

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PRESENT POSITIONS

Einstein Professor in the Comparative Study of Democracy and Authoritarianism, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin

Director, Centre for East European and International Studies (ZOiS), Berlin

Senior Research Fellow, Nuffield College, University of Oxford

Non-resident Senior Fellow at Carnegie Europe

EDUCATION AND CAREER

Since 2021 Einstein Professor in the Comparative Study of Democracy and Authoritarianism, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

Since 2016 Director of the Centre for East European and International Studies (Zentrum für Osteuropa- und internationale Studien, ZOiS), Berlin (*on leave from the University of Oxford 2016-20*)

Since 2014 Professor in Comparative Politics, Department of Politics and International Relations & Oxford School of Global and Area Studies

Since 2007 Professorial Fellow, Nuffield College & University Reader in the Comparative Politics of Central and Eastern Europe, Department of Politics and International Relations & School of Interdisciplinary Area Studies, University of Oxford (*maternity leave 2012-13*)

2005 Promotion to Senior Lecturer in Comparative European Politics, European Institute and Department of Government, London School of Economics

From 1999 Lecturer in the European Institute, London School of Economics

1998-1999 Assistant Professor, International Relations and European Studies Programme, Central European University (CEU), Budapest

1995-1999 PhD, London School of Economics, Department of Government. Thesis title: 'Bringing the Regions Back In: The Crimean Issue in Post-Soviet Ukraine'

(Viva: April 1999, passed without revisions). Awarded the LSE Robert McKenzie Prize 1999 for the best PhD in political science at LSE.

- 1994-1995 MSc 'Russian and Post-Soviet Studies', LSE, Department of Government (passed with Distinction).
- 1991-1994 Hamburg University, MA courses in History, Russian Language and Literature, and Political Science (average score of credits: 1.0).

LANGUAGES

Native German, fluent English, good Russian, intermediate Ukrainian, French and Italian

HONOURS, AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS

- 2021 Einstein Strategic Professorship, Einstein Foundation Berlin
- 2015-2016 Visiting Professor, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- 2010 Visiting Professor, CERI, Sciences-Po, Paris (April-May 2010)
- 2009 Visiting Fellow, Robert Schuman Institute, European University Institute, Florence (September-December 2010)
- 2009 Alexander Nove Prize 2007 (annual book prize of the British Association for Slavonic and East European Studies) for *The Crimea Question: Identity, Transition, and Conflict*, Harvard University Press 2007.
- 2009 Teaching Excellence Award, University of Oxford
- 2003-2004 Jean Monnet Fellowship, European University Institute, Robert Schuman Centre
- 2002-2003 Visiting Fellowship, Institute for East European Studies, Free University Berlin
- 1999 LSE Robert McKenzie Prize for PhD dissertation
- 1996-1998 LSE Graduate Studentship Award
- 1996-1999 UK ESRC Studentship
- 1996-1998 Ph.D. Scholarship, *Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes* (German Academic Scholarship Foundation)
- 1991-1995 Full Scholarship by the *Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes* (German Academic Scholarship Foundation)
- 1991 Abitur, Gymnasium Glinde (final grade: 1,0)

PUBLICATIONS

Google Scholar profile: <https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=AzwvbScAAAAJ&hl=en>

Books:

In progress:

Russland in Ost- und Westdeutschland: Wirkmacht einer Idee (Working Title), under contract with C.H.Beck (forthcoming spring 2026)

Voice after Exit: Migrant Political Remittances, under contract with Oxford University Press (forthcoming 2027)

1. *Russia's War against Ukraine*, London: Polity, 2023 (revised/translated by me from the German edition published by C.H. Beck)

2. *Der Krieg gegen die Ukraine*, München: C.H.Beck, 2022.

3. *Post-Soviet Secessionism: Nation- and State-Failure after Communism*, *ibidem press*/Columbia University Press, 2021 (co-edited with Mikhail Minakov and Daria Isachenko).

4. *The Crimea Question: Identity, Transition, and Conflict*, Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard University Press, 2007 (published in paperback 2014).

