

Curriculum Vitae

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Areas of Specialisation

Logic, Philosophy of Language, Metaethics

Areas of Competence

Phil. of Mathematics, Epistemology, Semantics & Pragmatics, Phil. of AI

Employment

Postdoctoral Researcher, ILLC & Dpt. of Philosophy, University of Amsterdam. since **16.06.2018**

Education

Doctorate (PhD), ILLC, University of Amsterdam. **2014–2018**

Title of the Dissertation: *Assertion and Rejection*.

Master of Science in Logic, ILLC, University of Amsterdam. **2013–2014**

Two-year graduate degree. Track: Logic & Language.

Graduation after 10 months as a *fast track* student.

Thesis: *Uptake, Clarification, and Argumentation*.

Master of Science in Mathematics, University of Bonn. **2011–2013**

Two-year graduate degree. Minor in Theoretical Philosophy. Specialisation in Set Theory.

Thesis: *Forcing Axioms through Iterations of Minimal Counterexamples*.

Bachelor of Science in Mathematics, University of Bonn. **2008–2011**

Three-year undergraduate degree. Minor in Informatics. Specialisation in Mathematical Logic.

Thesis: *Formalizing the Gödel Completeness Theorem*.

Distinctions

Sanders Prize in Metaethics, Marc Sanders Foundation. **2019**

Awarded for *Inferential Expressivism and the Negation Problem* (shared with Luca Incurvati).

Springer Award for Best Paper, ESSLLI Student Session. **2015**

Awarded for *A Formal Semantics of the Final Rise* (oral presentation category).

Distinction Degree, University of Bonn. **2013**

My MSc Mathematics was awarded the distinction grade *ausgezeichnet* (excellent).

Scholarship, Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes (German Academic Scholarship Foundation). **2009–2014**

The *Studienstiftung* is regarded as Germany's oldest and most prestigious gifted education organisation. Admission is highly competitive. The scholarship covers living expenses, tuition for study abroad and a contribution to research/study expenses.

Abiturpreis, Deutsche Mathematiker-Vereinigung (German Mathematical Society). **2008**

Prize for exceptional achievements in Mathematics in the *Abitur* examination.

List of Publications

@ indicates alphabetic ordering of authors; otherwise, the order of authors is by contribution.

In Journals

- @ Luca Incurvati and Julian J. Schlöder (forthcoming). “Epistemic Multilateral Logic”, *Review of Symbolic Logic*.
- Julian J. Schlöder (2021). “Counterfactual Knowability Revisited”, *Synthese* 198, pp. 1123–1137.
- Julian J. Schlöder and Alex Lascarides (2020). “Understanding Focus: Pitch, Placement and Coherence”, *Semantics & Pragmatics*.
- @ Luca Incurvati and Julian J. Schlöder (2019). “Weak Assertion”, *Philosophical Quarterly* 69(277), pp. 741–770.
- Julian J. Schlöder (2018). “The Logic of the Knowledge Norm of Assertion”, *Thought: A Journal of Philosophy* 7(1), pp. 49–57.
- @ Luca Incurvati and Julian J. Schlöder (2017). “Weak Rejection”, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* 95(4), pp. 741–760.
- Julian J. Schlöder and Peter Koepke (2012). “The Gödel Completeness Theorem for Uncountable Languages”, *Formalized Mathematics* 20(3).
- Julian J. Schlöder and Peter Koepke (2012). “Transition of Consistency and Satisfiability under Language Extensions”, *Formalized Mathematics* 20(3).

In Volumes

- Julian J. Schlöder (forthcoming). “Assertion and Rejection”, in: ed. Daniel Altshuler, *Linguistics meets Philosophy*, Cambridge UP.
- @ Luca Incurvati and Julian J. Schlöder (2021). “Inferential Expressivism and the Negation Problem”, *Oxford Studies in Metaethics*, vol. 16. **[Sanders Prize in Metaethics]**

