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Nationality: French

Married, 1 child (born 2013)

Languages: English (fluent), German (fluent), Spanish (read, spoken), Italian (read, spoken), Latin

ACADEMIC TITLES

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| Best PhD. dissertation in Humanities, University of Picardie | 2014 |
| PhD. in Philosophy, with distinction, defended on July 1st 2013 Title: The Human Being as a Rational Animal: John McDowell's Idea of Second Nature Supervisor: Prof. Sandra Laugier (Univ. Paris 1) Jury: C. Al-Saleh (Univ. of Picardie), Prof. V. Descombes (EHESS), Prof. P. Donatelli (Univ. La Sapienza, Roma), Prof. C. Gautier (ENS Lyon), Prof. L. Raïd (Univ. of Picardie) | 2013 |
| French National Agrégation of Philosophy Competitive examination: placed in the top 2.3% | 2005 |
| Student at Ecole Normale Supérieure, Ulm (Paris) – Philosophy Department Competitive examination entrance: placed in the top 2.8%, Literature and Philosophy | 2002-2006 |

DEGREES AND INTERNATIONAL STAYS

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| University of Chicago, Visiting Researcher (Philosophy Dept.) | April 2010 |
| The New School for Social Research, New York, Visiting Scholar (Philosophy Dept.) | Spring 2009 |
| Scuola Normale, Pisa, Italy, Visiting Student | June 2008 |
| Columbia University, New York, Visiting Student ((Philosophy Dept.) | 2006-2007 |
| Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, Masters with distinction in Philosophy Thesis: "The Anthro-logic. Husserl and Lévy-Bruhl"; Adviser: Jocelyn Benoist | 2006 |
| Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po Paris), Masters in Political Studies | 2006 |
| Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, 1 year of Masters with distinction in Philosophy Thesis: "Reality Taken-for-granted: A Skeptical Approach of Alfred Schütz' Work" Adviser: Bruno Karsenti | 2004 |
| Freie Universität Berlin, Germany, Visiting Student | Fall 2003 |

TEACHING

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| Philosophy teacher in High school Marcelin Berthelot, Châtellerauld | 2012-14 |
| Lecturer in Philosophy, University of Picardie Undergraduate level (~ 330 hours): Introduction to Philosophy (Between Nature and Culture, Norms and Normality), History of Philosophy (Kant, Stoicism), Philosophy and Literature, Moral Philosophy Master level (~ 54 hours): Philosophical translation (Hume, James), Methodology | 2008-12 |
| University of North Carolina in Paris, Lecturer for "Explorations in French" | 2010-11 |
| Columbia University, Teaching Assistant at the French Department (Intermediate and Advanced Classes) | 2006-07 |
| Oral interrogations in Philosophy (College level) | 2005, 2007-09 |
| Reading and writing literacy classes for adults | 2008-10 |

ORGANIZATION OF CONFERENCES AND EVENTS

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| Monthly research seminar "Philosophy and Phenomenology of Animality," Husserl Archives in Paris, Ecole Normale Supérieure Creator, and then co-organizer with C. Martin-Freville, F. Burgat, D. Lestel | 2010-13 |
| Graduate workshop, Philosophy Department, U. Picardie | 2012 |
| Workshop "Animal Reason?," Université de Picardie, with Charles Martin-Freville | 2010 |
| Graduate conference "Moral Philosophy, Psychology, Sociology" Univ. de Picardie, with Solange Chavel and Sandra Laugier | 2009 |

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

A1. "La critique du mythe du donné: McDowell avec et contre Sellars" ["Unveiling the Myth of the Given: McDowell With and Against Sellars"], in *Les études philosophiques*, "Sellars", E. Marrou (ed.), Paris: 2012.

A2. "L'être humain comme animal rationnel" ["The Human Being as a Rational Animal"], in *Corridor*, n°4, Juin 2010.

Book sections

B1. "Being with Animals, Being an Animal", in *Wittgenstein: Language, Ethics, and Animal Life*, Niklas Forsberg, Mikel Burley, Nora Hamalainen (ed.), New York: Bloomsbury, 2012.

B2. "L'éthique du *care*: la relation juste à l'animal sans voix" ["Caring for Animals: An Ethical View"], in *L'éthique du care: Environnement et animaux*, Laugier S. (ed.), Paris: Payot, 2012.

B3. "J. McDowell, de Kant à Wittgenstein," in *La philosophie analytique*, Laugier S., Plaud S. (ed.), Paris: Ellipses, 2011.

Editor

E1. *Lire L'Esprit et le monde de J. McDowell* [John McDowell's "Mind and World" Reader], with responses by J. McDowell, with C. Al-Saleh, Paris: Vrin, 2013.

E2. Academic review *Corridor*, n°4, with S. Djigo, 2010.

Review

"Voir et entendre les animaux: quelle philosophie des animaux ?," ["Seeing and Hearing Animals. Armengaud and Leygonie"] in *Raison Publique*, 15, 2012.

TRANSLATIONS

Book

T1. *La philosophie juive comme guide de vie* [Jewish Philosophy as a Guide to Life], Hilary Putnam, Paris: Le Cerf, 2011.

