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Profile

I am a Research Professor at Ikerbasque, the Basque Science Foundation, working the intersection in the sciences of the mind. I have contributed to embodied approaches in cognitive science and philosophy of mind by combining insights from biology, phenomenology, and dynamical systems theory. Previously, I was a Reader in Evolutionary and Adaptive Systems at the University of Sussex where I was co-director of the Evolutionary and Adaptive Systems MSc programme. My research interests include embodied cognition, enaction, agency, language, intersubjectivity, bodily becoming, and complexity. I have extensive experience in research project management, curriculum development, teaching and research supervision (to date: 13 PhDs and 17 Postdocs). I am the (co)author of over 180 peer-reviewed publications, including books and edited collections.

Employment

Research Professor	Ikerbasque, Basque Foundation for Science	2010–
Visiting Professor Department of Informatics	University of Sussex	2010–
Reader Evolutionary and Adaptive Systems	University of Sussex	2007–2009
Senior Lecturer Evolutionary and Adaptive Systems	University of Sussex	2005–2007
Lecturer Evolutionary and Adaptive Systems	University of Sussex	2000–2005
Postdoctoral Researcher	GMD: German National Research Center for Information Technology	1999–2000

Education

D.Phil., Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence	University of Sussex	1995–1998
M.Sc. Nuclear Engineering	Instituto Balseiro, Argentina	1990–1994
Physics & Mathematics	Universidad de Buenos Aires	1988–1990

Research Funding

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>eSMCs: Extending Sensorimotor Contingencies to Cognition</i> FP7-ICT-2009-6 no: 270212. PI. Status: completed. 	2011–2014 €3,645,000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>TESIS: Towards an Embodied Science of Intersubjectivity</i> Marie-Curie ITN. FP7-PEOPLE-2010-ITN, no: 264828. PI and Network Training Coordinator. Status: completed. 	2011–2015 €4,295,272
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Quantifiable Constituents of Spiritual Growth</i> John Templeton Foundation, Co-investigator. Status: completed. 	2013–2016 \$2,300,000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Radical Embodied Neuroscience</i> MICINN. PID2021-127294NA-I00. Co-Investigator. Status: running. 	2022–2024 €40,000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Basque Government Financing for Research Groups IAS-Research</i> IT1668-22 Co-Investigator. Status: running. 	2022–2025 €106,400
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Basque Government Financing for Research Groups IAS-Research</i> IT1228-19. Co-Investigator. Status: completed. 	2019–2021 €170,548
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Basque Government Financing for Research Groups IAS-Research</i> IT590-13. Co-Investigator. Status: completed. 	2013–2018 €226,598
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Identity in Interaction</i> Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation. FFI2014-52173-P. Co-Investigator. Status: completed. 	2015–2019 €50,000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Autonomy and Levels of Organization</i> Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation. FFI2011-25665/FISO. Co-Investigator. Status: completed. 	2012–2014 €70,950
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Basque Government Financing for Research Groups IAS-Research</i> IT505-10. Co-Investigator. Status: completed. 	2010–2012 €61,000.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Information, Autonomy, and Systems</i> Spanish Ministry of Science and Education. HUM2005-02449. Co-Investigator. Status: completed. 	2005–2008 €45,220
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>SECSE: Spatially-embedded Complex Systems Engineering</i> EPSRC(UK) Project EP/C51632X/1. PI. Status: completed. 	2005–2009 £1,534,784
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>SMoCN: Simple Models of Complex Networks</i> EPSRC(UK) Research Cluster. GR/S63762/01. PI. Status: completed. 	2003–2004 £53,539
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Adaptation to Radical Sensorimotor Disruptions through Internal Homeostasis</i> Nuffield Foundation. NAL/00274/G. PI. Status: completed. 	2001–2003 £4,000

