

## PERSONAL DATA Marilena Panarelli

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Female

Date of birth: 09/04/1990

Nationality: Italian

## CURRENT POSITION

Post-doc Position (Assegnista di ricerca) at the Università del Salento (Lecce, Italia) in the research-project PRIN 2017 “Averroism. History, Developments and Implications of a Cross-Cultural Tradition”

## WORKING EXPERIENCES

15/03/2019-31/12/2019

Wissenschaftliche Hilfskraft at Thomas Institut (Universität zu Köln): involved in the Maimonides Latinus' Project directed by Diana di Segni.

15/12/2019-30/04/2020

Postdoc Fellowship nel progetto “Human Being As a Cross-point: the Beginnings of the Modern Concept of Man in the Middle Ages” (PN-III-P1-1.1-TE-2016-2351) at the Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca.

PROFESSIONAL  
FORMATION

January 2016- May 2019

PhD (international program) “Filosofia. Forme e storia dei saperi filosofici” at the Università degli Studi del Salento in (XXXI ciclo) in cotutela with the Universität zu Köln (tutor: Pasquale Porro, cotutor: Andreas Speer).

PhD Thesis: “Le piante nel pensiero medievale. Il *De vegetabilibus* di Alberto il Grande e il VII libro della *Catena aurea entium* di Enrico di Herford (With a critical edition of *Catena aurea entium* VII, ansae 1-2)”.

- October 2018- February 2019 Guest stay at the Thomas Institute (Universität zu Köln)
- March 2018 Guest stay at the Albertus Magnus Institut (Bonn)
- October 2017- February 2018 Guest stay at the Thomas Institute (Universität zu Köln) as recipient of scholarship for the project "a.r.t.e.s. international - for all" at the a.r.t.e.s. Graduate School for the Humanities Cologne.
- 1-28 February 2017 Guest stay at the Thomas Institute (Universität zu Köln)
- October 2012 – October 2014 Master in “Scienze Filosofiche”  
Università degli Studi di Bari “Aldo Moro”  
Thesis in History of Science entitled “Fisica quantistica come filosofia della natura. Una sfida al senso comune che guarda verso Oriente”. Degree mark 110/110 *cum laude*.
- October 2009 - October 2012 Bachelor in “Filosofia”  
Università degli Studi di Bari “Aldo Moro”  
Thesis in History of medieval Philosophy titled “La dottrina del Verbo in Tommaso d’Aquino”. Degree mark 110/110 *cum laude*.
- September 2011 - July 2012 ERASMUS project - Universität zu Köln
- July 2009 High school diploma - Classical studies (Diploma di maturità classica).

## CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

- 25-26 February 2021 Partecipation at the conference at *Center for the History of Philosophy and Science* Radboud University, Nijmegen (The Netherlands) “*Complexio. Across Times and Disciplines*”, having a speech titled “The Role of the *formae complexionales* in Plants according to Albert the Great”.
- 7-10 September 2020 Partecipation at 42. Kölner Kölner Mediaevistentagung “Curiositas”, having a speech titled “The Dominican Botanical Culture. The Rehabilitation of *curiositas* in Albert the Great’s *De vegetabilibus* and Vincent of Beauvais’ *Speculum naturale*”

- 26-27 June 2019      Partecipation at the Conference “Premodern experience of Natural Word in Translation” at the Max Planck Institut in Berlin, having a speech titled “*Sapor est quod certissimum dat experimentum*. The Doctrine of Flavours and the Key Role of *experimentum* in Albert the Great’s *De vegetabilibus* and its sources”;
- 13-14 June 2019      Partecipation at the Conference “Mind and Body. Aspects of Medieval Natural Philosophy” at University of Łódź, having a talk titled “The digested Mind. The Spirit as the Highest Product of Digestion”;
- 10-11 June 2019      Partecipation at the Conference “Perì phytòn. Trattati greci di botanica in Occidente e in Oriente” at the University of Macerta, having a speech titled “Il ruolo del *De vegetabilibus* di Alberto il Grande nella storia della ricezione del *De plantis*”;
- 9-10 May 2019      Partecipation at the Conference “Medicine and Philosophy: the *longue durée* of humoral theory” at the Babeş-Bolyai University of Cluj Napoca having a speech titled “How to be a scientist by tasting. The role of *sapor* in plants investigation”;
- 22-23 March 2019      Partecipation at the Conference "Appréhender les catégories zoologiques dans les sociétés du passé" at the University of Sorbonne having a speech titled “The classification of Bees from Antiquity to early modern Ages”;
- 10-11 October 2018      Participation at SIEMP Colloquium “Life and Death in Medieval Thought” that took place in Leuven (Belgium) having a speech titled “Converting Death into Life: the Role of Putrefaction in Plant Generation according to Albert the Great”;
- 3-8 September 2018      Participation to the Conference and Sommerschool “Philosophies in the Mediterranean: Aristotle’s Metaphysics Yesterday and Today” at Palermo organized by l’Università della Svizzera Italiana having a speech titled Could the problem of universals be re-examined with regard to Aristotle’s method of classification;
- 12 December 2017      Participation to a Seminar on History of Arabic Sciences organized by Elisa Rubino at the University of Lecce having a speech titled “Scienza araba per latini: il caso di Alberto Magno”.

