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Education

Habilitation (postdoctoral lecture qualification): Ludwig-Maximilians-University München, in Philosophy (1989). Thesis: Reconstruction and Critique of Consequentialism (published as *Kritik des Konsequentialismus*, München/ Wien 1993).

PhD: Ludwig-Maximilians-University München, in Philosophy *summa cum laude* (1983). Thesis: Decision Theory and Ethics (published as *Decision Theory and Ethics*, München 1987).

Areas of Specialization

Rationality, Ethics, Political Philosophy

Areas of Competence

Philosophy of Science, Theory of Action, Free Will, Epistemology, Philosophy of Language (Wittgenstein, Grice)

Academic Employment

Professor of Philosophy and Political Theory, Institute of Philosophy, Ludwig-Maximilians-University München (2008 -)

Professor of Political Theory and Philosophy, Geschwister-Scholl-Institute of Political Science, Ludwig-Maximilians-University München (2004-2008)

Professor of Philosophy, Institute of Philosophy, Ernst-August-University Göttingen (1993-2004)

Professor of Ethics in the Bio-Sciences, Faculty of Biology, Eberhard-Karls-University Tübingen (1991-1993)

Interim-Professor of Political Theory and Philosophy, Geschwister-Scholl-Institute of Political Science, Ludwig-Maximilians-University München (1990)

Interim-Professor of Logic and Philosophy of Science, Institute of Philosophy, Ludwig-Maximilians-University München (1989)

Visiting Positions

Visiting Professor of Philosophy at the California Institute of Technology (CALTEC), Division of Humanities and Social Sciences (2005)

Visiting Professor of Political Theory and Philosophy at the University of St. Gallen, Switzerland (2006 -)

Visiting Professor of Philosophy at the University of Minnesota (1991)

Offices and Positions – academic and otherwise

President of the *German Society of Philosophy/ Deutsche Gesellschaft für Philosophie DGPhil* (2009 -)

Member of the board of the *Munich Centre for Neuroscience (MCN)* (2009 -)

Speaker of the interdisciplinary executive Master-Program *Philosophie, Politik, Wirtschaft (PPW)* (2009 -)

Chairman of the scientific advisory board *Forum Technik – Theologie – Naturwissenschaft* (2008 -)

Speaker of the interdisciplinary project *Humanprojekt – Zur Stellung des Menschen in der Natur* of the Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities (2006 -)

Member of the board of trustees of the *German Museum of Science and Technology/ Deutsches Museum München* (2006 -)

Chairman of the board of trustees *Münchner Kompetenzzentrum Ethik* (2006 -)

Chairman of the curatorship of the *Deutscher Studienpreis der Koerber-Stiftung Hamburg* (2004 -)

Honorary Professor of Philosophy at the Humboldt-University Berlin (2002 -)

Federal Secretary for Culture and Media/ Staatsminister für Kultur und Medien (2001-2002)

Honorary Professor of Philosophy at the Georg-August-University Göttingen (2002 - 2003)

Head of the Munich Department of Arts and Culture (1998-2000)

President of the *Society for Analytical Philosophy/ Deutsche Gesellschaft für Analytische Philosophie GAP* (1994-1997)

Memberships

European Academy of Sciences and Arts

Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities
Academy for Medical Ethics Göttingen
Founding Member of the Society for Analytical Philosophy
Founding Member of the German Society for Studies in Political Thought
Austrian Ludwig Wittgenstein Society
American Philosophical Association
Society for Philosophical Praxis
United Nations Association of Germany
Counsellor to the working group *Functions of the Consciousness* of the *Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities*
Academic Counsellor to the *Foundation for the Rights of Future Generations/ Stiftung für die Rechte zukünftiger Generationen*

Publications

A full list of my published work, including recent articles, contributions to proceedings and book chapters can be downloaded from my homepage www.julian.nida-ruemelin.de

Books:

Philosophie und Lebensform, Frankfurt a.M.: Suhrkamp 2009.

Politische Philosophie der Gegenwart, München: Fink, 2009.

Klassiker der Philosophie des 20. Jahrhunderts (ed. together with Elif Özmen), Stuttgart: Kröner 2007.

Philosophie der Gegenwart (ed. together with Elif Özmen), Stuttgart: Kröner 2007.

Demokratie und Wahrheit, München: C H Beck 2006.

Humanismus als Leitkultur. Ein Perspektivenwechsel, München: C H Beck 2006.

Über menschliche Freiheit, Stuttgart: Reclam 2005.

Handbuch Angewandte Ethik (second extended edition), Stuttgart: Kröner 2005.

Entscheidungstheorie und Ethik / Decision Theory and Ethics (Second extended edition), München: Utz 2005.

Ethische Essays, Frankfurt a. M.: Suhrkamp 2002.

Ökologische Ethik und Rechtstheorie (together with Dietmar v.d.Pfordten), Baden-Baden: Nomos 2002.

Strukturelle Rationalität. Ein philosophischer Essay über praktische Vernunft, Stuttgart: Reclam 2001.

Rationalität in der praktischen Philosophie (together with Thomas Schmidt), Berlin: Akademie 2000.

Rationality, Rules, and Structure (ed. together with Wolfgang Spohn), Dordrecht: Kluwer 2000.

Rationality, Realism, Revision (proceedings of the 3rd international congress of the Society for Analytical Philosophy/Gesellschaft für Analytische Philosophie GAP), Berlin: de Gruyter 2000.

Demokratie als Kooperation, Frankfurt a. M.: Suhrkamp 1999.

Ästhetik und Kunstphilosophie von der Antike bis zur Gegenwart (ed. together with Monika Betzler), Stuttgart: Kröner 1998.

Ethische und Politische Freiheit (ed. together with Wilhelm Vossenkuhl), Berlin: de Gruyter 1998.

Economic Rationality and Practical Reason, Dordrecht: Kluwer 1997.

Logik kollektiver Entscheidungen (together with Lucian Kern), München/ Wien: Oldenbourg 1994.

Praktische Rationalität, Berlin: de Gruyter 1994.

Kritik des Konsequentialismus, München/ Wien: Oldenbourg 1993.

Edited Book-Series

Humanprojekt, Berlin: De Gruyter (together with Detlef Ganten and Volker Gerhardt)

Perspectives in Analytical Philosophy, Paderborn: mentis (together with Georg Meggle)

Theory and Decision Library, Series A: Philosophy and Methodology of the Social Sciences

Scientia Nova, München/ Wien: Oldenbourg

Editorial Boards

Erkenntnis. An International Journal of Analytic Philosophy

Zeitschrift für Philosophische Praxis

Jahrbuch für Wissenschaft und Ethik

UNIVERSITAS. Orientierung in der Wissenswelt

Zeitschrift für Politik

Courses Taught

Theory of Rational Choice and Game Theory

Political Rationality

Action and Causation in the Social Sciences

Contemporary Theories of Justice

Contractualism – Old and New

Cosmopolitanism

Global Justice

Ethics and International Relations

Humanism and its theories of education

Moral Realism

Justification in Practical Philosophy

Freedom – Moral and Political

Free Will

Philosophy of Language: Austin, Searle, Grice

American Pragmatism

John Rawls

et al.