Awards and Fellowships

Cesar Milstein Award, Programa Raices (Argentina)	2009/2013
Nuffield Foundation Award for Newly Appointed Lecturers in Maths and Engineering	2001–2003
Overseas Research Students Award (CVCP, UK)	1997–1998
CONICET (Fellowship, Argentine Research Council)	1995–1998
Research Award from Argentine Ministry of Education	1995–1997
National Atomic Energy Agency Research Fellow (Argentina)	1994–1995
National Atomic Energy Agency Scholarship (Argentina)	1990–1994

Current Research

Centre for Research on Life, Mind and Society <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Embodied cognitive science; Enaction</i>• <i>Social Cognition; Intersubjectivity</i>• <i>Philosophy of Mind</i>	University of the Basque Country	2010–present
Centre for Computational Neuroscience and Robotics <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Evolutionary robotics</i>• <i>Computational neuroscience</i>• <i>Evolutionary biology</i>• <i>Philosophy of mind and embodied cognitive science</i>• <i>Complex spatial networks</i>	University of Sussex	2000–present

Previous Research Experience

Postdoctoral Researcher <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Evolutionary biology modelling.</i>• <i>Active perception and plasticity.</i>	German National Research Centre for Information Technology (GMD)	1999–2000
Doctoral Dissertation “ <i>On the Evolutionary and Behavioral Dynamics of Social Coordination</i> ” Supervisor: Prof. Phil Husbands. Defended January 1999	University of Sussex	1995–1999
Research Fellow, National Atomic Energy Agency <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Recurrent neural networks for dynamic data analysis</i>	Department of Process Control. Bariloche Atomic Centre	1994–1995
MSc Dissertation “ <i>A Knowledge-Based System for Real-Time Fault Diagnosis in a Nuclear Power Plant</i> ” Supervisor: Dr. Luis Rovere, Instituto Balseiro. Defended August 1994		

Media and Outreach

Entrevistas (im)posibles.	Documentary, UNAM TV, Mexico	2016
La mente corporizada	Documentary, University of Zaragoza	2014
Education Physique et Sport (362)	Interview	2014
AVANT (Journal)	Interview (with Hanne De Jaegher)	10/2012
Noticias de Gipuzkoa	Interview (with Hanne De Jaegher)	05/2012
Gara newspaper	Interview (with Hanne De Jaegher)	05/2012
donostiakultura	Open public talk (“Body and Emotions”)	11/2011
Ikerbasque Bulletin	Interview	10/2011
El Pais	Interview	09/2011
New APPS Blog	Interview	06/2011
RTVE (Spanish TV)	Tres14 (Pop Science Program)	04/2011
El Periodico de Aragon	Interview	05/2010
El Heraldo de Aragon	Interview	05/2010
Pagina 12	Feature article	05/2009

Teaching/Supervision

Reader	Evolutionary and Adaptive Systems School of Cognitive and Computing Sciences (COGS) University of Sussex	2007–2009
Senior Lecturer		2005–2007
Lecturer		2000–2005

Areas of teaching expertise: Curriculum development, lecturing, seminar and lab class organisation, and assessment. Cognitive science, social cognition, artificial intelligence, adaptive systems, adaptive behaviour, ecological and evolutionary modelling, evolutionary game theory, spatially embedded processes, computational neuroscience, chronobiology, artificial life, scientific computing and numerical methods, pure and applied mathematics, dynamical systems theory, control theory, physics of nonlinear phenomena and self-organisation, philosophy of mind.

Students: Postgraduate level, including MSc, MRes and MA students in Evolutionary and Adaptive Systems, Philosophy of Cognitive Science, and Intelligent Systems. Undergraduate level: final year.

Courses:

- *Intelligence in Animals and Machines:* Postgraduate seminar organisation, development of course material and online resources, assessment.
- *Adaptive Systems:* Curriculum development, lectures, seminar organisation, development of course material and electronic resources, development of laboratory practices, assessment.
- *Dynamics of Development:* Newly developed postgraduate module (2006). Lectures, seminar organisation, development of course material and electronic resources, development of curriculum, assessment.

