

# MARTIN JUSTIN

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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## EDUCATION

<i>Phd in Philosophy</i>	2024-	University of Maribor, Slovenia
	Faculty of Arts	Description: PhD project in higher-order evidence on the intersection of epistemology and philosophy science.
		Advisors: Asst. Prof. Borut Trpin & Prof. Dunja Šešelja (RUB)
<i>Master of Philosophy</i>	2021-2024	University of Ljubljana, Slovenia
	Average score: 10/10 · Faculty of Arts	
	Thesis: <i>Disagreement in Scientific Communities</i>	Supervisors: Prof. Olga Markič, Asst. Prof. Borut Trpin, & Prof. Dunja Šešelja (RUB)
<i>Bachelor of Philosophy and Comparative Literature</i>	2017-2021	University of Ljubljana, Slovenia
	Average score: 9.98/10 · Faculty of Arts	
	Supervisors: Prof. Vanesa Matajc (comparative literature), Assoc. Prof. Sebastjan Vörös (philosophy)	

## PUBLICATIONS

<i>The British Journal for the Philosophy of Science</i>	2025	Coherence as a Constraint on Scientific Inquiry
	Authors:	Borut Trpin and Martin Justin · <a href="#">link</a>
	2025	The Mix Matters: Exploring the Interplay Between Epistemic and Zetetic Norms in Scientific Disagreement
<i>Episteme</i>	Authors:	Martin Justin, Dunja Šešelja, Christian Straßer, Borut Trpin · <a href="#">link</a>
	2025	More Hope For Conciliationism
	Authors:	Martin Justin · <a href="#">link</a>

## TALKS

<i>The Legacy of the Vienna Circle a Century On</i>	Dec 2025	Neurath's Bet on Random Allocation of Research Funding
	Location:	Maribor, Slovenia

*Philosophy  
Students'  
Symposium 2025*

*Nov 2025*

Industry Bias and Zombie Hypotheses in Biomedical Science

Location: Maribor, Slovenia

*EPSA 2025*

*Aug 2025*

Industry Sponsorship Bias as Higher-Order Evidence: An Agent-Based Exploration

With Dunja Šešelja, Christian Straßer, Borut Trpin · Location: Groningen, The Netherlands

*Bled Philosophy  
Conference 2025*

*Jun 2025*

Is Higher-Order Evidence Predictably Misleading?

Location: Bled, Slovenia

*Nenad In Our  
Minds*

*May 2025*

Coherence, Belief Updating, and Epistemic Luck: A Computational Exploration

With Borut Trpin · Location: University of Maribor, Slovenia

*The Legacy of  
Nenad's  
Philosophical  
Thought*

*Apr 2025*

Coherence, Belief Updating, and Epistemic Luck: A Computational Exploration

With Borut Trpin · Location: University of Rijeka, Croatia

*Big Mistake! Big!  
HUGE!*

*Mar 2025*

More Hope for Conciliationism

Location: University of Milan, Italy

*Formal Models of  
Scientific Inquiry*

*Jan 2025*

Coherence as a Filter for Misleading Information: An Agent-Based Exploration

With Borut Trpin · Location: University of Bochum, Germany

*Philosophy  
Students'  
Symposium 2024*

*Nov 2024*

Is Higher-Order Evidence Predictably Misleading?

