

CURRICULUM VITAE

Hagit Benbaji

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1. Personal Details

Date of Birth: 12\4\1966.

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2. Higher Education

B.A. 1991 - The Hebrew University of Jerusalem – Philosophy and Mathematics (*magna cum laude*)

M.A 1996 - The Hebrew University of Jerusalem – Philosophy (*magna cum laude*)

Name of Advisor: Professor Gilead Bar-Elli

Title of Thesis: The Content of Experience

Ph.D. 2002 - The Hebrew University of Jerusalem – Philosophy (*summa cum laude*)

Name of Advisor: Professor Gilead Bar-Elli

Title of Dissertation: *Radically Different Points of View*

Areas of Specialization: philosophy of mind, metaphysics.

Areas of Competence: philosophy of language, epistemology, the philosophy of Thomas Reid, emotions.

3. Academic Appointments

2003-4 to the present - Tenure track position, Philosophy - Ben-Gurion University of the Negev

Fall 2013 - Member in an international research group on practical and theoretical rationality at the Institute for Advanced Studies - The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Spring 2008 - Member in an international research group on meta-ethics at the Institute for Advanced Studies - The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

2006-7 - Visiting Scholar - Institute for Advanced Study, the School of Social Science, Princeton

2002-3 - Post-doctoral research - The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

2001-2 - Visiting Scholar - The Philosophy Department, Princeton University

2000-1 - Visiting PhD student - The Philosophy Department, Princeton University

1995-2000 – Instructor - The Philosophy Department, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

4. Professional Activities (departmental, faculty and university)

2009-10 – Chair of teaching committee for MA students, BGU Dept. of Philosophy

2005-present - Chair of teaching committee for BA students, BGU Dept. of Philosophy

2002-5 - Member of teaching committee for BA students, BGU Dept. of Philosophy

2003-5 - Organizer of the departmental seminar, BGU Dept. of Philosophy

5. Other Activities

Organizer of an International two days conference in memory of Donald Davidson, “Reflections on Davidson”, Ben-Gurion University, together with the Hebrew University and Van Leer Institute, Feb. 2004

Referee for

Synthese; Iyunn; Philosophia, Mind, philosophical papers, History Philosophical Quarterly, Australasian Journal of Philosophy, Dialogue, Iyyun, Canadian Journal of philosophy.

6. Research Grants

2012-present – “The Irrationality of Emotions” (ISF, Research Grant Application no. 903/11 - \$58,000 for two years)

2010 “Colors as Phenomenal Dispositions of Physical Objects” (ISF, Research Grant Application no. 903/10– marked “Very Good”).

7. Awards, Citations, Honors, Fellowships

(a) Honors, Citation Awards

1999 - Foundation of philosophy Zurich KKL - A prize for outstanding graduated students in philosophy.

1996 - Yael Cohen prize – A prize for a distinguished work (MA thesis) in philosophy of language, Hebrew University

1994 - The Ha'ezrahi prize of the philosophy department of the Hebrew University – A prize for outstanding MA students in philosophy.

(b) Fellowships

2004-6 - Allon Fellowships for Outstanding Young Researchers, BGU

2002-3 - Lady Davis fellowship for post-doctoral research, Hebrew University

2001-2 - The Rothschild fellowship for post-doctoral research, Hebrew University

1999-2001 -Rotenstreich Fellowship of the National Higher Education Council (Vatat) for outstanding doctoral candidates in Israeli Universities, Hebrew University

8. Academic Teaching

Courses taught

Ben-Gurion University:

Introduction to the philosophy of language; Introduction to the philosophy of mind; introduction to metaphysics; Introduction to epistemology; What colors are: the metaphysics of colors; Reading in Sellars' *Empiricism and Philosophy of Mind*; Reading in McDowell's *Mind and World*; Responsibility and blame; Who I am: personal identity; Reading in Anscombe's *Intention*; Hume and Reid; Reasons for love; Subjectivity; Externalism in the philosophy of language; The philosophy of action of Donald Davidson; *Naming and Necessity*: reading in Saul Kripke; Feminism and Analytical Philosophy; *Sense and Sensibilia*: Reading in Austin.

Stern College, NY:

The Place of the Mind in Nature

The Hebrew University:

Language and Logic in the 20 century; The History of Modern Philosophy (Instructor).