

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## PERSONAL

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## CONTACT

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## I. AREAS OF SPECIALISATION

AOS: Theory of Knowledge, Philosophy of Science, Epistemology, Pragmatism, Phenomenology

AOC: Plato, Philosophy of Mind, Hermeneutics, Wittgenstein

## II. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

**Bachelor of Arts** Universidad Complutense de Madrid  
(Philosophy)  
October 1987

**Doctor of Philosophy** Universidad Complutense de Madrid  
(Philosophy)

Ph.D. Thesis: *Problemas de fundamentación de la psicología cognitiva: significado y conciencia* [Problems of Foundation in Cognitive Psychology: Meaning and Consciousness]  
06/07/1993 with Distinction

**Post-Doc** University of Notre Dame (Indiana, U.S.A.), Department of Philosophy, 1993-1994

## III. ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

### CURRENT POSITION

2021-Continuing Professor, Department of Logic and Theoretical Philosophy, Universidad Complutense de Madrid (Spain)

2006-2021 Associate Professor, Department of Logic and Theoretical

2018 Philosophy, Universidad Complutense de Madrid (Spain)  
Accredited as Full Professor by the Spanish National  
Accrediting Agency (ANECA)

### PREVIOUS POSITIONS

2003-2006 Lecturer, Department of Theoretical Philosophy, Universidad Complutense de Madrid

2001-2003 Adjunct Professor, Department of Theoretical Philosophy, Universidad Complutense de Madrid

1997-2001 Adjunct Professor, Department of History and Philosophy, Universidad de Alcalá

1995-2001 Adjunct Professor, Faculty of Arts and Letters, Endicott College & The College for International Studies (C.I.S.), Madrid Campus

1994-1995 Adjunct Professor, Department of Social Sciences and Humanities, College of Arts and Letters, Saint Louis University, Madrid Campus

1993-1994 Secondary School Teacher, Colegio Internacional C.O.E.-Pino Sierra, Madrid

### IV. PUBLICATIONS

#### BOOKS

2025 Knowledge in the World. Epistemic Vulnerability, Verisimilitude, and Truth. Wien: Springer, ISBN: 978-3-032-09021-8

2003 *The Many Directions of Moral Consciousness (in Spanish)*. Madrid: Universidad de Alcalá, pp. 1-234, ISBN: 84-8138-543-3

1999 *Wandering Consciousness. A Critical Introduction to Philosophy of Psychology (in Spanish)*. Madrid: Tecnos, pp.1-424, ISBN: 84-309-3431-6

#### BOOKS EDITOR

(2023) *Cognitive Vulnerability. An Epistemological Approach*, in *Berlin Studies in Knowledge Research*. Berlin: Walter de Gruyter. ISBN: 978-3-11-079906-4

#### JOURNAL ARTICLES (peer reviewed)

2022 "John Dewey: Warranted Assertibility, as Synecdoche" (in Spanish), *Análisis. Revista de Investigación Filosófica*, Vol. 9, nº 2, pp. 281-304.

"Common Sense, Philosophy and Science" (in Spanish), *Teorema*, Vol. XLI/1, pp. 127-139.

2021 "Anti\_Luminous Mental States: Logical, Psychological and Epistemological Problems". *Acta Analytica* (Springer). DOI: 10.1007/s12136-021-00473-1

