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## Areas of Specialisation

Ethics, Epistemology, Philosophy of Mind and Action

## Areas of Competence

Legal and Political Philosophy, Ancient Greek Philosophy, Cross-Cultural Philosophy

## Career

2022 to date Professor of Philosophy, University of Kent  
2016 – 2022 Senior Lecturer in Philosophy, University of Kent  
2013 – 2016 Lecturer in Philosophy, University of Kent  
2010 – 2013 Affiliated Lecturer, Faculty of Philosophy, Cambridge University  
2010 Senior Research Associate, Faculty of Philosophy, Cambridge University  
2005 – 2010 Research Associate, Faculty of Philosophy, Cambridge University

## Education

1999 – 2003 PhD in Philosophy and Social Sciences.  
École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales (EHESS), Paris. Distinction  
1998 – 1999 MPhil in History and Civilisations.  
École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales (EHESS), Paris. Distinction  
1992 – 1997 BA and MA in Philosophy. University of Sofia, 1997. First Class Honours

## Awards and Distinctions

2023 Swiss National Science Foundation Visiting Researcher. University of Geneva. (Hosted by Prof. E Ceva) This award supports an interdisciplinary inquiry aiming ground a new approach to agency by integrating habit as a key dimension.

2021 Kent Student Union “Above and Beyond” Teaching Award Nomination: “Dr Radoilska has gone out of her way to help us understand our world through her role in decolonising the curriculum. This has helped all students of different backgrounds to understand current topical issues. Her course, Norms and Values, has been exciting and informative to all, helping us aspire to play an active role in making our world a better place. She is an exceptional educator who is both knowledgeable and approachable.”

- 2018 – 2022 Newton Advanced Fellowship (with Prof, V Mitova, University of Johannesburg). This competitive British Academy Award contributes to the increased internationalisation of research and to the creation of new international networks and partnerships.
- 2016 – 2017 Mind Association Fellowship. This Professional Society Award recognises and supports outstanding work in philosophy (2 Fellowships awarded per year).
- 2014 Fellowship of the Higher Education Academy. This Award recognises professional achievements in the support of learning in tertiary education.
- 2007 – 2010 Wellcome Trust Research Fellowship. This Award supports outstanding post-doctoral research with direct relevance to human health and well-being.
- 2007 Concours du Centre National du Livre for Radoilska, L. 2007. *L'Actualité d'Aristote en morale*. Paris: Presses Universitaires de France 308pp. ISBN 978-2-13-056176-7. This Award supports the creation and dissemination of exceptional academic and literary works in French.
- 2003 – 2007 Research Fellowship, Clare Hall, Cambridge University. This Award recognises early career researchers of outstanding promise. 2 Fellowships awarded across the Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences in 2003, 330 applicants.

### **Leadership and Service**

- 2021 to date *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice* Editor-in-Chief (with Prof. E Ceva, University of Geneva). Overseeing the peer review of 400+ manuscripts pa, leading a team of 7 associate editors and liaising with an Editorial Board of 33 academics and 4 Springer officers. Led the adoption of the BPA-SWIP, UK Good Practice for Journals and the Barcelona Principles for a Globally Inclusive Philosophy.
- 2021 to date Kent Centre for Global Science and Epistemic Justice Founding Member. Helped establish a new University-wide and cross-disciplinary framework to work toward equitable global knowledge partnerships.
- 2020 to date *Philosophies* Topic Advisory Board Member. Help direct and shape the growth of a new open access journal based in South Asia facilitating cutting-edge research at the intersection between cross-cultural philosophy and the sciences.
- 2020 Philosophy REF Coordinator. Finalised our Unit's submission: Ranked 5th in the UK in terms of GPA and 2nd for quality of research outputs in REF2021.
- 2018 – 2020 Participatory Cross-Disciplinary Research Network 'Norms of Action and Belief in the Clinic' Founder and Lead (with Prof. R Lee, University of Oxford). Initiated and helped develop a new framework for cross-disciplinary work that fostered cross-institutional collaborations and led to the co-production of knowledge with active participation from non-academic communities.
- 2017 – 2020 National Mentoring Scheme Coordinator, BPA SWIP-UK. Supported 23 female colleagues by identifying and recruiting suitable mentors outside of their institutions.
- 2017 – 2020 Deputy Head of School (Strategy), School of European Languages and Culture (SECL), University of Kent, a multidisciplinary School of 6 Departments. Led the successful SECL Athena SWAN application (Bronze, 2018) and the embedding of EDI practices within the School, e.g., the inclusion of EDI observers into Promotion Panels. Served on the

Management Committees of 3 University European Centres (Athens, Paris and Rome) and 4 Appointment Committees across the University, e.g., in Architecture. Chaired the Periodic Programme Review for the Northern School of Contemporary Dance, Leeds.