B. Articles

From English to French:

T2. James Conant, "Nos pouvoirs cognitifs peuvent-ils atteindre les objets eux-mêmes ?" ["Can Our Cognitive Powers Reach All the Way to the Objects Themselves?"], with R. Ehrsam, in *Lire L'Esprit et le monde de J. McDowell*, *op. cit.*

T3. John McDowell, "Réponses," with C. Al-Saleh, in *Lire L'Esprit et le monde de J. McDowell*, *op. cit.*

T4. Sebastian Rödl, "La seconde nature" ["Second Nature"], in *Lire L'Esprit et le monde de J. McDowell*, *op. cit.*

T5. Tim Thornton, "L'Esprit et le monde, une anthropologie transcendantale?" ["Mind and World as Transcendental Anthropology?"], in *Lire L'Esprit et le monde de J. McDowell*, *op. cit.*

T6. John McDowell, "Conceptual capacities in perception," *Concept et perception. Le conceptualisme en question*, R. Brisart & C. Gauvry (eds.), Olms, to be published.

From German to French:

T7. Collective translation: Theodor Adorno, *L'Actualité de la Philosophie et autres essais*, J.-O. Bégot (éd.), Paris: éd. de la rue d'Ulm, 2008

T8. Axel Honneth, « Du désir à la reconnaissance. La fondation hégélienne de la conscience de soi » ["From Desire to Acknowledgment: The Hegelian Foundation of Self-Consciousness"], in *Comment penser l'autonomie?*, Jouan M., Laugier S. (ed.), Paris: PUF, 2009

T9. Andrea Kern, "Les perceptions peuvent-elles garantir la vérité des jugements? Sur la fallibilité des jugements empiriques" ["Can Perceptions Warrant the Truth of Judgements?"], with R. Ehrsam, in *Lire L'Esprit et le monde de J. McDowell*, *op. cit.*

T10. Jörg Volbers, “McDowell et le problème de l’incarnation du sujet” [“McDowell und the Problem of the Subject’s Embodiment”], in *Lire L’Esprit et le monde de J. McDowell, op. cit.*

T11. Franz Buytendijk & Helmuth Plessner, “Die Deutung des mimischen Ausdrucks. Ein Beitrag zur Lehre vom Bewußtsein des anderen Ichs,” in: *Philosophischer Anzeiger*, 1925 (I), p. 72-126, to be published.

T12. Katrin Solhdju, *L’épreuve du savoir: propositions pour une écologie du diagnostic*, Dingdingdong, to be published.

OTHER

Reviewer for philosophical journals (*Tracés, Alter, Implications philosophiques*).

CONFERENCES

International Conferences and Workshops

1. “Natural and Social: What Kind of Animal Life Can we Conceive of with the Concept of Form of Life?” (French), International Conference “*Lebensformen/Forms of Life*,” Univ. Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, Mar 2014.
2. “What Can Philosophy Teach Us About Animals? Answers From Literature” (English), Minding Animals Conference, Utrecht, July 2012.
3. “The Construction of Reality Through Relevance” (French), International Conference “Alfred Schütz: Phenomenology and Pragmatism”, Husserl Archives in Paris – Ecole Normale Supérieure, June 2012.
4. “The Natural History of Human Beings” (English), International workshop “Making Wittgenstein Explicit,” Paris 1 - Sorbonne, Mar 2011.
5. “Where to Find Reality: in Being Human” (English), International Conference on Cora Diamond, Univ. de Picardie, Sept 2010.
6. “The Ethics-of-Care as a Relationship to the Voiceless Animal” (French), International Conference: “Care, Ethics, Social Science,” Univ. Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, Jun 2010.
7. “Being with Animals, Being an Animal” (English), Nordic Wittgenstein Society Conference « Language, Ethics and Animal Life », Uppsala University, Mar 2010.
8. “The Human Being: a Rational Animal?” (French), 2d Conference “Moral Philosophy, Psychology and Sociology”, Univ. de Picardie, Dec 2009.
9. “John McDowell: the Acquisition of Second Nature by *Bildung*” (French), 14th International Philosophy Conference in Evian, France, July 2008.

Conferences and Workshops

10. "McDowell's Concept of Second Nature: Rejection or Renewing of the Transcendental Argument?" (French), Workshop "Transcendental Argument," Paris 1, Feb 2014.
11. "Intentionality and Meaning since Kant: McDowell's Relational Theory" (French), Workshop "Uses of Kant in 21th century Philosophy of Language," Univ. Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, Nov 2010.
12. "At the Right Distance to Talk about Animals: the Point of View of the Companion" (French), interdisciplinary workshop on Donna Haraway's *Companion Species Manifesto*, Univ. Paris 13, May 2011.
13. "Following a Rule: a Second Nature" (French), Graduate Conference, Univ. Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, Feb 2010.
14. "The Practical Syllogism" (French), Moral Philosophy, Psychology, Sociology Conference, Univ. de Picardie, Dec 2008.

Research seminars (in France and abroad)

15. "John McDowell's Second Nature Naturalism" (French), Graduate seminar D. Andler: "Can Naturalism be liberalized?," Univ. Paris IV-Sorbonne, Mar 2014.
16. "The Sense of Animal Behavior: Using Alfred Schütz's Concepts" (French), Seminar "Phenomenology and Philosophy of Animality," Husserl Archives in Paris, ENS, Feb 2013.
17. "Is Animal Life a Mere Submission to Biological Imperatives?" (French), Workshop "Animal," Univ. Bordeaux 3, Nov 2011.
18. "Unveiling the Myth of the Given: McDowell With and Against Sellars" (French), Graduate seminar E. Marrou: "The Myth of the Given," ENS, Mar 2011.
19. "*Mind and World*: a New Form of Philosophical Anthropology?" (English), Contemporary European Philosophy Workshop, University of Chicago, Apr 2010.
20. "Second Nature: an Elementary Realism?" (French), Philosophy of Language Seminary, Univ. Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, Mar 2010.
21. "The Second Nature of (Rational) Animals" (English), Wittgenstein Workshop, The New School, Apr 2009.