- 2018 "Chakravartty: Metaphilosophy, Philosophy of Science and Semirealism" (in Spanish), *ArtefaCTtoS. Revista de estudios de la ciencia y la tecnología*, Vol. 7, nº 2, pp. 59-82.
- 2016 "Husserl and Wittgenstein on *Lebenswelt* and *Lebensform*: A Cross-examination", *Phänomenologische Forschungen*, Jahrbuch 2015, Felix Meiner, pp. 275-292
- 2015 "R. Rorty: Is the Causal Independence of the World Still Possible from a Panrelationist Ontology?" (in Spanish), *Análisis, Revista de Investigación Filosófica*, Vol. 1, nº 2, pp. 133-162
- "Overcoming Positivism: Husserl and Wittgenstein", *Phänomenologische Forschungen*, Jahrbuch 2014, Felix Meiner, pp. 1-46
- 2014 "Iris Murdoch. Literature, Moral Psychology and Platonism" (in Spanish), *Escritura e Imagen*, vol. 10, pp. 53-75
- "Consensus as Synecdoche and Consensus as Sign. A Critique of Rorty's Conception of Truth, Justification and Consensus" (in Spanish), *Revista de Filosofía*, vol. 39, nº 2, pp. 1-24
- 2013 "The Nest Structure of Our Belief System and Its Consequences", *Wittgenstein-Studien. Internationales Jahrbuch für Wittgenstein-Forschung* vol.4, pp. 65-94
- "A Common Mistake on Weakness of Will", *Proceedings of the XXIII World Congress of Philosophy* Vol. 44, pp. 27-31
- 2012 "Santayana. The Difficult Task of Recovering Animal Faith from Scepticism" (in Spanish), *Teorema-Suplemento Limbo* 32, pp. 75-98
- 2010 "Rorty: Between Scepticism and Non-naturalism" (in Spanish), in *Normatividad y praxis: el interés del conocimiento*, Ángeles Jiménez Perona y Mariano Rodríguez (coords.), Madrid, Universidad Complutense de Madrid (<http://eprints.ucm.es/9876>), pp. 35-45
- 2011 "Issues on Coherentism: A Guided Tour" (in Spanish) , *Daímon. Revista Internacional de Filosofía*, Suplemento 4, pp. 149-158
- 2008 "Phenomenology of Consciousness and Naturalism" (in Spanish), *Teorema*, Vol. XXVII/3, pp. 197-210
- 2005 "Cognitive Science and Liberal Contractualism: A Good Friendship", *Revista de Filosofía*, vol. 30, nº.1, pp 63-75
- 2003 "Management of the Past and Models for the Individual" (in Spanish), *Logos* 36, pp. 187-213
- 2002 "The Erotic Soul and Its Movement towards the Beautiful and the Good", *Daímon. Revista de Filosofía* 21, pp. 75-86
- 2001 "Logic, Knowledge and Value: A Philosophical Triptych" (in Spanish), *Revista de Filosofía* 25, pp. 187-212
- "Reflections on Radical Scepticism" (in Spanish), *Pensamiento* 217, vol. 57, pp. 73-93
- 2000 "Interpretation and Politics of Fuzziness" (in Spanish), *Logos. Anales del Seminario de Metafísica* 2, pp. 313-338

- "Counterflow. Accuracy and Beauty in Phenomenology" (in Spanish), *Anábasis* Invierno 2000/1. Segunda época. Año7, pp. 37-45
- 1999 "Iris Murdoch: A Moral Reflection on Art and Literature" (in Spanish), *Diálogo filosófico* 44, pp. 237-244
- "Historiographical Analysis and Philosophical Traditions: An Unsolved Conflict" (in Spanish), *Anales del Seminario de Historia de la Filosofía* 16, pp. 35-56
- "The Connection Principle and the Classificatory Scheme of Reality", *Teorema* XVIII/1, pp. 85-98
- 1998 "Can We Say When the Compensation of Social Differences Has Been Just?", Kluwer Academic Publisher. *The Journal of Value Inquiry*, 32, pp. 227-241
- "The Chameleon and the Philosopher: Desire, The Good, and Metaphysics" (in Spanish), *Éndoxa* 8, pp. 209-216
- 1997 "Why Don't We Naturalize Consciousness?" (in Spanish), *Revista de Filosofía*, vol. X (3ª Época), nº.18, pp. 227-239
- "Social Differences, Justice, and Envie" (in Spanish), *Isegoría. Revista de filosofía moral y política* 16, pp. 229-240
- "Gauthier's Liberal Contractualism as False Ideology" (in Spanish) , *Doxa* 20, pp. 457-476
- 1996 "Protocols for a Non-Naturalist Rehabilitation of Psychology" (in Spanish), *Diálogo Filosófico* 34, pp. 43-60
- 1996 "Mental States and the Life World: Socrates or Husserl?" (in Spanish), en *Investigaciones Fenomenológicas. Anuario de la Sociedad Española de Fenomenología*, J. San Martín (ed.), Madrid, SEFE-UNED, pp. 119-134.
- 1995 "William Alston: On Sensory Perception and Other Perceptions" (in Spanish), *Anales del Seminario de Metafísica* 29, pp. 47-71
- "The Mental Being and the Life-World. ¿Socrates or Husserl?, *Investigaciones Filosóficas* vol. 1, pp. 119-134
- 1992 "Intentionality Without Consciousness: Brentano, Searle and Cognitive Sciences" (in Spanish), *Revista de Filosofía*, vol. V (3ª Época), n.7, pp. 99-118

## BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2023 "Cognitive Vulnerability, Repetition, and Truth", in *Cognitive Vulnerability. An Epistemological Approach, Berlin Studies in Knowledge Research*, Óscar L. González-Castán (ed.). Series Editors: Günter Abel y James Conant. Berlin: Walter de Gruyter.
- "Cognitive Vulnerability and Cognitive Verisimilitude: Neither Rorty nor Habermas", (in Spanish), in *Ciencia y Método en los Siglos XIX y XX*, Juan Antonio Valor y María de Paz Amérigo (eds.), Madrid: Plaza y Valdés, pp. 217-262. ISBN: 978-84-17121-68-6
- 2018 "Miguel García-Baró: Philosophy Against the Tide" (in Spanish), Salamanca: Sígueme, pp. 449-460. ISBN: 978-84-301-2012-3.

- 2016 "Structures, Dynamisms and Contents of Our Belief System: *Husserl* and *Wittgenstein*" in *Actions, Decision-Making and Forms of Life*. Aporia Series 9. Jesús Padilla Gálvez (ed.), Berlin, Walter de Gruyter, pp. 121-135. ISBN: 978-3-11-047288-2.
- 2015 "Second Order Beliefs and Controversies: Justification and Normativity", in *Normativity and Praxis: Remarks on Controversies*, Ángeles J. Perona (ed.), Milan, Mimesis Edizioni, pp. 39-61. ISBN: 978-88-69770-01-2
- 2009 "Husserl and Wittgenstein on Positivism, Philosophy and Natural Science", in *Language, Nature, and Science: New Essays*, Luis Fernández Moreno (ed.), Madrid, México D.F., Plaza y Valdés, pp. 125-160. ISBN: 978-84-92751-29-7.
- 2008 "The Fact/Value Entanglement as a Linguistic Illusion", in *Following Putnam's Trail: On Realism and Other Issues*, Poznan Studies in the Philosophy of the Sciences and the Humanities, vol. 95. U. Rivas Monroy, C. Candela Silva, C. Martínez Vidal (eds.), Amsterdam, New York, Rodopi, pp. 287-305. ISBN: 978-90-420-2397-0
- 2007 "Mind, Sensation and World: Their Secret Life in Greece" (in Spanish), in *De átomos, almas y estrellas. Estudios sobre la ciencia griega*, José Luis González Recio (ed.), Madrid, México D.F., Plaza y Valdés, pp. 237-288. ISBN: 978-84-96780-23-1
- "Interpretation, Fuzziness, and Rules in Wittgenstein" (in Spanish), in *Ensayos sobre lenguaje, naturaleza y ciencia*, L. Fernández Moreno (ed.), Madrid, C.E.R.S.A., pp. 153-167. ISBN: 978-84-690-6953-5
- 2006 "Hermeneutics: Castling or Checkmate to the Theory of Knowledge?" (in Spanish), in *Caminos de la hermenéutica*, J. Muñoz y Á. M. Faerna (eds.), Madrid, Biblioteca Nueva, pp. 37-70. ISBN: 84-9742-519-7
- 2005 "Problems with Naturalism: Jaewon Kim's Case" (in Spanish), in *La mente en sus máscaras. Ensayos de filosofía de la psicología*, M. Rodríguez (ed.), Madrid, Biblioteca Nueva, pp. 201-236. ISBN: 84-9742-355-0
- 2001 "Could Pragmatism Possibly Have Everything It Wants? Reflections on Ethics and Pragmatism" (in Spanish), in *El retorno del pragmatismo*, L. Arenas, J. Muñoz y Á. J. Perona (eds.), Madrid, Trotta, pp. 217-238. ISBN: 84-8164-466-8
- "A Heideggerian Variation" (in Spanish), in *Que piensen ellos*, Madrid, Ópera prima, pp. 209-220. ISBN: 84-95461-10-2
- 1997 "Fodor's Anti-relativist Crusade or How to Put Innocent Faces without being Able To" (in Spanish), in *El desafío del relativismo*, L. Arenas, J. Muñoz y Á. J. Perona (eds.), Madrid, Trotta, pp. 193-211. ISBN: 84-8164-193-6
- 1997 "Husserl and Putnam on Meaning" (in Spanish), in *La posibilidad de la fenomenología*, A. Serrano de Haro (ed.), Serie *Philosophica Complutensia*, vol. 10, Madrid, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, pp. 59-96. ISBN: 84-89784-22-1

