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**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**Personal Details**

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**Languages**

English: Native Speaker or Biligual Proficiency  
Hungarian: Native Speaker or Bilingual Proficiency  
Dutch: Working Proficiency  
French: Elementary Proficiency  
German: Elementary Proficiency  
Ancient Greek: Elementary Proficiency

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**Education**

2017-2024: PhD in Philosophy and Moral Sciences Vrije Universiteit Brussels  
Dissertation: *On the Brink of Nihilism? Remolding Ethics by Addressing the 'Deficit Problem'*  
2016-2017: Graduated Cum Laude Master's Degree in Philosophy K.U. Leuven  
2012-2016: Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy K.U. Leuven  
2010-2012: Bachelor of Industrial Sciences: Electromechanical Engineering, Groep T  
2009-2010: ILT Language Year: Dutch K.U. Leuven  
2005-2009: Graduated Magna Cum Laude Highland High School

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## Experience

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2017-2024:	PhD trajectory at Vrije Universiteit Brussels
2017-2024:	Brazilian Jiu Jitsu Instructor, Brasa Belgium, Leuven
2019-2024:	International School of Brussels After School Activities Teacher
2020-2024:	Substitute Teacher, International School of Brussels
2020:	Philosophy and Social Studies Teacher, The Courtyard International School, Tervuren
2019-2020:	Physical Education Teacher, Sport en Opleiding VZW, Overijse
2017-2019:	Sports Camp Instructor, Tofsport, Leuven

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## Publications

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VUB Library and Archives: *On the Brink of Nihilism? Remolding Ethics by Addressing the 'Deficit Problem'*; July 2024

Science Figured Out: *Good versus Evil: You are Not Free to Choose!*; May 2019

The Brussels Times: *Philosophy to the Rescue During Difficult Times*; November 2020

The Brussels Times: *2021: A Year of Positive Reconstruction*; January 2021

The Brussels Times: *Click it: Modern Day Futility!*; March 2021

The Brussels Times: *Living in a Disillusioned Democracy*; October 2021

The Brussels Times: *The Dangers of Cancel Culture*; March 2022

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## Achievements and Skills

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The Brussels Times Writer 2020-2024

VUB PhD Cup Finalist 2019

Science Figured Out Video Publication Winner 2019

Member of ETHU (Center for Ethics and Humanism Research Group) VUB

BJJ Fanatics Online Instructor

Brazilian Jiu Jitsu Belgian Championships Silver Medalist 2019

Flanders Cup Bronze Medalist 2019

Brussels Grappling Gold Medalist 2016

Soccer Oud-Heverlee Leuven Reserves 2009-2010

Music Cello: Honor Orchestra 2005-2009

## **Community Service**

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- 2024: Introduction to Brazilian Jiu Jitsu for Intensive Learning Services Leuven
- 2023: Brasa Belgium Fall Prevention for Seniors Workshop
- 2022: Grappling for Everyone Brussels
- 2009: Highland High School Blood Drive Organizer Bakersfield, California
- 2009: Kern County Library Volunteer