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- AREAS OF STUDY**
- > Areas of Specialty: Philosophy of Science, Philosophy of Biology, Philosophy of Technology and Data Ethics
 - > Areas of Competence: Bioethics, Feminist Philosophy, 20th Century Continental Philosophy
- EMPLOYMENT**
- > 2022 - 2023 | Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Philosophy and Department of Molecular Biology, Dalhousie University
- EDUCATION**
- > 2017 - 2022 | PhD Philosophy, McGill University
Thesis title: Beyond the Divide: the Conceptual Foundations of Evolutionary Developmental Biology.
 - > 2019 - 2020 | Graduate Degree in Teaching, Faculty of Education, Université de Montréal
 - > 2015 - 2017 | M.A. Philosophy, PUC-Rio
 - > 2011 - 2014 | B.A. Philosophy, UFRJ
 - > 2010 - 2013 | B.A. Finance and Business Administration, Ibmec-RJ
 - > 2009 | International Baccalaureate Diploma, The British School of Rio de Janeiro
- PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS**
- > (Revise & Resubmit) Haddad, Y. Demystifying Downward Causation in Biology.
 - > (Under review) Haddad, Y. The Epistemic Harms of Direct-to-Consumer Genetic Tests.
 - > (Under review) Haddad, Y. The Scope of Reciprocal Causation.
 - > Longino, Helen, Haddad, Yasmin, Arbo, Jade Bueno and Silva Soares, Maria Helena. 2021. "Filosofia da ciência e epistemologias feministas: entrevista com Helen Longino." *Em Construção*, no. 10 (November).
 - > Haddad, Yasmin. 2016. "Previsão e Passagem: Considerações sobre a Causalidade em A Evolução Criadora." *ANALÓGOS* 16 (1). <https://doi.org/10.17771/>

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- WORK IN PROGRESS
- > (In preparation) Haddad, Y. Epistemic Communities and Theoretical Biology (Journal Article)
 - > (In preparation) Haddad, Y. Trust in Data (Journal Article)

TRANSLATIONS

- > De Laclos, Choderlos. 2019. "Da Educação Das Mulheres." In *Arqueofeminismo: Mulheres Filósofas e Filósofos Feministas Do Século XVII-XVIII*, edited by Maxime Rovere, translated by Yasmin Haddad. São Paulo: n-1 edições.
- > Poullain De La Barre, François. 2019. "Da Igualdade Entre Os Dois Sexos, Discurso Físico e Moral, Onde Vemos a Importância de Se Desfazer Dos Preconceitos." In *Arqueofeminismo: Mulheres Filósofas e Filósofos Feministas Do Século XVII-XVIII*, edited by Maxime Rovere, translated by Yasmin Haddad. São Paulo: n-1 edições.
- > Ravaisson, Félix. 2018. "Do Hábito." Translated by Yasmin Haddad. *Revista Ideação* 1 (37).

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AWARDS

- > 2022 | McGill Graduate Excellence Award, \$5,300
- > 2020 - 2021 | Wolfe Graduate Fellowship in Scientific and Technological Literacy, \$7,000
- > 2020 | MITACS Research Training Award, \$6,000
- > 2020 | Early Career Fellowship*, Konrad Lorenz Institute, Klosterneuburg, Austria
- > 2019 | G.R.E.A.T Mobility Award, \$2,400
- > 2017 - 2021 | McGill Graduate Excellence Award, \$80,000
- > 2016 - 2017 | Faperj Nota 10 Excellence Scholarship, \$10,000
- > 2015 - 2016 | CAPES/CNPQ Research Grant, \$6,000
- > 2014 | PIBIC Undergraduate Research Scholarship, \$6,000
* [Postponed due to Covid-19 pandemic]

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- > 2020 - 2022 | Research Assistant
Project title: Data Ethics: Responsible Measurement for the Digital Age (led by Prof. Eran Tal)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- > 2021 - present | Instructor, Bois-de-Boulogne College.
Rosemont College.
Maisonneuve College.
St-Hyacinthe College.
Courses taught: - Philosophy and Rationality (an introduction to logic and critical thinking)

- The Human Being (a survey of key conceptions of the human being through 18th - 20th century philosophers)
- Ethics and Politics

> 2020 | Instructor, McGill University

Course: PHIL341 - Philosophy of Science (Topic: Philosophy of Biology)

> 2017 - 2020 | Teaching Assistant, McGill University

Tutorials, office hours, grading.

Contemporary Moral Issues (Summer 2020)

Biomedical Ethics (Fall 2019)

Introduction to History and Philosophy of Science (Winter 2019)

Introduction to Feminist Philosophy (Fall 2018)

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Introduction to Feminist Philosophy (Fall 2017)

> Guest lecturer, Dawson College (November 2019)

Lecturing on David Hume for the course "Introduction to Philosophy"

Supervisor: Susan-Judith Hoffmann

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- > 2022 | Halifax Workshop in Philosophy of Biology, Dalhousie University,
Title: The Scope of Reciprocal Causation
- > 2022 | New Perspectives on Causation in the Life Sciences, University of Kent, June 2022
Title: Demystifying Downward Causation in Biology.
- > 2022 | Colloquium Series, Philosophy Department, Dalhousie University, January 2022
Title: Demystifying Downward Causation in Biology.
- > 2021 | International Society for the History, Philosophy and Social Studies of Biology (ISHPSSB), Cold Spring Harbour (online)
Title: Demystifying Downward Causation in Biology.
- > 2020 | Redpath Museum (Redpath Seminar Series), McGill University,
Title: Downward Causation in Biology: a Philosophical Account.
- > 2019 | Canadian Philosophical Association (CPA), University of British Columbia, Vancouver.
Title: The Emergence Evolutionary Novelties: Towards an Explanation in Philosophy of Biology.
- > 2019 | Canadian Society for the History and Philosophy of Science (CSHPS), University of British Columbia, Vancouver.
Title: Emergence and Novelty in Evolutionary Biology

> 2019 | McGill Workshop Series
Title: Emergence and Novelty in Evolutionary Biology

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT > 2021 | Podcast interview: "Philosophy of Biology", Podcast PPGLM
> 2021 | Podcast interview: "Philosophy of Science", Podcast Dragões de Garagem (2021)

LANGUAGES > English (fluent), French (fluent) and Portuguese (native), Spanish (reading, speaking)

REFERENCES > Prof. Eran Tal
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> Richard Vaillancourt (teaching reference)
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SERVICE

> Reviewer for *Philosophical Explorations*