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## EDUCATION

1997                      Dr. phil. Doctorate in Philosophy, summa cum laude  
Department of Philosophy, University of Vienna

Dissertation: Transcendental Arguments and Transcendental Thinking. Kant and Analytical Philosophy compared.  
(Supervisors: Prof. Kurt Rudolf Fischer, Prof. Gerhard Gotz)

1995                      Mag. phil. / Master in Philosophy, Master in History, summa cum laude

Master's Thesis: Richard Rorty's critique of philosophy and epistemology in the mirror of US neo-pragmatism  
(Supervisors: Prof. Kurt Rudolf Fischer, Prof. Gerhard Gotz)

1994-1997              Graduate Studies in Philosophy and History, University of Vienna

1990-1994              Undergraduate Studies in Philosophy and History, University of Vienna

1984-1990              Business College Judenburg and Vienna, Austria

## Academic Further Education

2020/21                **Teaching Competence Plus**, Certificate Program, Center for Teaching and Learning,  
University of Vienna

2006-2010              Post-Bacc Certificate in **Visual Arts**, University of California Berkeley, Extension, USA

2004                    **Gender and Diversity in Higher Education**, University of Economics, Vienna

1998-2000              **Studies in Economics**, Faculty of Social and Economic Sciences, University of Vienna

## Areas of Specialization | Areas of Competence

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**Theoretical Philosophy:** Metaphysics, Epistemology, Kant's transcendental Philosophy and Kant Reception (e.g. Neo-Kantianism); selected topics in Philosophy of Mind, Philosophy of Artificial Intelligence, Philosophy of Nature/Environmental Philosophy

**History of Philosophy:** Early Modern - Enlightenment – 20<sup>th</sup> Century

## PRIZES and GRANTS

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- Post-Doc Fellowship, Department of Philosophy, University of California, Berkeley, 2004
- Prize for Dissertation summa cum laude, 1997
- International Mobility / Exchange Student Fellowship, Department of Philosophy, University of California, Berkeley, 1995 (Graduate Student)

## ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

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IES - Institute for the International Education of Students, Vienna Campus 2026

CEU- Central European University, Vienna Campus

- Department of Philosophy: Visiting Professor 2023
- Department for Community Education: Socrates Project - Instructor 2021-2022

University of Vienna, Faculty of Philosophy and Educational Science:

- Lecturer of Philosophy at the Department of Philosophy since 2005 - current
- Department of Cultural and Social Anthropology: Lecturer for Gender Studies 2003-2013  
2025-2026

Universities of Graz, Klagenfurt, Innsbruck (Austria):

Additional teaching appointments in Philosophy 2004-2007

ibw – Institut für Bildungsforschung der Wirtschaft:

- Research Associate for database administration and content management for several past and ongoing database projects since 2000 - current

Post-Doc Research Associate: various projects (see p.6.) 1999-2005

## Research Affiliations with the University of California Berkeley, USA

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Pre-Doc and Post-Doc Fellowships | Visiting Scholar and Scholar in Residence Appointments

- CSTMS Center for Science, Technology, Medicine and Society  
Visiting Scholar; Sponsor: Prof. Massimo Mazzotti 2014-2019
- OHST – Office for the History of Science and Technology  
Visiting Scholar Sponsor: Prof. Cathy Carson 2010-2011
- BBRG – Beatrice Bain Research Group on Gender  
Scholar in Residence; Sponsor: Prof. Paola Baccetta 2006-2009
- Department of Philosophy: Post-Doc Fellowship, Sponsor: Prof. Hans Sluga 2004
- Department of Philosophy: Grad Student Fellowship, Sponsor: Prof. Hans Sluga 1995

## ACADEMIC SERVICE

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for the Faculty of Philosophy and Educational Sciences, University of Vienna

