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## current position

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Chargée de recherche, grade 1 (permanent research position) (since October 2004, promoted to 'grade 1' January 2009), Centre National de Recherche Scientifique (CNRS), Institut Jean-Nicod (UMR8129), France

## academic degrees

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Ph.D. in Philosophy, Stanford University

Committee: John Perry (adviser; Stanford), Mark Crimmins (Stanford), John MacFarlane (UC Berkeley), Stanley Peters (Stanford), Kenneth Taylor (Stanford).

Conferred: March 2007;

Dissertation title: « What Is Said. An Inquiry Into Reference, Meaning, and Content. »

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Ph.D. in Cognitive Science, Ecole Polytechnique

Committee: François Recanati (adviser; CNRS), Patrick Blackburn (INRIA) , Eros Corazza (Nottingham), Jérôme Dokic (EHESS), Pierre Jacob (CNRS).

Conferred: November 2002;

Dissertation title: « Resolving Indexicals »

(title in French: « Contextes, Circonstances, et Constituants Inarticulés: Perspectives Formelles. »)

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"Diplôme d'Etudes Approfondies" (Higher-Level Post-Graduate Degree) in Cognitive Science; Ecole Polytechnique, France; June 1998.

"Diplôme d'Etudes Approfondies" in Mathematical Logic; University Paris 7 - Denis Diderot, France; June 1997.

"Maîtrise" (Master's Degree) in Logic, University Paris 1-Sorbonne-Panthéon; June 1996.

"Licence" (Bachelor's Degree) in Philosophy; Licence in Logic; University Paris 1; June 1995

## fellowships

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2001-2004                      Research Fellow, Department of Philosophy, Stanford University

1998-2001                      Allocation de Recherche, MENRT (Ministry of Education, Research and Technology), France

1997-1998                      Bourse du Gouvernement Français pour les études du 3<sup>è</sup> cycle (fellowship of the French Government)

## teaching

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Summer 2011	Topics in Philosophy of Language, ESLLI (European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information), Ljubljana, Slovenia
Fall & Winter 2010-11	Séminaire sur le Temps (Seminar on Time), MA course, EHESS and Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris
Fall & Winter 2010-11	Training Seminar in Philosophy, EHESS & ENS, Paris
Spring 2009	Changing Perspectives, MA course, University of Paris XII
Winter 2008-09	Speaking in Context: crash-course in Philosophy of Language, Universitat Federal Minas Gerais, Brazil
Fall 2008	Semantic Relativism (crash-course), Université de Genève
Winter 2006-07	Speaking in Context (PHIL-192S), Stanford University
Fall 2006	Introduction to Philosophy of Language, ENS, Paris
Fall 2003	Teaching Assistant, Phil100: Ancient Philosophy (with Prof. Chris Bobonich), Stanford University
Spring 2003	Teaching Assistant, Phil60: Philosophy of Science (with Prof. Peter Godfrey-Smith), Stanford University
Winter 2003	Teaching Assistant, Phil80: Meaning, Matter, and Mind (with Prof. Krista Lawlor), Stanford University
1998-2001	Lecturer (chargée de cours), Logic (1 <sup>st</sup> year undergraduates) University Paris 1 Sorbonne-Panthéon
1996-1998	Lecturer (chargée de cours), Introduction to Computer Science University Paris 1 Sorbonne-Panthéon

## supervision

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- Main supervisor for: François LE CORRE; CogMaster, EHESS, 2010-2011; defended: June 2011; title: Contextualisme et Relativisme Sémantique: Jugements de Goût et Désaccord Sans-Faute. Vers une approche expérimentale.
- PhD Committee member for: - Marie GUILLOT; EHESS; defended: Dec 2010; title: Deixis et subjectivité. Essai sur l'indexicalité dans le langage et la pensée;  
- Gregory BOCHNER; EHESS & Université Libre de Bruxelles; defended: Dec 2011; title: Naming and Contingency: Towards an Internalist Theory of Direct Reference.
- Co-supervisor and member of the Master's thesis defense committee for:

Markus KNEER (EHESS; 2006-07); Felipe Noguera CARVALHO (EHESS; 2007-08); Benoit CONTI (EHESS 2007-08); Michael MUREZ (EHESS; 2008-09).