Location: University of Maribor, Slovenia

*Methodological  
Trends in  
Contemporary  
Philosophy*

*Oct 2024*

The Value of Social Coherence in Science: An Agent-Based-Modelling Exploration

With Borut Trpin · Location: University of Ljubljana, Slovenia

*Understanding  
Scientific  
Disagreement*

*Sept 2024*

Norms of Peer Disagreement in the Context of Scientific Inquiry

Location: University of Bologna, Italy

*The 5th EENPS  
Biennial  
Conference*

*Sept 2024*

The Value of Social Coherence in Science: An Agent-Based-Modelling Exploration

With Borut Trpin · Location: Jagiellonian University, Kraków, Poland

*The Inquiry  
Network WIP  
Talks*

*Mar 2024*

Towards Zetetic Social epistemology

*Workshop on  
Computational  
Models in Social  
Epistemology*

*Philosophy  
Students'  
Symposium*

*Ethical Challenges  
of Artificial  
Intelligence and  
New Technologies*

*COGSCI22:  
Slovenian  
Cognitive Science  
Conference*

*The 8th TMU  
Student  
Philosophy  
Conference*

*Dr. Uroš Seljak's  
Award*

*DAAD  
Short-Term Grant*

*ERASMUS+  
Scholarship*

*City of Ljubljana's  
scholarship*

*EUTOPIA  
Undergraduate  
Research Grant*

with Dunja Šešelja and Christian Straßer · given online

*Dec 2023*

Why Inquisitive Norms Matter: Exploring Peer Disagreement  
with an Agent-Based Model

with Dunja Šešelja and Christian Straßer · Ruhr-University Bochum, Germany

*Nov 2022*

Environmental Ethics and Identity Problem

University of Maribor, Slovenia · given online

*Oct 2022*

Is explainability necessary for trustworthiness?

Location: University of Ljubljana, Slovenia

*Oct 2022*

Opacity and understanding in artificial neural networks: a  
philosophical perspective

Location: Institute 'Jožef Štefan', Ljubljana, Slovenia

*Dec 2021*

Mill and Whewell on discovery and proof of scientific theories

Tarbiat Modares University, Tehran, Iran · given online

#### GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND AWARDS

*2025*

Award for the best scientific publication by a student at  
University of Ljubljana for *More Hope for Conciliationism*

Amount: \$10 000 · shared with one other awardee

*2024*

Short-term research grant, awarded by DAAD, for a 4-month  
research project on peer disagreement at Ruhr-University  
Bochum.

Amount: €5600 · declined because of conflict with contract at Uni Maribor

International exchange scholarship at Ruhr University Bochum,  
Bochum, Germany

Period: October 2023–December 2023

Study scholarship for talented students

Period: October 2021–July 2024

Undergraduate Research Support Scheme Grant, awarded for the  
research project 'The Concept of Gestalt in Merleau-Ponty's  
philosophy'

Period: June 2021–August 2021

## RESEARCH VISITS

*University of  
Johannesburg,  
South Africa*

Visit to the African Center for Epistemology and Philosophy of Science

Period: February 23–28, 2026

*Ruhr-University  
Bochum, Germany*

Visit to the Reasoning, Rationality and Science Group to work with Dunja Šešelja and Christian Straßer

Period: September 2023–December 2023

## EDITORIAL WORK

*Editorial  
Assistant*

2024–  
Acta Analytica

[link](#)

## ORGANIZATIONAL ACTIVITIES

*Workshop  
organization*

Dec 2025  
The Legacy of the Vienna Circle a Century On

Date: December 4–5, 2025 · 15 participants

*Workshop  
organization*

Novr 2025  
Philosophy Students' Symposium 2025

Date: November 18, 2025 · 15 participants

*Conference  
organization*

Jun 2025  
Bled Philosophy Conference 2025

Date: June 2–June 6, 2025 · 60 participants

*Conference  
organization*

May 2025  
Nenad in Our Minds

Date: May 27–May 28, 2025 · 20 participants

*Workshop  
organization*

Nov 2024  
Philosophy Students' Symposium 2024

Date: November 19–November 20, 2024 · 15 participants

*Workshop  
organization*

Oct 2024  
Methodological Trends and Challenges in Contemporary Philosophy

Date: October 25–October 26, 2024 · 15 participants

## OTHER INFORMATION

*Computer Skills*

MS OFFICE	· Proficient
LATEX	· Proficient
PYTHON	· Intermediate

*Languages*

SLOVENIAN · Native tongue

ENGLISH · Fluent

GERMAN · Basic

*Interests*

Literature · Writing · Cooking · Movies

December 4, 2025