5. *Europeanization and Regionalization in the EU's Enlargement to Central and Eastern Europe. The Myth of Conditionality*, London: Palgrave, 2004 (co-authored with James Hughes and Claire Gordon).

6. *Ethnicity and Territory in the Former Soviet Union: Regions in Conflict*, London: Frank Cass, 2001 (co-edited with James Hughes).

Articles in refereed journals:

In progress:

Several articles pending review related to ongoing survey research in Ukrain (pre-war and during the war)

1. 'What political status did the Donbas want? Survey evidence on the eve of Russia's Full-Scale Invasion of Ukraine in February 2022', *Geopolitics*, Online first 7 October 2024 (Open Access)

<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/14650045.2024.2401413>

2. 'Flowers, Tractors, & Telegram: Who are the Protesters in Belarus?: A Survey Based Assessment of Anti-Lukashenka Protest Participants', *Nationalities Papers*, Vol. 51, No. 2, 2023, pp. 744-769 (with Olga Onuch and Sébastien Michiels), part of special issue "The

Dynamics of Mass Mobilization in Belarus” guest-edited with Olga Onuch (incl. Introduction, pp. 736-743) (Open Access)

<https://www.cambridge.org/core/journals/nationalities-papers/article/flowers-tractors-telegram-who-are-the-protesters-in-belarus-a-survey-based-assessment-of-antilukashenka-protest-participants/BF45DDF0C5DD972FFEC4AFA5071D70C5>

3. ‘Anti-regime action and geopolitical polarization: Understanding Protester Dispositions in Belarus’, *Post-Soviet Affairs*, Vol. 38, No. 1-2, 2022, pp. 62-87 (with Olga Onuch), part of special issue “Belarus in crisis: people, protest, and political disposition” guest-edited with Olga Onuch (Open Access)

<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/1060586X.2022.2034134>

4. ‘Transnational Linkages and Political Attitudes: Young People in Russia’, *Europe-Asia-Studies*, Vol. 74, No. 7, 2022, pp. 1278-1299 (with Félix Krawatzek) (Open Access)

<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/09668136.2022.2089350>

5. ‘A Border Regime in the Making? The Case of the Contact Line in Ukraine’, *Historical Social Research*, Vol. 46, No. 3, 2021, pp. 208-244 (with Sabine v. Löwis) (Open Access)

<https://www.ssoar.info/ssoar/handle/document/75555>

6. ‘The Displaced as “Ordinary Citizens”: Exploring Variation in the Political Attitudes of the Displaced from Donbas’, *Europe-Asia-Studies*, Vol. 72, No. 3, 2020, pp. 354-382 (with Alice Lackner) (Open Access)

<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/09668136.2020.1728087?scroll=top&needAccess=true>

7. ‘War and Displacement: The Case of Ukraine’, *Europe-Asia-Studies*, Vol. 72, No. 3, 2020, pp. 347-353 (Introduction to Special Issue edited by me) (Open Access)

<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/pdf/10.1080/09668136.2020.1728087>

8. ‘War and State-Making in Ukraine: Forging a Civic Identity from Below’, *Ideology and Politics*, No.1(12) 2019, pp. 75-98 (with Alice Lackner) (Open Access)

https://ideopol.org/wpcontent/uploads/2019/11/___ENG.%201.5.%20Sasse%20&%20Lackner%20FIN.pdf

9. ‘Language, Locality, and Transnational Belonging: Remitting the Everyday Practice of Cultural Integration’, *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, Vol. 46, No. 6, pp. 1072-93, Online First January 2019 (with Félix Krawatzek) (Open Access)

<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/1369183X.2018.1554295>

10. ‘The Simultaneity of Feeling German and Being American: Analyzing 150 Years of Private Migrant Correspondence’, *Migration Studies*, Vol. 8, No. 2, 2020, pp. 161-88 (with Félix Krawatzek)

<https://academic.oup.com/migration/articleabstract/8/2/161/5045541?redirectedFrom=fulltext>

11. ‘Integration and Identities: The Effects of Time, Migrant Networks, and Political Crises on Germans in the United States’, *Comparative Studies in Society and History*, Vol. 60, No. 4, 2018, pp. 1029-65 (with Félix Krawatzek)

