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RESEARCH AREAS

AOS Historical Meta-Epistemology, Theory of Argumentation, Meta-Philosophy
AOC Transcendental Arguments, Hegel, Wittgenstein, Feyerabend, History of Concepts, Non-normative Ethics, Theory of radical democracy

ACADEMIC APPOINTSMENTS

2026 – present Lecturer, University of Applied Sciences (HCW) Subject:

Data science, AI, ethics and Digital Humanism (2026)

Ethics & Compliance (2026)

2022 – 2025 Lecturer, University of Vienna (AUS) Subject:

Theory of Argumentation (2022)

Introduction to Scientific Working (2023/25)

EDUCATION

2026 Ph.D **Philosophy**, University of Vienna (AUS)
[»summa cum laude«]
Title: »*Beyond Justification. A systematic Critique of juridic Metaphor in Argumentation*«

2021-22 Bachelor's studies in **Classical Philology**, University of Vienna (AUS)
[Graecum]

2020 MA **Philosophy**, University of Vienna (AUS), RUB Bochum (GER)
Title: »*Begründung und Modalität. Zum Übergang von Wesenslogik zur Begriffslogik nach Kurt Walter Zeidles Letztbegründungsansatz*«

2019 BA **Philosophy**, University of Vienna (AUS)
Special Areas: Philosophy of Mathematics, German Idealism

2015-18 Bachelor's studies in **Oriental Studies & Theology**, University of Vienna (AUS)

PUBLICATIONS (Selection)

MONOGRAPHS

(2026) *Beyond Justification. A Systematic Critique of Juridic Metaphor in Argumentation*, Spinger Berlin Heidelberg, Imprint: J.B. Metzler. *forthcoming*

ARTICLES IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

(2026) Destructive Alignment – or: will AI make us smarter. *Human Affairs*. https://www.degruyterbrill.com/de/document/doi/10.1515/humaff-2026-0001/html?srsltid=AYCX9vIPe1JztHilrOvUifv_pkAAx0Ywsd1ovIBluHAbS0sF1W6LnuVI

(2026) Philosophy in the Age of Rhetorical Machines: Three Paradoxes of Epistemic Automation. *DiscoverAI (Springer Nature)* **5**, 373. https://doi.org/10.1007/s44163-025-00716-9

(2023) Anarchie und Interkulturalität. Zur Aktualität Paul Feyerabends. *Polylog* 48. https://polylog.net/fileadmin/docs/polylog/48/forum_Bauer.pdf

ARTICLES IN SUBMISSION FOR PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

(2026) The License Dilemma. Why Default Entitlement Cannot Do What It Promises. *Analysis*

(2026) Transcendental Undecidability: On general Limits of Philosophical Frameworks. *Journal for General Philosophy of Science*.

(2026) Justification and Reason-Giving: A Reversal. *Acta Analytica*

ARTICLES IN NON-PEER-REVIWED JOURNALS (Book Reviews; Smaller Papers)

Die moralische Dimension des Begründungsproblems. *Systematische Offenheit. Systematische Offenheit* 3016. https://systemoffen.hypotheses.org/3016

Umdenken. Miniaturen zu Hegel. *Philosophischer Literaturanzeiger: Ein Referateorgan für die Neuerscheinungen der Philosophie und ihrer gesamten Grenzgebiete*, *75*(3). https://doi.org/10.3196/219458451975332

Jenseits der Streitigkeiten. Zu: Josef Mitterer: Jenseits der Philosophie. Wider das dualistische Erkenntnisprinzip. *Polylog* 46 https://polylog.net/fileadmin/docs/polylog/46/rezension_Bauer_Mitterer.pdf

ADDITIONAL RESEARCH ACHIEVEMENTS (Awars & Funding)

- (2020) **Merit fellowship**, University of Vienna
- (2025) **PhD completion fellowship for excellent research**, University of Vienna
- (2025) **APC funding**, University of Vienna

INTERNATIONAL PRESENTATIONS & CONFERENCES (Selection)

(2025) *Truth beyond Justification*, Conference "Perspectives on Truth", University of Bucharest

(2025) *LLMs and the evaluative a priori*, Conference "LLMs and Intuitions", University of Bucharest

(2024) *Systematische Offenheit. Transzendentales Denken in Wien. (Vienna)*. https://systemoffen.hypotheses.org/tagungen/systematische-offenheit-transzendentales-denken-in-wien

(2024) *Future Science. On the prospective methodology of philosophical AI-involvement*, XXVI. Deutschen Kongress für Philosophie, Münster.

(2022) *Zur syllogistischen Deduktion der Urteilsfunktionen*, Tagung "Logik der Urteile – Urteile der Logik", Fernuniversität Hagen.