In Proceedings

- Daniel Altshuler and Julian J. Schlöder (forthcoming). “If pictures are stative, what does this mean for discourse interpretation?”, in *Proceedings of Sinn und Bedeutung* 25 (2020).
- Julian J. Schlöder and Raquel Fernández (2019). “How to Reject *What* in Dialogue”, in *Proceedings of the 23rd Workshop on the Semantics and Pragmatics of Dialogue (Semdial 2019, “LondonLogue”)*.
- Julian J. Schlöder, Antoine Venant and Nicholas Asher (2018). “Aligning Intentions: Acceptance and Rejection in Dialogue”, in *Proceedings of Sinn und Bedeutung* 21.
- Julian J. Schlöder (2017). “Towards a Formal Semantics of Verbal Irony”, in *Proceedings of Formal Approaches to the Dynamics of Linguistic Interaction*.
- Julian J. Schlöder, Ellen Breitholtz and Raquel Fernández (2016). “Why?”, in *Proceedings of the 20th Workshop on the Semantics and Pragmatics of Dialogue (SemDial 2016, “JerSem”)*.
- Julian J. Schlöder and Alex Lascarides (2015). “Interpreting English Pitch Contours in Context”, in *Proceedings of the 19th Workshop on the Semantics and Pragmatics of Dialogue (SemDial 2015, “goDial”)*.
- Julian J. Schlöder (2015). “A Formal Semantics of the Final Rise”, in *Student Session of the 2015 European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information (ESSLLI)*. **[Best Paper Award]**
- Julian J. Schlöder and Raquel Fernández (2015). “Pragmatic Rejection”, in *Proceedings of the 11th International Conference on Computational Semantics (IWCS 2015)*.

Julian J. Schlöder and Raquel Fernández (2015). “Clarifying Intentions in Dialogue: A Corpus Study”, in *Proceedings of the 11th International Conference on Computational Semantics (IWCS 2015)*.

Julian J. Schlöder and Raquel Fernández (2014). “The Role of Polarity in Inferring Acceptance and Rejection in Dialogue”, in *Proceedings of the 15th Annual Meeting of the Special Interest Group on Discourse and Dialogue (SIGDIAL 2014)*.

Edited Volumes

Julian J. Schlöder, Dean McHugh and Floris Roelofsen, eds. (2019). *Proceedings of the 22nd Amsterdam Colloquium*.

Dissertation

Julian J. Schlöder (2018). *Assertion and Rejection*, ILLC Dissertation Series DS-2018-07.

Under Review

- @ Luca Incurvati and Julian J. Schlöder (under review). “Meta-inferences and Supervaluationism”.
- @ Thomas Schindler and Julian J. Schlöder (under review). “The Proper Formulation of the Minimalist Theory of Truth”.
- @ Luca Incurvati and Julian J. Schlöder (under review). “Inferential Deflationism”.
- @ Maria Aloni, Luca Incurvati and Julian J. Schlöder (under review). “Epistemic Modality in Hypothetical Reasoning”.

In Preparation

Julian J. Schlöder (in prep). “Fitch-Like Paradoxes: The Dynamic Solution”.

Julian J. Schlöder (in prep). “Harmony and Identity and Modality”.

Julian J. Schlöder and Daniel Altshuler (in prep). “Reference in Mixed Media Discourse”.

Talks

Keynote

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| “Rejection in the Conversation Game”, <i>SPAGAD2 Workshop</i> , ZAS, Berlin / Online. | 27.06.2020 |
| “Inferential Expressivism about Truth”, <i>Workshop on propositions, properties, sets, and other abstract objects</i> , ILLC, Amsterdam. | 08.02.2020 |
| “Inferential Expressivism and the Negation Problem”, <i>Mini-Workshop on Discourse</i> , ZAS, Berlin. | 02.03.2020 |
| “Focus and Intonation in SDRT”, <i>Mini-Workshop on Discourse</i> , ZAS, Berlin. | 02.03.2020 |
| “The Logic of the Knowledge Norm of Assertion”, <i>PALLMYR 11</i> , University College London. | 11.11.2019 |
| “Understanding Focus: Pitch, Placement and Coherence” (with Alex Lascarides), <i>Rutgers Semantics and Pragmatics Workshop</i> , Rutgers University, New Brunswick. | 28.04.2017 |

Invited

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| “Inferential Expressivism as a Theory of Meaning”, <i>Logic in Konstanz Colloquium & Philosophy Colloquium</i> , University of Konstanz. | 14.11.2019 |
| “The Limits of (Possible) Knowledge”, <i>CLPS Seminar</i> , KU Leuven. | 22.02.2019 |

“Weak Assertion”, <i>Philosophy Seminar</i> , University of Gothenburg.	08.06.2018
“Understanding Focus”, <i>Linguistics Seminar</i> , University of Gothenburg.	01.11.2016
“Communication Without Mindreading”, <i>Agents Group Seminar</i> , University of Edinburgh.	15.06.2016
“Weak Rejection and Classical Negation”, <i>Oberseminar mathematische Logik</i> , University of Bonn.	10.06.2016
“Weak Rejection”, <i>Logic in Konstanz Colloquium</i> , University of Konstanz.	07.01.2016

