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## Current position

*PPE PhD Candidate/Junior Lecturer*, John Stuart Mill College, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

## Areas of specialisation

Game theory; Social networks; Political and moral philosophy; Social choice theory

## Employment

since 2017 PPE PhD Candidate/Junior Lecturer, John Stuart Mill College, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam  
2016–2017 Wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin (50%), Professorship of Economics IG, Universität Bayreuth  
2016 Wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin (50%), Lehrstuhl für Politische Philosophie, Universität Bayreuth  
2011–2013 Bursar & Teaching Assistant, International University College, Sofia

## Education

since 2017 PhD in PPE, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam; Supervisors: Prof. Dr. René van den Brink, Prof. Dr. Martin van Hees  
2013–2015 MA in Philosophy & Economics, Universität Bayreuth; Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Matthew Braham, Prof. Dr. Stefan Napel  
2007–2011 BA in Business Administration, University of Portsmouth; Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Vesselin Blagoev  
2007–2011 BA in Philosophy, Sofia University ‘St. Kliment Ohridski’ (interrupted)  
2002–2007 Diploma of Secondary Education, Exemplary High School of Mathematics ‘Acad. Kiril Popov’, Plovdiv; Profile: Natural Sciences and Mathematics

## Teaching

### VRIJE UNIVERSITEIT AMSTERDAM

2017–2022 *Tutor* for Methods of PPE III: Game Theory, BA; Lecturers: Prof. Dr. René van den Brink, Prof. Dr. Martin van Hees  
*Tutor* for Methods of PPE I: Mathematics, Logic, Decision Theory, BA; Lecturers: Prof. Dr. Lieven Decock, Dr. Ines Lindner, Prof. Dr. René van den Brink

*Tutor* for Institutional Economics, BA; Lecturer: Dr. Roland Luttens  
*Tutor* for History of Philosophy II: Plato's *Republic* & Arendt's *The Human Condition*, BA; Lecturers: Prof. Dr. Marije Martijn, Dr. Annemie Halsema  
*Tutor* for History of Philosophy, BA; Lecturers: Dr. Olga Lizzini, Prof. Dr. Marije Martijn  
2021 Methods of PPE III: Game Theory, BA; co-taught with Prof. Dr. René van den Brink

#### UNIVERSITÄT BAYREUTH

2016–2017 [Representation and Redistribution: Theory and Evidence](#), BA  
[Introduction to Cooperative Game Theory](#), BA  
2015–2016 [Concepts and Measures of Voting Power](#), BA  
*Tutor* for Introduction to Political Philosophy, BA; Lecturer: Prof. Dr. Matthew Braham

### Supervision

2017 Antonio Rahn, BA; Universität Bayreuth; Thesis: “Power and representation in the Lebanese Parliament”

### Service to the profession

since 2018 Editor at the *Erasmus Journal for Philosophy and Economics*  
since 2019 (with Yara Al Salman) Co-organiser of the study group ‘Peer-Review Circle Practical Philosophy’ (OZSW)  
2022 (with Frederik Van De Putte, Erica Yu, and Måns Abrahamson) Co-organiser of the graduate conference ‘Formal Models of Democracy’ (Erasmus University Rotterdam)  
2020 (with Akshath Jitendranath, Sanne Groothuis, and Stefano Merlo) Co-organiser of the ‘RANT’ graduate workshop (OZSW) and the ‘Amsterdam Graduate Conference in Political Theory’ (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, University of Amsterdam)

### Publications

#### JOURNAL ARTICLES

2021 [Penrose and the Indifferent Crowd](#), *Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology* 39B: 77–94  
2020 (with Benjamin Ferguson) [A Dilemma for Permissibility-Based Solutions to the Paradox of Supererogation](#), *Analysis* 80 (4): 723–731

#### BOOK REVIEWS

forthcoming Review of Daniel Halliday's *The Inheritance of Wealth: Justice, Equality, and the Right to Bequeath*, *Journal of Moral Philosophy*

## Discussions

### PODCASTS

- 2021 Discussion with early-career scholars (with David Coker and Dorian Jullien), *Smith and Marx Walk into a Bar: A History of Economics Podcast*, Episode 41

### TALKS

- 2021 EIPE Research Seminar, Rotterdam (Online)  
2019 OZSW Annual Conference, Amsterdam  
Amsterdam Moral and Political Philosophy Workshop, Amsterdam  
2018 14th Spain-Italy-Netherlands Meeting on Game Theory (SING14), Bayreuth  
5th Annual Conference of the Society for the History of Recent Social Science, Zurich  
Symposium Mathematics & Politics: Democratic Decision Making, Hannover  
2017 Workshop on Insights into Political Economy, Berlin  
Graduate Seminar in Economics of the Universität Bayreuth, Lichtenfels  
2016 1st International Philosophy Politics Economics Conference, Witten

## Other interests

- since 2017 Reading group in Philosophy, Politics & Economics, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam  
since 2012 Budding typesetter and book designer for [caboose](#)  
since 2011 [Planetary projection](#) coordinator  
2016–2017 Reading groups in Philosophy & Economics and the Philosophy of Biology & Psychology, Universität Bayreuth