# Léo Picat

#### Education

2020-current Diplôme de Formation Appronfondie en Sciences Médicales, Université Paris Cité, Paris.

Advanced undergradutate degree in medical science with part time clinical rotations (equivalent to  $3^{rd}$  and  $4^{th}$  year of US medical schools)

2017–2019 **MSc in Cognitive**, École Normale Supérieure, EHESS, Université Paris Descartes (now Université Paris Cité). Paris.

"Inferences with disjunction, interpretation or reasoning?"

2014–2019 **Diplôme de l'École Normale Supérieure**, École Normale Supérieure, Paris.

4-years graduate degree of École Normale Supérieure, top French grande école Ranked  $1^{\rm st}$  at the national competitive entrance exam to École Normale Supérieure

2012–2015 **Diplôme de Formation Générale en Sciences Médicales**, *Université Paris Diderot (now Université Paris Cité)*, Paris.

Undergraduate degree in medical science (equivalent to pre-med,  $1^{\rm st}$  and  $2^{\rm nd}$  year of US medical schools) Ranked  $2^{\rm nd}$  at the regional competitive entrance exam to medical school

## **Employment**

2019, 2020 Research assistant, École Normale Supérieure, Paris.

Working in Salvador Mascarenhas's team

### Publications

Under review Nadine Bade et al. "A model for pragmatic strengthening - Evidence from a new priming paradigm". In: (Under review)

Under review Léo Picat and Salvador Mascarenhas. "On the interplay between interpretation and reasoning in compelling fallacies". In: (Under review)

Nadine Bade et al. "Alternatives and attention in language and reasoning: a reply to Mascarenhas & Picat (2019)". In: Semantics & Pragmatics (2022). DOI: 10.3765/sp.15.2

2019 Salvador Mascarenhas and Léo Picat. "*Might* as a generator of alternatives: the view from reasoning". In: *Proceedings of SALT 29, UCLA.* 2019, pp. 549–561. DOI: 10.3765/salt.v29i0.4635

# Refeered conference presentation

- 2019 Léo Picat and Salvador Mascarenhas. *Reasoning with disjunctions under cognitive load*. Talk given at *Brain, Language and Learning* 2019, University of Siena. 2019
- 2019 Salvador Mascarenhas and Léo Picat. Might as a generator of alternatives: the view from reasoning. Poster presented at Semantics and Linguistics Theory 2019, UCLA at Los Angeles. 2019
- 2019 Léo Picat and Salvador Mascarenhas. Reasoning under load with disjunction. Talk given at Colloque des Jeunes Chercheurs en Sciences Cognitives 10. 2019

#### Academic service

- 2018–2019 **Student representative**, Department of Cognitive Studies, École Normale Supérieure.
  - 2016 Alternate member, Student affairs committee, Université Paris Diderot (now Université Paris Cité).
- 2014–2016 **Elected member**, *Pedagogical committee*, Université Paris Diderot's medical school (now Université Paris Cité).

### Language

English Fluent

French Native

# Computer skills

Proficient Python, R, LATEX, Google Script

Familiar JavaScript, bash, git, html, CSS

# Volunteering

2022-Current **Admin, content creator**, *Anki x ECNi*.

A Facebook group gathering a growing community of French-speaking medical students using Anki, a flashcard software.

2019–2021 Founding member, board member, Nightline France.

Association aimed at improving mental well-being of students across France

2017–2020 **Volunteer, board member**, *Nightline Paris*.

Association running a call line open at night designed for students and run by students

2015–2017 **Founding member, team leader**, *Tutorat d'Entraide et d'Accompagnement en Médecine*, Université Paris Cité.

Association providing pedagogical support for 2nd to 6th year medical students at Université Paris Cité

2013–2015 Volunteer, board member, honorary member, Tutorat Santé Paris 7, Université Paris Diderot.

Association providing pedagogical support for 1st year medical students at Université Paris Diderot (now A2SUP at Université Paris Cité)