- ❖ **Member of the Advisory Board for the Head of Studies** 2012 - 2022
- ❖ **Member of Hiring Committees:**
  - Hiring Committee, Chair for Philosophy of Enlightenment and Modernity 2022/23
  - Hiring Committee, Chair for Theoretical Philosophy 2018/19
  - Hiring Committee, Chair for Analytic Philosophy and Philosophy of Language 2015
- ❖ **Member of Faculty Committee – Advisory Board to the Dean** 2012-2018, 2020-2022

## Networks and Memberships

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- [01] ÖGPh – Österreichische Gesellschaft für Philosophie
- [02] Gesellschaft für kritische Anthropologie (Wien)
- [03] aka - Arbeitskreis Kulturanalyse (Wien)
- [04] Institut Wiener Kreis - Institute Vienna Circle, University of Vienna
- [05] IAPh International Association of Women in Philosophy
- [06] IWK – Institut für Wissenschaft und Kunst, Wien
- [07] SWIP – Society for Women in Philosophy
- [08] WiGiP – Wiener Gesellschaft für interkulturelle Philosophie
- [09] AnetA – Autism Network Austria

Founder: Critical Theory Collective [CTC], Vienna, founded August 2025

## Languages

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German: native | English: fluent | Spanish: medium | Latin, Ancient Greek: academic reading skills

## Neurodiversity

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Natascha is clinically diagnosed and treated with Asperger or high functioning autism, a neurological condition.

# TEACHING PORTFOLIO

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I have extensive teaching experience in following programs: Bachelor Philosophy, Master Philosophy, Philosophy/Psychology Bachelor of Education (BEd), Philosophy/Psychology Master of Education (MEd); Master Gender Studies. Additionally, I have been conducting courses and workshops for Public Philosophy Public with CEU Socrates Project, and in cooperation with Kunsthalle Wien. Some of the courses listed below are recurring.

## LECTURES | VORLESUNGEN

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(07)	Introduction into Epistemology	2025, 2026
(06)	Ethics and Identity, Gender, Diversity	Fall 2021
(05)	Introduction into Theoretical Philosophy	recurring 2012 - 2024
(04)	Central questions of Gender Studies in Philosophy	recurring 2011-2013
(03)	Topics in 20th Century Philosophy: Philosophy of Language	2007
(02)	Introduction to Theories and Methods of Gender Studies	recurring 2003-2007
(01)	Gender and Women's Studies: Basic concepts and ideas	2004

## SEMINARS | PROSEMINARS

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IES Vienna – Institute for the International Education of Students:

- PO/HS/PH 355 - Politics and Philosophy of Power

CEU – Central European University, Vienna – Department of Philosophy:

- MA/PhD Seminar: Kant. Kants' Critique of Pure Reason

CEU – Central European University, Vienna – Community Education:

- Seminar: Subject and Sexuality - Discourses in Philosophy and History
- Seminar. Utopia and Dystopia in Philosophy and Literature

University of Vienna: Bachelor Philosophy, Bachelor Philosophy/Psychology (BEd):

- (09) Leibniz' Scientia Generalis - Unity of Science as a Prima Philosophia
- (08) Philosophy of Mind: The Miracle of Consciousness
- (07) Rhetoric and Argumentation Theory
- (06) Proseminar Logic: Introduction to formal logic
- (05) Proseminar Logic: Formal Logic and Transcendental Logic
- (04) The Development of symbolic Logic from Leibniz to Frege
- (03) Close Reading: Leibniz' Logic and metaphysics and its reception in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century
- (02) Close Reading: Kant's Critique of Pure Reason
- (01) Close Reading: Kant's Prolegomena to Metaphysics as a Science

University of Vienna: Master Philosophy, Master Philosophy/Psychology, Master Gender Studies:

