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PUBLICATIONS

Willemsen, P., Baumgartner, L., Frohofer, S., and Reuter, K. (forthcoming): Examining evaluativity in legal discourse: a comparative corpus-linguistic study of thick concepts. In Magen, S., Prochownik, K. (Eds.): *Advances in Experimental Philosophy of Law*. Bloomsbury.

Reuter, K., and Baumgartner, L. (forthcoming): Corpus analysis — building and using corpora: a case study on the use of 'conspiracy theory'. In Bauer, M., Kornmesser, S. (Eds.): *Experimental Philosophy for Beginners*. Springer.

Reuter, K., Baumgartner, L., and Willemsen, P. (2023): Tracing thick and thin concepts through corpora. *Language and Cognition*, pp. 1-20.

Baumgartner, L., and Kneer, M. (2023): What's the matter with 'reasonable'? *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*, pp. 2736-2743.

Baumgartner, L., Willemsen, P., and Reuter, K. (2022): The polarity effect of evaluative language. *Philosophical Psychology*, pp. 1-18.

Baumgartner, L. (2022): Why are reckless socks not (more of) a thing? Towards an empirical classification of evaluative concepts. *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*, 44, pp. 2869-2875.

Baumgartner, L., Willemsen, P., and Reuter, K. (2022): The polarity effect of evaluative language. *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*, 44, pp. 729-735.

Gilardi, F., Baumgarter, L., Dermont, C., Donnay, K., Gessler, T., Kubli, M., Leemann, L., Müller, S. (2022): Building research infrastructures to study digital technology and politics: lessons from Switzerland. *PS: Political Science & Politics*, 55(2), pp. 354 - 359.

TALKS

3rd European Experimental Philosophy Conference
Talk 1: "Death": A Diachronic Semantic Change Detection Study
Talk 2: Conspiracy Theories Are Not Theories

📅 14.-16.09.2023   📍 University of Zurich

Dawn of Experimental Conceptual Engineering Workshop
Towards Diachronic Conceptual Change Detection Using Large Language Models

📅 13.09.2023   📍 University of Zurich

EDUCATION

PhD Candidate in Philosophy
SNSF Eccellenza Group of Kevin Reuter on Dual Character Concepts

📅 2020 – Present   📍 University of Zurich

Master of Arts in Social Sciences

📅 2016 – 2019   📍 University of Zurich

Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences

📅 2013 – 2016   📍 University of Zurich

PROGRAMS

Excellence Program of the Digital Society Initiative

📅 2021 – 2023   📍 University of Zurich

LANGUAGES

- English: Fluent
- French: Fluent
- German: Native

TEACHING

Contemporary Semantics and Pragmatics

📅 Spring 2022   📍 University of Zurich

Normativity in Moral Language (co-taught with Dr. P. Willemsen)

📅 Spring 2021   📍 University of Zurich

ATTENDED WORKSHOPS

Dawn of Experimental Conceptual Engineering Workshop

📅 13.09.2023   📍 University of Zurich

Workshop on Corpus Analysis, Conceptual Change, and Socially Disruptive Technologies

📅 16.02.2023   📍 TU Delft

Summer School on Conceptual Engineering, Experimental Methods, and Politically Correct Language

📅 04.–08.07.2022   📍 University of Zurich

TALKS *continued*

30th European Society for Philosophy and Psychology Conference
Conspiracy Theories Are Not Theories

📅 28.–31.082023 📍 Czech Academy of Sciences, Prague

11th European Congress of Analytic Philosophy
Conspiracy Theories Are Not Theories

📅 21.–25.082023 📍 University of Vienna

8th International Conference on Philosophy of Language and Linguistics
Conspiracy Theories Are Not Theories

📅 12.–14.05.2023 📍 University of Lodz

Invited Talk for the Workshop on Corpus Analysis, Conceptual Change, and Socially Disruptive Technologies
Modeling Conceptual Change

📅 16.02.2023 📍 TU Delft (online)

Speaker Series: The Many Faces of Normativity
Dual Character Concepts Gone Wild

📅 13.10.2022 📍 University of Zurich

6th Philosophy of Language and Mind Conference
Pragmatic Dual Character Classifications

📅 15.–17.09.2022 📍 University of Krakow

2nd European Experimental Philosophy Conference
How to classify evaluative concepts

📅 08.–10.092022 📍 University of Granada

44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society
Talk 1: The Polarity Effect of Evaluative Language
Talk 2: Why are reckless socks not (more of) a thing? Towards an empirical classification of evaluative concepts.

📅 27.–30.07.2022 📍 Toronto (online)

3rd Joint Conference of the SPP and ESPP
Figurative Dual Character Classifications

📅 19.–22.07.2022 📍 University of Milan

Conference on Dual Character Concepts, Normative Generics, and Evaluative Language
Dual Character ~~Concepts~~ Classifications: Can Dual Character Be Reduced to Double-Dissociation?

📅 16.–18.06.2022 📍 University of Zurich

ATTENDED WORKSHOPS *continued*

Summer School of the Digital Society Initiative
📅 26.–30.06.2022 📍 University of Zurich

WORKSHOP AND CONFERENCE ORGANISATION

Empirical Conceptual Engineering: Implementations, Challenges, and its Theoretical Basis (Workshop)
📅 07.–08.12.2023 📍 University of Zurich

Conference on Dual Character Concepts, Normative Generics, and Evaluative Language
📅 16.–18.06.2022 📍 University of Zurich

Interdisciplinary Speaker Series: The Many Faces of Normativity
📅 2022 📍 University of Zurich

Corpus Linguistics and Philosophy Workshop 2021
📅 10.–12.06.2021 📍 Online

GRANTS

CHF 4'125 from the **Marie-Gretler-Stiftung** for organising the workshop "Empirical Conceptual Engineering: Implementations, Challenges, and its Theoretical Basis" (2023).

CHF 4'300 from the **UZH Graduate Campus** for organising the workshop "Empirical Conceptual Engineering: Implementations, Challenges, and its Theoretical Basis" (2023).

CHF 4'870 from the **UZH Graduate Campus** for organising the interdisciplinary speaker series "The Many Faces of Normativity" (2021).

SKILLS

R Python Qualtrics CSS/HTML
NLP Word2Vec GloVe LDA
ML Caret FastAI Keras
Tensorflow Scikit-Learn

1st European Experimental Philosophy Conference
Talk 1: Tracing Thick Concepts Through Corpora
Talk 2: Examining Evaluativity in Legal Discourse - A Comparative Corpus-Linguistic Study of Thick Concepts

📅 17.–19.06.2021   📍 Charles University, Prague

Corpus Linguistics and Philosophy Workshop 2021
Corpus analysis for philosophers

📅 10.–12.06.2021   📍 Online

POSTERS

45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society
What's the matter with 'reasonable'?

📅 26.–29.07.2023   📍 Sydney (online)