- 8-10 November 2017 Participation to the Cologne-Toronto Conference in Cologne having a speech titled “Albert the Great on the Role of Heat and Moisture. The Generation of Minerals and Plants”.
- 12 October 2017 Participation to the Workshop “Albert the Great and the Nature” organized by AMI (Albertus Magnus Institut) having a speech titled “The *Digestio plantarum* as cause of plant growth in Albert the Great’s *De vegetabilibus*”
- 12-14 July 2017 Participation to EHHS Conference in collaboration with SISS in Bari having a speech titled “La salute come *viriditas* in Ildegarda di Bingen”
- 16-18 November 2016 Participation as recipient of scholarship at the PhD week of the Gral of Pisa “Tradizioni botaniche tra antichità e medioevo”;
- 10-12 November 2016 Participation as co-organizer at the international colloquium “Egidio Romano, il suo pensiero e la sua influenza” that took place at the Università di Bari;
- 28 September – 1 October 2016 Participation at SIEMP Colloquium “Pseudo-Aristotelian texts in Medieval Thought” that took place in Cluj (Romania) having a speech titled “Inner heat and radical moisture as foundation for life: from pseudo-aristotelian *De plantis* to Albert’s *De vegetabilibus*”:
- 15-19 August 2016 Participation to the EGSAMP Summerschool 2016 “Locality and cross-border Exchange in the Middle Ages” that took place in Ohrid (Macedonia) having a speech titled “The concept of radical moisture from ancient Greece to Albert the Great’s *De vegetabilibus*”.

## LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother language Italian

Knowledge of other modern languages	COMPREHENSION		ORAL PRODUCTION		WRITTEN PRODUCTION
	Listening	Reading	Interaction	Oral speech	
English	C1	C1	B2	B2	B2
German	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
French	B1	B1	A2	A2	A2

Knowledge of ancient languages Latin and Greek

## PUBLICATIONS:

- 1) PANARELLI M., *How do Plants live and grow ? Radical Moisture and Digestion in Albert the Great's De vegetabilibus*, in *Quaestio* 20 (2020), pp. 309-329.
- 2) PANARELLI M., *Albert the Great's De vegetabilibus and its unique position among the medieval commentaries on De plantis*, in G. GIGLIONI/M.F. FERRINI, Περὶ φυτῶν. Trattati greci di botanica in Occidente e in Oriente, pp. 137-162.
- 3) PANARELLI M., *La classification des abeilles, de l'Antiquité au début de l'ère moderne*, in *Antropozoologica* 55/13 (2020), pp. 187-198.
- 4) PANARELLI M., *John Krosbein's commentary on the pseudo-Aristotelian De plantis : a critical edition*, in *Bulletin de philosophie médiévale* 61 (2019), pp. 125-152.
- 5) PANARELLI M., *Plant Changing Species. The Latin Debate on the transmutatio plantarum*, in *Quaestio* 19 (2019), pp. 385-399 (Articolo)
- 6) PANARELLI M., *La medicina nel Basso Medioevo. Tradizioni e Conflitti*, in *Bulletin de philosophie médiévale* 60 (2018), pp. 282-293.
- 7) PANARELLI M., « La profezia come mezzo di emancipazione in Ildegarda di Bingen », in *Segni e Comprensione* 94 (2018), pp. 214-218 (<http://siba-ese.unisalento.it/index.php/segnicompr/index>). (Recensione)
- 8) D'ERCOLE F. A./LOCONSOLE M./PANARELLI M., « Giles of Rome: His Thought and Influence », in *Bulletin de philosophie médiévale* 58 (2016), pp. 120-130. (Report)

- 9) PANARELLI M., *Can plants desire? Some aspects of the medieval debate on desiderium naturale*, in F. BALDASSARRI/A. BLANK (eds.), *Vegetative Powers. Bodily Lives from Late Antiquity to Early Modernity*, Wien / New York, Springer, (Forthcoming).
- 10) PANARELLI M., « The digested mind : the Spirit as the Highest product of Digestion », in M. GENSLER, M. MANSFELD, M. MICHAŁOWSKA (ed.), *Historical-Analytical Studies on Nature, Mind and Action*, (Forthcoming).

Submitted:

- 11) PANARELLI M., *Converting Death into life: the role of putrefaction in plant generation according to Albert the Great*, in *Vivarium* (Forthcoming);
- 12) PANARELLI M., *The Dominican Botanical Culture: the Rehabilitation of Curiositas in Albert the Great's De vegetabilibus and in Vincent de Beauvais' Speculum naturale*, in *Miscellanea Mediaevalia* (Forthcoming)