<https://www.jstor.org/stable/26795876>

12. 'War and Identity: The Case of the Donbas in Ukraine', *Post-Soviet Affairs*, Vol. 34, Nos. 2-3, 2018, pp. 139-57 (with Alice Lackner) (Open Access)
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/1060586X.2018.1452209>
13. 'Studying Identity in Ukraine', *Post-Soviet Affairs*, Vol. 34, Nos. 2-3, pp. 79-83 (with Olga Onuch, Henry Hale) (Introduction to Special Issue 'Identity Politics in Times of Crisis: Ukraine as a Critical Case' guest-edited by Olga Onuch, Henry Hale and Gwendolyn Sasse) (Open Access)
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/1060586X.2018.1451241>
14. 'Migrantische Netzwerke und Integration: Das Transnationale Kommunikationsfeld deutscher Einwandererfamilien in den USA', *Zeitschrift für vergleichende Politikwissenschaft*, Vol. 12, No. 1, 2018, pp. 211-28 (with Félix Krawatzek) (Open Access)
<https://d-nb.info/1156993946/34>
15. 'Empowering to Engage with the Homeland: Do Migration Experience and Environment foster Political Remittances?', *Comparative Migration Studies*, 4, 12, 2016, pp. 1-25 (with Anar Ahmadov) (Open Access)
<http://link.springer.com/article/10.1186/s40878-016-0041-z>
16. 'The Maidan in Movement: Diversity and the Cycles of Protest', *Europe-Asia-Studies*, Vol. 68, No. 3, 2016, pp. 556-87 (with Olga Onuch).
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/09668136.2016.1159665?scroll=top&needAccess=true>
17. 'Power ideas and conflict: ideology, linkage, and leverage in Crimea and Chechnya', *East European Politics*, Vol. 32, No. 3, 2016, pp. 314-34 (with James Hughes).
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/21599165.2015.1124091>
18. 'International Linkages and the Dynamics of Conflict: Revisiting the Post-Soviet Conflicts', *East European Politics*, Vol. 32, No. 3, 2016, pp. 289-96 (Introduction to the special issue 'Linkages and Conflict in the Post-Soviet Conflicts' edited by Gwendolyn Sasse) (Open Access)
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/21599165.2016.1176560>
19. 'A Voice Despite Exit: The Role of Assimilation, Emigrant Networks, and Destination in Migrant Transnational Political Engagement', *Comparative Political Studies*, Vol. 49, No. 1, 2016, pp. 78-114 (with Anar K. Ahmadov).
20. 'Migrant regional allegiances in homeland elections: evidence on voting by Poles and Ukrainians', *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, Vol. 41, No. 1, 2015, pp. 1769-93 (with Anar K. Ahmadov).
21. 'Linkages and the Promotion of Democracy', *Democratization*, Vol. 20, No. 4, 2013, pp. 553-91
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/13510347.2012.659014>
22. 'The European Neighbourhood Policy and Conflict-Management: A Comparison of

Moldova and the Caucasus', *Ethnopolitics*, 8, 3-4, 2009, pp. 369-86
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/17449050903086971>

23. 'The Politics of Conditionality: The Norm of Minority Protection before and after EU Accession', *Journal of European Public Policy*, Vol. 15, No. 6, 2008, pp. 842-60
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/13501760802196580>

24. 'The European Neighbourhood Policy: Conditionality Revisited for the EU's Eastern Neighbours', *Europe-Asia Studies*, Vol. 60, No. 2, 2008, pp. 295-316
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/09668130701820150>

25. 'A Research Agenda for the Study of Migrants and Minorities in Europe', *Journal of Common Market Studies*, Vol. 43, No. 4, 2005, pp. 655-71 (with Eiko Thielemann)
<https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/j.1468-5965.2005.00590.x>

26. 'Securitization or Securing Rights? Exploring the Conceptual Foundations of Policies towards Minorities and Migrants in Europe', *Journal of Common Market Studies*, Vol. 43, No. 4, 2005, pp. 673-93
<https://ideas.repec.org/a/bla/jcmkts/v43y2005i4p673-693.html>

27. 'Monitoring the Monitors: EU Enlargement and National Minorities in Central and Eastern Europe', *Journal of Ethnopolitics and Minority Issues in Europe*, 1, 2003, pp.1-38 (with James Hughes).

