

Curriculum Vitae (Abbreviated Version)

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Scientific focus areas

- Late Medieval and Early Modern Philosophy (Calculatores Tradition)
- Late Medieval and Early History of Sciences (Cosmology)
- Aristotelian Natural Philosophy and Methodology
- Classical Epistemology
- For additional information see the list of publication in: http://www.mcmp.philosophie.uni-muenchen.de/people/faculty/di_liscia_daniel/index.html.

I - Dissertation

2003: PhD. Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München. Dissertation's title: "Zwischen Geometrie und Naturphilosophie. Die Entwicklung der Formlatitudenlehre im deutschen Sprachraum" (Between geometry and natural philosophy. The development of the form latitude theory in the German-speaking area), Grading: *Summa cum laude*. Gutachter/Supervisors: Eckhard Keßler; Menso Folkerts; Carlos Ulises Moulines. Major: Philosophy. Minors: (a) History of Science; (b) Logic and Philosophy of Science.

II - Academic Positions and Research qualifications

- 2019-22
01.06./30.09. **Senior Researcher at the Munich Center for Mathematical Philosophy** (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München). **PI of the Calculatores-Project:** [DFG - GEPRIS - Die vorgalileische Geometrisierung der Bewegung: Giovanni da Casales Quaestio de velocitate und die italienische Rezeption des Traktates De latitudinibus formarum](#)
- 2024-25
01.08./30.05. **Visitant Scientist at the Technion (Israel Institute of Technology), Department of Humanities and Arts.**
- 2019-22
01.06./30.09. **Senior Researcher at the Munich Center for Mathematical Philosophy** (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München). **PI of the Calculatores-Project:** "Integration und Transformation in der spätmittelalterlichen Naturphilosophie: Jacques Legrand's aristotelisches *Compendium utriusque philosophie*" (*Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft*).
- 2015-18
09.09./08.05. **Senior Researcher at the Munich Center for Mathematical Philosophy** (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München). **PI of the Calculatores-Project:** "Geometrisierung der Metaphysik im Spätmittelalter: Jacobus de Neapoli und die Tradition *De perfectione specierum*" (*Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft*).
- 2018
01-06/30-06 **Visiting Scholar** at the Université Paris (Diderot): *Laboratoire SPHÈRE*. Talks and research work on the *calculatores* tradition.
- 2013-15
09.09./30.05. **Senior Researcher at the Munich Center for Mathematical Philosophy** (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München). **PI of the Calculatores-Project.** Project Di Liscia / Leitgeb: "Von einem logisch-mathematischen Standpunkt: Richard Swineshead und die Tradition der *Calculatores*" (Project funded by LMUexcellent). http://www.mcmp.philosophie.unimuenchen.de/news/archive/diliscia_20140203/index.htm
- 2011
01.09./15.09 **Visiting Professor** at the Universidad de Buenos Aires (Argentina). Seminar for PhD students: „Filosofía y ciencia en la Edad Media: Del ingreso de Aristóteles en Occidente a los precursores de Galileo”.
- 2010
01.02./30.06 **Visiting Professor** at the Université de Versailles Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines (Laboratoire ESR), France. Research and Teaching on History of Astronomy (project for an edition of Johannes Hevelius' manuscripts).
- 2009
01.08./30.08. **Visiting Professor** at Universidad Tres de Febrero (Buenos Aires, Argentinien). Deutscher Akademischer Austausch, Programm Kurzzeitdozentur. Introduction to history of sciences.
- 2008
01.10./31.10. **Visiting Professor** at Universidad Tres de Febrero (Buenos Aires, Argentinien). Deutscher Akademischer Austausch, Programm Kurzzeitdozentur. Introduction to

history of sciences.

