

CURICULLUM VITAE

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Fields of research and teaching

- Contemporary, global and transnational history, Cold War history, History of European integration, History of technology, East-Central European history

Working Experience

- March – September 2023: Visiting Professor for contemporary history at the Institute of East European History at the University of Vienna.
- March – September 2021: Visiting Professor at the Institute of East European History at the University of Vienna.
- July 2020 – current: Erwin Schrödinger Fellow at the Institute of East European History of the University of Vienna and the International History and Politics Department at the Graduate Institute in Geneva
- August 2017 – January 2020: Lise Meitner Fellow, Institute of East European History, University of Vienna, Vienna
- February 2017 – July 2017: Lise Meitner Fellow, Institute for Modern and Contemporary Historical Research, Austrian Academy of Sciences, Vienna
- October 2015 – June 2016: Gerda Henkel Fellow, Historisches Kolleg, Munich
- August 2012 – July 2015: ERMOS Research Fellow, Institute of History and Archaeology, University of Tartu
- October 2012 – September 2013: Guggenheim fellow, National Air and Space Museum, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC
- May – July 2010: Research Assistant to Prof. Kaiser for the project *Making the Rules for Europe. Experts, Cartels, International Organizations*

Teaching Experience

- Summer semester 2022/23: BA/MA Seminar *Industrialism and Imperial Economy of Fuels and Ores*, University of Vienna
- Summer semester 2022/23: BA/MA Seminar *Cold War Historiography*, University of Vienna
- Summer semester 2021/2022: Lectures within the unit *Der Kalte Krieg 1945-90: Weitere Zugänge* [Cold War 1945-90: new approaches] organized by Prof. Wolfgang Mueller, University of Vienna

- Summer semester 2020/21: BA/MA Seminar *From Confrontation to EU Accession: Integration Processes in Western and Eastern Europe in Comparative Perspective*, University of Vienna
- Summer semester 2020/21: BA/MA Proseminar *Technology and the Cold War*, University of Vienna
- Summer semester 2014/15: MA Seminar *Central Europe since 1815*, Tartu University
- Winter semester 2013/14 and Summer semester 2014/15: MA Lectures *The Reconstruction of the Western Europe after the End of the WWII and early Developments of European Integration, 1944-1954*
- Summer semesters 2009/10, 2010/11 and 2011/12: MA Lectures *Konsolidácia západnej Európy po Druhej svetovej vojne* (Consolidation of Western Europe after the Second World War), Comenius University, Bratislava

Education and Qualifications

- January 2023: habilitation in contemporary history (*venia docendi*), University of Vienna, Faculty of Historical and Cultural Studies
- July 2012: PhD in history of international relations, Comenius University, Bratislava – Institute of History of the Slovak Academy of Sciences, Bratislava
Title of PhD thesis: *The Origins of European Integration: Concepts, Processes and Agents in Years 1944-1952*
- May 2006: MA in political science and international relations, Comenius University in Bratislava

Awards and Grants

- May 2020: € 213.140 FWF Erwin Schrödinger senior postdoc fellowship at the International History and Politics Department, Graduate Institute, Geneva/Institute of East European History, University of Vienna
- January 2017: € 161.220 FWF Lise Meitner postdoc fellowship with the Institute of Modern and Contemporary History, Austrian Academy of Sciences in Vienna, later transferred to Institute of East European History, University of Vienna
- June 2012: € 92,900 ERMOS postdoc fellowship with the Institute of History and Archaeology, University of Tartu
- April 2012: \$ 50,000 Guggenheim fellowship with the National Air and Space Museum, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC
- December 2012: grant of the LitFond Foundation for turning the PhD thesis into monograph
- December 2010: grant from the Intenda Foundation for finishing the PhD thesis

Language skills

- Slovak: native language

- Czech: active knowledge (C2)¹
- English: active knowledge (C2)
- German: active knowledge (C2)
- French: active knowledge (B2)
- Polish: reading knowledge
- Italian: reading knowledge
- Russian: basic reading knowledge

¹ Level of proficiency according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.