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#### **APPOINTMENTS**

#### BIELEFELD UNIVERSITY, Germany

Lecturer ("Wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin" of Michaela Rehm), Department of Philosophy, Oct. 2018 - present

### HAMBURG UNIVERSITY, Germany

Lecturer ("Wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin" of Stephan Schmid), Department of Philosophy, Oct. 2017 - Sept. 2018

# **EDUCATION**

HUMBOLDT UNIVERSITY BERLIN, Germany, Ph.D., Philosophy, 2012-2019

Dissertation: Freedom in Descartes

Advisor: Dominik Perler

Fellowship: Leibniz-Prize Project "Transformationen des Geistes" led by Dominik Perler

Visiting Student (VSRC) at Princeton University, USA, Feb. 2014-April 2015 Grants: Caroline von Humboldt "International Research Award", DAAD

LMU MUNICH, Germany, M.A., 2005-2011

Thesis: Die innere Struktur des kartesischen Cogito

Advisor: Axel Hutter

Visiting Student at Université Paris X (Nanterre), France, Sept. 2017-Aug. 2008

**Grant: ERASMUS** 

#### **SPECIALIZATION**

AOS: Early Modern Philosophy (esp. Descartes and Elisabeth of Bohemia)

AOC: Philosophy of Mind (esp. Philosophy of the Emotions), Ethics

### ARTICLES

- (1) "Elisabeth of Bohemia's Neo-Peripatetic Account of the Emotions", *British Journal for the History of Philosophy*. (Special Issue; in print, forthcoming June 2019.)
- (2) "Gewissen und Bewusstsein am Übergang zum 18. Jahrhundert", in: Simon Bunke, Katerina Mihaylova (ed.): Gewissen. Interdisziplinäre Perspektiven auf das 18. Jahrhundert. Würzburg 2015. p. 39-52. (Conference Proceedings.)

### TRAVEL GRANTS

DAAD travel grant for talk at Princeton University, USA, May 2017 DAAD travel grant for talks at University of Sydney, Australia, Aug.-Sept. 2018

# TALKS, GUEST LECTURES, COMMENTS (SELECTION)

- (1) "Mary Astell" Libori Summer School, Paderborn, July/Aug. 2019
- (2) "Autonomy and Self-Love in Descartes" HU-UHH Workshop, Hamburg, June 2019
- (3) "The Missing Link: Re-discovering the Sources of Elisabeth of Bohemia's Neo-Peripatetic Account of the Emotions" Women in Modern Philosophy, UERJ, Rio de Janeiro, June 2019

- (4) Comment on Dan Garber's "Spiritualizing Matter: Perception and Appetite in a Material World" *Vitalism in Early Modern Philosophy*, Cambridge University, March 2019
- (5) "The Two-Component Model of Cartesian Freedom" Early Modern Conceptions of Freedom, Rationality and Practical Reasons, Hamburg, Feb. 2019
- (6) "Descartes on Freedom and the Ability to Do Otherwise" Early Modern Philosophy Workshop, Harvard University, Sept. 2018
- (7) "The Passions in Descartes" Guest Lecture, University of Sydney, Sept. 2018
- (8) "Freedom and Free Will in Descartes" Guest Lecture, University of Sydney, Sept. 2018
- (9) "Empowerment" Women Mentoring Workshop, University of Sydney, Sept. 2018
- (10) "Autonomy and (Self-)Love in Descartes" *Rethinking Autonomy*, University of Sydney, Sept. 2018
- (11) "The Two-Component Model of Cartesian Freedom" Early Career Workshop in the History of Philosophy, University of Sydney, Aug. 2018
- (12) "Your presence brought the cure...": Aristotelian Elements in Elisabeth of Bohemia's Account of the Emotions" *Elisabeth of Bohemia: A Workshop on Women and Early Modern Philosophy*, Paderborn, May 2018
- (13) "'What am I?' Descartes's moral notion of personhood" 11th Nordic Workshop in Early Modern Philosophy, Helsinki, May 2018
- (14) "Elisabeth of Bohemia on Happiness and the Social Dimension of (Moral) Action" Socialising Minds, KNIR Rome, Feb. 2018
- (15) "A Woman's Point of View? Elisabeth of Bohemia's Neo-Peripatetic Ethics" *SWIP Colloquium*, Berlin, Dec. 2017
- (16) Comment on Lukas Lang's "A Problem of Priority for Reid" Early Career Workshop on Scepticism, Hamburg, Nov. 2017
- (17) "Vita Activa versus Vita Contemplativa: Elisabeth of Bohemia on Dependence, Independence and Happiness" Women in Early Modern Philosophy, Lehigh University, Oct. 2017
- (18) "An Ethics Born of Displacement Descartes and Elisabeth on Ethical Thought and Moral Action under Adverse Conditions" *Renaissance Displacements: Migrants and Truth Production*, 1500-1700, Princeton University, May 2017
- (19) "What's Love Got to Do With It? Love and the Mind-Body Union in Descartes" From Love to the Infinite, HU Berlin, July 2016
- (20) "All You Need is Love: The Mind-Body Union and Unity of Love in Descartes" *Princeton-Humboldt Graduate Student Workshop*, Princeton University, Feb. 2016
- (21) "Cartesian Freedom as *Rational* Self-Determination" Workshop on Medieval and Early Modern Philosophy, HU Berlin, May 2015
- (22) "What am I? Descartes's Conception of Personhood" *International Graduate Workshop in the History of Philosophy*, Princeton University, Feb. 2015
- (23) "Descartes's Conception of Personhood" SEMPY Colloquium, Yale University, Nov. 2014
- (24) "Freedom and Judgment in Descartes" *International Graduate Workshop in the History of Philosophy*, Princeton University, Feb. 2014
- (25) "Freedom as the Reign of Reason? Descartes' Theory of Judgment" *Berlin-Toronto-Groningen Workshop in Medieval and Early Modern Philosophy*, Groningen, Dec. 2013
- (26) "Conscientia' as 'Consciousness' between 1640 and 1720 Descartes, Thomasius, Wolff' "Transformationen des Geistes" Final Conference, HU Berlin, Oct. 2013
- (27) "Descartes and Strawson" Research Seminar in Early Modern Philosophy with Martha Brandt Bolton, HU Berlin, June 2013
- (28) "Conscience und Consciousness between the 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> century" *Conscience between Emotion and Reason*, Paderborn, Oct. 2012