## BOOK REVIEWS

- 2004 Review of Vicente Sanfélix's: *Mente y conocimiento [Mind and Knowledge]* (Madrid: Biblioteca Nueva, 2003), in *Logos. Anales del Seminario de Metafísica*, vol.37, pp. 391-395.

- 2003 "The Cognitive Locomotive and the Philosophy of Mind" (in Spanish), a review of Pedro Chacón's *Filosofía de la Psicología* [Philosophy of Psychology] (Madrid: Biblioteca Nueva, 2001), in *Logos* 36, pp.269-281.
- 2000 "Beyond Economic Rationality", a review of Francesco Farina, Frank Hahn y Stefano Vannucci (eds.), *Ethics, Rationality and Economic Behaviour* (Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1996), in Kluwer Academic Publisher. *The Journal of Value Inquiry*, vol. 34, nº 4, pp. 571-573.
- "Techno-Science: A Labyrinth for Contemporary Science" (in Spanish), a review of Eugenio Moya's *Crítica de la razón tecnocientífica* [Critic of technoscientific reason] (Madrid: Biblioteca Nueva, 1998), in *Daímon. Revista de Filosofía* 20, pp. 159-165.
- 1998 "Eyes that Look at Eyes that Were" (in Spanish), a review of Vicente Sanfélix's *Las identidades del sujeto* [The Identities of the Subject] (Valencia: Pre-Textos, 1997), in *Teorema* Vol. XVII/2, pp. 103-107.

## FICTION

- 2012 *El dios* [The god], Aranjuez, Madrid: Ediciones Atlantis, pp. 1-273, ISBN: 978-84-15449-57-7

## V. FINANCED RESEARCH PROJECTS

- 2023-2026 Vulnerabilidad Cognitiva (II): Interés, Investigación y Conocimiento Asimétrico  
[Cognitive Vulnerability (II): Interest, Investigation and Asymmetric Knowledge]  
  
Financed by the Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation (PID2022-138306NB-100). Principal Investigator
- 2018-2020 Vulnerabilidad Cognitiva, Verosimilitud y Verdad  
[Cognitive Vulnerability, Verisimilitude and Truth]  
  
Financed by the Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness (FFI2017-84826-P). Principal Investigator
- 2016-2017 Relativismo y racionalidad contextual ante una realidad pluralista: una aproximación desde el neopragmatismo  
[Relativism and Contextual Rationality for a Pluralist Reality: A Neo-Pragmatist Approach]  
  
Financed by Santander Bank Foundation-Universidad Complutense de Madrid (PR/26-16-20264). Full time researcher
- 2014-2015 Razonabilidad versus racionalidad en el marco de una propuesta de reunificación de la cultura  
[Reasonableness vs. Rationality: An Attempt within the Framework of a Reunification of Culture]  
  
Financed by Santander Bank Foundation-Universidad Complutense de Madrid (GR 3/14). Part time researcher

