M. Kneer). In S. Magen & K. Prochownik (eds.), *Advances in Experimental Philosophy of Law* (pp. 133–168). Bloomsbury Press.
— runner-up for William James Prize

2023	**'Motive and Criminal Liability'**. *Criminal Justice Theory Blog*, online August 4th.
2019	**'From *Is* to *Ought*: How Scientific Research in the Field of Moral Cognition Can Impact the Criminal Law'**. *Cognitio: Student Law Forum*, 1(2), pp. 1–22.

Teaching

† = undergraduate level, ‡ = graduate level

GRADUATE LECTURER

Terms 1–2 '23	**Criminal Law** † Faculty of Law, University College London
Term 1 '23	**Case Studies on Fake News and Falsehoods** † Faculty of Law, University College London

CO-INSTRUCTOR

Fall '21	**Theory and Philosophy of Law** † Faculty of Law, University of Zurich

TUTOR

Fall '21	**Blame and Punishment** † Dpt. of Philosophy, University of Zurich
Fall '20	**Theories of Morality** ‡ Dpt. of Philosophy, University of Zurich
Spring '20	**Thomas Nagel's *The Possibility of Altruism* and *The View from Nowhere*** † Dpt. of Philosophy, University of Zurich

Awards

SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES

2024	**ASLP Essay Prize** Awarded by the Australasian Society of Legal Philosophy for best paper in legal theory.
2024	**Lex Academic Prize** Awarded by Lex Academic, SIFA & *Argumenta* for best paper in action theory and ethics.
2023	**Project Development Grant** Awarded by Clearer Thinking Foundation for 'Understanding Moral Luck' project.
2023	**Young Scholar Prize (finalist)** Runner-up for best submission in practical philosophy at the 15th SIFA Conference.
2023	**Max Planck Fellowship** Full funding for research stay at the MPI for the Study of Crime, Security, and Law.
2022–2025	**Graduate Research Scholarship & Overseas Research Scholarship** UCL's most prestigious funding package 'awarded only to the most outstanding potential and existing research students from all departments and faculties'.

2022–2026	**Hollond-Whittaker Research Studentship (declined)** Full funding to study at Trinity College, University of Cambridge.
2022	**Poster Prize** Best poster at the 3rd SPP and ESPP Joint Conference.
2021	**Orelli Prize** Biannually awarded by the Faculty of Law of UZH for an 'extraordinary thesis'.
2021	**William James Prize (finalist)** Runner-up for best graduate submission and talk at the 47th SPP Annual Meeting.
2019–2020	**Clinton Fellowship** Awarded by ETH Zurich and Clinton Foundation for 'Urban Classroom' project.

<div align="center">TRAVEL BURSARIES</div>

2024	**Criminal Jurisprudence and Philosophy Group** (Cambridge)
2023 (×4)	**Neuchâtel Action Conference** (Neuchâtel); **27th Oxford Graduate Conference in Philosophy** (Oxford); **45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society** (Sydney, ceded); **Philosophy and Computer Science Summer School** (Bayreuth)
2020	**12th Clinton Global Initiative University Conference** (Edinburgh)

Talks

† = refereed, ‡ = invited

'Untangling the Gordian Knot of Motive'

Feb 2024	Edinburgh Criminal Law Discussion Group, Edinburgh University †
Feb 2024	Criminal Jurisprudence and Philosophy Group, Cambridge University †
Nov 2023	Cambridge Legal Theory Discussion Group, Cambridge University †
Sep 2023	Criminal Law Department Meeting, Max Planck Institute for the Study of Crime, Security, and Law

'The Unity of Motive'

Dec 2023	Neuchâtel Action Conference, University of Neuchâtel †
Nov 2023	27th Oxford Graduate Conference in Philosophy, Oxford University †
Sep 2023	15th Conference of the Italian Society for Analytic Philosophy, University of Eastern Piedmont † — runner-up for <u>Young Scholar Prize</u>
Jul 2023	97th Joint Session of the Aristotelian Society and the Mind Association, Open Session, Birkbeck, University of London †

'Closeness and Double Effect'

Sep 2022	Conference for Young Analytic Philosophy, University of Salzburg †

'Causation, Foreseeability, and Norms'

Jul 2023	45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Univ. of Sydney †
Jul 2022	3rd Joint Conference of the Soc. for Philosophy and Psychology and European Soc. for Philosophy and Psychology, Univ. of Milan (poster) † — won <u>Poster Prize</u>

