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Areas of Specialization: Philosophy of Mind, Philosophy of Psychology
Areas of Competence: Philosophy of Science, Philosophy of Language, Philosophy of Law

Education

PhD Philosophy, Johns Hopkins University	2012 - 2020
Thesis Title: 'On Episodic Memory: Preservation, Reconstruction and Modeling'	
Committee: Steven Gross (primary advisor); Ian Phillips; Hanna Pickard; Michael McCloskey; Jonathan Flombaum	
MA Philosophy, Johns Hopkins University	2012 - 2015
MA Philosophy of Psychology, Leiden University	2010 - 2012
BA Philosophy, University College of Maastricht	2007 - 2010

Academic Employment and Affiliations

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Postdoctoral Fellow, Centre for Philosophy of Memory	2022-2025
Project Title: 'A Theory of Memory Causation'	
Supervisors: Kourken Michaelian; Markus Werning	
Affiliated Member, Centre for Philosophy of Memory	2020 - 2022
Instructor in Expository Writing, Johns Hopkins University	2018 - 2020
Lecturer in Philosophy, The George Washington University	2016 - 2017
Teaching Assistant in Philosophy, Johns Hopkins University	2014 - 2017

Publications

- Andonovski, N. & Michaelian, K. (forthcoming). 'Naturalism and simulationism in the philosophy of memory'. In Hossein Khani, A., Kemp, G., Rezaei, H. S., & Amiriara, H. (Eds.), *Naturalism and its challenges*. Routledge
- Andonovski, N., Sutton, J. & McCarroll, C.J. (forthcoming). 'Eliminating episodic memory?'. *Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B*.
- Sant'Anna, A., Michaelian, K. & Andonovski, N. (2024). 'Autonoesis and episodicity: Perspectives from philosophy of memory'. *Wiley Interdisciplinary Reviews: Cognitive Science* 15.1 (2024): e1665
- Andonovski, N. & Michaelian, K. (2023). 'Accounting for the strangeness, infrequency, and suddenness of déjà vu.' *Behavioural and Brain Sciences* 46, e358

5. Andonovski, N. (2023). 'Autonoesis and the Galilean science of memory: Explanation, idealization, and the role of crucial data.' *European Journal for Philosophy of Science*, 13(3), 42
6. Andonovski, N. (2022). 'Episodic representation: A mental models account'. *Frontiers in Psychology* 13: 899371.
7. Andonovski, N. (2021). 'Causation in memory: Necessity, reliability and probability'. *Acta Scientiarum* 43(3): e61493 (Invited paper for the Special Issue: 'Philosophy of Memory' Ed. A. Sant'Anna)
8. Andonovski, N. (2021). 'Causation and mnemonic roles: On Fernández's functionalism'. *Estudios de Filosofía*, 64, 139-153. (Special Issue: 'Memory and Perception: Insights at the Intersection'. Eds. C. McCarroll, K. Michaelian, and S. Arango-Muñoz.)
9. Andonovski, N. (2021). 'Memory as triage: Facing up to the hard question of memory'. *Review of Philosophy and Psychology* 12: 227-256.
10. Andonovski, N. (2020). 'Singularism about episodic memory'. *Review of Philosophy and Psychology*, 11: 335-365. (Special Issue: 'Memory as Mental Time Travel'. Eds. A. Sant'Anna, K. Michaelian and D. Perrin.)
11. Andonovski, N. (2019). 'Is the simulation theory of memory about simulation?' *Voluntas: Revista de Filosofia*, 10(3), 37-52. (Special Issue: 'Philosophy of Memory'. Eds. C. Schirmer dos Santos and T. Vieira Rodrigues.)
12. Andonovski, N. (2018). 'Is episodic memory a natural kind?' *Essays in Philosophy*, 19(2). (Special Issue: 'The Philosophy of Memory'. Eds. I. O'Loughlin and S.K. Robins.)