- (08) Gender, Technology, and the Philosophy of AI
- (07) Core Topics in Theoretical Philosophy, Spring 2025
- (06) Reconstructing Leibniz' Scientia Generalis
- (05) "Leibniz erleben – Leibniz verstehen" Exkursion to the Leibniz Archives, Hanover, Germany  
(one-week research trip with Seminar Group)
- (04) Seminar: Transcendental Arguments in Analytic Philosophy
- (03) Seminar: Transformations of Transcendental Philosophy
- (02) Seminar Social Philosophy: Work and Love: Angelika Krebs, Axel Honneth, Nancy Fraser
- (01) Introduction to Theories and Methods of Gender Studies

Universities of Innsbruck, Graz, Klagenfurt (2004-2007):

- (04) Seminar Gender Studies: Introduction into Theories and Methods
- (03) Seminar Philosophical Foundations for feminist Theory: Foucault, Judith Butler
- (02) Seminar Feminist Epistemologies: Sandra Harding and Donna Haraway
- (01) Seminar Work and Love: Angelika Krebs, Nancy Fraser

## **SUPERVISION of Bachelor Theses, Master's and PhD Theses**

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### **Supervision of Master's Theses:**

- [08] Bünjamin Belova: Life-Subject-Brain. A systems-theoretical Approach to the Role of Consciousness in Times of Neurocentrism (started Jun 2025)
- [07] Jürgen Hess: Reflections on current Philosophy of Nature (submitted Dez 2025)
- [06] Nastassja Denbrock: Subject and Subjectivity in the Works of Franz Kafka (submitted Nov 2025)
- [05] Merve Kaymaz: Animal Ethics, Peter Singer and Le Boff in comparison. Master thesis (MEd) teaching psychology and philosophy, Institute for Philosophy (submitted Jul 2023)
- [04] Marija Katic: Die The relationship between language and consciousness in animal philosophy with a focus on great apes (Hominidae). Master thesis Lehramt Psychologie und Philosophie (submitted Jan 2023)
- [03] Sophie Steiner: Society and Violence in 21st Century Dystopian Fictions. – A philosophical analysis. Master thesis – Master of Education (MEd), (submitted Jun 2022)
- [02] Jürgen Zechner: Free will in Sigmund Freud's Structural Theory of the Psyche. Masterthesis (MA Philosophy), (submitted Jun 2021)
- [01] Olivia Gold: Diskursfeld geschlechtergerechte Sprache. Discourse on gender-equitable Language and Discourses (submitted Jun 2017)

### **Supervision of Bachelor Theses:**

- Supervision of about 30 Bachelor theses, student names not explicitly listed here, are provided upon request.

**PhD Thesis Second Supervisor:**

- Anneliese Rieger: The Language of Recognition. Language Policy as a Political Instrument. Doctoral College for Central European History, Andrássy University, Budapest, Hungary (submitted Oct 2023)

**MENTORING AND SUPERVISION**

**of MEd Philosophy Teacher Training/Practice and Teaching Assistants**

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Department of Philosophy in cooperation with University College of Teacher Education, Vienna. Since Fall 2020 I am mentoring and supervising Master of Education students who are completing their teaching practice to become teachers for Philosophy in Colleges and High Schools.

2023 Spring: Joachim Hess (Philosophy and Biology)  
2022 Spring: Samuel Prieth (Philosophy and History)  
2021 Fall: Viktoria Timankova (Philosophy and Biology)  
2021 Spring: Sophia Steiner (Philosophy and German Literature)  
2020 Fall: Dominic Haberl (Philosophy and Sports)

**Teaching Assistants (Tutors) for Lecture Class Introduction into Epistemology:**

- ❖ Christoph Zinn-Zinnenburg (Master Philosophy), Fall Term 2025/26
- ❖ Felix Kajtna (Bachelor Philosophy), Spring Term 2025

