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# Mgr. Jakub Marek, Ph.D.

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## Jakub MAREK, assistant professor



Department of Philosophy

### **Research Areas**

- Modern Philosophy
- Philosophical Anthropology

### **Courses**

See [SIS](#).

### **Contact Information and Office Hours**

See [SIS](#)

### **Languages**

- Czech (native speaker)
- English
- German
- Russian
- Danish

### **Education**

- **2010:** Ph.D., thesis: *Kierkegaard. The Indirect Prophet of Existence.*
- **2006–2010:** Faculty of Humanities, Charles University, Prague, doctoral study program "Anthropology".
- **2006:** Mgr., grade A, thesis: *Hamlet's Dialectics.*
- **2004–2006:** Faculty of Humanities, Charles University, Prague, master study program "General Anthropology - Integral Study of Man"

- **2004:** Bc., summa cum laude, thesis: *The Task of Existence, On Jaspers' Concept of Existence in the Psychology of World-Views [Psychologie der Weltanschauungen]*
- **2001–2004:** Faculty of Humanities, Charles University, Prague, bachelor study program "Humanities"

## Work Experience

- **2020–2025:** Head of the Department of Philosophy, Faculty of Humanities, Charles University
- **2019–2025:** Head of the Philosophical Module at the Faculty of Humanities, Charles University
- **2017–2019:** Head of the Department of General Anthropology, Faculty of Humanities, Charles University
- **2010–present:** Assistant professor of Philosophy at the Department of General Anthropology, Faculty of Humanities, Charles University, Prague with research interests in modern philosophy and philosophical anthropology

## Stays Abroad

- **2019:** Fellow of the Summer Fellows Research in Residence program, Hong Kierkegaard Library, St. Olaf College, Northfield (Minnesota USA)
- **2018:** Fellow of the Summer Fellows Research in Residence program, Hong Kierkegaard Library, St. Olaf College, Northfield (Minnesota USA)
- **2014:** visiting scholar at the S. Kierkegaard Research Centre in Copenhagen, Denmark
- **2007–2013:** a series of shorter research trips to the S. Kierkegaard Research Centre in Copenhagen, Denmark
- **2007–2009:** Three shorter research trips to the Kierkegaard Research Centre Copenhagen and to the Kierkegaard Colloquium of the Justus Liebig Universität Giessen
- **2005:** Semestral studies at the Philosophical Seminary of the Eberhard-Karls-Universität Tübingen
- **2004:** Junior Fellow at the Collegium Pontes, Institut für kulturelle Infrastruktur Görlitz - Universität Zittau-Görlitz
- **2003:** Erasmus exchange program stay at the Johann-Wolfgang Goethe Universität Frankfurt am Main

## Awards

- **2011:** awarded by the *Josef Hlávka Prize* for the graduates of Czech universities and young workers of the Academy of Sciences.
- **2011:** receiver of the *Jan Hus Foundation scholarship*

## Memberships

- **2016–2020:** vice-chair of the Supervisory Board of the Charles University Grant Agency
- **2012–2016, 2007–2009:** member of the Academic Senate of the Charles University in Prague
- Member of *The International Kierkegaard Society*
- Member of the Advisory Board *Acta Kierkegaardiana*

## Publications

### Books

- (2015) Marek, Jakub, *Leporello. Smrtelnost, práce a nepřirozenost člověka [Leporello. Mortality, work, and human unnaturalness]*, Praha: Togga, 2015. ISBN 978-80-7476-084-6 (in Czech)
- (2010) Marek, Jakub, *Kierkegaard. Nepřímý prorok existence [Kierkegaard. Indirect Prophet of Existence]*, Praha: Togga, 2010. ISBN 978-80-87258-31-6. (in Czech)

### Papers (selection)

- (2016) Marek, J., „Kierkegaardova apolitická politika, aneb Jak odevzdat císařovo císaři a Boží Bohu“, in *Filozofia* 4/2016, ss. 270-281.
- (2015) Marek, J., „Sickness“, in Stewart, Jon et al. (eds.), *Kierkegaard's Concepts (Kierkegaard Research: Sources, Reception and Resources, Volume 15, Tome II)*, Farnham, Ashgate Publishing 2015, s. 35-41, ISBN 978-1-4724-5763-9.
- (2015) Marek, J., „Anti-Climacus: Kierkegaard's 'servant of the word'“, in Stewart, Jon, Nun, Katalin (eds.), *Kierkegaard's Pseudonyms (Kierkegaard's Concepts (Kierkegaard Research: Sources, Reception and Resources, Volume 17)*, Farnham, Ashgate Publishing 2015, s. 39-51, ISBN 978-1-4724-5763-9.
- (2015) Marek, Jakub, „Svět jako vůle a metafora. Na margo vztahu Schopenhauer-Nietzsche“ [The World as Will and Metaphor. On the Margin of the Schopenhauer-Nietzsche Relationship], in Novák, Aleš (ed.), *Nietzsche a (ne)přítelé [Nietzsche and (Non)Enemies]*, Praha: Togga, 2015. ISBN 978-80-7476-070-9. (in Czech)
- (2014) Marek, Jakub, „Contradiction“, in Emmanuel, Steven M. et al. (eds.), *Kierkegaard's Concepts: Clasicism to Enthusiasm*, edice Kierkegaard Research: Sources, Reception and Resources, Volume 15, Tome II: Kierkegaard's Concepts, Ashgate Publishing 2014, ss. 73-80, ISBN 978-1-4724-2839-4.
- (2014) Marek, Jakub, „Experience“, in Emmanuel, Steven M. et al. (eds.), *Kierkegaard's Concepts: Envy to Incognito*, edice *Kierkegaard Research: Sources, Reception and Resources*, Volume 15, Tome III: Kierkegaard's Concepts, Ashgate Publishing 2014, ss. 53-59, ISBN 978-1-4724-3432-6.