- 2004-09
01.04./31.05. **Geschäftsführer** (excutive director, 100%) of the *Kommission für die Herausgabe der Werke von Johannes Kepler* at the *Bayerische Akademie der Wissenschaften*. Administration and scientific work as well.
- 2002-04
01.04./31.03. **Collaborator** (50%) at the *Kommission für die Herausgabe der Werke von Johannes Kepler* at the Bayerischen Akademie der Wissenschaften.
- 2007
01.08./07.09 **Visiting Professor** at der Universidad de Buenos Aires (Argentinien). Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Programm Kurzzeitdozentur. Seminar: “Ciencia y filosofía de las ciencias en la Edad Media: el caso de las llamadas *scientiae mediae* (óptica, astronomía y análisis del movimiento)”.
- 1999-01
01.10./31.10. **Collaborator** in the DFG Project for the “München-Edition” of the works by Nicolaus Copernicus (Technische Universität München).
- 1998 **Scholarship holder** of the Fundación Antorchas (Proyecto A – 13532/1 – 108).
- 1993-98 **Scholarship holder** Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst. Research subject: “Geschichte der galileischen Mechanik”. Workplace: *Institut für Geschichte der Naturwissenschaften* (LMU – Deutsches Museum).
- 1989-92 **Scholarship holder** of Conicet (Argentinian Research Council for Science and Tecnology). Research subject: “Motion, Nature and Cosmos: The Precursors of Galileo”.
- 1991–92 **Teacher for the special secondary school subject** “Philosophy” at Jewish School *Tarbut* (Buenos Aires).
- 1986-87 **Assistant lecturer in** “Introducción al Conocimiento Científico” (Einführung in die Wissenschaftstheorie), CBS-U.B.A. Buenos Aires.

III - Further Research Qualifications and International Relations

(1) Membership, Participation in projects

Since 2023: Member of the **Editorial Board** of the new series “Intellectual Practice and Thought at Late Medieval and Early Modern Universities (1300-1550).” (Brepols, general editor Ota Pavlicek).

Since 2020: Member of the **Editorial Board** of the series “Research on Science & Natural Philosophy” (Lodz University).

Since 2019: **Coordination** (German side) of the “Agreement of Cooperation” between the Munich *Center for Mathematical Philosophy* (LMU, München) and the *Center for Philosophy of Nature* (Universität Łódź).

2019: **Member of the Assessment Committee** for the position “Call 8 – 6. Scientific Field: Humanities, Scientific Subfield 6.3. Philosophy, Ethics and Religion Ref. FCT SFRH / BPD / 69485/2010”, Facultad de Filosofia, University of Porto.

Since 2018: **Member of the Scientific Committee** of the journal *Filosofia. Revista da Faculdade de Letras da Universidade do Porto*.

Since 2017: **Associated member** of Laboratoire SPHERE (l’Université Paris-Diderot). <http://www.sphere.univ-paris-diderot.fr/spip.php?page=recherche&recherche=Di+Liscia&submit.x=0&submit.y=0&lang=fr>

2008-2009: Participation in the **project EEDA** (“Une Époque en Édite une Autre”) of the University of

Nantes, France (Directors: Prof. E. Barbin - Prof. G. Stenger).

Since 2007: **Associated Member** of the “Centro de Estudios Filosóficos Eugenio Pucciarelli (Sección Lógica y Filosofía de la Ciencia)” of the *Academia Nacional de Ciencias de Buenos Aires*.

- (2) Invited as expert for the **assessment of projects** by the following organizations (selection): *Israel Science Foundation, European Research Council, Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst, Polish National Science Centre, La fondation maison des sciences de l'homme*.
- (3) Invited as **peer reviewer** by the following journals (selection): *Studies in History and Philosophy of Science, Early Science and Medicine, Berichte zur Wissenschaftsgeschichte, Journal for the History of Astronomy, Historia mathematica, History of Science, Revista Española de Filosofía Medieval*.