- 2015 – 2020 *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice* Associate Editor. Handled 80+ manuscripts pa, recruiting and liaising with peer-reviewers and supporting authors.
- 2015 – 2016 Director of MA Programmes in Philosophy, Reasoning and Medical Humanities, University of Kent
- 2011 – 2013 MPhil Examiner. Faculty of Philosophy, Cambridge University
- 2003 – 2007 Governing Body and Fellowship Committee Member, Clare Hall, Cambridge
- 2007 to date Referee work for 22 international peer-reviewed journals (e.g., *Mind*, *Philosophical Studies*), 4 academic presses (e.g., Brill, Oxford University Press), 9 international and 3 UK funding bodies (e.g., Irish Research Council, AHRC).
- 2004 – 2006 Director of Studies in Philosophy, Downing College and New Hall, University of Cambridge

### **External Appointments**

- 2021 External Referee for a Senior Appointment, Linköping University, Sweden.
- 2019 to date Senior Research Associate, African Centre for Epistemology and Philosophy of Science (ACEPS). University of Johannesburg, South Africa
- 2016 to date Partner, Collaborating Centre for Values-Based Practice in Health and Social Care, St Catherine’s College, Oxford University
- 2017 – 2020 Executive Committee Member, Society for Women in Philosophy (SWIP-UK)
- 2014 – 2020 Advisory Committee Member, British Society for Ethical Theory (BSET)
- 2012 – 2015 Senior Research Associate, Uehiro Centre for Practical Ethics, Oxford University

### **Research Funding**

- 2023 to date “Rethinking Agency: The Ethics and the Rhetoric of Habit”. Swiss National Science Foundation, Research England.
- 2023 to date “Meaningful Voices: Identifying and Overcoming Epistemic Injustice in Health and Social Care”. Research England, the Collaborating Centre for Values-Based Practice, St Catherine’s College, Oxford University and “Future Human”, University of Kent.
- 2023 “Augmented Agency  $\alpha$  Augmented Fairness”. Future Human, University of Kent
- 2019 “Emotions and Punishment: Understanding Forgiveness, Anger, Guilt and Blame”. Mind Association Major Conference Grant (Co-I with A Couto, A Trofimov, L Ware, University of Kent).
- 2018 – 2022 “Epistemic Injustice, Reasons and Agency”. British Academy Newton Advanced Fellowship Award (with Prof. V Mitova, University of Johannesburg, Joint PI).

- 2017 – 2018 “Norms of Action and Belief in the Clinic”. The Collaborating Centre for Values-Based Practice, St Catherine’s College, Oxford University and Research Impact Fund, University of Kent.
- 2016 – 2017 “Knowledge in Action: Revisiting Responsible Agency”. Mind Association Fellowship.
- 2015 – 2017 “Reassessing Responsibility: Why Knowing What One is Doing Matters”. British Academy Research Grant.
- 2015 “The Fact/Value Distinction”. Mind Association Major Conference Grant; Aristotelian Society Conference Grant (PI, with K Rudolph, University of Kent as Co-I).
- 2010 “Pharmaceutical Ethics Beyond Distributive Justice.” Wellcome Trust Dissemination Award
- 2010 “Autonomy and Mental Health”. Wellcome Trust and CRASSH, Cambridge University Conference Grant.
- 2007 – 2010 Needs, Rights, and Preferences in Pharmaceutical Ethics. Wellcome Trust Research Fellowship
- 2005 – 2007 “Trust in Organisations”. Isaac Newton Trust, Trinity College, Cambridge University (Co-I, with D Scott, Cambridge University as PI)