28. 'Saying 'Maybe' to the 'Return to Europe': Elites and the Political Space for Euroscepticism in Central and Eastern Europe', *European Union Politics*, Vol. 3, No. 3, 2002, pp. 327-55 (with James Hughes and Claire Gordon)
<https://ideas.repec.org/a/sae/eeupol/v3y2002i3p327-355.html>

Other selected articles:

1. 'An der Schnittstelle Wissenschaft und Öffentlichkeit. Eine Reflexion', *Osteuropa* (forthcoming März 2025)

2. Russia's War against Ukraine: A Trio of Special Issues, *Europe-Asia-Studies*, edited by me based on articles from the journal's archives relevant to a better understanding of the war , each framed by an introduction by me (Open Access)
<https://www.tandfonline.com/journals/ceas20/collections/Russias-War-Against-Ukraine>
<https://www.tandfonline.com/journals/ceas20/collections/Russias-War-Against-Ukraine-Part-2>
<https://www.tandfonline.com/journals/ceas20/collections/Russias-War-Against-Ukraine-Part-3>

3. 'Mann ohne Eigenschaften: Die Wahl Volodymyr Zelens'kyjs' (mit Juri Durkot, Volodymyr Kulyk, Kateryna Mishchenko, Andrew Wilson) , *Osteuropa*, No 3-4/2019, 3-18.

4. 'The Foundations of Ethnic Politics, or a House Built on Sand?', Nations and Nationalism Debate 2010, *Nations and Nationalism*, Vol. 17, No. 4, 2011.

5. 'Ukraine: The Role of Regionalism', *Journal of Democracy*, Vol. 21, No. 3, July 2010, pp. 99-106.
6. Stabilität durch Heterogenität: Regionale Vielfalt als Stärke der Ukraine', *Osteuropa*, No 2-4, 2010, pp. 105-22.
7. Review Symposium: 'Kymlicka's odyssey – lured by norms into the rocks of politics', *Ethnicities*, Vol. 8, No. 2, 2008, pp. 265-70.

Selected Book Chapters:

1. 'An End to Patience? The Great Recession and Economic Protest in Eastern Europe', in Nancy Bermeo and Larry Bartels (eds) *Mass Politics in Tough Times. Opinions, Votes and Protest in the Great Recession*, New York: Oxford University Press, 2013, pp. 334-70 (with Mark Beissinger).
2. 'The Council of Europe as a Norm Entrepreneur: The Political Strengths of a Weak International Institution', in Neil Walker, Jo Shaw & Stephen Tierney (eds), *Europe's Constitutional Mosaic*, Oxford: Hart Publishing, 2011, pp. 171-204.
3. 'The ENP and the EU's Eastern Neighbours: Ukraine and Moldova as Testcases', in Richard Whitman & Stefan Wolff (eds), *The European Neighbourhood Policy in Perspective: Context, Implementation and Impact*, Palgrave, 2010, pp. 181-205.
4. 'Minority Protection and EU Enlargement: Tracing the Construction and Effects of EU Conditionality', in Bernd Rechel (ed), *Minority Rights in Central and Eastern Europe*, Routledge, 2009, pp. 17-31.
5. 'How Deep is the Wider Europe? Elites, Europeanization, and Euroscepticism in the CEECs', in Aleks Szczerbiak & Paul Taggart (eds), *Opposing Europe? The Comparative Party Politics of Euroscepticism, 2008*, pp. 181-207 (with James Hughes and Claire Gordon).
6. 'Conditionality-lite: The European Neighbourhood Policy and the EU's Eastern Neighbours', in: Costanza Musu and Nicola Casarini (eds), *The Road to Convergence: European Foreign Policy in an Evolving International System*, Basingstoke: Palgrave, 2007, pp. 163-180.
7. 'The Political Rights of National Minorities: Lessons from Central and Eastern Europe', in: Wojciech Sadurski (ed), *Political Rights under Stress in 21st Century Europe*, Oxford: Oxford University Press (Academy of European Law Series), 2007, pp. 239-282
8. 'National Minorities and EU Enlargement: External or Domestic Incentives for Accommodation?', in John McGarry and Michael Keating (eds), *European Integration and the Nationalities Question*, London: Routledge, 2006, pp. 64-84
9. 'Sub-National Governance in Central and Eastern Europe: Between Transition and Enlargement', in Wojciech Sadurski et al. (eds), *Spreading Democracy and the Rule of Law?*