- Member of the Master's thesis defense committee for:  
Aurélien BELLANGER (EHESS; 2006-07); David SHULMAN (EHESS; 2006-07);  
Sam WILKINSON (EHESS; 2008-09).

## research appointments before 2004

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Fall 1998	Research Assistant to Prof. David Kaplan, UCLA
Fall 2000	Visiting Scholar, Dept. of Linguistics, USC
Winter 2000	Visiting Scholar, Dept. of Philosophy, University of Arizona, Tucson

## complete publications

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by category - reverse chronological order

### i. articles in peer-reviewed journals

1. "When (True) Disagreement Gives Out". *Croatian Journal of Philosophy* 32 (2011): 181-193.
2. "Domain-Sensitivity". *Synthese. Online First*. (published online in 2010). DOI : 10.1007/s11229-010-9729-z
3. "Context, Meaning and Logical Truth". *JICPR Special Issue on Logic and Philosophy Today* (A. Gupta & J. van Benthem, Eds.), 27 (vol. 2) (2010): 13-26.
4. "Semantic Content". *Manuscrito* 32 (2009): 123-152.
5. "The Scope and the Subtleties of the Contextualism/Literalism /Relativism Debate". *Language and Linguistics Compass* 2 (2008): 1171-1188.  
DOI: 10.1111/j.1749-818x.2008.00086.x
6. "The Semantics/Pragmatics Distinction". *Synthese* 165 (2008): 317-319.
7. "Talking about Taste: Disagreement, Implicit Arguments, and Relative Truth". *Linguistics and Philosophy* 30 (2007): 691-706. DOI: 10.1007/s10988-008-9030-5

8. "What Is Said as Lexical Meaning". *Cadernos de Filosofia* 21 (2007): 7-42.
9. "What Is Said, Linguistic Meaning, and Directly Referential Expressions". *Philosophy Compass* 1 (2006): 373-397. DOI: 10.1111/j.1747-9991.2006.00029.x
10. "The Contingent A Priori: Much Ado about Nothing". *Croatian Journal of Philosophy* 11 (2004): 291-300.

ii. articles in peer-reviewed collective volumes or proceedings

11. "Situation Semantics", in Newen, Albert and Rafael van Riel (Eds.), *The Philosophy of John Perry*. (in press)
12. "Referring with Proper Names: Towards a Pragmatic Account", in Baptista, Luca and Erich Rast (Eds.), *Meaning and Context*. Berlin: Peter Lang. 2010: 139-160.
13. "The Vicious Triangle of A Priori Truth, Contingent Truth, and Logical Truth", in Nimtz, Christian, Nikola Kompa & Christian Suhm (Eds.), *A Priori Justification and Its Role in Philosophy*. Berlin: Mentis Verlag. 2009: 69-82.
14. "Semantic Relativism and the Logic of Indexicals", with Stefano Predelli, in Kölbel, Max & Manuel Garcia-Carpintero (Eds.). *Relative Truth*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. 2008. 63-80.
15. "Les usages déferentiels". with Philippe De Brabanter, David Nicolas and Neftali Villanueva. *Raisons Pratiques*. Numéro spécial en épistémologie sociale. Bouvier, Alban & Bernard Conein (Eds). Paris: Les Editions EHESS. 2007. 139-162.
16. "What to Say on What Is Said", in Blackburn, Patrick et al. (Eds.) *Modeling and Using Context*, Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence 2680, Berlin: Springer-Verlag. 2003. 300-313.
17. "Incomplete Definite Descriptions, Demonstrative Completions, and Redundancy". *ESSLLI Student Section Proceedings*, FoLLI Publications. 2001. 289-298. Reprinted with modifications in Striegnitz, Kristina et al. (Eds.) *Special Issue: The Language*

*Sections of the ESSLLI-01 Student Session*, ed. by Human Language Technology Theses. 2002.

18. "For Whom Is the Problem of the Essential Indexical a Problem?", in Akman, Varol et al. (Eds.) *Modeling and Using Context*, Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence 2116, Berlin: Springer-Verlag. 2001. 304-315.