## Publications

### Monographs

- *Addiction and Weakness of Will*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2013, 160pp.  
“A dense and serious exploration of foundational issues in moral psychology, with an eye most especially on the conditions under which agents are morally responsible for akratic behaviour... Specialists in moral responsibility and moral psychology will benefit considerably from reading Radoilska's view, especially her sustained criticisms of accounts that currently dominate the landscape.” Neil Levy, Melbourne University. *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews* (2014). Further review in *Heythrop Journal* 56(4) 2015
- *Aristotle and the Moral Philosophy of Today* [L'Actualité d'Aristote en morale]. Paris: Presses Universitaires de France, 2007, 308pp.  
“This is an extremely interesting work on a topical subject; the arguments are developed in a lucid and insightful way.” Marco Zingano, University of Sao Paulo, *Revue Philosophique de Louvain* 2010,108. Further review in *Revue Philosophique* 2008, 133

### Edited Works

- *Autonomy and Mental Disorder*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012, 328pp.  
“[This collection] shifts the parameters of the debate in important ways, by opening up new lines of inquiry, asking new and different questions, and forcing us to consider many long-held assumptions. This is a rich, diverse and engaging collection of essays that would be of immense use to researchers and clinicians.” Sarah Sorial, University of Wollongong, *Metapsychology Online Reviews* 17:52 (2013). Further reviews in • *European Journal of Philosophy* 2014 • *Metascience* 22(2) 2013 • *The British Journal of Psychiatry* 202 (2013) • *Philosophy in Review* 33:3 (2013) • *Journal of Clinical Psychiatry*, April (2013)
- *Epistemic Injustice and Agency: Ethical Theory and Moral Practice* 2020 23(5)

- *Dimensions of Responsibility: Ethical Theory and Moral Practice* 2018 21(4). 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Issue (with E Ceva)

### Peer-Reviewed Papers

- Moral Competence and Mental Disorder. Forthcoming. In M. Kiener (ed.), *The Routledge Handbook of Responsibility*. Abingdon, UK: Routledge.
- Is Grit Irrational for Akratic Agents? 2023. In P. Mckearney and N.H. Evans (eds.) *Against Better Judgment: Akrasia in Anthropological Perspective*. Oxford: Berghahn Books; pp. 146-168.
- Epistemic justice is both a legitimate and an integral goal of psychiatry: a reply to Kious, Lewis and Kim. 2023. *Psychological Medicine* 1–2 (with D Foreman).
- Autonomy and Responsibility. 2023. In B. Colburn (ed.) *The Routledge Handbook of Autonomy*. Abingdon, UK: Routledge; pp. 147-157.
- Distinguishing Value-Neutrality from Value-Independence: Toward a New Disentangling Strategy for Moral Epistemology. 2022. In M. McBride and V.A.J. Kurki (eds.), *Without Trimmings: The Legal, Moral and Political Philosophy of Matthew Kramer*. Oxford: OUP; pp. 205-217.
- Pathologies of Agency. 2022. In L. Ferrero (ed.) *The Routledge Handbook in the Philosophy of Agency*. Abingdon, UK; pp. 169-177
- Circumstance, Answerability and Luck. 2021. *The Monist* 104(2): 155–167
- Ethical Theory and Moral Practice at 24. 2021. *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice* 24(1) (with E Ceva)
- Revisiting Epistemic Injustice in the Context of Agency. 2020. *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice* 23(5)
- Responsibility for Reason-Giving: The Case of Individual Tainted Reasoning in Systemic Corruption. 2018. *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice* 21(4): 789–810 (with E Ceva)
- A Novel Theoretical Framework to Address the Gap between Universal Guidelines and International Variations in the Threshold for Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Surgery. 2018. *Annals of Vascular Surgery* 53: 275-277 (with R Lee, KWM Fulford and A Handa)
- Aiming at the Truth and Aiming at Success. 2017. *Philosophical Explorations* 20: sup1: 111-126
- Lessons from Akrasia in Substance Misuse: a Clinicophilosophical Discussion. 2016. *BJPsych Advances* 22 (4): 234-241(with KD Fletcher)
- Autonomy in Psychiatric Ethics. 2015. In J. Sadler, G.W. van Standen and KWM Fulford (eds.) *The Oxford Handbook of Psychiatric Ethics*. Oxford: OUP, pp. 354–371
- Immigration, Interpersonal Trust, and National Culture. 2014. *Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy* 17(1): 111–128
- Depression, Decisional Capacity, and Personal Autonomy. 2013. In K.W.M. Fulford, M. Davies et al. (eds.) *The Oxford Handbook of Philosophy and Psychiatry*. Oxford: OUP, pp. 1155–1170
- Autonomy and Ulysses Arrangements. 2012. In L. Radoilska (ed.) *Autonomy and Mental Disorder*. Oxford: OUP, pp. 252–280

