

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education

Area of scientific research:

Critical metaphysics and epistemology; transcendental philosophy

Degrees and academic ranks:

✓ **Associate Professor**

2019 – to date, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology – Bulgarian Academy of Sciences; Ontology and Epistemology Department. Head of Department (2019 – 2020)

2013 – 2019, Institute for the Study of Societies and Knowledge – Bulgarian Academy of Sciences; Ontology, Epistemology, Philosophy of Science Department. Head of Department (2016 – 2019)

✓ **Assistant Professor**

2010 – 2013, Institute for the Study of Societies and Knowledge – Bulgarian Academy of Sciences; Ontological and Epistemological Studies Department.

2005 – 2010, Institute for Philosophical Research – Bulgarian Academy of Sciences; Ontology and Epistemology Department.

Ph.D. degree

2004, Philosophy, Theory of Knowledge, Institute for Philosophical Research –

Bulgarian Academy of Sciences; Ph.D. Thesis: “Imagination and Cognition /Kantian Heuristics/”.

MA degree

2003, Public Relations, Sofia University “St. Kliment Ochriski”, MA Thesis: “Specialised Interactive Networks in the Knowledge-Based Society /PR Aspects/”.

1998, Philosophy, Sofia University “St. Kliment Ochriski”, MA Thesis: “Transcendental Function of the Force of Imagination in the System of Kant’s Philosophy”.

**Awards,
scholarly or other distinctions:**

2008, Dimitar Michaltchev Award of the Institute for Philosophical Research, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences.

2006, Annual award of Young Bulgarian Talents Foundation and Carnegie’99 Foundation awarded for contribution to the popularization of Bulgarian and European values of science, culture and arts.

2006, Honorary diploma of the Union of Scientists in Bulgaria awarded for science journalism and popularization of USB’s activities.

2006, Robert Bosch Foundation grant for young scientists, ESOF 2006 - Munich, Euroscience.

Practical experience

Expert and consulting activity:

2007 – 2013, National Contact Point for the Science in Society area in the EU’s 7th Framework Programme for Research and Technological Development (FP7).

Editorship:

2009 – 2015, Philosophical Alternatives
2013 – 2015 - Deputy Editor-in-Chief

2009 – 2015, Balkan Journal of
Philosophy

Membership in different institutions: 2007-to date, Union of Scientists in Bulgaria
2006-to date, Forum Democrit
2015-to date, Bulgarian Philosophical Society
2006-2010, Euroscience
2017-to date, Kant-Gesellschaft E.V. Bonn

Academic activities

Publications (selected):

- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Two Faculties in Crusius and Kant*, Philosophical Alternatives, 6/2022, pp. 7-17. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Kant's concepts of Gegenstand, Objekt, and (some) thing (else) in the clash of lexicons*. In: Vasseva-Dikova, J. (Ed.) "World and Cognition", St. Kliment Ohridski University Press, Sofia, 2022, pp. 127-140 (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Kantian Hesitations Around the Proper Philosophical Method*. Philosophia, 4/2021, pp. 339-348. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Thinking again about the Critical path of metaphysics as a (non-)classical science and/or logic*. In: Stefanov, A. (Ed.) "Non-classical Science. Science and Pseudoscience", Paradigma, Sofia, 2021, pp. 49-63. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Brief Meta-Dictionary of Critical Metaphysics of Faculties*. Forum Democrit, Sofia, 2018. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Imagination and Cognition (Kantian Heuristics)*. Forum Democrit, Sofia, 2018, 224 pages. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Cognitive Force and In-Capability for Freedom – Kantian Trichotomies*. Philosophia, 4/2018, pp. 343-358. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Back Against/To the Revolt of Reason*. In: Donev, G., Kristeva, S., Cholakova, A., Hesse, R. (Eds.) "Back to Metaphysics", Southwest Univ. Press, Blagoevgrad, 2016, pp. 62-70. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Phenomenology and Thinking without Faculties*. Philosophical Alternatives, 6/2015, pp. 34-43. (In Bulgarian)

- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *How to Think Transcendentally Kant's Power for/ of Imagination?* Philosophical Alternatives, 5/2014, pp. 43-54. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *The Mysterious Force in Kant: Approaches towards the Critical Metaphysics of Faculties*. Proectoria, 2013, 248 pages. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Re-courses of the Force beyond the Kantian Root and the Hegelian Orbit*. Philosophia, 3/2013, pp. 323-333. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Wanderings in the Translation of the Cognition–Knowledge Distinction between Kant and Hegel*. Philosophical Alternatives, 5/2012, pp. 37-43. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Lost in Translation: Approaches towards the Critique of Productionist Metaphysics*. In: Angelov, G., Dimitrov, A., Donev, G., Kanawrow, V. (Eds.) "Heidegger the Abyss", Southwest Univ. Press, Blagoevgrad, 2011, pp. 26-46. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Is the Kantian Imagination a Faculty/ Capacity or Power/ Force?*. Philosophical Alternatives, 1/2011, pp. 15-27. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *A Drowning Man's Confession About the Kantian Power of Imagination in the Metaphysics of Faculties*, In: Turlakov, N., Vassilev, S. (Eds.) "The Language of Being", Faber, Sofia, 2010, pp. 61-71. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *The Metaphysics of Knowledge and the Transcendental Psychology*, In: Kanawrow, V., Donev, G. (Eds.) "Transcendental Languages of Metaphysics", Southwest Univ. Press, Blagoevgrad, 2009, pp. 211-231. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Cultures of Insecurity and the Epistemology of (Re)Production*. In: "The Philosophy of Security in an Insecure World". Proceedings of XXV Varna International Philosophical School – 2008, IPhR-BAS, Sofia, 2010, pp. 190-199. (In English)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *The Way of Reproduction*, In: Raynova, Y., Petrov, V. (Eds.) "Being and Knowledge in Postmetaphysical Context", Institut fur Axiologische Forschungen (IAF), Wien, 2008, pp. 243-253. (In English)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Process in the Mirror or the Truth is Not the Main Aim of Knowledge*. In: "Twenty First Century Philosophy", Professor Marin Drinov Academic Publishing House, Sofia 2008, pp. 157-163. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *The Phenomenology of Imagining and the Way of Reproduction*. Philosophical Alternatives, 4/2008, pp. 97-110. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *The Fall of Transcendental Imaginologies and the Rise of Epistemicultural Media Theory*. In: Proceedings of XXIV Varna International Philosophical School – 2006, Sofia, 2007, pp. 423-431. (In English)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *The Parisian Artist of Nomadic Intensities and His Enemy. Dramatizations of a Different Repetition*, Philosophical Alternatives, 1/2007, pp. 39-48. (In

