

## Curriculum Vitae

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

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### CURRENT POSITION

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- Fellow, Post-doctoral researcher, Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies (since August 2012)

### ACADEMIC DEGREE

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- Doctor of Philosophy (History), University of Helsinki (2010)
- Doctoral thesis: *Self-love and Self-liking in the Moral and Political Philosophy of Bernard Mandeville and David Hume* (Opponent: John Robertson, University of Cambridge, UK), Graded *laudatur*

### ACADEMIC CAREER

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- Fellow, Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies (2012-)
- Postdoctoral researcher –*Philosophical Psychology, Morality, and Politics Research Unit*, a Centre of Excellence in Research at Universities of Helsinki and Jyväskylä, funded by Academy of Finland and directed by professor Simo Knuuttila (2010-2012)

### SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

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- *Mandeville and Hume: anatomists of civil society*, Voltaire Foundation, Oxford, 2013 (monograph). Reviews by Ian McDaniel in *Intellectual History Review* (2013); Pekka Sulkunen in *Distinktion: Scandinavian Journal of Social Theory* (2014); James Harris in *Newsletter of the Eighteenth-Century Scottish Studies Society* (2014); Till Kinzel in *Informationsmittel (IFB): digitales Rezensionsorgan für Bibliothek und Wissenschaft* (2013).
- Together with James Harris, “David Hume in Scottish Context” in Aaron Garrett and James Harris (eds.), *Scottish Philosophy in the Age of the Enlightenment*, Volume 2 of *The Oxford History of Scottish Philosophy*, Oxford University Press, in press, 38 pages.
- “Gothic origin of modern civility: Mandeville and the Scots on courage”, *Journal of Scottish Philosophy*, 12, 2014, pp. 51-69.
- “The Scottish Enlightenment” in Gregory Clayes (ed.), *The Encyclopedia of Modern Political Thought*, SAGE, 2013, pp. 740-745.
- “Politeness, Paris and the *Treatise*”, *Hume Studies*, 34, 2008, pp. 21–42.
- Together with Noel Malcolm, “The correspondence of Thomas Hobbes: Some new items”, *Historical Journal*, 51, 2008, pp. 481–495.

### PROJECTS (ROLE AS PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR)

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- three-year project (150000 €) funded by University of Helsinki, “History, Nature and Empire in Eighteenth-Century Europe” (2014-16)

## RESEARCH AWARDS, HONOURS AND MAJOR STIPENDIARY SUPPORT FOR RESEARCH

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- Leverhulme Trust Visiting Fellowship, University of St Andrews, 12 months, (2012-13)
- Post-doc Pool, Kone Foundation, for research abroad, 30000 € (2012)
- Carl Backman Fund, University of Helsinki, travelling grant for lecturing post-doctoral researchers, 2700 € (2011)
- Academy of Finland grant for research abroad to study in Cambridge, UK, 21180 € (2005-2006)

## EDITORIAL DUTIES AND MEMBERSHIPS

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- Editor of “Morals and Economy” (in Finnish), book based on lecture series that I organised in 2013-14, contracted by Gaudeamus
- Editorial advisory board, *Cogent Arts & Humanities* (Taylor & Francis)
- Editorial board, *COLLeGIUM*
- Fellow, Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies, 2012-
- Member, Academy of Finland Project, 2012-2015, RIGHTS
- Member, Centre of Excellence of the Finnish Academy (*Philosophical Psychology, Morality and Politics Unit*), 2008–2013
- Hume Society, 2005-
- American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, 2010-
- Eighteenth-Century Scottish Studies Society, 2010-
- Finnish Historical Association (Historiallinen Yhdistys); Director (Hallituksen jäsen), 2004–2006

## RESEARCH ABROAD

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- Leverhulme Visiting Fellow, University of St Andrews, Department of Philosophy, 2012-13
- “Politeness, society and moral philosophy: Political theory in Eighteenth-century Britain”, University of Cambridge, UK, 2005-2006, funded by the Academy of Finland
- Numerous research visits to different libraries and archives, particularly in Britain, 2003-

## ORGANISED SCIENTIFIC EVENTS

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- Organiser, international conference: “Big Data in History” (1-3 December 2014)
- Main organiser, international conference: “Fable of the bees after 300 years” (12-14 June 2014), 22 international guests, gathered funding 25000 €
- Organiser, international symposium: “Sociability and Human Nature” for *Philosophical Psychology, Morality and Politics Unit, Academy of Finland* (August 2010)

