

CURRICULUM VITAE

Dr. Phil. Emilia BARILE

PhD in Cognitive Sciences - A. von Humboldt Fellow

PERSONAL INFORMATION EDUCATION

Born on 9th march 1976 in Molfetta (IT).

20th dec. 2004 Univ. *Siena* - (IT) - **PhD** in *Cognitive Sciences*.

8th July 1998 Univ. *Bari* - (IT) - **Master Degree** in *Philosophy* (4 years) - 'Laurea cum laude'.

POSTGRADUATE

- 2004 – 2005 Catholic University of The Sacred Heart – *Milan* – (IT) - *Annual course* of specialisation in *Bioethics*.
9/23-27/2002 Civic Univ. "A. Sacchi" – *Nettuno* (Rome) - (IT) – Intern. Sch. of **Philos. and Hist. of Biology and Medicine**.
1999 – 2000 Univ. *Bari* - (IT) - *Annual course* of specialisation in **Educational and teaching Communication**.
1998 – 1999 Univ. *Bari* - (IT) - *Annual course* of specialisation in **Epistemology of Information technology**.

RESEARCH ABROAD

- Sept. 2023** Universitätsklinikum **Heidelberg** (DE) - Sektion Phaenomenologie
A.von Humboldt POSTDOC Fellowship (HOST: Prof. Dr. Dr. T. Fuchs).
Sept. 2019 – Jan. 2020 Universitätsklinikum **Heidelberg** (DE) - Sektion Phaenomenologie
A.von Humboldt POSTDOC Fellowship (HOST: Prof. Dr. Dr. T. Fuchs).
January 2020 University of **Exeter** (UK)
VISITING SCHOLAR (prof. G. Colombetti).
8 – 10/2013 Universitaet A. von Humboldt – **Berlin** (DE) - *Berlin School of Mind and Brain*
A.von Humboldt POSTDOC Fellowship (HOST: prof. M. Pauen).
Sept. 2011 University of **London** (UK) – CENSES (*Centre for the Study of the Senses*) - Institute of Philosophy
VISITING SCHOLAR (prof. B. Smith and Dr. M. Tsakiris)
6.2007/4.2008 IKW Uni **Osnabrück** – (DE) – *A. von Humboldt POSTDOC Fellowship* (HOST: prof. A. Stephan)
'*Animal Emotionale I*' - interdisciplinary research project funded by Volkswagen Stiftung,
in collaboration with Medicine and Psychiatry Dep. Of Uni Bonn (DE) - prof. H. Walter.
June 2005 Uni **Genève** (CH)
VISITING SCHOLAR (*Genève Affective Science Week*).

RESEARCH IN ITALY

- 2023 -** **Uni Bologna (IT)**
Postdoc position at RES - research group in **Education** (prof. M. Caputo).
2012 - 2013 Uni *Parma* (IT)
VISITING SCHOLAR at Dep. **Neuroscience** (prof. V. Gallese).
2008 – 2012 University Vita-Salute 'S. Raffaele' – *Milano* (IT)
Research Centre in **Phenomenology** 'PERSONA' (prof. R. De Monticelli).
2004 – 2006 Catholic University of the Sacred Heart – *Milano* (IT)
Research Centre in **Bioethics** (proff. A. Pessina and M. Leonardi - Neur. Centre 'Besta' – *Milano* (IT)).
1998 – 1999 University of *Bari* (IT)
SFI (Italian Philosophical Society) research group (proff. M. Di Giandomenico - R. De Franco).

CONFERENCES as a speaker:

- Sept. 13 2023 London (UK)**
4th Euro-Global Congress on Advanced Therapeutics in Pain Medicine & Pain Management
Philosophical views on interoception.
May 27 - 28 2023 **Ghent** (BE) - Stichting Psychiatrie en Filosofie
"Too mad to be true II - The promises and perils of the first-person perspective"
Lived' Body and Subjectivity: The feeling of being alive as the feeling of 'belonging'.
Sept. 22 - 24.2022 - Universitätsklinikum **Heidelberg** | Klinik für Allgemeine Psychiatrie (DE)
'The Emotions: Phenomenology, Psychopathology, and Psychotherapy' (EAPP conference)
The Feeling of Being Alive. Body and phenomenality in the foreground (POSTER)
May 2013 Univ. **Padova** (IT) - Italian Society of Neuroethics Meeting
Neuroscience for definitions, Bioethics for practice: When words 'matter' (POSTER).
23/25 Oct. 2009 - Univ. **Pisa** (IT)
Humboldt Kolleg of the AvH Stiftung - Italian section;
Che cosa vuol dire 'sentire', 'provare' qualcosa? Per un lessico della vita affettiva fra fenomenologia e neuroscienze.
June 2008 Univ. **Bologna** (IT)
'The sense of body' - Interdisciplinary Summer School on Body Representation
Background feelings and body perception: how to build up the sense of "self" (ABSTRACT).
17 jan. 2008 Palazzo Strozzi Foundation (Strozzina) - **Firenze** (IT) 'Emotional systems'
The taxonomy of emotions by Antonio Damasio
21-23 july 2005 - **Stresa** (IT)
XXVII Annual Conference of the International Cognitive Science Society
Emotion and Feeling in Mind/Body Problem (ABSTRACT).

