

Ioan-Alexandru Beldean

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Education

Case Western Reserve University, Master of Arts in Bioethics (2015)

- Concentration in Research Ethics
- Relevant coursework: Foundations in Bioethics, Human Subjects Research, International Research Ethics, IRB administration, Clinical Practice, Research Ethics Practicum
- Graduation GPA – 3,750

Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania, Master's Degree in Medical Deontology and Christian Bioethics (2012)

- Special Topics: Moral Foundations of Bioethics, Medical Deontology, Sociology, Law, Health Management
- Dissertation – Epigenetics and Genetic Determinism
- Graduation GPA – 3,750

Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania, Master's Program in Genetic Counselling (On-going)

- Special topics: Molecular and Cytogenetic Genetics, Genomics, Ethics, Counselling, Psychology, Psychotherapy, Study Design

Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania, Bachelor Degree in Pastoral Theology (2010)

- Special Topics: Moral Theology, Biblical Studies, Fundamental Theology, Liturgics, Music, Canon-Law
- Thesis: Logotherapy
- Graduation GPA – 3,750

Professional Experience

Ohio State University – Columbus, OH (August 2015-Present)

- 2020-present – Associated Faculty – title, Instructor Practice
- 2019-2020 - Lecturer
- 2015-2019 - Research Associate position
- Teaching and Research activities
- Instructor for undergraduate, graduate and post graduate Research Ethics and RCR courses
- Responsible with the design of online educational courses in Research Ethics, for OSU Bioethics MA Program, Undergraduate Courses in Research Ethics and post-graduate courses for MSTP students
- Conducted International Research through Fogarty Program
- Ethical guidance for the creation of the Honest Broker Process for The Total Transplant Care Protocol (TTCP)

Case Western Reserve IRB – Cleveland, MA (January-April 2015)

- Research Ethics Practicum – 80 Hours
- IRB observation - 20 hours – analyzing submitted protocols
- Conducted a research analysis on Virtual Biorepositories with Prof. Aaron Goldenberg
- Participated in organizing of *Research Showcase 2015*

University Hospitals – Cleveland, MA (October-December 2014)

- Clinical Rotation - 80 hours, of which:
- IRB observation - 10 hours

Center of Bioethics, UBB – Cluj-Napoca (2009-2014)

- Organized Conferences

- Designed and built the centers Website
- Represented the Centre and the University in multiple international sessions among the *Bioethicists of Central Europe Group*

Publications:

- `Genetic determinism. Causal Heredity or the chance of a new Anthropology`, Studia Bioethica, Cluj-Napoca, 2012.
- Ioan-Alexandru Beldean, Review of *Principles of Animal Research Ethics*. Doody's Review Service (on-line), 2020.

Presentations

- Presentations of various Romanian Bioethical interest domains in international Symposiums:
- October 2011 - Pecs, Hungary - Presentation *Statistical analysis of Suicide in Romania*
- October 2012 - Zagreb - Presentation *Bioethical Overview of the agricultural situation in Romania*
- November 2012 – Olsztyn, Poland – Presentation: *Epigenetics – the opportunity of a new anthropology*
- February 2015 – Columbus, OH, OSU Genetic Counseling MA - Presentation: *Genetic Counseling and Disability Rights*
- October 2018 – Columbus, OH, Center for Bioethics 4th Annual OSU Medical Ethics Conference: Current Controversies in Medical Ethics and Professionalism, presentation on *Professionalism in Biomedical Research*

Conferences

- April 2011 - Vienna, Austria - Participation at the International Symposium: Mitteleuropa-Sozialethik Symposium
- August 2011 - Bratislava, Slovakia - Participation at the Conference: *Emerging Scholars Conference*
- August 2011 - Vienna, Austria - Participation to the Conference: *ET-Kongress - 2011- An den Grenzen der Leiblichkeit. Theologische und interdisziplinäre Zugänge zum Menschsein*
- November 2012 - Olsztyn, Poland - *Participation with lecture at the:13th interdisciplinary days: Brain - Mind - Soul /Theology, philosophy and empirical sciences in a dispute on an adequate anthropology*
- October 2013 - Vienna - Participation at the *BCE: Der Pränataldiagnostik*
- September 2014 - Washington D.C. - Participation at the conference: *Why We Can't Wait: Conference to Eliminate Health Disparities in Genomic Medicine*
- March 2015 – Cincinnati, OH, participation at the conference *Genomics and Ethics in Research and Medical Decision Making*
- October 2015 – Columbus, OH, participation at the conference *The OSU Inaugural Medical Ethics Conference Professional Duty & Patient Rights in an Age of Pluralism: Questions of Clinical Decision Making & Conscience*

Grants

- Awarded a grant for the translation in Romanian of *After God*, written by Tristram Engelhardt Jr.