Supervision:

- *Postdoctoral supervision:* Since 2005: 17 PD researchers.
- *PhD supervision:* Since 2000: 13 completed dissertations.
- *MSc dissertation supervision:* 6-8 per year, 2000–2009. Supervised dissertations have won best dissertation prize in all years so far.

- *UG final-year project supervision*: 6-7 per year, 2000–2009. Supervised projects have obtained runner-up Searchspace prizes in 2002 and 2003 and won it in 2003, 2004 and 2005.

Previous Teaching Experience

Tutor <i>Heat and Mass Transfer.</i>	Instituto Balseiro	1994–1995
Tutor <i>Laboratory of Control Engineering.</i>	Instituto Balseiro	1994–1995
Tutor <i>Multi-variate Calculus and Linear Algebra.</i>	Universidad de Buenos Aires	1989–1990

Event Organization

- Summer School “Embodying Intersubjectivity Research”, 14–18 May 2012, San Sebastian, Spain.
- Summer School “The Future of the Embodied Mind”, 5–9 September 2011, San Sebastian, Spain.
- Workshop “Enactive Approaches to Social Cognition”, 31 August – 1 September 2008, Battle, UK.
- Workshop “Agency in Artificial and Natural Systems”, 11–12 July, 2008, Kyoto, Japan.
- Workshop “Mathematical Models in Evolution and Ecology”, September, 20–21 2007, University of Sussex.
- “International Research Symposium: A Networks Perspective on Complex Systems Challenges”, January, 19–20 2004, University of Leeds.
- “Summer Workshop on Simple Models of Complex Networks”, July 17–18 2003, University of Leeds.
- Workshop “Open Challenges in Complex Networks Science”, May 4, 2003, University of Leeds.
- Workshop “The View from Elsewhere” at the 6th European Conference on Artificial Life, (ECAL’2001), Prague, Czech Republic, Sept. 2001.
- Workshop “Artificial Life: Discipline or Method?” at the 5th European Conference on Artificial Life, (ECAL’99), Lausanne, Switzerland, Sept. 1999.

Administrative

- Project and Research Group Management (Embodiment and Intersubjectivity).
- Training Coordinator Marie-Curie Initial Training Network TESIS 2011– 2015.
- Editor in Chief of Adaptive Behavior: 2008– present.
- Co-Director Evolutionary and Adaptive Systems MSc Programme: 2008–2009.
- Member of Exam Boards Sussex University: 2001 - 2009.
- European Convenor, Informatics, Sussex University. 2001–2002
- Autonomous Robots Lab development and administration: 2001–2009.
- Organizer of the Life and Mind seminar series: 2006–present
- Co-organizer of Artificial Life Reading Group at Sussex (Alergic) seminar series: 2001–2009

- Erasmus Programme: Sussex Coordinator for Seminar in Cognitive Science: 2001–2009.
- Liaison Erasmus Programme Intesif Philosophie, Technologie, Cognition: 2001–2009.

Professional Memberships

- Member of the EPSRC College of Peers (UK) (2006–present).
- Member of the Board of Directors of the *International Society of Artificial Life - ISAL* (2009–2014).
- Member of the *International Society for Adaptive Behavior - ISAB* (2008–present).
- Member of the Mind and Life Institute Europe (2016–present).