## RESEARCH PROJECTS

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- **Georg Frankl: Vergessener Protagonist in der Geschichte der Autismus Forschung**  
In Kooperation mit AnetA Autism Network Austria. Finanziert von der Stadt Wien, Nov 2025 bis März 2026. Projektleiterin.
- **Asperger, Kanner, Frankl: Studie zur Geschichte und Genese der Autismus-Diagnostik aus genderspezifischer Perspektive.**  
In Kooperation mit AnetA Autism Network Austria. Finanziert von der Stadt Wien, Februar bis August 2025. Projektleiterin.
- **Leibniz' Scientia Generalis as an Early Modern Philosophy of Science**  
Research project for habilitation, University of Vienna, and G.W. Leibniz Archive Hanover. FWF submission 2020, not approved in the 1st round). Projektleiterin.
- **The Thomas Kuhn Interview Archive: Discourse History of Quantum Theory**  
Evaluation and commentary on the Thomas Kuhn interview collection in the Archives of the History of Quantum Physics (AHQP) at the CSTMS - Center for Science, Technology, Medicine and Society, University of California, Berkeley, USA 2016-2018; currently paused. Projektleiterin.
- **Nature/Nurture/Neither. Concepts of Sex and Gender in Life Science and Medicine**  
A history between old Essentialism and New Materialism. Research Project with the BBRG Beatrice Bain Research Group, University of California, Berkeley USA, 2006-2010.
- **Productive differences. Deconstruction, Systems Theory and Radical Constructivism**  
A transdisciplinary and comparative study. Project management: Anna Babka, Sybille Moser, Gerald Posselt. Funded by the Austrian Ministry for Science and Art. Vienna 2002-2004. Projektmitarbeiterin.
- **Knowledge creation and transmission between academic and non-academic fields**  
Interdisciplinary research project, University of Vienna, Academy of Fine Arts, University of Applied Arts, Vienna, and Association of Feminist Scientists. PI: Sabine Prokop, Department for Theater and Media Studies, Vienna 2002-2003, (EUR 200.000). Financial Controlling und Supervision.
- **Cultural Studies / Gender Studies – Perspectives for the University of Vienna**  
Cross-faculty research project to develop an interdisciplinary curriculum in Gender Studies and Cultural Studies at the University of Vienna. Funded by Austrian Ministry of Science and Arts. Wien 2000-2002. Projektmitarbeiterin.
- **Celebrating.The.Cyborg. - Films.Events.Workshops**  
Interactive Multimedia and Film Festival on Cyborg and Cybernetic Cinema". In collaboration with Andrea Braidt, Hans Scheirl, Nadja Schefzig. Funded by Stadt Wien, Arts and Culture (MA 7), Vienna 1999, Projektleitung, gemeinsam mit Team.
- **Pictures of a Century**  
Interview archive and documentary film series with contemporary witnesses of World War I and World War II. Director: Ruth Deutschmann. Broadcast on April 15 (Part 1) and April 21 (Part 2) on ORF 2. Financed by the Austrian Film Archive and the Department of Art and Culture of the City of Vienna (MA 7), Vienna 1998, Projektmitarbeiterin.

## TALKS and PRESENTATIONS

(held in German and English)