Bulgarian)

- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *The View-Point of a Young Philosopher on the Brain Drain Phenomenon*. Nauka Journal 1/2007, pp. 37-39. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *PR vs. OPR, or the Meta-assessment in Science*. In: Prodanov, V. (Ed.) "Assessment in Science", Professor Marin Drinov Academic Publishing House, Sofia 2007, pp. 35-41. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Internet and Science Popularization*. Journal of Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, 2/2006, pp. 53-56. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Is an Imaginary Reading of Kant's Table of Categories Possible?* In: Proceedings of the philosophical conference in Dolni Lozen "Challenges to ontology and epistemology in contemporary philosophical space", Sofia, 2005, pp. 159 - 169. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Transcendental Schematism and Imagination*. In: Kanawrow, V., Donev, G. (Eds.) "Kant and the Dialogue of Traditions", Southwest Univ. Press, Blagoevgrad, 2004, pp. 217-237. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Imagination and Reason in Kant's Philosophy*, Philosophical Alternatives, 3/2004, pp. 37-49. (In Bulgarian)
- ✓ Dimitrov, I., *Philosophy of SIN and Knowledge-Based Society*. In: Proceedings of XXIII Varna International Philosophical School – 2004, Sofia, 2004. (In English)

Participation in national/international scientific research projects (selected):

- ✓ Research project *Critical Concepts of Metaphysics* (Ontology and Epistemology Department, IPhS-BAS 2019 – 2022), Project Leader.
- ✓ COST Action *Interactive Narrative Design for Complexity Representations* (INDCOR; CA 18230, 2020 – 2022)
- ✓ Research project *Kant's Philosophy of Space and Time and Modern Science* (ISSK-BAS 2012 – 2015). Individual paper: „*Space, Time and Force in Kant's Critical Metaphysics of Faculties*”.
- ✓ CSA project EUROSIS (FP7-SCIENCE-IN-SOCIETY-2007-1), Co-ordinator of the Bulgarian team of SiS NCPs, IPhR-BAS.
- ✓ Research project *Transformation of Social Sciences in Knowledge-Based Society* (IPhR-BAS 2008-2010) funded by the National Science Fund, Ministry of Education and Science.
- ✓ Research project *Productive Ontological Constructions in Knowledge-Based Society* (IPhR-

BAS 2008-2010).

- ✓ Research project *Crisis of legitimacy in pluralistic societies of our time* (2005 – 2008) funded by the National Science Fund, Ministry of Education and Science.
- ✓ Co-ordinator of Forum Democrit's European projects in science communication and science education: SEARCH (HORIZON-MSCA-2022-CITIZENS-01); FRESHER (H2020-MSCA-NIGHT-2020); REFRESH (H2020-MSCA-NIGHT-2018); FRESH (H2020-MSCA-NIGHT-2016); MARCH (LLP-COMENIUS 2014-2017); EUSP (WiD, 2014, 2016, 2018); PLACES (FP7-SiS, 2010-2014); YOSCIWEB (FP7-SCIENCE-IN-SOCIETY-2007-1); 2WAYS (FP6, 2009-2010); WONDERS 2007 (FP6, 2007-2008).

Participation in international schools and conferences (selected):

- ✓ 2009, Mar. 23-28, Evry, France, SIANA 2009 “Imagination and Digital Technologies”. Organiser: Institut TELECOM/Telecom & Management SudParis.
- ✓ 2008, Jun. 1-3, Varna, XXV Varna International Philosophical School. Organiser: IPhR-BAS.
- ✓ 2007, Jun. 14-16, Sofia, International Conference *Being and Knowledge in postmetaphysical context*. Organiser: IPhR-BAS.
- ✓ 2006, Jun. 1-3, Varna, XXIV Varna International Philosophical School. Organiser: IPhR-BAS.
- ✓ 2006, Oct. 19-20, Sofia, International Seminar *The impact of ERA on the development of young scientists*. Organisers: Austrian Science and Research Liaison Offices (ASO), Union of Scientists in Bulgaria.
- ✓ 2006, Jul. 15-19, Munich, Germany. Euroscience Open Forum (ESOF 2006). Organisers: Euroscience, Robert Bosch Stiftung.
- ✓ 2005, Mar. 13-18, Newcastle, UK, Interdisciplinary seminar “*Complex genetics: banking on our future*”. Organiser: British Council Seminars.
- ✓ 2004, Jun. 3-6, Varna, XXIII Varna International Philosophical School. Organiser: IPhR-BAS.

Languages

English - advanced, German – intermediate (B1), Russian - intermediate, Spanish - basic