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### Research subjects

Ethics of prenatal screening

### Biography

Adriana Kater obtained a BSc degree in Biomedical Sciences (2013), a MSc degree in Health Sciences (2015) and a MA degree in Philosophy, Bioethics and Health (2015) at the Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam. During an internship she conducted qualitative research on the opinions of parents of children with Down's syndrome about the non-invasive prenatal test (NIPT).

At the department of Medical Ethics and Philosophy she works on a project about the ethical and social aspects of prenatal screening, particularly of non-invasive prenatal testing.

### Important publications

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