- [43] **Trauma und Vernunft.** SWIP-Tagung 28./29. Nov 2025, IWK Wien, mit Birgit Langenberger.
- [42] **Kants „Zum ewigen Frieden“ - Friedensschrift als Utopie in Zeiten einer neuen globalen Weltordnung,** gemeinsam mit Birgit Langenberger, SWIP-Tagung, 23. Mai 2025, IWK Wien.
- [41] **Universalismus – Partikularismus – Menschenrechte,** gemeinsam mit Birgit Langenberger, SWIP-Jahrestagung, 16. Nov 2024, IWK Wien.
- [40] **Neurodiversity - A case for Neuroplurality.** Talk at CEU, Office for Diversity and Inclusion, together with Natalia Nykies, Prof. Dr. Brigitte Hackenberg, Manuela Biegenzahn (AnetA Austria), Vienna, 24. May 2024.
- [39] **Leibniz and John Wilkins. On the Influence of Wilkins' Philosophical Language on Leibniz' Rational Grammar.** Organized by Naomi Kupferblum, Vienna, 30. Nov 2022.
- [38] **Remembering Kurt Rudolf Fischer – And the Golden Age of Austrian Philosophy in the Viennese Fin de Siecle.** International Symposium for the 100. Birthday of Prof. Kurt Rudolf Fischer. Organized by Prof. Fritz Stadler, Vienna Campus, May 12, 2022.
- [37] **Tracing China in Europe. The Confucius Reception of Christian Wolff.** International Symposium Decolonization of Knowledge. Department of Philosophy, University of Applied Arts. Organized by Murat Ates, Sushila Mesquita, Vienna, Nov 19-21, 2021
- [36] **Leibniz' Scientia Generalis as an early Philosophy of Science.** International Symposium "Concepts of Logic / Logic of Concepts. Department of Philosophy and Logic, University of Leipzig. Organized by Raphael Borchers. Leipzig, Germany, October 7-9, 2021.
- [35] **Bilfinger, Wolff, Justi: Aspects of a Political Theory of an enlightened Monarchy, inspired by the Chinese.** Workshop of the Working Group on Chinese Philosophy, in cooperation with the Confucius Institute Vienna. Organized by Richard Trappl, Cornelius Zehetner; Vienna, August 3, 2021
- [34] **Confucianism in Early Enlightenment Europe.** Workshop of the Working Group on Chinese Philosophy, in cooperation with the Confucius Institute Vienna. Organized by Richard Trappl, Cornelius Zehetner. Vienna, October 10, 2020.
- [33] **The Civil Friendship Pact. A Proposal for Legal Bonds Based on Friendship and Care.** International Symposium "Politics of Friendship", Department of Sociology, University of Lisbon, Portugal. Lissbon, Nov 14, 2018.
- [32] **Utopia – Utopias in Philosophy and Literature.** Katharina Lacina in dialogue with Natascha Gruver. Philosophical Cafe "Kantine" at Sargfabrik, Vienna, June 16, 2018.
- [31] **Explorations in Digital Humanities: The Thomas Kuhn Interview Archives.** International Symposium "Media in the Making, Materialities of Cooperation", University of Siegen, Germany. Organized by Christian Erbacher. Siegen, November 11-13, 2017.
- [30] **Post-Colonial Reflections on Philosophy.** Workshop Postcolonial Theory for Science and Technology Studies; CSTMS, Center for Science, Technology, Medicine and Society, University of California, Berkeley, Stephens Hall. Berkeley, October 27, 2017.
- [29] **Ad felicitatem publicam“: Leibniz' Scientia Generalis. Zur Grundlegung einer Wissenschaftskonzeption und deren gegenwärtige Relevanz“**, together with Cornelius Zehetner, X. International Leibniz-Congress; Hannover, Germany, July 18-23, 2016.

