

Lara Barbara

Curriculum vitae

Personal details

Date of birth: 9/08/1995

Place of birth: Turin

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Education and training

- **Jan 2022 - currently** PhD researcher of the FINO Consortium (University of Eastern Piedmont), theoretical curriculum, XXXVII cycle
- **April – October 2023** Visiting PhD Student at CFCUL, University of Lisbon
- **2018 - 2021** Master's degree in Philosophy, University of Turin.
Thesis on: "L'idea di equilibrio della natura in ecologia" [English title: "The idea of balance of nature in ecology"]
Final grade: 110/110 cum laude.
Supervisor: Elena Casetta
- **2014 - 2018** Bachelor's degree in Philosophy, University of Turin.
Thesis on: "Il valore della vita. Uno studio su 'Organismo e Libertà' di Hans Jonas" [English title: "The value of life. A study on Hans Jonas' 'Organism and Freedom']
Final grade: 109/110
Supervisor: Ugo Ugazio

Talks and seminars

- **(2022-2024)** Annual talk at WiP ("Work in Progress") Seminar (FINO Consortium)

2022

- "From the Balance of Nature to Resilience", LabOnt seminar, online, June 7th

2023

- Active participant in the reading group "Feminist epistemology" at CFCUL (University of Lisbon) (semester April – October 2023)

- Presentation at CFCUL seminar (17th October): “Resilience-based models for ecosystems: persistence and disturbance”

Workshop and Conferences

2022

- Chair at the Workshop “Unpacking the Social World: Groups and Solidarity”, University of Turin, June 16th
- Chair at the national Conference: “L’archivio e il web. Le memorie tra accumuli e sovraccarichi”, University of Turin, May 19th – 20th
- Discussant at the Workshop “How Does the World Exist?”, University of Turin, May 30th – 31st

2023

- March 23rd: Discussant at CAS SEE Seminar (University of Rijeka) for the presentation of the book *Philosophy of the Environment* by Elena Casetta.
- September 21st: Speaker at EPSA International Conference (Belgrade). Title: “The shift of paradigm in ecology”
- November 2nd: Speaker with Elena Casetta at the Workshop “Value and Ontology in Nature”. Title: “Biocultural Restoration: Replacing A Big Lie With a White One”

Publications

- (2023) “Resilience and the shift of paradigm in ecology: A new name for an old concept or a different explanatory tool?”, *History and Philosophy of the Life Sciences*, 46(1). [10.1007/s40656-023-00600-8](https://doi.org/10.1007/s40656-023-00600-8)
- (2024) Criscuolo, L.; Bordogna, G.; Barbara, L.; Benessia, A.; Bergami, C.; Calastri, E.; Capocefalo, V.; Caretto, A.; Cavallo, C.; Chakraborty, A.; et al., “Developing a Participatory Process for Soil Fertility: A Case Study in an Urban Area of Italy” *Sustainability*, 16(12):4882. <https://doi.org/10.3390/su16124882>

Other educational experiences

- October 2015 – April 2016 EU Erasmus Program. Destination: Universität des Saarlandes, Germany
- July 16th-20th 2022 – research residency at Pianpiccolo Selvatico (CN), BRIDGES project on soil fertility
- December 14th 2024: lesson at the bachelor course “Philosophy of Nature” (Prof. Elena Casetta) at the University of Turin