- 2011-2014      Normatividad y praxis. El debate actual después de Wittgenstein  
 [*Normativity and Praxis. The Current Debate after Wittgenstein*]  
 Financed by the Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation (FFI2010-15975). Full time researcher
- 2007-2019      Metaescepticismo y el presente de la epistemología:  
 postwittgensteinianos y neopopperianos  
 [*Meta-scepticism and the Present of Epistemology: Post-Wittgensteinians  
 and New-Popperians*]  
 Financed by the Spanish Ministry of Education and Science (HUM 2007-60464/FISO). Full time researcher
- 2006            Filosofía del lenguaje, de la naturaleza y de la ciencia  
 [*Philosophy of Language, of Nature, and of Science*]  
 Financed by Autonomy of Madrid-Universidad Complutense de Madrid (GR45/05) . Part time researcher
- 2005            Conocimiento e ideología: Un análisis para el mundo contemporáneo  
 [*Knowledge and Ideology: An Analysis for the Contemporary World*]  
 Financed by Universidad Complutense de Madrid (PR/05-13341). Full time researcher
- 1999-2002      Hermenéutica y epistemología  
 [*Hermeneutics and Epistemology*]  
 Financed by the Spanish Ministry of Education and Culture (PB 98-0828). Full time researcher
- 1996-1997      Escepticismo y conocimiento en la epistemología actual  
 [*Scepticism and Knowledge in Contemporary Epistemology*]  
 Financed by the Spanish Misnistry of Education and Culture (PB 93-0683). Full time researcher

## VI. SELECTED GRANTS

- 2018            [Awarded: 01/05/2018-30/06/2018] Complutense University-  
 Jaime del Amo Foundation. Mobility Program for University  
 professors, Visiting Scholar. **Department of Philosophy,  
 University of California at Santa Barbara (U.C.S.B.)**
- 2016            Spanish Ministry of Education and Culture. Mobility Program for  
 University professors, Visiting Philosopher, **Department of  
 Philosophy, University of Oxford**
- 1989-1990      International Research Assistant, **Department of Philosophy,  
 University of Wisconsin-Madison (Wisconsin, U.S.A.)**

## VII. BOARDS OF PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- 2012-2017      Board Member and Foundational Member, Sociedad Académica de  
 Filosofía (S.A.F.)
- 1995-2017      Foundational Member, Sociedad Española de Filosofía Analítica

(S.E.F.A.) which is part of the European Society of Analytic Philosophy  
(E.C.A.P.)

## VIII. MAJOR PUBLIC LECTURES AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2024 “Types of Mistakes in Science and Their Impact on Popper’s Notion of Verisimilitude”, presented at Karl Popper and 21<sup>st</sup> Century Philosophy of Science, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (Hong Kong), June 2024
- 2021 “Scepticism, Fallibilism, and Cognitive Verisimilitude”, presented at The Varieties of Anti-Skepticism, from Past to Present, University of Navarra (Spain), September 2021
- “Cognitive Verisimilitude, Repetition, and Truth”, presented at Cognitive Vulnerability. An Epistemological Approach, Complutense University of Madrid (Spain), September 2021
- 2019 “Rorty’s Conception of Truth and Justification as Metonymy”, presented at Reality, Truth, and Epistemic Relativism, Università de Roma Tre (Italy), November 2019
- 2018 “A Critic of Chakravartty’s Over-demanding Requirements for Semi-Realism”, presented at I Jornadas *Novatores* en Filosofía de la Ciencia y la Tecnología. Enfoques contemporáneos del realismo científico, Universidad de Salamanca, Salamanca, Spain, April 2018
- 2016 “Anti-luminosity, Cognitive Sensitivity and Peirce’s Problem”, presented at XXV SIUCC (Inter-University Workshop on Philosophy and Cognitive Sciences): SEFA’s Workshop with Timothy Williamson, University of Valencia, Valencia, Spain, October 2016
- 2015 **Keynote Speaker**, “Structures, Dynamisms and Contents of Our Belief System: Wittgenstein and Husserl”, presented at Action, Decision Making and Forms of Life. Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha, Toledo, Spain, September 2015
- Keynote Speaker**, “Universality and Ethnocentrism: Is the Lebenswelt a Lebensform?”, presented at Lebenswelt und Lebensform. Tagung der deutschen Gesellschaft für phänomenologische Forschung. Koblenz-Landau Universität, Landau, Germany, September 2015
- 2013 “A Common Mistake on Weakness of Will”, presented at the XXIIIth World Congress of Philosophy (W.C.P. 2013), Athens, Greece, August 2013
- 2011 “The Structure of Our Belief System: On Nest, Doors, Rivers and Other Metaphors”, presented at the 34<sup>th</sup> International Wittgenstein Symposium, Kichberg am Wechsel, Austria, August 2011
- “The Structure of Our Belief System: On Nest, Rivers, and Other Metaphors” presented at the International Workshop: Wittgenstein’s *On Certainty: Scepticism, Normativity and Relativism*. Universidad de Zaragoza, Zaragoza, Spain, April 2011