Refereed

“If Pictures are Stative, what does that Mean for Discourse Interpretation?” (with Daniel Altshuler), <i>Sinn und Bedeutung</i> 25, London / Online.	03.09.2020
“Epistemic Modals under Quantification: A Proof-Theoretic Perspective” (with Luca Incurvati), <i>Semantics and Philosophy in Europe (SPE) 2019</i> , Warsaw.	20.09.2019
“Inferential Expressivism and the Negation Problem” (with Luca Incurvati), <i>Madison Metaethics Workshop (MadMeta) 2019</i> , University of Wisconsin–Madison.	14.09.2019
“How To Reject What in Dialogue”, <i>SemDial 2019 (LondonLogue)</i> , London.	05.09.2019
“Focus and Tune in Discourse”, <i>Information Structure in Spoken Language Corpora 3 (ISSLaC3)</i> , University of Münster.	07.12.2018
“Epistemic Modals, Epistemic Adverbs, and Weak Assertions”, <i>PLM Masterclass with Angelika Kratzer</i> , University of Salzburg.	22.10.2018
“Towards a Formal Semantics of Verbal Irony”, <i>Formal Approaches to the Dynamics of Linguistic Interaction</i> , ESSLLI 2017.	19.07.2017
“Weak Rejection and Classical Negation”, <i>Colloquium Logicum</i> , Hamburg.	11.09.2016
“Aligning Intentions: Acceptance and Rejection in Dialogue”, <i>Sinn und Bedeutung</i> 21, University of Edinburgh.	05.09.2016
“Why?”, <i>SemDial 2016 (JerSem)</i> , Rutgers University, New Brunswick.	16.06.2016
“Interpreting English Pitch Contours in Context”, <i>SemDial 2015 (goDial)</i> , University of Gothenburg.	25.09.2015
“A Formal Semantics of the Final Rise”, <i>ESSLLI Student Session 2015</i> , Barcelona.	05.08.2015
“Pragmatic Rejection”, <i>International Conference on Computational Semantics (IWCS) 2015</i> , London.	16.04.2015
“The Role of Polarity in Inferring Acceptance and Rejection in Dialogue”, <i>SIGdial Conference 2014</i> , Philadelphia.	19.06.2014

Internal

“Fitch-like Paradoxes, the Dynamic Solution”, <i>Meaning, Language and Cognition Seminar</i> , ILLC, Amsterdam / Online.	13.11.2020
“Inferential Expressivism and the Negation Problem” (with Luca Incurvati), <i>Workshop on Bilateral Approaches to Meaning</i> , ILLC, Amsterdam.	21.06.2019
“English Intonational Meaning in Context”, <i>Logic Tea Seminar</i> , ILLC, Amsterdam.	27.10.2015
“Modelling Intonational Meaning in English”, <i>LeGO Seminar</i> , ILLC, Amsterdam.	11.09.2015
“The Influence of Logical Polarity on Acceptance and Rejection Force”, <i>LoLa Day Seminar</i> , ILLC, Amsterdam.	13.06.2014

Visiting Positions

University of Gothenburg, Department of Philosophy, Linguistics and Theory of Science.

Visiting Faculty (May–Jun 2018) and Visiting PhD Researcher (Nov 2016)

University of Edinburgh, School of Informatics.

Visiting PhD Student (Jun–Sep 2016 & Jan–Mar 2015)

Paul Sabatier University / Toulouse III, IRIT.

Visiting PhD researcher (Nov–Dec 2015)

Service

Journal Reviewing: *dialectica*; *Erkenntnis**; *Inquiry*; *Journal of Applied Logics*; *Journal of Applied Non-Classical Logics*; *Linguistics & Philosophy**; *Logica Universalis*; *Logique et Analyse*; *Review of Symbolic Logic**; *Semantics & Pragmatics**; *Synthese**; *Teorema*. (*multiple reviews)

Academic Press Reviewing: Cambridge UP.

Conference Reviewing: EACL 2017; Amsterdam Colloquium 2015 & 2017; Semantics & Philosophy in Europe (SPE) 2019; Conference of the Dutch Research School of Philosophy (OZSW) 2019.

Grant Reviewing: NWO (Dutch Research Council) VENI scheme (2018).

