

Curriculum Vitae - Valerio Rocco Lozano

Valerio Rocco Lozano has been Director of the *Círculo de Bellas Artes* of Madrid since 2019. He is also a lecturer in History of Modern Philosophy at the Philosophy Department of the Autonomous University of Madrid. He obtained his PhD from that University in 2011 and served, from 2015 to 2019, as Vice-Dean of Research, Knowledge Transfer & Libraries in its Faculty of Philosophy and the Arts. He won the First National Award for Excellence in Academic Performance in Philosophy, and the Extraordinary PhD Prize. He is currently Tasks Leader of a European research project carried out under the EU Horizon 2020 Research and Innovation programme, entitled FAILURE, which deals with the concept of failure and its reversibility.

He has published a monographic work entitled *Ancient Rome in the work of the young Hegel*, as well as a critical edition of the posthumous work of Franco Volpi on Heidegger, and has coordinated twelve collective volumes and three monographs on different topics related to the philosophy of history, political philosophy and the history of modern philosophy. He has coordinated two publications for the *Círculo de Bellas Artes*: *Glossary of failure* and *Hegel and Hölderlin, a stellar friendship*. His key lines of research have included German idealism (in particular, Hegel) and the influence of Roman civilisation on modern and contemporary political ideologies.

He is co-founder of the academic journals *Despalabro: Ensayos de Humanidades (Debate: Essays on Humanities)* and *Antítesis. Revista Iberoamericana de Estudios hegelianos (Antithesis. Latin American Journal of Hegelian Studies)*. He is also Assistant Editor of the journal *Philosophical Readings*.

He is a member of the Management Board of the *Sociedad Académica de Filosofía*, the Advisory Board of the *Teatro Real*, the Social Council of the *Universidad Rey Juan Carlos*, the Academic Council of *Casa de Velázquez* and the Cultural Council of the *Comunidad de Madrid*. In 2022 he was honoured as a Knight of the Order of the Star of Italy (OSI) by the President of the Italian Republic, Sergio Mattarella.