### iii. books and edited volumes

19. *Context-Dependence, Perspective and Relativity*. Direction d'ouvrage (avec François Recanati et Neftali Villanueva). Berlin: Mouton De Gruyter. 2010. 356 pages. ISBN 9783110227765
20. *What Is Said: an Inquiry into Reference, Meaning and Content*. Saarbrücken: VDM Verlag Dr. Müller. 2008. 196 pages. ISBN 9783639100730
21. *The Semantics/Pragmatics Distinction*. (Guest editor) *Synthese* 165 (2008): 317-401.

### iv. abstracts published in conference proceedings

22. "Non-propositional Content, Assertion and Same-Saying", Vasquez, Marga et al. (Eds.), *Proceedings of SEFA VI*. La Laguna. 2010. ISBN: 9788461443833.
23. "False Truths", in Manrique, Fernando Martinez & L.-M Peris-Viné (Eds.). *Actas del V Congreso de la Sociedad de Logica, Metodologia y Filosofia de la Ciencia en Espana* (Proceedings of the 5th Congress of the Spanish Society for Logic, Methodology and Philosophy of Science). Ediciones Sider S.C. 2006.

### v. other (reviews, research reports, articles in non-refereed journals)

24. "When Is Action Intentional? A Problem for Ginet's Acausal Account of Intentional Action" *Vox Philosophiae* 1/2010 (2010): 18-28.

25. Review of Mark Richard's *When Truth Gives Out*. *Disputatio* 27 (2009): 150-158.

26. *A Different Story about Indexicals*. Amsterdam: ILLC Research Reports. 2005.

## organization of colloquia, seminars and other events

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since June 2005	Co-founder and organizer of PALMYR: Paris-Amsterdam Logic Meetings of Young Researchers; most recent: PALMYR X: Logic and the Use of Language, Paris, May 2011. < <a href="http://www.illc.uva.nl/palmyr">http://www.illc.uva.nl/palmyr</a> >
June 2011	PETAF Workshop Issues in Semantics, Cerisy-La-Salle, France
May 2010	Journée sur l'Imagination, Institut Jean-Nicod, Paris
Spring 2009	Seminar « Topics in Logic and Language », IJN, Paris
2005-2009	In charge of the Colloquium series of the Jean-Nicod Institute < <a href="http://www.institutnicod.org">http://www.institutnicod.org</a> >
April 2008	Workshop Context, Communication and Meaning, Paris
November 2007	Co-organizer: CPR-07: Context-Dependence Perspective and Relativity in Language and Thought, conference, Paris < <a href="http://www.ugr.es/~nef/Perspective/">http://www.ugr.es/~nef/Perspective/</a> >
June 2006	Journée sur le Raisonnement, Institut Jean-Nicod, Paris
July 2005	Organizer of the workshop The Semantics/Pragmatics Distinction: What Is It, and Does it Really Matter?, Paris < <a href="http://spworkshop.online.fr">http://spworkshop.online.fr</a> >
June 2002	Member of the organizing team of the 1 <sup>st</sup> NASSLLI (North-American Summer School in Language, Logic and Information), Stanford & CSLI

## participation in selection committees and administrative instances

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- Member of the Comité National de la Recherche Scientifique, section 35: Philosophy, Literature, History of Science (2008-2011);

- Member of the Comité National de la Recherche Scientifique, section 44: Cognition, Language, Information-processing, Natural and Artificial Systems (2008-2011);
- Member of the Comité de sélection for the position of Maître de Conférences (associate professor) in Philosophy: theory of knowledge, philosophy of science, philosophy of language (17-MCF-0718); Université Paris 12 – Val de Marne (2009);
- Member of the Comité de sélection for the position of ATER (teaching assistant) in Philosophy, Université Paris 12 – Val de Marne (2009);
- Member of the evaluation committee of the applications to the CNRS post-doc position at the Jean-Nicod Institute (2006).

