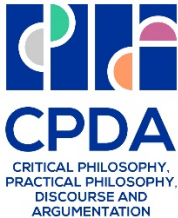


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### Areas of expertise

The construction of social ontology through language: Rhetoric and argumentation; Descriptive and normative in the philosophical approach to the social-political sphere; Practical philosophy – new configurations within philosophical hermeneutics; Philosophical ideas - critical elaborations and diachronic dimensions.

### Team and key skills

**Professor Petru Dunca.** – Ph.D. in philosophy; studies in philosophy, anthropology, Indian philosophy. Coordinator of PHD theses. Coordinator of the Philosophy Doctoral School – Human Sciences, Faculty of Letters, TUCN.  
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### Representative project

**"Knowledge Society – research, debates and perspective "**, 2009-2013, ID 56815/E/1859 , Project financed by EU funding POSDRU 2007 - 2013 , Romanian Academy, Iași Branch, Technical University of Cluj-Napoca  
**"Innovation and development in the structuring and representation of knowledge through doctoral and postdoctoral scholarships"** (IDSRC – phd., post phd.) organizat de Academia Română – *filiala Iași* și Universitatea Tehnică din Cluj-Napoca, Universitatea din București, Universitatea „Lucian Blaga” din Sibiu  
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**Toma din Aquino și Summa Theologica. Dezbaterile intelectuale ale Evului Mediu latin și sursele modernității**, bursă NEC-Link oferită de Colegiul “Noua Europă” din București, 2008-2009,

## Significant results

### Petru Dunca

#### Books(selection):

1. Daniela Dunca, **Petru Dunca** (ed.), *Experience & Explanation in Knowledge Society*, Ed. Institutul European, Iași, 2018, ISBN 978-606-24-0240-2.
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#### Articles (selective):

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2. *Le problème de la norme et l'acte dans le Veda et dans les Upanisad*”, în *L'action, penser la vie, "agir" la pensée*, Librairie Philosophique J. Vrin, Paris, 2013, ISBN 978-2-7116-4374-5, p. 121-125
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