

Articole:

Cele două dimensiuni majore ale activității prof. Aligică corespund celor două fațete ale domeniului Filozofie, Politică și Economie (Philosophy, Politics and Economics - PPE): pe de o parte fundamente filozofice (epistemice și normative) și pe de alta, aplicații (design instituțional, guvernantă și studii de fezabilitate instituțională). Contribuțiile sale sunt, în bună măsură, legate de direcția de cercetare avansată de așa-numita „Școală de la Bloomington“, creată de Vincent Ostrom, filosof social și politolog, cofondator al Public Choice Society – precursor al PPE – și Elinor Ostrom, laureată a Premiului Nobel în Economie în 2009. Cu acești doi gânditori prof. Aligică a studiat la Indiana University Bloomington, fiind considerat unul dintre cei mai importanți continuatori ai liniei de cercetare avansată de ei.

PPE este considerat unul dintre domeniile de frontieră în relație cu filozofia socială contemporană, fiind parte a dezvoltărilor contemporane în care investigațiile filozofice converg și se susțin reciproc cu investigații care vin din alte discipline, cum ar fi științele cognitive, economia, psihologia, sociologia, biologia, științele administrative etc. Dezvoltat inițial în contextul universităților britanice de elită, extins apoi în Statele Unite cu un impact substanțial în principalele universități de cercetare, domeniul PPE s-a aflat în ultimele decenii într-un proces de extindere rapidă peste tot în lume, cu o intensitate care s-a accelerat marcant în ultimii ani. Activitatea prof. Aligică a coincis cu acest trend și o bună parte a publicațiilor și contribuțiilor sale poate fi văzută ca parte a acestor evoluții.

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