## participation in financed projects and grants

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- Workpackage coordinator; PETAF: The FP7 Marie Curie European Philosophy Training Network on Perspectival Thoughts and Facts (grant n°238 128); Workpackage "Issues in Semantics" <<http://www.ub.edu/petaf/>>
- Investigator; 3 year project "Semantic Content and Context Dependence" (2010-2013); MICINN FFI2009-13436, coordinator: Max Kölbel (U. of Barcelona)
- Member; 3 year project "GENIUS: Genericity: Interpretation and Uses", (2009-2012); ANR Jeunes Chercheur(se)s; coordinator: Alda Mari (IJN)
- Member; ERC Grant "Context, Content and Compositionality") (grant n° 229 441); coordinator: François Recanati (IJN)
- Participant; PERSP (Consolider-Ingenio 2010 scheme; CSD2009-00056); <http://www.ub.edu/persp/>

## refereeing

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### journals:

- member of the editorial board of Topoi: an International Review of Philosophy
- regular ( $\approx$ 1 article per year)
  - Australasian Journal of Philosophy
  - Dialectica
  - Disputatio
  - Linguistics and Philosophy
- occasional

Dialogue  
Erkenntnis  
ERPP (European Review of Philosophy and Psychology)  
JoLLI (Journal of Logic, Language and Information)  
Journal of Pragmatics  
Mind  
Philosophia (Philosophical Quarterly of Israel)  
Philosophical Quarterly  
Synthese  
Theoria (a Swedish Journal of Philosophy)

books and special issues:

Elsevier/Emerald (CRiSPI Series); (volume proposals);  
Oxford University Press (full book manuscripts; linguistics, philosophy);  
Dialectica (special issues);  
Canadian Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences (book manuscript).

conference abstracts/papers:

- SPR-05: Semantic Pragmatics Rhetorics, San-Sebastian – Donostia, Spain (2005);
- Stanford-Berkely-Davis Graduate Student Conference, Stanford, USA (2007);
- Utterance Interpretation and Cognitive Models: UICM, Brussels, Belgium; UICM II (2008); UICM III (2010);
- Context and Attention: 1<sup>st</sup> Linguistics and Philosophy Colloquium / UFMG, Belo Horizonte, Brazil, (2008);
- SPR-09: Semantic Pragmatics Rhetorics, San-Sebastian – Donostia, Spain (2009);
- GENIUS I: Genericity: Interpretation and Uses, Paris, France (2009);
- Self-Locating Beliefs (student session), MIT – Boston (2009);
- GENIUS II: Dispositions, States and Abilities, Paris, France (2010);
- Amsterdam Graduate Philosophy Conference, Amsterdam, the Netherlands (2010);
- Meaning, Context, and Implicit Content, Young Researchers Session, Cerisy, France (2011);
- ESSLLI-2011 Student Session, Ljubljana, Slovenia (2011);
- Semantic Content and Context-Dependence Conference, Barcelona, Spain (2011);

- SPR-11: Semantic Pragmatics Rhetorics, San-Sebastian – Donostia, Spain (2011);
- GENIUS III: Genericity: from Morphology to Cognition, Paris, France (2011)

### invited talks as keynote speaker – conferences with calls for submissions

2011-Nov-21-23. "Perspective Adjustment in Evaluative Judgments", 2<sup>nd</sup> Philosophy and Linguistics Congress, UMFG, Belo Horizonte, Brasil

2010-Sept-24-26. "Disentangling Reference from Semantic Content", Logic and Language Conference, Aberdeen, UK

2009-Dec-3-5. "Domain-Sensitivity", Context and Levels of Locutionary Content, Lisbon, Portugal

### invited talks as keynote speaker – conferences without calls for submissions

2011-Sept-6-9. "Post-semantics: what it is and why it matters". *Mental Phenomena – Philosophy of Linguistics Conference*, IUC, Dubrovnik, Croatia

2011-Aug-8-10. "De Se Assertion". SPAWN Philosophy of Language, Syracuse, USA

2011-Jan-5-6. "Meaning, Context and Logical Truth", *Logic and Philosophy Today*, Delhi Logic Week, Delhi University, India

2010-Sept-5-9. "When (true) Disagreement Gives out", panel on Mark Richard's *When Truth Gives Out*, Philosophy of Linguistics, IUC, Dubrovnik

2010-Aug-4-6. "Emotional Disagreement: the Role of Semantic Content in the Expression of, and Disagreement over, Emotional Value", Conference *Language, Thought and Cognition III*, Valparaiso, Chile

