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RESEARCH AREAS	Specialization epistemology; philosophy of religion Competence philosophy of mind; metaphysics; history of ideas; social theory	
EMPLOYMENT	Jagiellonian University Assistant professor (fixed-term) University of Warsaw Assistant professor (fixed-term) Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań Lecturer	2025 – ongoing 2021–2024 2021–2022
EDUCATION	Polish Academy of Sciences Ph.D., philosophy, Dissertation (<i>summa cum laude</i>): <i>Realism in the theory of meaning for religious language. A philosophical contribution to the theory of secularization.</i> Supervisor: Andrzej Gniazdowski; Examiners: Robert Piłat, Marcin Poręba. University of Warsaw M.A., philosophy University of Warsaw B.A., philosophy	2020 2015 2013
RESEARCH VISITS	University of Texas at Austin Visiting scholar at the Department of Philosophy Rutgers University Visiting scholar at the Department of Philosophy Institut für die Wissenschaften vom Menschen Józef Tischner Junior Fellow	Jan–May 2025 Jan–May 2023 Feb–June 2019
RESEARCH GRANTS	National Science Centre SONATA 20 Principal Investigator in grant no. 2024/55/D/HS1/03123: <i>Nonpragmatist hinge epistemology</i> National Science Centre OPUS 24 Postdoctoral Researcher in grant no. 2022/47/B/HS1/01581: <i>Epistemic Inaccuracy – What's Next?</i> (Principal Investigator: Leszek Wroński) National Science Centre SONATINA 5 Principal Investigator in grant no. 2021/40/C/HS1/00281: <i>Seeing and knowing. How to reconcile naive realism with reliable epistemology of perception</i> Polish Academy of Sciences GSSR Research Grant Principal Investigator in the internal grant 12/2017: <i>The problem of reference of religious language in the light of the debate about conceptualism in the epistemology of perception</i>	<i>forthcoming</i> 2025 – ongoing 2021–2024 2018

August hr. Cieszkowski Foundation Grant	2017–2018
Principal Investigator in the grant <i>Polish and German romantic philosophy of language and the problem of secularization</i>	
National Programme for the Development of Humanities	2013–2017
Investigator in the grant 11H 11 01818 <i>Warsaw School of the History of Ideas and its meaning for the Polish Humanities</i>	

PUBLICATIONS

Titles with “*” refer to works published in Polish

Books

*On the Concept of Tradition. Critical Study of the Culture of Remembrance.** Warszawa: Fundacja Augusta hr. Cieszkowskiego. 2017

Papers

Conceptual and Epistemic Bootstrapping of Hinge Commitments, *Synthese* forthcoming

Hidden Grounds of Religious Hinge Commitments, *Religious Studies* forthcoming

Presentational and Phenomenal Forces of Perception. *Episteme* forthcoming

Presentational and Representational Character of Perceptual Experience. In: I. Danko & Z. Kondor (eds.), *Representations in Science and Cognition*. Bloomsbury Academic. forthcoming

Postsecularism: philosophy and ideology.* *Teksty drugie* forthcoming

The Hard Problem of Access for Epistemological Disjunctivism. *Episteme* 2025

Extending The Realm of Reason: On The Epistemic Profile of Perceptual Experience. *Philosophia* 52, 1463–1482 2024

Object and Content of Perceptual Acquaintance.* *Przegląd Filozoficzny – Nowa Seria* 124, 299–318. 2022

Family Resemblance and the Rule Paradox.* *Przegląd Filozoficzny – Nowa Seria* 117, 71–88. 2021

Post-secular Philosophy: Between Theory and Ideology. *Perspectives on Culture* 21, 9–30. 2020

Kant and a Romantic Project of Modernization of Religious Language.* In: T. Garbol (ed.), *Literatura a religia - w kontekście dyskursu tożsamościowego: religia i naród*, pp. 17–56. Lublin: Wydawnictwo KUL. 2019

Liberalism and Conflict of Traditions. *Roczniki Historii Socjologii* 10, 64–91. 2019

Roman Rationalism. Theory of Literacy vs. Theory of Secularization.* *Przegląd humanistyczny* 457, 125–134. 2017

De Maistre, or speculative traditionalism.* *Kronos* 36, 111–122. 2016

Symbol and Signum. A Contribution to the Critique of the Concept of Religious Symbol.* *Stan Rzeczy* 8, 267–287. 2015

Tradition as a Communication System. *Hybris. Revista de Filosofia* 30, 1–15. 2015

Tischner and Secularisation.* *Studia z Filozofii Polskiej* 9, 241–255. 2014

Preface.* In: *Warszawska Szkoła Historii Idei: Tożsamość-tradycja-obecność*. In: P. Grad (ed.), *Warszawska Szkoła Historii Idei*: 2014

Tożsamość-tradycja-obecność, pp. 7–19. Warszawa: Wydawnictwo IFiS PAN.