- [28] **Calculus Ratiocinator: On the origins of symbolic Logic in Leibniz' logical fragments.** Talk at the X. International Leibniz Congress; Hannover, Germany, July 18-23, 2016.
- [27] **"International Lectures at the University of Vienna"** Opening Talk and Moderation of a panel discussion with Vice Chancellor Werner Fassmann. Rektorat of the University of Vienna. Vienna, June 11, 2014.
- [26] **„Bloody Matter: William Harvey's Aristotelism and Descartes Mechanism.** International Symposium „Aristoteles' Substanzlehre zwischen Metaphysik und Naturwissenschaft“. Organized by the Working Group on Aristotelian Metaphysics. Department of Philosophy, University of Vienna. Vienna, June, 28, 2013.
- [25] **Leibniz' Contribution to the Development of Symbolic Logic.** Presentation at the Logic Café – Working Group Logic. Department of Philosophy, University of Vienna. Vienna, June 17, 2013.
- [24] **Reading Machines: Wittgensteins Lesemaschinen.** On the Experience of Reading, Listening and Understanding. Talk and Performance at the International Symposium "Alienation as a Method". Organized by [soundcheck philosophy] Performative Philosophy, Friedrich Nietzsche Documentation Center. Naumburg, Germany. Naumburg, May 24, 2013
- [23] **Genome and Identity. On the fingerprints of Self, Identity and Free Will.** Symposium "Genetics as Culture", Medical University of Innsbruck, in cooperation with the Bioethics Center, University of Göttingen. Innsbruck, October 26-28, 2011.
- [22] **Signs, Notations and Processes of Drawing.** Opening speech for the exhibition "Convergence in Probability", Gallery City Park Krems, Austria. Krems, October 7, 2011.
- [21] **Reflexions on the Piece „ESHQ“.** Talk with the composer Pia Palme. Music Festival e\_May for New and Electronic Music. Kosmos Theater Vienna. Vienna, May 22, 2011.
- [20] **Female Composers of New and Electronic Music. Processes of creativity and creation.** Panel discussion at Mica, Music Center Austria. Vienna, May 21, 2011.
- [19] **The Civil Friendship Pact.** International Symposium "Concepts of Friendship in Time and Place", University of Leiden, Departments of Sociology, Cultural Anthropology. Organized by Carla Reusew, Leiden, December 7, 2010.
- [18] **From Old Essentialism to New Materialism. Concepts of the Human in Life Sciences and Medicine.** Colloquia Series at the Office of History of Science and Technology, University of California, Berkeley USA. Berkeley, October 18, 2010.
- [17] **Kant's normative Ethics and its relevance for current issues in LifeSciences.** Annual Meeting of the Society for Eastern European Enlightenment Studies, University of Budapest, Hungary, Budapest, June 2-4, 2010.
- [16] **Perspectives of New Materialism and Posthumanism.** Christina Conference on Gender Studies, University of Helsinki, Finland. Helsinki, May 10-12, 2010.
- [15] **When is a Person a Person, When does the Person Begin?** Kant's concept of personhood in stem cell research. "Kant in Asia" International Conference, Hong Kong Baptist University, China. Hong Kong, May 20-24, 2009.
- [14] **Ödipus komplexer: Modern reproductive technologies and new forms of parenting and family.** Colloquia Series "Gendered Subjects" IX - Körperregime und Geschlecht; Department of Gender Studies, University of Vienna. Vienna, May 12, 2009.

- [13] **Nature/Nurture/Neither?** Opening Talk to Anne Fausto-Sterling's Keynote Talk at the Center for Science, Technology and Society, University of California, Berkeley, USA. Berkeley, March 3, 2009.
- [12] **Concepts of Sex and Gender. A historical Overview.** Presentation at the Beatrice Bain Research Group Lecture Series, University of California Berkeley, USA. Berkeley, November 7, 2008.
- [11] **The Transformation of the 'transcendental' in Anglo-American Analytic Philosophy.** XXII. World Congress of Philosophy 2008, Seoul National University. South Korea, Seoul, August, 1-9, 2008.
- [10] **Gender Justice / Injustice in economic models of work and care work.** XIII Symposium of the International Association of Women Philosophers (IAPh), Ewha University, Seoul, South Korea, Seoul, July 27-29, 2008.
- [09] **Work and Family. Economic Invisibilities.** Colloquia Series Gendered Subjects V. Department of Gender Studies, University of Vienna. March 13, 2007.
- [08] **Linguistic Considerations on Transcendental Philosophy: on the relationship between language and Cognition in Kant's critique of pure reason.** Austrian Congress of Philosophy, University of Graz. Graz, June, 8-10, 2007.
- [07] **Ethics in Medicine: John Money and the Johns Hopkins Protocols.** Talk at the Department for Gender Studies, University of Turku, Finland, Turku, December 12, 2006.
- [06] **Ethics in Medicine: The Intersex Management Protocols.** Presentation at the Beatrice Bain Research Group Lecture Series, University of California Berkeley, USA. Berkeley, October 17, 2006.
- [05] **Transcendental Arguments in Analytic Philosophy.** 10th International Kant Congress, Universidade de São Paulo, Brazil. São Paulo, September 4-9, 2005.
- [04] **Possibilities and Problems of Contemporary Gender Models.** Medicine, Education & the Law – Symposium on Intersexuality, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, Yeshiva University. New York, USA. New York, February 22-25, 2005.
- [03] **Difference Theories: Deconstruction, Systems Theory, Radical Constructivism.** Presentation of a research project. University of Vienna, together with Anna Babka, Gerald Posselt, Sybille Moser; Vienna Campus, May 16, 2004.
- [02] **Gender Studies / Cultural Studies.** Quantitative data collection and data analysis. Perspectives at the University of Vienna. Presentation of a research project, together with Manuela Hofer, Sabine Kock. Vienna Campus, May 27, 2002.
- [01] **The unused potential. Female post-pregnancy career decline and work drop-out.** Presentation of a research project of the ibw, Institute for Training and Education in VET at the Austrian Green Party Assembly in Bruck/Mur, Styria. Austria. Together with Kurt Schmidt. Bruck, October 2, 2000.