IV - Organization of International Conferences

- 16.03.2023: Co-organization along with Sabine Rommevaux-Tani (Université Paris-Diderot, laboratoire SPHERE) of a Workshop *La perfection des espèces et le fondement métaphysique de la science médiévale*. <http://www.sphere.univ-paris-diderot.fr/spip.php?article766>. Own talk: “James of Naples’ Treatise on the Perfection of Species”.
- 05.11.2021: Workshop *The Concept of Motion in Late Medieval Philosophy* (München, LMU/MCMP). <https://www.mcmp.philosophie.uni-muenchen.de/events/workshops/container/motion/index.html>. Results published. Own talk/paper: “The Concept of Motion in Jacques Legrand’s *Compendium utriusque philosophie*”.
- 06.06.2019: Co-organization along with Sabine Rommevaux-Tani (Université Paris-Diderot, laboratoire SPHERE) *Le temps dans la physique du XIV^e siècle*. <http://www.sphere.univ-paris-diderot.fr/spip.php?article2235&lang=fr>. Own talk: “Anneliese Maier and Medieval Time Theory”.
- 23.-25.5.2018: International conference *Quantifying Aristotle. The Impact, Spread and Decline of the Calculatores Tradition* (Founded by the DFG and the Fritz Thyssen Stiftung). <https://www.mcmp.philosophie.uni-muenchen.de/news/archive/calculatores2018/index.html>. Results published. Own talk/paper: “The Geometrisation of Theology and the Metaphysics in the Tradition *de perfectione specierum*”.
- 21.06.2018: Co-organization along with Sabine Rommevaux-Tani (Université Paris-Diderot, laboratoire SPHERE) of the Workshop *Peut-on parler de la génération comme d’un mouvement?* <http://www.sphere.univ-paris-diderot.fr/spip.php?article766&lang=fr>. Own talk: “The transmutation *ad substantiam* in Jacques Legrand’s philosophical *Compendium*”.
- 18.-20.11.2008 Co-organization of the international Conference in Strasbourg: “Physique, métaphysique, ‘physique céleste’ *Autour de l’Astronomia Nova* de Johannes Kepler (1609)”. Coordination: E. Mehl (Université Marc Bloch, Strasbourg) and Daniel A. Di Liscia (Bayerische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Kepler-Kommission). Results published. Own talk: “Keplers Begriff der Schwerkraft und dessen Rolle beim Aufbau einer Himmelsphysik”.

V - Languages

Spanish, German, English, Italian, French. Latin: Critical Edition of late medieval and early modern texts.

VI- Teaching qualifications

- **Supervision of Bachelor, Master, PhD and Post-doc Projects** from 2008 to 2019.
- **Teaching activity at the University of Munich (LMU):** Seminars from 2003 to 2015.
- **Teaching activities in the context of ERASMUS-Exchange:** Universities of Lodz (Poland), University of Córdoba (Spain), of Porto (Portugal) and of Chieti-Pescara (Italy).
- **Intensive Teaching in Argentina:** October-November 2018 (supported by the LMU).

VII - Lectures and presentations

- This is an abbreviated list of my talks from the past three years, thematically representative of my research topics.
- Haifa, 20.10.2024: Talk at the *Technion –Department of Humanities and Arts*: “Motion: Late Medieval Interdisciplinarity and the Rise of Modern Science”
- Bordeaux, 19.09.2024: Talk at the *Center AUSONIUS, CNRS, Université Bordeaux-Montaigne*: “*Libri Aristotelis legantur*: The Rise of the University and the Impact of Aristotle’s Philosophy in the West” (<https://ausonius.u-bordeaux-montaigne.fr/index.php/recherche/seminaires>).
- Munich, 23.05.24: Talk at the *Munich Center for Mathematical Philosophy*: “Quantifying Infinity in the Late Middle Ages”.
- Wien, 20. 11.23: Presentation of my book: „*Eine Wiener Expositio zum Tractatus de latitudinibus formarum*“ at the *Institut für Österreichische Geschichtsforschung*.
- Roma (Online), 7.11.23: Early Modern Transformations and Adaptations of the Aristotelian Scientific Vocabulary. *Istituto per il Lessico Intellettuale Europeo e Storia delle Idee*. Talk: “The Notion of *impetus* in Late Medieval and Early-Modern Science”.
- Madrid, 26.10.23: UNED. Series of talks “Obsesiones Premodernas (s. XIII-XVI): El cosmos, la sabiduría y las matemáticas”. Talk: “¿Cómo varían las cualidades físicas?”.
- Paris, 10.06.23: Laboratoire SPHERE, Workshop *Intensive magnitudes in Leibniz and before*. Talk: “The calculators Tradition from Bradwardine to Leibniz: Lines of Development, Problems, and Categories of Analysis”.
- Évora, 14-17.09.23: 5º *Congresso Internacional da Sociedade Portuguesa de Filosofia*. Talk: “Educating, Commenting and Innovating in the Fourteenth Century: Oresme's French Programme for the King's Court”.
- Porto, 11.9.23: Faculdade de Letras de Universidade do Porto/ Departamento de Filosofia. Talk: “El concepto de movimiento y el problema de la continuidad entre la filosofía natural escolástica y la física moderna”.
- Colvilhã, 7-9.09.23: *De imagine*. Colóquio Anual da SOFIME. Talk: “Oresme’s *ymaginationes*: Geometrical Principles, Terminology, and Applications”.
- Tel Hai, 5-8.06.23: Conference: *Quantity, Extension, and Infinity in the 13th and 14th Centuries*. Talk: “Quantity in Jacques Legrand’s *Compendium utriusque philosophie*: A Late Nominalist Approach to Aristotle”.