Workshop/Conference Organisation: Workshop on Non-Assertoric Speech Acts (Amsterdam/online 2021); 22nd Amsterdam Colloquium (2019); Workshop on Bilateral Approaches to Meaning (Amsterdam, 2019); Workshop on Formal Models of Context (Amsterdam 2018; sole organiser; supported by an NWO *incidentele steun* grant); Workshop on Negation at the 20th Amsterdam Colloquium (2015).

Seminar Organisation: EXPRESS Seminar (Amsterdam, since 2018); Meaning, Language and Cognition Seminar (Amsterdam, 2020); DIP Colloquium Seminar (Amsterdam, 2019–2020); Logic Tea Seminar (Amsterdam, 2014–2017).

Languages

German (native); English (fluent); Dutch (basic); Latin (competence in translation / *Latinum* certificate).

Teaching

Supervision and Examination

Graduate Theses: MSc Logic (Amsterdam): Pedro del Valle-Inclan (Phil. Logic), Simon Vonlanthen (Phil. of Language), Bas Kortenbach (Phil. of Logic).

Undergraduate Theses: BA Philosophy (Amsterdam): Ayanna Berg (Phil. of Physics), Floris Eskens (Metaphysics), Raoul Koudijs (Phil. of Math); BSc AI (Amsterdam): Jerke van den Berg (Machine Learning).

Non-graduation projects: 1 project in the MSc Logic (Amsterdam).

Second Reader / Graduation Committee Member: MSc Logic (Amsterdam): 8 graduation theses.

Mentoring

Academic Mentor, MSc Logic, Amsterdam.

since 2018

Individual mentoring of graduate students (advising on course selection and plans after graduation).

Lecturer

- Mathematical Proof Methods for Logic**, Amsterdam. W. 2020
MSc Logic. This is a remedial course covering basic formal logic and first steps to advanced results.
- Minimalism about Truth**, Amsterdam. W. 2019
MSc Logic. Co-taught with Thomas Schindler.
- Anaphora and Ambiguity in Narratives**, European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information. S. 2019
Introductory level. Co-taught with Daniel Altshuler.
- Philosophy of Language**, Yerevan Academy for Linguistics and Philosophy (YALP). S. 2019
Introductory level. YALP is a summer programme aiming to bring analytic methods to Armenia and Middle-Eastern countries, preparing students to apply for graduate programmes in linguistics and philosophy.
- Discourse Semantics**, YALP. S. 2018
Introductory level.
- Philosophy of Art**, YALP. S. 2018 & S. 2019 (2x)
Introductory level. Co-taught with other YALP lecturers. (I teach a section about subjectivity.)
- Discourse Coherence in Dialogue**, University of Gothenburg. S. 2018
Graduate programme of the Centre for Linguistic Theory and Studies in Probability.
- Formal Pragmatics**, Amsterdam. W. 2017
MSc Logic.
- Meaning, Reference and Modality**, Amsterdam. W. 2014
MSc Logic and MA Philosophy. Substitute lecturer for 2 weeks.
- Formal Mathematics**, Scientific Seminar of the *Studienstiftung*. W. 2014 & S. 2015 (2x)
Two one-week courses (with Peter Koepke).

Teaching Assistant / Guest Lecturing

- Philosophical Logic**, Amsterdam. W. 2016 & W. 2019 (2x)
MSc Logic. Guest lecturing and student mentoring. Primary instructor: Robert van Rooij.
- Meaning, Reference and Modality**, Amsterdam. W. 2016 – W. 2019 (4x)
MSc Logic and MA Philosophy. Guest lecturing and student mentoring. Primary instructor: Paul Dekker.
- Language, Speech and Dialogue Processing**, Amsterdam. S. 2017 – S. 2019 (3x)
BSc AI. Guest lecturing. Primary instructor: Tom Lentz.
- Philosophy of Mathematics**, Amsterdam. S. 2017
MSc Logic and MA Philosophy. Supervision of essay writing and grading. Primary instructor: Luca Incurvati.
- Basic Logic**, Amsterdam. W. 2015
MSc Logic. Grading and tutorial classes. Primary instructor: Luca Incurvati.
- Computational Pragmatics**, Amsterdam. W. 2015
MSc Logic and MSc AI. Guest lecturing and grading. Primary instructor: Raquel Fernández.
- Computational Semantics and Pragmatics**, Amsterdam. W. 2014
MSc Logic and MSc AI. Guest lecturing and grading. Primary instructor: Raquel Fernández.