## SUPERVISION OF RESEARCH PROJECTS, DOCTORAL STUDIES AND MA THESIS

- PI in a three-year project funded by University of Helsinki, “History, Nature and Empire in Eighteenth-Century Europe” (2014-16); researchers: Jani Marjanen and Laura Tarkka
- Ongoing supervision of 2 doctoral students (Juha Haavisto, History; Arto Ruuska, Sociology)
- Tutoring a dissertation on Hume and passions, University of St Andrews, 2012-13
- MA thesis, supervisor, *Political thought of William Temple (1628-1699)*, Juha Haavisto, 2012-2013, general history, University of Helsinki
- MA thesis, supervisor, *Lord Monboddo and eighteenth-century evolutionism*, Jemina Sohlsten, 2006-2007, general history, University of Helsinki

## PEER REVIEWING AND INVITED BOOK REVIEWS

- *European Journal of Political Theory* – journal, peer review (2013)
- *Intellectual History Review*, book review (2013)
- *Philosophy in Review*, book review (2013)
- *Mind* – journal, peer review (2012)
- *COLLeGIUM* – e-journal, peer reviews (2013)
- *Utilitas*, book review (2011)

## PRESENTED PAPERS / INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES (2010-2014)

- Author meets critics session on my *Mandeville and Hume*, 42<sup>nd</sup> Hume Conference, Stockholm (July 2015, invited)
- Author meets critics symposium on my *Mandeville and Hume*, Fribourg, Switzerland (November 2014, invited)
- Author meets critics session on my *Mandeville and Hume*, Mandevillean Readings, Rome (September 2014, invited)
- Invited comment on Margaret Watkins, 'Industry on Hume's essays on happiness', 41<sup>st</sup> Hume Conference, Portland, USA (July 2014)
- “Mandeville and Berkeley”, Bernard Mandeville Workshop, NIAS, Wassenaar, Netherlands (June 2014)
- Istvan Hont Memorial Colloquium, University of Cambridge (April 2014)
- “Bernard Mandeville and the psychology of poverty”, Eutopia seated in the brain, Coimbra, Portugal (November 2013)
- “Mandeville and the Scots on courage”, Scottish reactions to Mandeville, University of Princeton (March 2013)
- “Hume, Pride and Moral Worth”, Philosophy Club, University of St Andrews (February 2013, invited speaker)
- Panel organizer, “History, Nature and Empire in eighteenth-century Europe”, II Biannual Conference of the Finnish Historical Society, Helsinki (October 2012)

- “Commercial Aspect of Fable of the Bees”, Anglo-French Perspective on the Commerce of Literature and Literature of Commerce in the Long Eighteenth Century, Newnham College, Cambridge (July 2012)
- “Tale of Two Mandevilles: The Difference Between First and Second Part of *Fable of the Bees*”, Mandeville in Context conference, Fribourg, Switzerland (June 2012)
- “Relevance of Tudor volumes of *History of England* for Hume’s political thought”, Hume’s History at 250, University of St Andrews (May 2012)
- “Monarchy and Commerce in Hume’s *History of England*”, Cambridge Seminar in Political Thought and Intellectual History, commentator Istvan Hont, King’s College, Cambridge (May 2012)
- “Scottish Enlightenment revisited: David Hume and the duties of a professor”, David Hume and the Northern Europe, Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies (October 2011)
- “Bernard Mandeville and the poor”, Mandeville Workshop, Ghent University, Belgium (June 2011)
- “Hume’s *Treatise*, moral motivation and justice”, The Philosophical Psychology, Morality and Politics Research Unit (PMP) Seminar, University of Helsinki, invited guest Knud Haakonssen (May 2011)
- “David Hume and the Scottish Enlightenment”, American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, 2011 Annual Meeting, Vancouver, Canada (March 2011)
- “Why We Should Describe Hume as a Mandevillian Moral Theorist”, 3<sup>rd</sup> annual North Sea Early Modern Philosophy Workshop, Antwerp, Belgium (October 2010)
- “Hume’s case for monarchy”, 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Hume Conference, Antwerp, Belgium (July 2010)
- “Adam Smith on moral sentiments and moral judgement”, The Philosophical Psychology, Morality and Politics Research Unit (PMP) Seminar, University of Helsinki (March 2010)

## RECENT TEACHING INCLUDES

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- seminar course, general history, University of Helsinki, 2013-14
- Principal organizer: “Morals, Politics and Economy – contemporary and historical perspectives”, Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies, annual public lecture course, 2013-14
- “Reformation and Scottish Enlightenment”, course, general history, University of Helsinki (2011-2012)
- “Early-modern political thought”, course, general history, University of Helsinki (2010-2011)
- In addition, several single lectures (for example, lecture at a joint method-course for all history disciplines at University of Helsinki, 2012; undergraduate lectures in 2014 + mentoring)