as ORGANIZER

- 6 – 9 june 2011** - Univ. Vita-Salute 'S. Raffaele' – *Milano* (IT)
Making the Social World - Spring School and International Conference (with J.R. Searle)
26 – 28 jan. 2010 - Univ. Vita-Salute 'S. Raffaele' – *Milano* (IT)
The Phenomenological Mind - Winter School and Intern. Conference (with Dan Zahavi and Shaun Gallagher).

OTHER ACADEMIC TALKS

- 8 dec. 2021** - Universitätsklinikum **Heidelberg** (DE) | Klinik für Allgemeine Psychiatrie (**Prof. Dr. Dr. Fuchs**)
How to 'phenomenologize neuroscience'? - Tue. Colloquium – Wint. Sem. 2021/22- Section Phenomenology.
1 oct. 2019 - Universitätsklinikum **Heidelberg** (DE) | Klinik für Allgemeine Psychiatrie (**Prof. Dr. Dr. Fuchs**)
'*Under my skin*'. *Damasio's background and primordial feelings and 'aliveness' and 'mineness' dimension*
14 may 2013 - University Vita-Salute 'San Raffaele' **Milano** (IT) – (**Prof. C. de' Sperati**)
A. Damasio: le prospettive per le neuroscienze della coscienza (seminar).
07 october 2011 - Neurophilosophy.unimi lunch time seminars, Uni **Milano** (IT) - (**Prof. C. Sinigaglia**)
Are 'Background Feelings' Non-Intentional Feelings? (lunch time seminar).
2008-2009 - University Vita-Salute 'San Raffaele' **Milano** (IT) – seminars (**Prof. De Monticelli**),
La percezione corporea nella costruzione del senso di 'sé': l'ipotesi dei background feelings di A. Damasio.

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EDITORIAL BOARD (reviewer)

Phenomenology and Mind (2010 – 2011)
Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences (2021 -)
Cambridge University Press (2024 -).

GRANT - AWARD SCHOLARSHIPS

- (2023): Postdoc Research Scholarship (Heidelberg (DE) – 1 month, funded by *A. von Humboldt Stiftung* (DE));
- (2019/20): Postdoc Research Scholarship (Heidelberg (DE) – 5 months, funded by *A. von Humboldt Stiftung* (DE));
- (2016): *Erasmus plus 2016 – 2018*; winner of the Italian competition amongst High schools in EU (*project leader*);
- (2013): Postdoc Research Scholarship (Berlin (DE) – 3 months, funded by *A. von Humboldt Stiftung* (DE));
- (2007 – 2008): Postdoc Res. Scholar. (Osnabrueck (DE) – (10 months), funded by *A. von Humboldt Stiftung* (DE));
- (2008): Postdoc Research Scholarship (January – April 2008), funded by *DAAD* (DE) - ref. A0692523 (declined);
- (2003): *Cours de vacances de langue et littérature françaises* (2 months), funded by the *Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and French (CGRD)*;
- (2001): 8th Int. Summer School in *Cognitive Science* (July 2001 - Sofia – (BG)), funded by Univ. Siena (*Socrates project*).

INTERNATIONAL PATENTS

- n. 2 INTERNATIONAL HABILITATIONS (National Competition - It. Min. of Foreign Affairs - 5/7 dec. 2011):**
- Teaching Habilitation of Philosophy and History in *English* Language for Italian High Schools *abroad*;
 - Teaching Habilitation of Philosophy and History in *Italian* Language for Italian High Schools *abroad*.