2010-March-23-24. "Relative Truth, Logical Truth, and Pragmatically Warranted Truth in Intensional Indexical Languages", *Foundations of Logical Consequence*, ARCHE, St Andrews, UK

2010-May. "Le désaccord sur les valeurs, la vérité relative, et la sous-détermination sémantique", Colloque Valeur et jugements de valeur, Rennes, France

2009-Sept. "De Se Assertion", IJN-MIT Workshop on Self-Locating Beliefs, MIT-Boston; commentators: Jennifer Carr (MIT) and Ryan Doody (MIT)

2009-Aug. "De Se Assertion", Cognitive Perspectives on Mind and Language, UNAM, Mexico City, Mexico; commentator: Maite Ezcurdia (UNAM)

2008-Nov. "Cross-contextual Disagreement", Workshop on Agreement and Disagreement, CeLL, London, UK

2007-Dec. "Arguments: the Point of View in the Expression of Disgust, Uncomfort, and Pain", Emotion, Cognition and Communication Workshop, Lisbon

2007-Aug. "Rethinking Direct Reference". CSMN Inaugural Conference on Reference. Oslo, Norway

2007-June. "The Myth of the Contingent A Priori". Workshop "The A Priori and its Role in Philosophy", Münster

2006-Oct. "Peut-on penser sans le langage?". 16e Rencontres CNRS Jeunes, Sciences et Citoyens, Futuroscope-Poitiers, France

2006-April. "What Is Said as Linguistic Meaning". Conference *Context and Content*, April, Oslo, Norway

## invited lectures

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2010-Aug-10-13. "Semantic Content, Reference, and Parameters of Truth". University of Buenos Aires and SADAF, Buenos Aires, Argentina. Lecture 1: "Disentangling reference from semantic content"; lecture 2: "Semantic Content and What Is Said"; lecture 3: "Cross-Contextual Assessments of Truth Value"

## other invited talks (workshops, department colloquia, etc.)

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2011-May. "Semantic Content", University of Berne, Switzerland

2011-Feb. "Situations vs. Points of Evaluation: Back to Some Foundational Issues in Semantics", CPR Workshop, IJN, Paris

2010-July-5-6. "Semantic Content"; 1<sup>st</sup> Workshop on Semantic Content, UB, Barcelona

2010-June-27-28. "Logical Validity vs. Pragmatically Warranted Truth", PALMYR IX, Amsterdam"; commentator: Lucian Zagan (ILLC)

2009-Sept. "Cross-contextual Disagreement", Workshop on Agreement and Disagreement, CSMN, Oslo, Norway

2008-Dec. "Context Dependence, Assessment-Sensitivity and Semantic Content", 1<sup>st</sup> Congress in Philosophy and Linguistics, Belo Horizonte, Brazil

2008-Oct. "Context Dependence vs. Assessment-Sensitivity", 1<sup>st</sup> LOGOS-IJN Workshop, Barcelona, Spain; commentator: Dan Zeman (LOGOS)

2008-Oct. "Semantic Content and *What Is Said*", La Complutense, Madrid, Spain

2008-Sept. "Semantic Content and Assessment-Sensitivity", Philosophy of Linguistics Conference, Dubrovnik, Croatia

2008-July. "Semantic Content and What Is Said", Language and Ontology: the 3<sup>rd</sup> Paris-Oxford Workshop, Paris

2008-May. "Semantic Content and What Is Said", Workshop on Saying, ILCLI, Donostia – San Sebastian, Spain

2008-April. "The Assessment-Sensitivity of Belief Reports", Context, Communication and Meaning Workshop II, Institut Jean-Nicod, Paris

2008-March. "Same-Saying", Context, Communication and Meaning Workshop I, Stanford, USA

2007-Oct. "Meaning, Content and What Is Said", University College London

2007-Oct. "Relativizing Kaplan: The Metasemantic Case for Relativist Semantics" (with Stefano Predelli), Stockholm University, Colloquium Series

2007-Oct. "Semantic Content and Asserted Content", Stockholm University, Language Seminar

2007-June. "Talking About Taste". Panel on Semantic Relativism: 10<sup>th</sup> IPra Meeting, Göteborg, Sweden