Other Professional Activities

- Keynote speaker at several international conferences and workshops.
- Editor-in-chief of the journal *Adaptive Behavior* (2008–2017).
- Associate Editor of the journal *Adaptive Behavior* (2017–present).
- Associate Editor of the journal *Frontiers in Psychology* (2018–present).
- Member of the Editorial Board of *Constructivist Foundations* and *Leonardo Electronic Almanac* (2009–present).
- External examiner, Computing and AI Masters Programme, University of Plymouth.
- Expert reviewer FP7-ICT.
- Grant proposal reviewer for the European Commission, EPSRC(UK), ESRC(UK), Swiss National Science Foundation, Research Foundation Flanders (FWO), and others.
- Project progress reviewer for EU-FP6 projects.
- Guest Editor for special issue of *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Science* on “The Social and Enactive Mind”. Issue 8(4), 2009.
- Guest Editor for special issue of *Adaptive Behavior* on “Plastic mechanisms, multiple timescales and lifetime adaptation”. Issue 10(3/4), 2002.
- Guest Editor for special issue of *Artificial Life* on “Francisco Varela and Alife” Issue 10/3, 2004.
- Regular member of the Programme Committee of major international conferences in the field (ECAL, CEC, SAB, ALife, GECCO).
- Programme Committee Membership 2004/5: SBRN 2004: Brazilian Symposium on Artificial Neural Networks (SBRN) São Luis, Brazil, 2004; IMAACA 2004. I3M: Genoa, Italy, 2004; AMIRE 2005: International Symposium on Autonomous Miniature Robots. Fukui, Japan 2005; IWASP: International Workshop on Self-Adaptive Systems and Processes. Taipei, 2005; Bio-ADIT 2006: 2nd International Workshop on Biologically Inspired approaches to Advanced Information Technology. Osaka University, 2006;
- Reviewing activity for *Frontiers in Neuroscience*, *Journal of Consciousness Studies*, *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*, *Adaptive Behavior*, *Animal Behaviour*, *Artificial Life*, *BioSystems*, *Body and Society*, *Cognitive Science*, *Cybernetics and Systems*, *IEEE Transactions on Evolutionary Computation*, *Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society, London A*, *Physica D*, and others.
- Internal and external examiner of several (15+) PhD defences at international level. Member of jury for a defence for a Habilitation à Diriger des Recherches (Université Blaise Pascal, France, 2006).

Ezequiel A. Di Paolo—List of Publications

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Journal Papers, Refereed

- [1] Di Paolo, E.A., Lawler, D. and Vaccari, A.P. (2023). Toward an enactive conception of productive practices: Beyond material agency. *Philosophy & Technology* 36, 31. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13347-023-00632-9>.
- [2] Beer, R. D. and Di Paolo, E. A. (2023). The theoretical foundations of enaction: Precariousness. *BioSystems*, 223, 104823. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.biosystems.2022.104823>.
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- [2] Di Paolo, E. A. (2022). Enactive Sense-Making = Agent-making + Environment-Making, *2022 Cycle on the Anthropocene*, Centro Internazionali di Studi Umanistici “Umberto Eco”, University of Bologna, Italy. 16 June 2022. Invited speaker.
- [3] Di Paolo, E. A. (2022). Enaction and the Dialectics of Nature. *Varela International Symposium: Mind in Life: Interdependence and Enaction*. Upaya Zen Center and Institute and Mind and Life Europe. May 28-29, 2022. Invited Speaker.
- [4] Di Paolo, E. A. (2021). Enactive conceptions of agency: Minimal, sensorimotor, and linguistic. Keynote speaker. *The Second International School on Philosophy of Cognitive Science, 4E Approaches*, 16–17 November 2021, Sharif University of Technology, Tehran, Iran.
- [5] Di Paolo, E. A., (2021). Invited speaker. “Organism: A Meshwork of Selfless Selves? (1991) and “Patterns of Life? (1997) by Francisco Varela. Ouroboros Seminars 2021 Seminars. Metanoia (Slovenia) and Mind & Life Institute Europe. 19 May 2021.
- [6] Di Paolo, E. A., (2021). Invited speaker. “El concepto enactivo de agencia” Seminar for the “Cultura material, agencia y practicas” project. Departamento de Filosofia, Facultad de Humanidades, Universidad Nacional de Mar del Plata, Argentina, 13 May 2021.
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