

PERSONAL INFORMATION



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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Since November 2015

Teaching Assistant (Cultore della materia), History of Ancient Philosophy

Roma Tre University of Rome

LECTURES AND COURSES

- October 2017-January 2018

Laboratory workshops on Ancient Epistemology, (**Laboratorio di Istituzioni di Storia della Filosofia Antica e Medievale**) University of Roma Tre. Course held in collaboration with Prof. Benedetto Ippolito.

- May 22, 2015

"Ancient medicine as interlocutor of philosophy, the method and the techne" in the framework of the course of History of Ancient Philosophy of Prof. Emidio Spinelli, Faculty of Philosophy at the University of Rome Sapienza.

- January 13, 2015

"Is medicine a science? An epistemological model for Plato in the framework of the course of History of Ancient Philosophy of Prof. Riccardo Chiaradonna, Faculty of Philosophy at the University of Roma Tre.

- May 27, 2014

"The method of enquiry in medicine and ancient philosophy in the framework of the course of History of Ancient Philosophy of Prof. Emidio Spinelli, Faculty of Philosophy at the University of Rome Sapienza.

- May 7, 2014

"Two models of medicine Galen" in the framework of the course of History of the Scientific Thought of Prof. Nunzio Allocca, Faculty of Philosophy at the University of Rome Sapienza.

- May 10, 2013

"The evolution of the relationship between philosophy and medicine from Hippocrates to Galen" in the framework of the course of History of Ancient Philosophy of Prof. Emidio Spinelli, Faculty of Philosophy at the University of Rome Sapienza.

EDUCATION

2012 - 2016

PhD in Philosophy and History of Philosophy

Sapienza University of Rome

Dissertation: *Galen's De propriis placitis. Epistemology, Psychology and Philosophy of Nature between Medical Theory and Philosophical Enquiry*. Supervisors: Prof. Emidio Spinelli, Prof. Riccardo Chiaradonna, Prof. Annamaria Ioppolo.

Invited fellow at several conferences, seminars and workshops organized by the TOPOI Excellence Cluster and Humboldt Universität of Berlin.

April - May 2012 **Visiting Student (winner of the Scholarship "Thesis Abroad" from Roma Tre University)**

Institute of Classical Studies, UCL, London, United Kingdom

2010 - 2012 **MA in Philosophy**

Roma Tre University of Rome

Dissertation on the relationship between *Philosophy and Medicine in Plato's Phaedrus*. Supervisors: Profs. Riccardo Chiaradonna, Emidio Spinelli.

2008 - 2009 **Erasmus**

University Paris IV Sorbonne and visiting student at École Normale Supérieure of Paris

2007 - 2010 **BA in Philosophy**

University of Roma Tre

PERSONAL SKILLS

MOTHER-TONGUE

Italian

Other Languages

	COMPREHENSION		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken Production	
English	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
CERTIFICATE OF PROFICIENCY IN ENGLISH (CPE) - CAMBRIDGE EXAMS					
French	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
DIPLOME APPROFONNI DE LANGUE FRANCAISE (DALF)					
Spanish	C1	C1	C1	B2	B1

Levels: A1/A2: Basic user - B1/B2: Independent user - C1/C2 Proficient user
[Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)

Communication Skills

Excellent communication skills gained through both academic lecturing experience and in training delivery.

Organisational/ managerial skills

- Leadership: through my assignments in HR I have developed good leadership skills
- Planning and Organising: I have excellent ability in planning and organising, which I obtained by following multiple projects for many years, including juggling work and my PhD and related activities (conferences, publishing) at the same time.

Digital competences

Proficient user of Office, Acrobat Adobe, Prezi, Mac OSX

FURTHER INFORMATION

Publications

Reviews

- J.A. López Férez, Galeno. Lengua, composición literaria, léxico. estilo, 2015, in Cambridge Classical Review, Volume 67, Issue 2, pp. 372-374.
- M. Vegetti, Galeno. Nuovi scritti autobiografici, Carocci, Roma 2012, in Elenchos, Anno XXXIV-2013, Fascicolo 2.
- V. Gazzaniga, La medicina antica, Carocci, 2014, in Bollettino della Società Filosofica Italiana, n. 214, 2015.
- S. B. Levin, Plato's Rivalry with Medicine. A Struggle and its Dissolution, Plato Journal, International Plato Society, 2014.