- “Issues on Coherentism: A Guided Tour” (in Spanish), presented at the V Congreso Internacional “Razón, crisis y utopía, Universidad de la Laguna, Tenerife, Spain, February 2011
- 2010 “Is There a Split between Instrumental Necessities and Categorical Necessities?” (in Spanish), presented at Seminario “José Gaos”, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, November 2010
- Keynote Speaker**, “On Coherentism, Essentialism and Consensus” (in Spanish), presented at Encuentro Internacional sobre Escepticismo, Filosofía y Normatividad, Instituto de Investigaciones Filosóficas, U.N.A.M., México D.F., México, August 2010
- Keynote Speaker**, “Rorty in the Web of Tradition” (in Spanish), presented at Seminario de Filosofía y Ciencias Sociales, C.I.E.S.A.S (Centro de Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social), Xalapa-Enríquez, México, August 2010
- 2009 “Rorty: Between Scepticism and Non-naturalism” (in Spanish), presented at Normatividad y praxis: el interés del conocimiento, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, December 2009
- 2008 “Social Differences and their Justification” (in Spanish), presented at the IX Coloquio Internacional Bariloche de Filosofía, San Carlos de Bariloche, Argentina, October 2008
- “Architectonics of Scientific Knowledge and Architectonics of Reality” (in Spanish), presented at II Encuentro Hispano-Argentino de Filosofía Analítica, Buenos Aires, Argentina, September 2008
- 2008 “On the Many Phenomenological Senses of the Word “Consciousness”, or What Is It that You Want to Naturalize?”, presented at the XXIIth World Congress of Philosophy (W.C.P. 2008), Seoul, South Korea, August 2008
- 2007 “Husserl and Wittgenstein on Philosophy and Natural Science”, presented at the International Wittgenstein Symposium: Transzendente Phänomenologie versus grammatikalische Phänomenologie, Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha, Toledo, Spain, September 2007
- 2006 “Scientific Research as Yogic Technique or How to Get Cognitive Peace” (in Spanish), presented at Encuentro Hispano-Argentino de Filosofía Analítica, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, May 2006
- 2004 “The Objects of the Fact/Value Entanglement”, presented at the II Meeting on Pragmatism. Hilary Putnam’s Pragmatism, Universidad de Santiago de Compostela, Santiago de Compostela, Spain, May 2004
- 2003 “Interpretation and Fuzziness in Wittgenstein” (in Spanish), presented at 1er Congreso de la Sociedad Académica de Filosofía, University of Valencia, Valencia, Spain, February 2003
- 2002 “Moral Judgments and the Fuzziness of Actions” (in Spanish), presented at the I Congreso Iberoamericano de Ética y Filosofía Política, Universidad de Alcalá, Alcalá de Henares, Spain, September 2002
- 2001 **Keynote Speaker**, “Hermeneutics: Castling or Checkmate to the Theory of Knowledge?” (in Spanish), presented at Seminario sobre Conocimiento y Valor, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, March 2001
- 2000 **Keynote Speaker**, “Management and Indigestion of the Past” (in Spanish), presented at Seminario sobre Individuo e Historia, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, May 2000