Conference presentations & invited talks

1. 'Toward a moderate simulationism' (with Rebecca Copenhaver and James Openshaw). *European Society for Philosophy and Psychology (ESPP)*, 31st Annual Meeting, Université Grenoble Alpes 2024
2. 'Memory indexing and the contentful trace'. *European Society for Philosophy and Psychology (ESPP)*, 31st Annual Meeting, Université Grenoble Alpes 2024
3. 'Memory indexing and the contentful trace'. *Issues in Philosophy of Memory 4*, University of Geneva 2024
4. 'Memory indexing and the contentful trace'. *Society for Philosophy and Psychology (SPP)*, 50th Annual Meeting, Purdue University 2024
5. 'Memory indexing and the contentful trace'. *Euroasian Memory Meeting*, National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University, Taipei, Taiwan 2024
6. 'Causation in memory: A deeper story'. *Causation in Memory*, Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA 2023
7. 'Engrams as mental files'. *Generative Episodic Memory*, Ruhr-Universität Bochum 2023
8. 'Engrams as mental files'. *Memory and Mind 2: A Sofia-Grenoble Workshop*, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences & Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA 2023
9. 'Between systems and experience: A dilemma for philosophical accounts of autonoetic consciousness'. *Memory and Consciousness: Philosophical and Phenomenological Perspectives*, Jean Nicod Institute & Ruhr-Universität Bochum 2023
10. 'Engrams as mental files'. *Memory and Mental Files*, Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA 2023
11. 'Engrams as mental files'. *European Society for Philosophy and Psychology (ESPP) & Society for Philosophy and Psychology (SPP)*, 3rd Joint Meeting, University of Milan (poster presentation) 2022
12. 'Simulation and anti-causalism 2022'. *Simulationism 2022*, Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA 2022
13. 'Engrams as mental Files'. *Reference in Remembering*, Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA 2022
14. 'Phenomenology and the Galilean science of memory'. *Phenomenology of Memory*, Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA 2022
15. 'Memory and causation'. *Memory and Mind: A Sofia-Grenoble Workshop*. Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA & Bulgarian Academy of Sciences 2021
16. 'Memory and causation'. *Issues in Philosophy of Memory 2.5*. Philosophy of Memory Organization 2021
17. 'When I was 17, it was a very good year'. *Generative Episodic Memory*, Ruhr-Universität Bochum 2021

18. 'Memory as triage: Facing up to the hard question of memory'. *Bochum-Grenoble Memory Colloquium* (invited talk) 2020
19. 'Memory as triage: Facing up to the hard question of memory'. *Hammond Society Colloquium*, JHU 2020
20. 'Memory traces and representational pluralism'. *Workshop on the Philosophy of Cognitive Neuroscience and Neuroethics*, GIFICC, Buenos Aires Philosophy of Cognitive Science Research Group 2019
21. 'Singularism about episodic memory'. *Issues in Philosophy of Memory 2*, Philosophy of Memory Organization 2019
22. 'Is episodic memory a natural kind?' *Ernst Mach Workshop VII: Current Philosophy of Psychology*, Institute of Philosophy of the Czech Academy of Sciences 2018
23. 'KEMMs, time and knowledge'. *Issues in Philosophy of Memory*, Philosophy of Memory Organization 2017
24. 'KEMMs, time and knowledge'. *Society for Philosophy and Psychology (SPP)*, 43rd Annual Meeting, Johns Hopkins University 2017
25. 'KEMMs, time and knowledge'. *Temporal Experience, Memory and Imagination*, University of Warwick: Mind and Action Research Centre 2017
26. 'Scientism and the Enlightenment split'. *IV Conference of the Brazilian Society for Analytic Philosophy*, University of Campinas 2017
27. 'Scientism and the Enlightenment split'. *Association for the Advancement of Philosophy and Psychiatry*, 28th Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA 2016
28. 'Scientism and the Enlightenment split'. *Conference on Scientism*, Abraham Kuyper Center for Science and Religion, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam 2016
29. 'Cognitive penetration and semantic coherence'. *IV Colombian Conference on Logic, Epistemology and Philosophy of Science*, Universidad de Los Andes, Bogota 2016
30. 'Persons in our heads: Voice hearing, social cognition and the brain'. *17th International Conference on Philosophy, Psychiatry and Psychology*, Frutillar, Chile 2015
31. 'Cognitive penetration and semantic coherence'. *3rd Philosophy of Language and Mind Conference*, Center for the Study of Mind in Nature, Oslo 2015
32. 'Persons in our heads: Voice hearing, social cognition and the brain'. *Cognitio: Young Researchers Conference in Cognitive Science*, University of Quebec, Montreal 2015
33. 'The format of the given'. *Long Island Philosophical Society Conference*, St. John's University, NY 2015

