

# CURRICULUM VITAE

## Bartłomiej Swiatczak

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### Academic qualifications

Ph.D. Foundations and Ethics of the Life Sciences, University of Milan/SEMM, Italy 2012

Ph.D. Philosophy, Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland 2005

### Academic Employment History

May 2012-April 2016 Associate Researcher, Department of History of Science, University of Science and Technology of China, China

### Courses Taught

SH05127: History of Medicine, Fall 2014 (4 credit hours)

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### Research Grants & Awards

Chinese Academy of Science (CAS) Research Grant (2014-2015) 300000CNY= 41600EUR.

USTC Youth Innovation Fund (2014-2015) 50000CNY=6250EUR

Visiting Research Fellow, Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot, Israel (2009-2010).

Ministry of Science and Higher Education (Poland) Research Grant (2005-2006).

### Refereed Journal Articles

1. Swiatczak B., Cohen I.R. 2015, Gut feelings of safety: Tolerance to the microbiota mediated by innate immune receptors, *Microbiology and Immunology* 59: 573-585.
2. Swiatczak B. 2014, Immune balance: The development of the idea and its applications, *Journal of the History of Biology* 47: 411-442.
3. Swiatczak B. 2012, Immune system, immune self. Introduction, *Avant* 3: 12-18.
4. Swiatczak B., Rescigno M. 2012, How the interplay between dendritic cells and microbiota tunes host immune responses, *Seminars in Immunology* 24: 43-49.
5. Swiatczak, B., Rescigno, M., Cohen, I. R. 2011, Systemic features of immune recognition in the gut, *Microbes and Infection* 13: 983-991.
6. Swiatczak, B. 2011, Conscious Representations. An Intractable Problem for the Computational Theory of Mind, *Minds and Machines* 21: 19-32.

7. Swiatczak, B. 2011, Indeterminism in the Immune System: The Case of Somatic Hypermutation, *Paradigmi* 1: 49-65.

### **Conference papers**

- Swiatczak, B. “Metaphors in immunology and microbial sustainability”, The International Society for History, Philosophy, and Social Studies of Biology (ISHPSSB), Montreal, Canada 5-10 July, 2015.
- Swiatczak, B. “On the therapeutic implications of the self/nonself discrimination model”, Conference: Redefining the Self: Biological and Philosophical Perspectives, Université Paris-Sorbonne, 23-24 June, 2014.
- Swiatczak, B. ”Life in harmony: The balancing role of the immune system”, The International Society for History, Philosophy, and Social Studies of Biology (ISHPSSB), Montpellier, France 7-11 July, 2013.
- Swiatczak, B. ”The crisis of self/nonself paradigm in immunology and rediscovery of the immune balance”, Philosophy & Theory in Biology Symposium, New York, April 12-14, 2013.
- Swiatczak, B. “Modular architecture of immune recognition”, Philosophy of Immunology Seminar, IHPST, Paris, July 1, 2011
- Swiatczak, B. “Complexity and context-sensitivity of immune recognition”, Symposium: “Holism and Reductionism in the Post-genomic Era”, EPSA, Amsterdam, Netherlands, October 21-24, 2009.

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