

Monika Michałowska is a philosopher and an ethicist. A philosophy graduate from the University of Lodz, she does research in bioethics, transhumanism, and the history of philosophy in the Middle Ages.

Her work on mediaeval philosophy focuses on the thought of Richard Kilvington, a fourteenth-century philosopher and founder of a scholarly group known as the Oxford Calculators. To disseminate Kilvington's ideas, she prepares critical editions of his writings, such as his commentary on Aristotle's *Nicomachean Ethics* and selected questions from his commentary on Peter Lombard's *Sentences* (STGM 121, 2016, Brill; STGM 130, 2021, Brill; STGM 134, 2023, Brill). Her current research also encompasses fourteenth-century ethics and concepts of the will developed by, in particular, Roger Roseth, Adam Wodeham, Robert Halifax, and Osbert Pickenham.

In parallel, she is involved in the study of bioethics, where she explores the ethical aspects of new technologies and human enhancement. Her interdisciplinary pursuits combine philosophy, bioethics, transhumanism, bioart and new media.

She implemented out multiple research projects funded by National Science Centre Poland, the National Agency of Academic Exchange, the Foundation for Polish Science and the Ministry of Science and Higher Education. She has been an organiser of many conferences and an editor of the proceedings volumes and special issues of journals the events have yielded.

At the moment, she is the principal investigator in an NSCP-funded research project titled *Na przecięciu etyki, filozofii przyrody i logiki. Woluntaryzm Ryszarda FitzRalpha i Ryszarda Kilvingtona* [At an Intersections of Ethics, the Philosophy of Nature, and Logic: Richard FitzRalph's and Richard Kilvington's Voluntarism].

Had she not become a philosopher, she would be a chef. When at leisure from her research, she indulges in her passion for cooking, food tasting and travel (including foodie trips) and enjoys playing with Arizona, Nevada, and Indiana.