- Three Challenges from Delusion for Theories of Autonomy. 2012. In L. Radoilska (ed.) *Autonomy and Mental Disorder*. Oxford: OUP, pp. 44–74 (with K.W.M. Fulford)
- Personal Autonomy, Decisional Capacity, and Mental Disorder. 2012. In L. Radoilska (ed.) *Autonomy and Mental Disorder*. Oxford: OUP, pp. xi–xlili
- Akrasia and Ordinary Weakness of Will. 2012. *Topicos* 43: 25–50
- An Aristotelian Approach to Cognitive Enhancement. 2010. *Journal of Value Inquiry* 44: 365–375
- Public Health Ethics and Liberalism. 2009. *Public Health Ethics* 2: 135–145
- Truthfulness and Business. 2008. *Journal of Business Ethics* 2008, 79: 21–28
- The Intimate, the Private and the Public. 2005. In L. Ibrahim (ed.) *Intimité*. Clérmont-Ferrand: Presses Universitaires de Baise Pascal, pp. 343–355
- Privacy and Public Expression. 2003. *Cités* 15: 31–43

### Encyclopaedia Entries and Reviews

- Weakness of Will. 2014. In D. Pritchard (ed.) *Oxford Bibliographies Online: Philosophy*
- Review of Hunter, D. (ed.) *Belief and Agency*. 2014. *Philosophical Quarterly* 64 (255): 377–380
- Need. 2007. In M. Marzano (ed.) *Dictionnaire du Corps*. Paris: PUF, pp. 120–123
- Ethics and Medication. 2007. In M. Marzano (ed.) *Dictionnaire du Corps*. Paris: PUF, pp. 573–575
- Review of Williams, B. *Truth and Truthfulness*. 2005. *L'Année sociologique* 52(2): 625–629

### Keynotes and Invited Talks (Selected)

- 11/05/2023 “Is Grit Irrational for Akritic Agents?” THUMOS, University of Geneva
- 08/03/2023 “Epistemic Injustice and Living with Dementia”. Mental Health Foundation, London
- 16/02/2023 “Moral Competence and Mental Disorder”. Mind and Ethics Group. University Roma Tre.
- 09/07/2022 “Don’t Know. Should Care”. 11th Annual Graduate Conference. Vienna Forum for Analytic Philosophy
- 20/05/2022 “Epistemic Injustices and Rational Agency”. Conference on Epistemic Injustices: Perspectives and Directions in Social, Moral and Political Philosophy. Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne
- 15/09/2021 “Implicit Bias, Epistemic Injustice and Moral Luck”. Royal College of Psychiatrists, London. Philosophy Special Interest Group Biennial Conference
- 28/09/2019 “Habitual Action and Responsibility”, University of Illinois at Chicago
- 03/07/2019 “Distinguishing Value-Neutrality from Value-Independence: Toward a New Disentangling Strategy for Moral Epistemology”. Churchill College, Cambridge University
- 24/06/2019 “Knowledgeable, Responsible Agency under Epistemic Injustice”. FINO Conference on Contemporary Issues across Ethics and Epistemology, University of Pavia

- 05/09/2018 “Responsibility for Reason-Giving”. XIII Conference of the Italian Society for Analytic Philosophy, Novara
- 03/05/2018 “Appropriating Disruption”. Antwerp University
- 25/04/2018 “Self-Effacing Reasons for Action”. Higher Seminar, Lund University
- 26/08/2017 “Practical Knowledge, Responsibility and the Virtue-Skill Analogy”. University of Cape Town
- 18/08/2017 “Ignoring What One is Doing”. Conference on Responsibility, Knowledge and Power, University of Johannesburg
- 04/08/2017 “Autonomy and Suffering”. University of Glasgow
- 20/09/2016 “Agent Regret and Ancient Greek Moral Psychology”. Newnham College, Cambridge
- 07/07/2016 “Toward an Aristotelian Account of the Normativity of Rationality”. Joint Session Invited Workshop on Normativity of Rationality, Cardiff University
- 27/11/2015 “Weakness of Will and Responsible Agency”. Motivation, Brain and Behaviour (MBB) Lab, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne
- 16/06/2015 “Rethinking Responsibility: The Role of Judgement and Belief”. Birkbeck College, University of London
- 13/07/2014 “The Ethics of Addiction”. St Edmund’s Hall, Oxford University
- 07/06/2014 “Intellectual Virtues in Education”. University of Edinburgh
- 03/06/2014 “Bernard Williams and Ancient Moral Psychology”. Trinity College, Cambridge University
- 21/11/2013 “Volitional and Non-Volitional Accounts of Responsible Action”. Centre for Interdisciplinary Research, Bielefeld
- 17/09/2013 “Addiction and Weakness of Will”. ‘Priority in Practice’ Network 10th Anniversary Conference, University College London