ITALIAN PATENTS

- n. 4 NATIONAL TEACHING HABILITATIONS (National Competition - Italian Ministry of Education (1999)):**
- in *Philosophy and History* in High School;
 - in *Philosophy, Psychol. and Education* in High School;
 - in *Italian and History* in High School;
 - in *Italian, History and Geography* in Primary School.

LANGUAGES

ITALIAN: native;
ENGLISH: good knowledge (Cambridge **B2** level certificate 2018);
GERMAN: basic knowledge (Goethe Institut Certificate **A2** level);
FRENCH: basic knowledge.

AREAS OF RESEARCH

Damasio studies, Cognitive Science (Philosophy of Mind/Neuroscience), Philosophy of Science, Philosophy of Neuroscience, Philosophy of Emotions, Enactivism, Philosophy of Psychiatry, History and Philosophy of Biology, Darwinism and Neural Darwinism, Medical Ethics (Vegetative state).

TOPICS

Affects (emotions and feelings), Damasio, aliveness, bodily self, ownership, interoception, depressive states.

PUBLICATIONS

ARTICLES:

- 1. E. Barile (2023). **The Interoceptive Underpinnings of the Feeling of Being Alive. Damasio's insights at work.** *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11097-023-09900-7>.
- 2. E. Barile (2014). Are Background Feelings Intentional Feelings? *Open Journal of Philosophy*, 4: 560-574.
- 3. E. Barile (2010). Che cosa vuol dire 'sentire', 'provare' qualcosa? Per un lessico della vita affettiva fra fenomenologia e neuroscienze. *Studi linguistici e filologici on line (SLIFO)*, vol. 8, p. 301-327, ISSN: 1724-5230.
- 4. E. Barile (2009). L'ossimoro delle rappresentazioni neurali, *Episteme*, 3, Mimesis, Milano: 29-40. ISBN: 978-88-8483-687-8.
- 5. E. Barile (2006). Dell'incertezza: cosa provano i pazienti in PVS?, *Medicina e Morale*, 1: 41-65;

BOOKS:

- 1. E. Barile (2016). *Minding Damasio, Ledizioni (pp. 124)*;
- 2. E. Barile (2013). *Pensare Damasio*, FrancoAngeli, Milano (pp. 126);
- 3. E. Barile (2007). "Dare corpo alla mente". *La relazione mente/corpo alla luce delle emozioni e dell'esperienza del "sentire"* – (PhD dissertation) [*Embodying mind'. Emotion, feeling and the mind/body problem*], B. Mondadori, Milano (pp. 208);
- 4. E. Barile (2007). *La materia della mente. Lavori in corso* (Degree dissertation), Aracne ed., Roma (pp. 112);

PROCEEDINGS:

- 1. E. Barile (2022). *The Feeling of Being Alive. Body and phenomenality into the foreground.* Universitätsklinikum Heidelberg | Klinik für Allgemeine Psychiatrie (DE) – 'The Emotions: Phenomenology, Psychopathology, and Psychotherapy' (EAPP conference), 22 – 24 sept. (POSTER);
- 2. E. Barile (2013). *Neuroscience for definitions, Bioethics for practice: When words 'matter'*. Italian Society of Neuroethics Meeting. Univ. Padova (IT), 8/10 may - (POSTER);
- 3. E. Barile (2008). *Background feelings and body perception: how to build up the sense of "self" in "The sense of the body"* – Interdisciplinary Summer School on Body Representation, 16 – 22 june (ABSTRACT of a conf. pres. – online version, p. 14).
- 4. E. Barile (2005). *Emotion and Feeling in Mind/Body Problem*, 'Proceedings of the XXVII Annual Conference of the Cognitive Science Society', Lawrence Erlbaum Associates, Inc., Mahwah, New Jersey (USA) 2005: 2447 (ABSTRACT);

BOOK REVIEWS:

- 1. E. Barile (2024). (forthcoming) Book Review of G. Cusinato (2023). *Periagoge - Theory of Singularity and Philosophy as an Exercise of Transformation*. Brill Ed., London (Research in Phenomenology).
- 2. E. Barile (2022). Book Review of Tewes, C. & Stanghellini, G. (2020). (Eds.). *Time and Body. Phenomenological and Psychopathological Approaches*. Cambridge, Cambridge University Press (*Phenomenological Reviews*, 2022. ISSN: 2297-7627; URL:<https://reviews.ophen.org/2022/12/20/tewes-stanghellini-time-body-review/>).

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