

LUCA OLIVA

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APPOINTMENTS

2015 University of Bergamo, Visiting Professor
2014–present University of Houston, Instructional Assistant Professor
2012–2014 University of Houston, Adjunct Professor
2011, 2014 University of St. Thomas Houston, Adjunct Professor
2010–11 Salem State University, Visiting Professor
2008–11 Boston College, Adjunct Professor
2005–07 State University of Milan, Adjunct Professor
1998–2005 State University of Milan, Teaching Assistant

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Philosophy of Mathematics, Ethical Theories, Kantian Philosophy

AREAS OF COMPETENCE

Ethics and Applied Ethics, History of Philosophy (especially the Modern), Logic (including Critical Reasoning), Philosophy of Mathematics

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Philosophy, State University of Milan (2006)
B.A. Philosophy, State University of Milan (*Summa cum Laude*, 2001)

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

“On Kantian Intuitions”, in P. Muchnik and O. Thorndike (ed.s), *Rethinking Kant*, Volume 5. Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2015.

“Kant and the Neo-Kantians on Mathematics”, in N. De Warren and A. Staiti (ed.s), *The Legacy of NeoKantianism*. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2015, 406–47.

“Sull’Epistemologia Rickertiana”, in L. Oliva (ed.), *Heinrich Rickert – L’Uno, l’Unità e il Numero Uno. Osservazioni sulla Logica del Concetto di Numero*. Milano: Cusl, 2008, 5–31.

“Analisi e Pluralismo nell’Ontologia di Rickert”, in R. Lazzari (ed.), *Studi in Onore di Alfredo Marini*. Milano: Mimesis, 2008, 167–185.

“Il Senso dei Valori nell’Etica Rickertiana”, *Idee* 67 (2008): 85–102.

La Validità come Funzione dell’Oggetto. Uno Studio sul NeoKantismo di Heinrich Rickert. Milano: Franco Angeli, 2006.

“Note sull’Intersoggettività nelle Idee di Husserl”, *Chora* 12 (2006): 19–23.

“I Seminari Kantiani di Fink”, *Magazzino di Filosofia* 11 (2004): 108–116.

Review of Thomas S. Kuhn’s *The Structure of Scientific Revolutions*. *Magazzino di Filosofia* 3 (2001): 22–24.

Review of Emanuela Scribano’s *Introduzione alle Meditazioni Metafisiche di Cartesio*. *Magazzino di Filosofia* 2 (2001): 194–196.

IN PROGRESS

“Kantian Theory of Numbers”.
“Is Kant a 4 Dimensionalist?”.

TALKS

“On Normativity”, University of Bergamo, June 2014.
“Kant and the Neo-Kantians on Mathematics”, Eastern Study Group of the North American Kant Society (ENAKS), Temple University, Philadelphia, May 2014.
“Kant’s Mereology”, Center for Thomistic Studies Colloquium Series, UST Houston, December 2013.
“Is Kant a Four-Dimensionalist?”, Center for Thomistic Studies Colloquium Series, UST Houston, April 2012.
“Introduzione all’Epistemologia Rickertiana”, Conference on the NeoKantian Epistemology, University of Urbino, March 2007.
“La Filosofia NeoKantiana dei Valori”, Italian Philosophical Society (SFI) National Meeting XXXVI, University of Verona, April 2007.
“L’Etica NeoKantiana”, Colloquium on my book *La Validità come Funzione dell’Oggetto* organized by Ferruccio Capelli, Milan Culture House, October 2007. I also replied the commentators: Carlo Sini, Fulvio Papi, Massimo Marassi.
“Numeri e Oggetti Elementari”, Philosophy International Conference, University of Cagliari, October 2006.
“Predicato e Fenomeno”, International Symposium on Phenomenology, University of Milan, April 2006.
“L’Etica Rickertiana”, National Conference on Ethics, University of Palermo, April 2006.
“La Formazione dei Concetti in Kant”, Philosophy Conference, University of Milan, November 2005.
“Subjectivity and Transcendence in Phenomenology”, International Conference on Subjectivity and Transcendence, University of Copenhagen Center of Subjectivity Research, organized by Arnie Grøn and Dan Zahavi, November 2004.
“Il Concetto Fenomenologico di Verità”, Philosophy Conference, University of Verona, April 2004.
“Lineamenti di Ontologia nella Logica Crociana”, International Conference on Benedetto Croce, University of Milan, October 2003.
“Etica e Fenomenologia”, Conference by the Rosmini Institute of Trento, December 2003.
“I Seminari Kantiani di Fink”, International Conference on Kant, University of Milan, October 2002.

TEACHING

Philosophy of Mathematics, University of Bergamo, graduate course.
Liberal Studies Senior Seminar, University of Houston (2013-present), upper-level course in *The Honors College*
Modern Philosophy, University of St. Thomas Houston (2013), upper-level course
Ethics, University of St. Thomas Houston (2013–14), upper-level course
Philosophy of Art and Beauty, University of St. Thomas Houston (2013), upper-level course
Introduction to Liberal Studies, University of Houston (2012–present), undergraduate course
Business Ethics, University of St. Thomas Houston (2011), graduate course in the *Cameron School*

of Business

Critical Reasoning, Salem State University (2010–11), undergraduate course

Philosophy of The Person, Boston College (2008–11), undergraduate course

Contemporary Philosophy, State University of Milan (2006), graduate seminar in the *School of Graduate Studies*

Contemporary Philosophy, State University of Milan (2004–07), seminar course for undergraduates

Modern Philosophy, State University of Milan (2004), seminar course for undergraduates

Phenomenology, State University of Milan (2004), seminar course for undergraduates

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Director ad Interim of the “Liberal Studies Program”, University of Houston, Spring 2013 and Fall 2014

Member of the Mladenka-Fowler Scholarship Committee, University of Houston, since 2014

Session Chair, “North American Kant Society”, East Coast Division, April 2011

AWARDS, GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS

MIUR Grant Award, University of Bergamo, Italy, 2006–2008

DAAD Postdoctoral Scholarship, University of Freiburg, Germany, 2006–2007

MIUR Grant Award, University of Messina, Italy, 2005–2007

MIUR Grant Award, University of Naples, Italy, 2004–2006

PhD Scholarship, University of Milan, Italy, 2002–2005

MIUR Grant Award, University of Naples, Italy, 2000–2002

Socrates–Erasmus Scholarship, University of Freiburg, Germany 2000–2001

Teaching Fellowships, University of Milan, Italy, 1998–2005

AFFILIATIONS

The American Philosophical Association (APA)

The Association for Informal Logic & Critical Thinking (AILCT)

The North American Kant Society (NAKS)

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

English and Italian (primary spoken languages), German (fluent, speaking, reading, and writing), Ancient Greek and Latin (advanced, reading and translating – thanks to my High School for Classical Languages), Spanish and Romanian (intermediate, reading and speaking), French (beginning).

REFERENCES

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