## Symposia and Workshop Organization

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- **Autism Peer Support and Mentoring:**  
Workshop und Peer Group im Rahmen vom Stadt Wien Projekt „Asperger, Kanner, Frankl“, gemeinsam mit Dr. Brigitte Hackenberg und Verein AnetA Autism Network Austria, 1190 Wien, März - Juli 2025.
- **Denkraumgespräche 2.0 Kunsthalle Wien:**  
**“Trying to be at home in the World: Understanding and Reconciliation in complicated Times”**  
Workshop Series at Kunsthalle Wien: Oktober 16, Nov 11, Dez 13, 2024, together with Andrea Hubin. Alongside with the Exhibition Aleksandra Domanovic.
- **Denkraumgespräche 1.0 Kunsthalle Wien:**  
**“Trying to be at home in the World: Understanding and Reconciliation in complicated Times”**  
Workshop Series at Kunsthalle Wien: May 03, May 31 and June 21, 2024, together with Andrea Hubin. Alongside with the Exhibition “JAZZ”
- **“Neurodiversity - A case for Neuroplurality”**  
Workshop at CEU, Office for Diversity and Inclusion, together with Natalia Nykies, Prof. Dr. Brigitte Hackenberg, Manuela Biegenzahn (AnetA Austria), Vienna, 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024.
- **Autism Peer Support: Strategies and Methods (for affected and their families)**  
Workshop at AnetA, Autism Network Austria; together with Manuela Biegenzahn, Vienna, June 18, 2023.
- **“Hazy lumps', 'Cloudy Quantities', 'Fuzzy Sets’**  
Organization of a visit and talk of Prof. Rudolf Seising (Munich/Berkeley) at the Logic Cafe / Working - Group on Logic, Department of Philosophy, Vienna, June 2, 2014.
- **“Normative Theory and Diagnostic Practice”**  
Organization of a visit, talk and workshop of Prof. Hans Sluga, University of California, Berkeley, including a Workshop on Frege, at the Department of Philosophy, University of Vienna. Vienna, May 8-10, 2011.
- **”Nature/Nurture – Neither? Re--Conceptualizing Gender, Sex and Sexuality”**  
Organization of a Keynote talk of Anne Fausto---Sterling, Professor of Biology, Brown University, USA for the Center for Science, Technology and Society, Colloquia Series, University of California, Berkeley. Berkeley, USA, March 3, 2009,
- **“Celebrating.The.Cyborg” – Films.Events.Workshops**  
Multimedia and interactive Film Festival on Cyborg and Cybernetic Cinema”. Project management and conceptualization (together with team). Sponsored from the City of Vienna and the Ministry of Art and Culture. Vienna, June 27-29, 1999.

