

Curriculum Vitae for Mauricio Maluff Masi — January 2025

Education

PhD Philosophy, 2018-present
Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

MA Philosophy, September 2022
Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

BA Philosophy (honors) and Mathematics, June 2013
Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

Fellowships, Awards, Honors and Grants

- 2023 DAAD One-Year Grant for Doctoral Fellows, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin, Germany
- 2018 Mellon Critical Theory Cluster Fellow, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL
- 2013 Honors with Distinction for senior thesis: “World White Web,” Northwestern University, Evanston, IL
- 2013 Brentano Prize for paper “Labor, Use-Value and Exchange-Value,” Northwestern University, Evanston, IL
- 2012 Weinberg Undergraduate Research Grant for project: “World White Web,” Northwestern University, Evanston, IL
- 2012 Outstanding Achievement in French for 3rd year Language for essay: “La grande terreur,” Northwestern University, Evanston, IL
- 2011 Undergraduate Research Grant for project: “Origin and Stability of the Kepler-11 Planetary System,” Northwestern University, Evanston, IL
- 2009-2013 Davis United World College Scholarship, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

Conference Presentations and Invited Lectures

- Dec 2024 “A Political Concept of Self-Limitation in Civil Disobedience” at “31st Annual Critical Theory Roundtable,” UMass-Boston, Boston, MA
- Nov 2024 “A Political Concept of Self-Limitation in Civil Disobedience” at “I Conference of Philosophy and the Humanities,” hosted by the Center of Philosophical Investigations and the Philosophy Department of the National University of Asunción, Asunción, Paraguay
- Nov 2024 “A Political Concept of Self-Limitation in Civil Disobedience” at “Conferences on Politics and Ethics,” hosted by the Paraguayan Society of Philosophy and the Jesuit University of Paraguay, Asunción, Paraguay
- May 2024 “Retrospective Democratic Justification” at Prague Philosophy and Social Science, Prague, Czechia

- Jul 2023 “Democracy by Other Means” at Instituto Superior de Estudios Humanísticos y Filosóficos (ISEHF), Asunción, Paraguay
- May 2023 “Democracy by Other Means” at Prague Philosophy and Social Science, Prague, Czechia
- Apr 2023 “OPAMA: Preliminary notes of a social movement” at XII Taller | I Congreso “Paraguay desde las Ciencias Sociales”, San Lorenzo, Paraguay
- Oct 2022 “Revolution and Dialectics in Hegel and Marx” at Conversations around dialectics: politics, revolution, and counterrevolution, Paraguayan Society of Philosophy (SOPFIL), Asunción, Paraguay
- May 2013 “World White Web” en el Simposio de Investigación de Estudiantes de Grado, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, EEUU
- Sep 2013 “Trabajo, valor de uso y valor de cambio” en Repensando el Marxismo, UMass Amherst, Amherst, MA, EEUU
- May 2013 “World White Web” at Undergraduate Research Symposium, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL
- Sep 2013 “Labor, Use-Value and Exchange-Value” at Rethinking Marxism, UMass Amherst, Amherst, MA

Conference Comments

- Feb 2019 Jesús Luzardo’s “The Wages of the Past: Whiteness, Property, and Nostalgia,” at Northwestern University Graduate Critical Theory Conference, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL
- Jan 2019 Dana Grabelsky’s “Intra-group Epistemic Injustice: Jewish Identity, White Supremacy, and Zionism,” at APA Eastern Division Meeting, New York, NY

Workshops

- Nov 2024 Taller Colmenar 2.0, taught a four-day workshop on “Civil Disobedience and the Dramatization of Oppression,” Asunción, Paraguay
- Jul 2024 Critical Theory Summer School, “Social Critique and Economics,” Humboldt Universität zu Berlin, Germany

Teaching

Responsibilities included designing the syllabus, giving lectures, grading papers, and holding office hours.

- Summer 2023 Lecturer for Introduction to Moral Philosophy (PHIL 260)

Graduate Teaching Assistantships

Responsibilities included leading weekly discussion sections, holding office hours, offering feedback and grading student work, and functioning as the main point of contact for students.

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| Win 2025 | Climate Change and Sustainability: Ethical Dimensions, Prof. Chad Horne, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |
| Fall 2024 | Professional Ethics, Prof. Chad Horne, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL (online) |
| Fall 2022 | Ways of Knowing, Profs. Sami Hermez and Torsten Menge, Northwestern University in Qatar, Education City, Qatar (online) |
| Win 2022 | Philosophy, Race, and Racism, Prof. José Medina, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |
| Fall 2021 | Elementary Logic I, Prof. Sean Ebels-Duggan, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |
| Fall 2021 | Ways of Knowing, Profs. Sami Hermez and Torsten Menge, Northwestern University in Qatar, Education City, Qatar (online) |
| Win 2021 | Introduction to Political Philosophy, Prof. Chad Horne, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL (online) |
| Fall 2020 | Introduction to Existentialism, Prof. Rachel Zuckert, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL (online) |
| Spr 2020 | Bioethics, Prof. Chad Horne, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL (online) |
| Fall 2019 | Classics of Pragmatist Thought, Prof. Axel Mueller, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |

Publications

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| 2013 | “World White Web” in <i>Northwestern Undergraduate Research Journal</i> |
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Selected Public Writing

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| 2023.10.17 | “Horror selectivo” in <i>Tereré Cómplice</i> |
| 2023.09.21 | “Palabras prohibidas en Paraguay” in <i>Tereré Cómplice</i> |
| 2023.02.17 | “Politizando el estacionamiento tarifado” in <i>Made in Paraguay</i> |
| 2022.09.14 | “La educación universitaria produce más que empleos” in <i>Ciencia del Sur</i> |

Departmental Service and Involvement

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| 2022 | Climate Committee Committee, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |
| 2021-2022 | President, Philosophy Graduate Student Association, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |
| 2019-2020 | Social Coordinator, Philosophy Graduate Student Association, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |
| 2018-2019 | Minorities and Philosophy (MAP), Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |

Other Service and Involvement

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| 2023-present | Secretary General, Asunción Metropolitan Area Passenger Association (OPAMA), Asunción, Paraguay |
| 2022-present | Executive Committee Member & Coordinator for Political Education, Ñemoirũ Rape, Asunción, Paraguay |
| Jun 2022 | Volunteer, Volunteer Support Program in Protected Areas (PAVAP), Ybycuí, Paraguay |
| 2020-2021 | Internal Affairs Coordinator, Northwestern University Graduate Workers, Evanston, IL |
| 2017-2018 | Literacy Network volunteer tutor, Madison, WI |
| 2012-2013 | <i>The Protest</i> magazine online opinion editor, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |
| 2012-2013 | Social Justice Coalition, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |
| 2012-2013 | Critical Theory Research Workshop, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |
| 2011 | ¡Pulso! a cappella group, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |
| 2009-2011 | Rowing Team, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL |

Professional Experience

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| 2014-2018 | Technical Services at Epic, Verona, WI |
| 2010-2011 | Researcher at Fermilab, MINERvA project, Batavia, IL |

Professional Organizations

- American Philosophical Association (APA)
- Paraguayan Society of Philosophy (SOPFIL)
- Centro de Investigaciones en Filosofía y Ciencias Humanas, Paraguay (CIF)

Language skills

Native fluency in Spanish and English; professional fluency in German (certified TestDAF 5, i.e. C1.2), French, and Portuguese; basic knowledge of Guarani and Japanese.