The Impact of EU Enlargement on the Rule of Law, Democracy and Constitutionalism in Postcommunist Legal Orders, Springer, 2006, pp. 121-47 (with James Hughes and Claire Gordon)

10. ‘Minority Rights and EU Enlargement: Normative Overstretch or Effective Conditionality’, chapter in Gabriel von Toggenburg (ed), *Minority Protection and the EU: The Way Forward*, Budapest: LGI, Open Society Institute, 2004, pp. 61-84

11. ‘EU Enlargement, Europeanisation and the Dynamics of Regionalisation in the CEECs’, in Michael Keating and James Hughes (eds), *The Regional Challenge in Central and Eastern Europe: Territorial and European Integration*, Brussels: Peter Lang, 2003, pp. 69-88 (with James Hughes and Claire Gordon).

12. ‘Die Autonome Republik der Krim zwischen Einheitsstaat und Separatismus’, in: Gerd Simon (ed.), *Die neue Ukraine. Gesellschaft - Wirtschaft - Politik (1991-2001)*, Köln: Böhlau Verlag, 2002, pp. 127-47.

13. ‘The EU Common Strategy on Ukraine: A Response to Ukraine’s “pro-European choice”’, in Ann Lewis (ed.), *The EU and Ukraine. Neighbours, Friends, Partners?*, London: Federal Trust, 2002, pp. 213-21.

Other publications (ZOiS):

1. The Political Diversity of the New Russian Migration since February 2022, ZOiS Report 4/2024 (with Félix Krawatzek); <https://www.zois-berlin.de/en/publications/zois-report/the-political-diversity-of-the-new-migration-from-russia-since-february-2022>

2. Displaced Ukrainian Youth: Displaced Futures?, ZOiS Report 3/2024 (with Sabine von Löwis); <https://www.zois-berlin.de/publikationen/zois-report/displaced-ukrainian-youth-displaced-futures>

3. Articles on different topics related to Ukraine, Russia, Central Asia and the study of Eastern Europe in *Ukraine-Analysen, Russland-Analysen, Zentralasienanalysen*; <https://laenderanalysen.de/ukraine-analysen/autoren/gwendolyn-sasse>

4. Belarus at a crossroads: attitudes on social and political change, ZOiS Report 3/2021 (with Nadja Douglas, Regina Elsner, Félix Krawatzek und Julia Langbein); <https://www.zois-berlin.de/publikationen/belarus-at-a-crossroads-attitudes-on-social-and-political-change>

5. Russland²: Russlandbilder in Ost- und Westdeutschland, ZOiS Report 5/2020; <https://www.zois-berlin.de/publikationen/russland2-russlandbilder-in-ost-und-westdeutschland>

6. Attitudes and identities across the Donbas frontline: What has changed from 2016 to 2019?, ZOiS Report 3/2019 (with Alice Lackner); <https://www.zois-berlin.de/publikationen/attitudes-and-identities-across-the-donbas-front-line-what-has-changed-from-2016-to-2019>