Tradition-Doctrine-Science. Remarks on the Margins of *Tradition* by Jerzy Szacki.* In: P. Grad (ed.) *Warszawska Szkoła Historii Idei: Tożsamość-tradycja-obecność*, pp. 63–83. Warszawa: Wydawnictwo IFiS PAN. 2014

In the name of Father. A Thomistic critique of Joachimism.* *Kronos* 29, 203–213. 2014

Modernity on Trial. The Correspondence of Hans Blumenberg and Carl Schmitt.* *Kronos* 25, 161–169. 2013

Unequivocal Word? The Problem of Postmodern Self in the Works of Czesław Miłosz.* *Polisemia* 8 (online). 2012

Reviews

Apocalypse – and what next?*[Review of L. M. Nijakowski, *Świat po apokalipsie : społeczeństwo w świetle postapokaliptycznych tekstów kultury popularnej*, Warszawa 2018]. *Stan Rzeczy* 14, 279–287. 2018

[Review of *Historia filozofii politycznej. Część druga*, P. Nowak (ed.), Warszawa 2016].* *Interlocutor* 1, 201–204. 2017

Monastic anthropology* [Review of: R. Tichy, *Mistyczna historia człowieka według Bernarda z Clairvaux*, Poznań 2011]. *Hereditas Monasteriorum* 6, 451–454. 2015

Edited volumes

*Warsaw school of history of ideas: tradition, identity, presence.** Warszawa: Wydawnictwo IFiS PAN. 2014

CONFERENCE
TALKS
(SELECTED)

Titles with “*” refer
to talks delivered in
Polish

Presentational and representational character of perceptual experience 32nd Meeting of ESPP, Warsaw Sept 2025

Hidden grounds. On the rational profile of religious hinges Newman, Wittgenstein and Hinge Epistemology, Dublin Dec 2024

Essential Representationalism about Perceptual Experience
7th PLM Network Conference, Prague Aug 2024
XIIth Ernst Mach Workshop, Prague May 2024
The Foundations of Representational Thought, Milan Sept 2023

Presentational and Phenomenal Forces of Perception
98th Joint Session of Aristotelian Society and Mind Association, Birmingham July 2024
Epistemic Significance of Perceptual Consciousness, Kraków May 2024

Realism and Rudimentary Theory of Perception
30th Meeting of ESPP, Prague Aug 2023
97th Joint Session of Aristotelian Society and Mind Association, London July 2023

The Hard Problem of Access for Epistemological Disjunctivism
11th European Congress of Analytic Philosophy, Vienna Aug 2023

The Argument from Acquaintance for Perceptual Content
Mind research group meeting, Rutgers University March 2023
96th Joint Session of Aristotelian Society and Mind Association, St. Andrews July 2022

Perceptual Knowledge as Knowledge by Acquaintance

	Conference Bertrand Russell: The Value of Philosophy, Warsaw	June 2022
	Epistemological Disjunctivism and Rationality of Perception European Epistemology Network 2022, Glasgow	June 2022
	Perception, Rationality and Epistemic Responsibility Lund Early Career Workshop: Perception and Responsibility	April 2022
	Autovictimisation and Return of Myth. MacIntyre and Girard on Irrationality of Public Sphere.* Conference Against System, Warsaw	November 2020
	Post-Empiricist Foundation of Semantics for Religious Language. Junior Fellow Conference, Institute for Human Sciences, Viena	May 2019
	The Ways of Conceptualization of God in the Early Romantic Philosophy of Language (The Case of F.W.J. Schelling).* Conference Literature and Religion, Lubin	March 2017
	Pragmatics of Religious Symbol.* Conference Philosophers' Rally, Białystok	July 2016
	Tradition as a System of Communication.* Conference Philosophers' Rally, Warszawa	June 2014
AWARDS	Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences Scholarship	2018–2019 2016–2017 2015–2016
	Scholarship of August hr. Cieszkowski Foundation	2017–2018
	Ministry of Science and Higher Education Scholarship	2011–2015 (x4)
TEACHING	Science in Context Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań	2021–2022
	Epistemology University of Warsaw	2023–2024 (invited classes)
	Epistemology University of Warsaw	2025–2026
MEMBERSHIPS	Aristotelian Society Member	2022–ongoing
	European Society for Philosophy and Psychology Member	2023–2024
	Collegium Invisibile Member	2011–2021
	Coordinator of the program „First tutor”	2012–2013
LANGUAGE SKILLS	Polish: native; English: fluent; German: intermediate (reading); Latin: intermediate (reading)	
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