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## EMPLOYMENT

Since 2024      **Lecturer for Logic**, Department of Philosophy, University of Salzburg

## EDUCATION

2025      **Ph.D. in Philosophy**, Center for Logic, Language, and Cognition (LLC), University of Turin. Thesis: Bicontextualism for Truths and Sets. Supervisors: Andrea Iacona, Lorenzo Rossi. Referees: Francesca Boccuni, Øystein Linnebo

2022      Visiting Ph.D. Student, Munich Center for Mathematical Philosophy (MCMP), University of Munich, Germany. Supervisor: Hannes Leitgeb

2021      **Master's Degree in Logic and Philosophy of Science** (M.A.), Munich Center for Mathematical Philosophy (MCMP), University of Munich. Thesis: *Higher-Order Bicontextualism*. Supervisors: Lorenzo Rossi, Hannes Leitgeb

2019      **Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy** (B.A.), University of Heidelberg. Thesis: *An Argument Against the Set-Theoretic Multiverse*. Supervisors: Anton Friedrich Koch, Oliver Schlaudt

## AREA OF SPECIALIZATION

Logic; Philosophy of Mathematics; Theories of Truth; Philosophy of Language.

## AREA OF COMPETENCE

Metaphysics; Epistemology; History of Analytic Philosophy

LANGUAGES    German (native)

English (professional proficiency; teaching experience)

## PUBLICATIONS

1.      Set-Theoretic Bicontextualism, *Review of Symbolic Logic* (2025), [doi.org/10.1017/S1755020325100774](https://doi.org/10.1017/S1755020325100774)

2. A Kripkean Theory of Truth for Unrestricted Higher-Order Languages, Revise & Resubmit, *Erkenntnis*.
3. Contextualism in Set Theory (with Lorenzo Rossi and Chris Scambler, in preparation)
4. Unfolding Unfolding – A Predicativist Approach to Potentialism (with Martin Fischer and David Hofmann, in preparation)
5. Higher-Order Quantification in Natural Language (in preparation)
6. Partial Absolutism – An Intermediate Position between Generality Absolutism and Generality Relativism (in preparation)

#### TALKS

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| <i>Jun 2022</i>   | Kripkean Satisfaction For Unrestricted Higher-Order Languages, Fino June Seminar, Genoa, Italy  |
| <i>Sep 2022</i>   | Kripkean Satisfaction For Unrestricted Higher-Order Languages, FilMat4, Pavia, Italy  |
| <i>Okt 2022</i>   | Kripkean Satisfaction For Unrestricted Higher-Order Languages, Research Seminar, MCMP Munich, Germany   |
| <i>Nov 2022</i>   | Kripkean Satisfaction For Unrestricted Higher-Order Languages, Research Seminar, Konstanz, Germany  |
| <i>May 2023</i>   | Higher-Order Logic and Generality Absolutism, Guest Lecture in the seminar “Higher-order logics and their applications”, Salzburg, Austria          |
| <i>May 2023</i>   | Set-Theoretic Bicontextualism, Fino Work in Progress Seminar, online  |
| <i>June 2023</i>  | Set-Theoretic Bicontextualism, Science & More Talks, University of Turin  |
| <i>Sept 2023</i>  | Set-Theoretic Bicontextualism, 1st Conference of the ESPM, King’s College, London, UK   |
| <i>April 2024</i> | Set-Theoretic Bicontextualism, Foundations of Mathematics, Truth, and Implicit Commitments (FOMTIC), Warsaw, Poland                                 |
| <i>April 2024</i> | Set-Theoretic Bicontextualism, Fino Work in Progress Seminar, online  |
| <i>June 2024</i>  | Set-Theoretic Bicontextualism, Constructional Approaches in the Foundations of Mathematics and Philosophy Graduate Conference (CFORS), Oslo, Norway |

- Feb 2025*      Unfolding Unfolding – A Constructivist Account to Potentialism, Generality and Impredicativity, Milan, Invited Speaker
- Feb 2026*      Unfolding Unfolding – A Constructivist Account to Potentialism, Work in Progress Seminar, Pisa, Invited Speaker

#### TEACHING

- WiSe 24-25*      Logic for Philosophers 1 (Propositional Logic), BA-level, German, exercise class, 2h
- SoSe 25*      Logic for Philosophers 2 (Predicate Logic), BA-level, German, lecture and exercise class, 4h (nominated for the Excellence in Teaching Award)
- WiSe 25-26*      Logic for Philosophers 1 (Propositional Logic), BA-level, German, lecture and exercise class, 4h
- WiSe 25-26*      Metalogic, BA/MA-level, English, seminar, 2h
- SoSe 26*      Logic for Philosophers 2 (Predicate Logic), BA-level, German, lecture and exercise class, 4h (upcoming)
- SoSe 26*      Philosophy of Mathematics, BA/MA-level, English, seminar, 4h (upcoming)

#### ADDITIONAL RESEARCH ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2021 – 2024*      Doctoral Studentship of circa 60.000€ from the *Northwest Italy Philosophy PhD Program (FINO)*

#### SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Reviewer for Erkenntnis

#### ACADEMIC REFEREES

- Hannes Leitgeb*      Humboldt Professor, Chair Head of the Munich Center for Mathematical Philosophy, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München, Germany, [Hannes.Leitgeb@lmu.de](mailto:Hannes.Leitgeb@lmu.de)
- Andrea Iacona*      Professor of Logic, Center for Logic, Language, and Cognition, University of Turin  
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- Julien Murzi*      Associate Professor of Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, University of Salzburg, Austria  
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