Research awards

1. Philosophy of Memory Essay Prize, *Runner-up*. 'Memory as triage: Facing up to the hard question of memory'. Centre for the Philosophy of Memory, UGA. 2020
2. Miller Prize, *Winner*. 'Singularism about episodic memory'. Johns Hopkins University 2020
3. Early Career Researcher Prize, *Winner*. 'Singularism about episodic memory'. *Issues in Philosophy of Memory 2*. Philosophy of Memory Organization 2019
4. William James Prize, *Honorable Mention*. 'KEMMs, time and knowledge' Society for Philosophy and Psychology, 43rd Annual Meeting 2017
5. Leiden University Thesis Award, *Finalist*. Leiden University. 2012

Fellowships and Successful Funding Applications

1. Marie Skłodowska-Curie European Postdoctoral Fellowship 2022-2025
2. Expository Writing Program Instructorship, Johns Hopkins University 2018-2020

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| 3. Sachs Fellowship, Johns Hopkins University | 2018 |
| 4. Dean's Teaching Fellowship, Johns Hopkins University | 2017 |
| 5. Leon Lauer Fellowship, Johns Hopkins University | 2012-2017 |
| 6. Huygens Scholarship, Netherlands Organization for International Cooperation in Higher Education (NUFFIC). | 2010-2012 |
| 7. Leiden University Excellence Scholarship (LExS), Leiden University | 2010 |

Editorial Experience

1. Andonovski, N., McCarroll, C.J., Michaelian, K. & Sant'Anna, A. (in preparation). *Philosophy of Mind and Cognition*. Under contract with Palgrave Macmillan.
2. Andonovski, N., Michaelian, K. & Robins, S. (in preparation). 'Causation in Memory', Special issue of *Philosophical Psychology*.

Event Organization and Professional Service

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| 1. Co-organizer, <i>Bochum-Grenoble Memory Colloquium Series</i> . (Online.) Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA & Ruhr-Universität Bochum | 2020-Present |
| 2. Co-organizer. <i>Issues in Philosophy of Memory 3.5</i> . Online. | 2023 |
| 3. Co-organizer, <i>Causation in Memory</i> . Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA | 2023 |
| 4. Co-organizer, <i>Simulationism 2023</i> . Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA | 2023 |
| 5. Co-organizer, <i>Memory and Mind 2: A Sofia-Grenoble Workshop</i> . Bulgarian Academy of Sciences & Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA | 2023 |
| 6. Co-organizer, <i>Memory and Mind: A Sofia-Grenoble Workshop</i> . Centre for Philosophy of Memory, UGA & The Bulgarian Academy of Sciences | 2021 |
| 7. Co-organizer, <i>Hammond Society Colloquium Series</i> , Johns Hopkins University. | 2018-2020 |
| 8. Invited reviewer, <i>Current Controversies in Philosophy of Memory</i> (Editors: A. Sant'Anna, C. J. McCarroll, and K. Michaelian). Routledge | 2021 |
| 9. Invited commentator, <i>Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology</i> , 112th Annual Meeting | 2020 |
| 10. Peer-review referee for William James Prize, <i>Society for Philosophy and Psychology</i> | 2019 |

Journal reviewing: *Review of Philosophy and Psychology*, *Philosophical Psychology*, *Philosophy and the Mind Sciences*, *Frontiers in Psychology*, *Synthese*, *Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B*

Teaching experience

Primary Instructor:

Fall 2018-2020	What is Mental Illness?	Johns Hopkins University
Summer 2018	Minds and Machines	Johns Hopkins University
Fall 2017	Philosophy and Memory	Johns Hopkins University
Fall 2017	Philosophy and Nonviolence	George Washington University
Winter 2017	Mental Time Travel	Johns Hopkins University
Fall 2016	Philosophy of Human Rights	George Washington University
Summer 2016	Minds and Machines	Johns Hopkins University
Winter 2016	Neurophilosophy	Johns Hopkins University
Summer 2015	Minds and Machines	Johns Hopkins University

Teaching Assistant:

Spring 2017	Philosophy of Cognitive Science	Johns Hopkins University
Fall 2016	Formal Methods of Philosophy	Johns Hopkins University
Spring 2016	What is Science?	Johns Hopkins University
Fall 2015	Philosophy of Mind	Johns Hopkins University
Fall 2014	Bioethics	Johns Hopkins University