### Research Events Organisation

- 04/2023 “Augmented Agency  $\propto$  Augmented Fairness”. Interdisciplinary Forum to explore challenges related to human augmentation, University of Kent (with J Zhang, S. Bailey, J. Leigh and A. Mukhopadhyay).
- 03/2023 “Meaningful Voices”. 3 co-creation workshops to develop and document new collaborative strategies for learning from lived experiences in mental health, Mental Health Foundation, The Wellcome Trust, St Catherine’s College, Oxford.
- 18/01/2023 “Identifying and Overcoming Epistemic Injustice in Health and Social Care”. St Catherine’s College, Oxford. Inaugural event. Led to a pilot research co-creation bringing together academics, experts by experience, policy makers and health practitioners and a jointly authored interdisciplinary paper.
- 2020 to date Kent Ethics Seminars. Fortnightly (online and in-person) forum for work-in-progress bringing together cross-disciplinary research in ethics broadly conceived.

- 2019 “Epistemic Injustice and Reasons”. Annual SWIP-UK Conference. University of Kent. 40 participants from 4 continents. Led to Radoilska, L. (ed.) 2020. Epistemic Injustice and Agency, ETMP 23(5): 703–845
- 2018 “Norms of Action and Belief in the Clinic”. St Catherine’s College, Oxford. 30 Participants from UK, EU and USA Led to founding a cross-disciplinary network with participation from humanities, medicine, the social sciences and service user communities.
- 2017 20th Anniversary Conference of Ethical Theory and Moral Practice, Pavia, Italy. 150 participants from 20 countries. Organising committee member. Led to Ceva, E. and L. Radoilska (eds.) 2018. Dimensions of Responsibility, ETMP 21(4): 767-885
- 2017 “Reassessing Responsibility”. Trinity Hall, Cambridge. 40 participants from 3 continents. Led to major collaboration with ACEPS, University of Johannesburg
- 2015 “The Fact-Value Distinction: Contemporary and Classical Perspectives”. University of Kent. Cross-disciplinary event. 50 participants from UK and EU. Main organiser. Led to 3 invited presentations and one invited chapter.
- 2010 – 2012 “Autonomy and Mental Health”. 32 cross-disciplinary events, incl. one major two-day conference (ca 100 participants) and 6 one-day workshops. University of Cambridge. Led to Radoilska, L. (ed.) 2012. Autonomy and Mental Disorder. OUP

### **Supervision of Graduate Students and Postdoctoral Researchers**

- 2013 to date 3 post-docs, 4 PhDs, 24 MAs in Philosophy, University of Kent. Current and recent PhD projects (selected): “A Neo-Aristotelian Approach to the AI-Driven Automation of Work”; “Personal Autonomy in Mania and Depression”; “Chronic Fatigue Syndrome: Epistemic Problems and Epistemic Injustice”
- 2011 – 2013 4 MPhils in Philosophy, Cambridge University

### **Teaching**

- 2013 to date Designed and delivered new research-led graduate and undergraduate courses in practical philosophy, philosophy of action and cross-cultural philosophy, University of Kent. Initiated an Annual Philosophy Dissertation Conference to support the transition from advanced undergraduate to postgraduate studies. Facilitated a student-led online reading group with participation from the Universities of Kent and Johannesburg to promote global awareness and support capacity-building in cross-cultural philosophy. Consistent stellar evaluations from students across courses, including Kent Student Union Nominations as “Best Teacher” and “Above and Beyond”.
- 2004 – 2006 Director of Studies (Philosophy), New Hall and Downing College, Cambridge
- 2003 – 2013 Research-led graduate and undergraduate teaching, including one-on-one supervision in Ancient Greek philosophy, ethics, philosophy of mind, epistemology and political philosophy, Cambridge University