2007-May. "Ce qui est dit". Les Lundis de la Philosophie à l'Ecole Normale Supérieure. Paris, France

2006-March. "Saying the Same Thing". Institute of Philosophy of Language, New University of Lisbon, Portugal

2006-March. "The Semantics of Indexicals and the Pragmatics of Reference". University of Nottingham, UK

2005-June. "Ways of Going Dynamic". PALMYR 1, ILLC, Amsterdam; commentator: Paul Dekker

2005-May. "Reference, Indexicals and 'What Is Said'". University of Granada, Spain

2005-April. "*Ce qui est dit* et les expressions référentielles: pour un minimalisme radical". Séminaire IJN, Institut Jean-Nicod, Paris

2005-March. "Updating with Indexicals". 4<sup>th</sup> Year Colloquium, Dept. of Philosophy, Stanford University

2005-Feb. "Une approche dynamique aux indexicaux." Séminaire PhilForm, IHPST, Paris

2005-Feb. "Indexicals and Direct Reference: Against the Received View". DIP Colloquium, University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands

2004. "Referentialist and Descriptivist Accounts of Indexicals: Towards a Compromise". Logical Methods in Humanities. Stanford

2001. "On the Twofold Account of What is Said". Rencontres Franco-Italiennes en Philosophie Analytique, Vercelli, Italy.

### invited commentaries

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2011-June-27-28. on Fabio Del Prete's "Future and Modality". 1<sup>st</sup> Paris-Milano Workshop, Milan, Italy.

2011-March-24-26. on Josep Macia's "Restrictions on Anaphora" 3<sup>rd</sup> LOGOS-Jean-Nicod Workshop, Barcelona, Spain.

2007-June. on Ora Matushansky's "On Linguistic Complexity of Proper Names". PALMYR V, ENS, Paris.

2006-Feb. on Robert Stalnaker's "Conditional Propositions and Conditional Assertions". UCSB Philosophy Conference *Advances in Theory of Meaning*. Santa Barbara, USA.

2006-Jan. on Graeme Forbes, "Depiction Verbs". Workshop on Intensional Verbs. IHPST, Paris.

2003-June. on George Georgy's "A Case of Mistaken Identity". Stanford-Berkeley GS Conference, Stanford.

2003-March. Response to Fritz McDonald, "What Is Frege's Theory of Demonstratives?". Pacific APA, San Francisco.

### refereed conference talks

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2010-Oct-14-16. "Non-Propositional Content, Assertion and Same-Saying", SEFA VI, Tenerife.

2010-May. "Contents are Hardly Ever Propositional", Semantics and Philosophy in Europe (SPE) 3, Paris

2009-Sept-17-20. "Context-Dependence vs. Assessment-Sensitivity", ENFA 4, Evora, Portugal.

2008-April. "Two Problems of Overgeneration for the Reflexive-Referential Theory". Conference on John Perry's work, Madrid, Spain.

2007-July. "'Perhaps' and 'Surely' ". 5th Barcelona Workshop on Issues in the Theory of Reference: Non-Truth Conditional Aspects of Meaning, Barcelona, Spain.

2006-Nov. "False Truths". Fifth Meeting of the Spanish Society for Logic, Epistemology, and Philosophy of Science, Granada, Spain.

2006-Sept. "Vrai Implique Faux?". SOPHA (Société de Philosophie Analytique), Aix-en-Provence, France

2006-June. "True Premises, False Conclusion, yet Valid". PALMYR 3, Paris

2006-June. "False Truths". ENFA 3, Lisboa, Portugal (2006)

2005-Dec. "Russell Didn't Say that Definite Descriptions are Quantifiers". Conference Descriptions and Logical Form: 100 years of On Denoting. Padova, Italy.

2005-Sept. "Talking about Taste: Implicit Arguments, Relativized Contents and Disagreement." Conference *Relativizing Utterance Truth* Barcelona, Spain (2005)

2005-Aug. "Reconciling Direct Reference with a Descriptivist Semantics for Proper Names and Indexicals". 5<sup>th</sup> European Congress for Analytic Philosophy, Lisbon, Portugal