VIII - Publications

* Short selection list including only the last five years; for a more complete list see https://www.mcmp.philosophie.uni-muenchen.de/people/faculty/di_liscia_daniel/index.html; many of my papers are [available online](#).

1. Books

- 2022, *Eine Wiener Expositio zum Tractatus de latitudinibus formarum. Edition und Kommentar*. Wien: Böhlau Verlag. 210pp. [Quelleneditionen des Österreichischen Instituts für Geschichtsforschung. Bd. 20]

2. Edited volumes (anthologies or equivalent)

- 2022, Daniel A. Di Liscia (ed.), *The concept of Motion in Late Medieval Philosophy*. *Revista Española de Filosofía*, Special Issue N° 29/1.
- 2022, Daniel A. Di Liscia, Edith D. Sylla (eds.), *Quantifying Aristotle. The Impact, Spread and Decline of the Calculators Tradition*. Leiden: Brill [Medieval and Early Modern Philosophy and Science, ed. by Ch. Lüthy and P. J.J.M. Bakker], in collaboration with P. J.J.M. Bakker.

3. Articles and anthology contributions

- “Infinite Intensity: Steps towards a Quantification of Aristotelian Natural Philosophy”, in: *Perspectives on Sciences* (forthcoming 2025).
- “The 'latitudes of forms' as a New Middle Science,” in: Clelia V. Cialesi, *Premodern Mathematical Thought. The Latinate Discussion (13th – 16th Centuries)*, Leiden–Boston: Brill (forthcoming), 2024.
- 2022, In collaboration with Aurora Panzica, “The Writings of Nicole Oresme: a Systematic Inventory”, in: *Traditio* 77, pp. 235-375.
- 2022: “Introduction” to: Daniel A. Di Liscia, Edith D. Sylla (eds.), *Quantifying Aristotle ...*, pp 1–19.
- 2022, “Perfections and Latitudes. The Development of the Calculators’ Tradition and the Geometrisation of Metaphysics and Theology”, in: Daniel A. Di Liscia, Edith D. Sylla (eds.), *Quantifying Aristotle*. See before Daniel A. Di Liscia, Edith D. Sylla (eds.), *Quantifying Aristotle*, pp. 278-327.
- 2022, “The Concept of Motion in Jacques Legrand’s Philosophical *Compendium*”. *Revista Española de Filosofía Medieval*, Special Issue: Daniel A. Di Liscia (ed.), *The Concept of Motion in Late Medieval Philosophy*. No 29/1, pp. 199-233.
- 2020, In collaboration with Aníbal Szapiro, “Nicolás de Oresme y la rotación de la Tierra. Estudio con traducción íntegra del *Livre du ciel et du monde* II.25 en el que Oresme expone sus argumentos”, in: *Epistemología e Historia de la Ciencia*, 4(2), pp. 73-101.

4. Reviews

- 2024: Review of: *De Sex Inconvenientibus*. Traité anonyme de philosophie naturelle du XICe siècle. Edité par Sabine Rommevaux-Tani, Librairie Philosophique J. Vrin, Paris, 2022 (Textes Philosophiques du Moyen Âge); 385 p. in: *Revue d'histoire des sciences* 77 (2024), p. 207-210.
- 2023, Review of: *Nicole Oresme. Questiones in Meteorologica de ultima lectura, recensio parisiensis. Study of the Manuscript Tradition and Critical Edition of Books I-II.10*, edited by Aurora Panzica (Medieval and Early Modern Philosophy and Science, 32). Leiden and Boston: Brill, 2021. ix+290 p. in: *Revista Española de Filosofía Medieval*, 30/1 (2023), pp. 229-234.