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Education

- 10.2016 – 07.2020 PhD in Philosophy
Berlin School of Mind and Brain & Institut für Philosophie – Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Germany)
Thesis: “Emotions as functional kinds: a meta-theoretical approach to constructing scientific theories of emotions.”
Qualification: *Summa cum laude*
Committee: Michael Pauen (HU Berlin), Jesse Prinz (CUNY), Henrik Walter (Charité)
Publication pending
- 10.2014 – 08.2016 Master of Arts
Berlin School of Mind and Brain – Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Germany)
Thesis: “Defining emotions scientifically: Folk-psychology and natural kinds”
Supervisors: Michael Pauen (HU Berlin) and Jesse Prinz (CUNY)
- 07.2009 – 03.2014 Pregrado en Filosofía
Escuela de Ciencias Humanas – Universidad del Rosario (Bogotá, Colombia)
Thesis: “La naturalización de las emociones: anotaciones a partir de Wittgenstein”
Supervisor: Carlos Alberto Cardona Suárez

Publications

Articles

- Loaiza, J. R. (2020). Emotions and the problem of variability. *Review of Philosophy and Psychology*. doi: 10.1007/s13164-020-00492-8
- Loaiza, J. R. (2017). Molyneux’s Question in Berkeley’s Theory of Vision. *THEORIA. Revista de Teoría, Historia y Fundamentos de la Ciencia*, 32(2), 231–247. doi: 10.1387/theoria.15984
- Eickers, G., Loaiza, J. R., & Prinz, J. J. (2017). Embodiment, Context-Sensitivity, and Discrete Emotions: A Response to Moors. *Psychological Inquiry*, 28(1), 31–38. doi: 10.1080/1047840X.2017.1255492
- Cardona Suárez, C. A., & Loaiza Arias, J. R. (2016). ¿Cómo construir cuerpos individuales en el universo cartesiano? *Anales del Seminario de Historia de la Filosofía*, 33(2), 489–515. doi: 10.5209/ASHF.53594
- Loaiza, J. R. (2014). La introspección en la psicología de William James: una mirada fenomenológica. *Légein*(18), 59–72.

Books and book chapters

- Loaiza, J. R., Montenegro, N., & Cardona Suárez, C. A. (2016). El problema de Molyneux: aspectos empíricos y conceptuales. In O. L. Gómez & J. I. Racines (Eds.), *Entre ciencia y filosofía: algunos problemas actuales* (pp. 105–126). Universidad del Valle.
- Loaiza Arias, J. R. (2016). *La naturalización de las emociones. Anotaciones a partir de Wittgenstein*. Bogotá: Editorial Universidad del Rosario. doi: 10.12804/op9789587387247

Areas of specialization

- Philosophy of emotions
- Philosophy of psychology and neuroscience
- General philosophy of science

Areas of competence

- Philosophy of mind
- Philosophy of biology
- Analytic philosophy

Professional Experience

- 01.2020 – present Adjunct lecturer
Escuela de Ciencias Humanas – Universidad del Rosario (Bogotá, Colombia)
Courses:
– Research Methods (2020-1S)
– Logic (2020-1S, 2020-1I)
- 10.2017 – 02.2019 Lecturer
Berlin School of Mind and Brain – Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Germany)
Courses:
– Tutorial: Philosophy of Mind (WiSe 17/18, WiSe 18/19)
– Psychology of Emotions - with Dr. Dorota Koblyńska (SoSe 18)
- 01.2013 – 12.2016 Research Assistant
Escuela de Ciencias Humanas – Universidad del Rosario (Bogotá, Colombia)
Project: “La pirámide visual: evolución de un instrumento conceptual”
PI: Carlos Alberto Cardona Suárez
Grupo de Investigación en Lógica, Epistemología y Filosofía de la Ciencia (PHILOGICA)

Awards, funding, and scholarships

- 10.2019 – 12.2019 Mind and Brain Tie-Over Funding
Berlin School of Mind and Brain, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Berlin, Germany)
- 04.2019 – 05.2019 Kurztstipendium für Doktorandinnen und Doktoranden
Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst (Bonn, Germany)
- 10.2016 – 09.2019 Mind and Brain Doctoral Scholarship
Berlin School of Mind and Brain, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Germany)
- 02.2015 Candidate to “Otto de Greiff” national award to best theses. Area: Social Sciences
Universidad del Rosario (Bogotá, Colombia)
- 08.2014 – 09.2016 DAAD-Colfuturo Scholarship
Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst & COLFUTURO
- 02.2014 Meritory honors: Bachelor’s thesis
Universidad del Rosario (Bogotá, Colombia)
- 07.2009 – 03.2014 Academic Excellence Scholarship – 100%.
Universidad del Rosario (Bogotá, Colombia)

Extracurricular Engagement

- 04.2019 – 05.2019 Visiting Scholar
Instituto de Investigaciones Filosóficas – Sociedad Argentina de Análisis Filosófico (IIF-SADAF)
Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 06.2018 – 12.2019 Member & Co-founder
Minorities and Philosophy (Berlin Chapter)
- 04.2017 – 12.2018 Editorial Assistant & IT Administrator
Journal of Philosophy of Emotion

Languages

- Spanish (Native)
- English (Fluent. TOEFL iBT: 115)
- German (Intermediate. B2)
- Catalan (Basic. A2)

Additional skills

- Programming: Python, R
- Web Development: HTML & CSS
- Text mining (NLTK & SpaCy)
- \LaTeX