- 1999 “Convention and Morality. A Rejoinder to Professor Harsanyi”, presented at the Third European Congress for Analytic Philosophy (E.C.A.P. III), Maribor, Slovenia, June-July 1999
- Keynote Speaker**, "Interpretation and the Politics of Fuzziness" (in Spanish), presented at Seminario sobre Hermenéutica y Epistemología, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, April 1999
- 1998 **Keynote Speaker**, “Taking Ourselves Not Too Seriously”, presented at the XXth World Congress of Philosophy (W.C.P. 1998), Boston, U.S.A., August 1998
- Keynote Speaker**, "Logic, Knowledge and Value: A Philosophical Triptych" (in Spanish), presented at Seminario sobre Conocimiento y Valor, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, January 1998
- 1997 **Keynote Speaker**, "The Theory of Attention in Husserl and Dennett" (in Spanish), presented at Seminario sobre Filosofía de la Mente y Ciencias Cognitivas, Universidad Europea de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, October 1997
- "The Connection Principle and the Classificatory Scheme of Reality", presented at IXth Inter-University Workshop on Philosophy and Cognitive Sciences. John Searle’s Philosophy of Mind: Intentionality and Consciousness, Universidad de la Laguna, Tenerife, Spain, June 1997
- 1997 “Cognitive Science and Liberal Contractualism: A Perfect Marriage”, presented at the Vth International Colloquium on Cognitive Science (I.C.C.S.’97), San Sebastián, Spain, May 1997
- Keynote Speaker**, "Consciousness and Its Place in the Scientific Image of the World" (in Spanish), presented at Seminario sobre Filosofía de la Mente y Ciencias Cognitivas, Universidad Europea de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, April 1997
- Keynote Speaker**, "Could Pragmatism Possibly Have Everything It Wants? Reflections on Ethics and Pragmatism" (in Spanish), presented at Seminario “El Retorno del Pragmatismo”, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, January 1997
- 1996 “Iris Murdoch: A Moral Reflection on Art and Literature” (in Spanish), presented at VIII Semana de Ética y Filosofía Política, Cuenca, Spain, September 1996
- 1995 “The Chameleon and The Philosopher: Desire, The Good and Metaphysics” (in Spanish), presented at II Jornadas de Diálogo Filosófico, Madrid, Spain, September 1996
- Keynote Speaker**, "*Fodor’s Anti-relativist Crusade or How to Put Angel Face Without Being Able To Be*" (in Spanish), presented at the seminar “El desafío del relativismo”, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, May 1996
- 1991 “Mental States and the Life World: Socrates or Husserl?” (in Spanish), presented at II Semana Española de Fenomenología: El concepto de *Lebenswelt*, Madrid, Spain, September 1999

## IX. DIRECTION OF PhD THESES

Enrique Aramendia Muneta: "Conciencia, proceso y autotransformatividad", Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Facultad de Filosofía, defended February 27, 2023

David Martínez Pernía: "Filosofía de la neurorrehabilitación: de los modelos tradicionales (mecanismo y funcionalismo) al enfoque experiencial", Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Facultad de Filosofía, defended January 2, 2019

Laila Yousef Sandoval: "Nuevas perspectivas de la epistemología en las Relaciones Internacionales. Hacia un universo post-schmittiano del *Ius Publicum Europaeum*", Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Facultad de Filosofía, defended June 27, 2017. European Doctorate

Bernat P. Tort Ortiz: "Naturalización de la fenomenología: Idealismo trascendental fenomenológico, cambio conceptual y "cambio de mundo" ", Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Facultad de Filosofía, defended January 12, 2016

Juan Alberto Lecaros Urzúa: "La fundamentación ontológica de la ética de la responsabilidad de Hans Jonas: El vínculo entre *bíos*, *télos* y *éthos*", Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Facultad de Filosofía, defended September 18, 2015

Pedro Fernández-Bujarrabal Villoslada: "El relativismo epistemológico y la garantía del conocimiento científico: Una justificación empirista y neopragmatista después de Quine y Rorty", Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Facultad de Filosofía, defended September 29, 2014

### Co-direction

María José Castillo Martín: "La psicología moral en las novelas de Iris Murdoch", Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Faculty of English Philology, 1998

## X. TEACHING

2023-2024 BPhil: Conocimiento, Justificación y Verdad [Knowledge, Justification and Truth]. Program: Epistemology of Natural and Social Sciences, Universidad Complutense de Madrid (U.C.M.)

BA: Corrientes Actuales de la Filosofía [Current Trends in Philosophy]; 5th Year Double Degree Law-Philosophy, U.C.M.

Teoría del Conocimiento II [Theory of Knowledge II], 4th Year Double Degree Law-Philosophy, U.C.M.

Filosofía de la Acción [Philosophy of Action], 4th Year Degree in Philosophy

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