Jul 2022	30th International Association for Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy World Congress, SW 21, Dimitrie Cantemir Christian Univ. of Bucharest †
Feb 2022	Doctoral Students Day: Perspectives on Philosophy in Switzerland, Univ. of Basel (poster) †

'Misascription of Action-Descriptions'

Sep 2022	17th Conference of the Swiss Psychological Society, Univ. of Zurich †
Jun 2022	UK-IVR 2022 Annual Conference, University of Surrey †
Jun 2020	1st European Experimental Philosophy Conf., Charles Univ. Prague †

'Causation and the Silly Norm Effect'

Oct 2021	Georgetown Lab for the Empirical Study of Law and Language, Georgetown University ‡
Oct 2021	Reasons and Decisions Lab, Lake Forest College ‡
Sep 2021	28th Conference of the European Society for Philosophy and Psychology, University of Leipzig †
Aug 2021	Law, Language, and Philosophy Summer School, Inter-University Centre Dubrovnik
Jun 2021	47th Annual Meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Princeton University †
	— runner-up for William James Prize
Jun 2021	2nd European Experimental Philosophy Conf., Charles Univ. Prague †

'Action, Intention, and Double Effect'

May 2021	Values and Reasons Research Colloquium, University of Zurich

'Anscombe, Davidson, and Criminal Law'

May 2020	Values and Reasons Research Colloquium, University of Zurich

'Inculpating Mental States Across Cultures'

Jul 2019	29th International Association for Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy World Congress, SW 148, University of Lucerne

Legal Practice

2019–2022	**Legal Consultant** Levuro (Tech Start-Up)
Jul–Aug 2019	**Law Firm Intern** Schwärzler Attorneys at Law
Sep 2018	**Court Intern** District Court Andelfingen, Canton of Zurich

Summer Schools

Jul 2023	**Philosophy and Computer Science** University of Bayreuth

Aug 2021	**Law, Language, and Philosophy**
	Inter-University Centre Dubrovnik
Jul 2021	**Causation and Responsibility**
	University of Berne
Jul 2021	**Ancient Philosophy**
	University College London

Volunteer and Outreach

Sep 2023	**'Understanding Moral Luck'**
	Clearer Thinking Foundation
	Project aimed at making the ethical implications of moral luck accessible to the public.
Mar 2023	**'Boundaries between Law and Philosophy'**
	The Philosopher's Nest Podcast
	Interviewed about my research and experience in law and philosophy.
Jun 2022	**Career Forum Speaker**
	International School of Schaffhausen (ISSH)
	Introduced prospects in law and philosophy to ca. 25 high schoolers.
2021	**Graduate Student Representative of Switzerland**
	Youth Forum on the Future of the Humanities (EHC 2021)
	Formulated recommendations in cooperation with the Portuguese National Funding Agency, International Council for Philosophy and Human Sciences, and UNESCO.
2019–2021	**'Urban Classroom'**
	Clinton Global Initiative University (CGI U)
	Project aimed at making expert knowledge accessible to the public (led a group of three).
2018–2020	**Legal Consultant**
	University of Zurich Student Association (VSUZH)
	Free legal consultation open to all UZH and ETH students (150+ students assisted).

Service and Supervision

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON

	Writing Tutor
2023–2024	21× LLB
	Academic Mentor
2023–2024	10× LLM
	UCL Journal of Law and Jurisprudence
2022–	Editor
	Research Essay Supervisor
Terms 1–2 '22	1× graduate (relation of law and liberty)

Thesis Co-Supervisor

Spring '23	1× graduate (epistemology of criminal procedure law)
Spring '22	2× undergraduate (constitutional guarantees of freedom and equality)
	2× graduate (sexual violence and consent in criminal law)
Fall '21	3× undergraduate (moral foundations of criminal law in relation to evolutionary biology, neuroscience, and behavioural economics)

Marking Assistant

Spring '22	First-year course 'Legal Theory' (3 ECTS)
Spring '21	First-year course 'Legal History' (6 ECTS) and second-year course 'Private Law II' (18 ECTS)
Fall '20	First-year course 'Public Law I' (15 ECTS)

REFEREE

Full articles	Bloomsbury Press, *Cognitive Science*, Cognitive Science Society (2x), Northeast Normativity Workshop (2×), *UCL Journal of Law and Jurisprudence*
Abstracts	AI Ethics and Human-Computer Interaction (8×)