## **RADIO BROADCASTS : Philosophical Pieces on Radio Orange 94.0 Vienna**

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*Podcasts available at:*

*University of Vienna, Department of Philosophy Audio and Media Library <https://audiothek.philo.at/>*

- [15] Tracing China in Europe: Christian Wollfs Konfuzius Lektüre und die Genese der Praktischen Philosophie. 14. Mai 2025.
- [14] On the actuality of Philosophy of Nature for Environmental Philosophy, June 14, 2023.
- [13] Second Amendment – On the escalating gun violence in the United States. Discussion with Birgit Langenberger, Part 3, July 10, 2021.
- [12] The American Declaration of Independence – History and Present. Discussion with Birgit Langenberger, Part 2, November 30, 2020.
- [11] Black Lives Matter - Rassism & Gun Violence in USA. A talk with Birgit Langenberger, Part 1, August 6, 2020.
- [10] Utopia in Literature and Philosophy. Katharina Lacina and Natascha Gruver in Discussion. Recording from the Philosophical Cafe at the Sargfabrik, December 11, 2019.
- [09] The Sound of Silence. Silence in Music. A workshop talk with the Oboist Molly McDolan, June 6, 2016.
- [08] In Memoriam: Kurt Rudolf Fischer 1922 – 2014. Special Edition, March 26, 2014.
- [07] The Dreams of Sor Juana De la Cruz – A Portrait. 2. Oktober 2013.
- [06] Philosophical Pieces – Philosophy in Dialogue. Natascha Gruver in conversation with Elke Heckner: Cultural Studies meets Jewish Studies, April 30, 2013.
- [05] „Ai Weiwei speaks“: with Hans Ulrich Obrist“ : Philosophical Reading Pieces, March 18, 2013.
- [04] In the Studio: – Interview with the composer Pia Palme, November 7, 2012.
- [03] Drawing as artistic and scientific practice – Part 2, Studio talk with Brigitte Mahlknecht, June 20, 2012.
- [02] Drawing as artistic and scientific practice – Part 1, Studio talk with Nikolaus Gansterer, March 30, 2010.
- [01] Productive Differences. A gender-theoretical web project. Talk with Anna Babka, Gerald Posselt and Herbert Hrachovec, April 7, 2004.

# PUBLICATIONS

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Publications in English and German.

## 1. Monographies

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- Feministische Theorien des 20. Jahrhunderts. Die philosophischen Grundlagen; gemeinsam mit Birgit Langenberger, Stuttgart: Springer/Metzler 2026.
- Richard Rorty: Im Spiegel des US-Neopragmatismus, Wien: LIT Verlag 2025.
- Transzendentes Denken und Transzendente Argumente, Wien: LIT-Verlag 2020.

## 2. Papers and Book Chapters

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[20] „Subjekt der Geschichte? Ingvild Birkhans Lektüre von Michel Foucaults Archäologie des Wissens“ in: Brigitte Buchhammer (Hg.) *Begehren.Erkennen.Handeln. Festschrift für Ingvild Birkhan*, Wien: LIT Verlag 2025.

[19] „Ecriture feminine und Sprache der Anerkennung“, gemeinsam mit Anneliese Rieger-Roschitz, in: Brigitte Buchhammer (Hg.) *Begehren.Erkennen.Handeln. Festschrift für Ingvild Birkhan*, Wien: LIT Verlag 2025.

[18] „Feministische Dekonstruktion und Postmoderne“ in: Jasmin Trächtler (Hg.), *Feministische Erkenntnis- und Wissenschaftstheorie*, Stuttgart: Springer/Metzler 2025.

[17] „Lesemaschinen – Reading Machines“, in: Oliveira, Paulo; Pichler, Alois (ed.), *Wittgenstein in/on Translation*, Coleção: CLE: Sao Paulo, Brazil 2019.

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