Articles

- Bodily and Soul Constitution in Galen's De propriis placitis: Physiology and Pathology of the Mixtures, in Medicina e Storia, ETS, Pisa (Forthcoming).
- The theory of mixtures and its ethical implications: the role of the Galenic physician, in the Proceedings of the conference MEINEN, WISSEN, HANDELN. EPISTEMOLOGIE UND ETHIK BEI PLATON UND IM ANTIKEN PLATONISMUS, Albert-Ludwigs Universität Freiburg-University of Milan. (Forthcoming).
- Anatomy, physiology and teleology: Galen as a controversial source for Vesalius's De humani corporis fabrica, in the Proceedings of LECTIO INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE: "Towards the authority of Vesalius", 3-5 December 2014, KU Leuven. In Lectio Studies in the Transmission of Texts and Ideas 6, Brepols, 2018.
- Il divino e la medicina razionale: l'agnosticismo in Galeno, in Bollettino della Società Filosofica Italiana, n. 213, 2014.

Translations

- Galeno di Pergamo. Un medico greco a Roma, Carocci, Roma 2016. (V. Boudon - Millot, Galien de Pergame. Un médecin grec à Rome, Les Belles Lettres, 2012).
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Talks and Conferences

- GALEN READING WORKSHOP The Pulse and De propriis placitis, 13-15 September 2017, London, Dept. of History, Classics and Archaeology, Birkbeck College. Reading and comment of De propriis placitis 3, 7 and 14.
- OECONOMIA CORPORIS. THE BODY'S NORMAL AND PATHOLOGICAL CONSTITUTION AT THE INTERSECTION OF PHILOSOPHY AND MEDICINE, 13-15 May 2016, Università degli Studi di Firenze. Paper: Bodily and Soul Constitution in Galen's De propriis placitis: Physiology and Pathology of the Mixtures.
- SPECIFICITÉS DE LA CAUSALITÉ MÉDICALE DANS L'ANTIQUITE GRECQUE ET ROMAINE, 5-7 May 2016, Maison Française d'Oxford, Oxford. Paper: Mixtures and causation. Considerations from Galen's De propriis placitis.
- GALEN'S NATURAL PHILOSOPHY, 26-27 October 2015, Excellence Cluster TOPOI Berlin, Humboldt Universität. Chairperson of two sessions on the concept of ousia in Galen.
- THE CONCEPT OF PNEUMA AFTER ARISTOTLE, 2-4 July 2015, Excellence Cluster TOPOI Berlin, Humboldt Universität. Chairperson of two sessions on Galen.
- THINKING, KNOWING, ACTING. EPISTEMOLOGY AND ETHICS IN PLATO AND ANCIENT PLATONISM. June 25- 26, Milano Università Statale. Chairperson of one sessions.
- MEINEN, WISSEN, HANDELN. EPISTEMOLOGIE UND ETHIK BEI PLATON UND IM ANTIKEN PLATONISMUS, 14- 15 May 2015, Albert-Ludwigs Universität Freiburg. Paper: The theory of mixtures and its ethical implications: role and responsibility of the Galenic physician.
- LONDON ANCIENT SCIENCE CONFERENCE 2015, 16-18, January 2015, UCL. Paper: The role of anatomical demonstration in the theory of soul's tripartition: a Galenic point of view.
- GREEK MEDICAL TEXTS AND THEIR AUDIENCE: PERCEPTION, TRANSMISSION, RECEPTION 12-13 December 2014, King's College London. Paper: De propriis placitis: evolution and systematization of medical doctrines in Galen's medical and philosophical testament.
- LECTIO INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE "Towards the authority of Vesalius", 3-5 December 2014, KU Leuven. Paper: Anatomy, physiology and teleology: Galen as a controversial source for Vesalius' De humani corporis Fabrica.