7. Public Perceptions in Flux: Identities, War, and Transnational Linkages in Ukraine, ZOiS Report 4/2018 (with Alice Lackner); <https://www.zois-berlin.de/publikationen/public-perceptions-in-flux-identities-war-and-transnational-linkages-in-ukraine>
8. Youth in Russia: Outlook on Life and Political Attitudes, ZOiS Report 1/2018 (with Félix Krawatzek), <https://www.zois-berlin.de/publikationen/youth-in-russia-outlook-on-life-and-political-attitudes>
9. Terra incognita: the public mood in Crimea, ZOiS Report 3/2017; <https://www.zois-berlin.de/publikationen/terra-incognita-the-public-mood-in-crimea>
10. The Donbas – Two parts, or still one? The experience of war through the eyes of the regional population, ZOiS Report 2/2017; <https://www.zois-berlin.de/publikationen/the-donbas-two-parts-or-still-one>
11. The Displaced Ukrainians: Who are they? And what do they think?, ZOiS Report 1/2017; <https://www.zois-berlin.de/publikationen/the-displaced-ukrainians-who-are-they-and-what-do-they-think>

PEER REVIEWING AND BOOK REVIEWS

I regularly review project applications for the ESRC, the British Academy, the AHRC, the DFG, Volkswagen Foundation, ERC and similar bodies abroad (e.g. Austria, Switzerland, Ireland). I have reviewed articles and books for many different journals, including *American Political Science Review*, *World Politics*, *Comparative Politics*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *European Journal of Political Research*, *East European Politics and Societies*, *Europe-Asia Studies*, *Post-Soviet Affairs*, *East European Politics*, *Slavic Review*, *Nations and Nationalism*, *Nationalities Papers*, *Journal of European Public Policy*, *Journal of Common Market Studies*, *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* etc.

RESEARCH GRANTS

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| 2022-2026 | BMBF-funded project ‘Ukraine Research Network@ZOiS (UNET)’ incl. 5 (non-) residential fellowships per year (PI) |
| 2022-2026 | BMBF-funded Competence Network ‘Conflict and Cooperation in Eastern Europe (KonKoop)’ (Lead-PI, Partner institutions: IFL, IOS, FSU Jena, HNEE und ZZf) |
| 2019-2026 | DFG-Cluster of Excellence, Free University of Berlin, et al.: ‘The Contestations of the Liberal Script (SCRIPTS)’ (one of PIs; Coordinator of one of four Research Units (“Borders”) since 2023 and Coordinator of Knowledge Exchange Lab since 2024) |
| 2019-2021 | British Academy Grant (Programme: ‘Tackling the UK’s International Challenges 2019’): ‘Identity and Borders in Flux: The Case of Ukraine’ (Co-I, in cooperation with the University of Manchester and George Washington University) (£50,000). |

- 2018-2021 Open Research Area Grant: ‘Determinants of “Mobilisation” at Home and Abroad: Analysing the Micro-Foundations of Out-Migration & Mass Protest’ (MOBILISE) (Lead-PI, cooperation with University of Manchester, University of Oxford, Free University Amsterdam, ENSAE University Saclay) (ca. EUR 2 million).
- 2015-2016 John Fell Fund OUP Research Fund, Small Awards Scheme: ‘Using new computerised techniques for the social science analysis of historical texts: Building a database of letters sent by German immigrants in the US (19th/20th centuries)’ (£7,500).
- 2013-2016 Large Leverhulme Trust Grant on ‘Political Remittances: Understanding the Political Impacts of Migration’ (£200,000).
- 2011-14 John Fell Fund OUP Research Fund, Small Awards Scheme: ‘Drawing Inferences from Migrant Voters to Migrants’ (£7,000) (extended until 2014 due to maternity leave).
- 2012 ESRC Knowledge Transfer Award ‘Linkage and Leverage: The External Actors in Post-Soviet Conflicts’ (£10,000) (Workshop held on 11 May 2012).
- 2010-2011 John Fell Fund OUP Research Fund, Small Awards Scheme: ‘Engaging with the Homeland: A Survey of Ukrainian Migrants’ (£5,700).
- 2010-2012 British Academy Small Grant: ‘Understanding Political Voices from Abroad: Polish Migrants in the UK’ (£7,500).
- 2009-2010 John Fell Fund OUP Research Fund, Small Awards Scheme: ‘Migration and the Politics of Time: What is Temporary Migration? What are its Implications’ (£7,500).
- 2006-2008 Partner in EU Framework Six project (Specific Targeted Project) ‘Human and Minority Rights in the Life-Cycle of Ethnic Conflicts’ (overall budget: EUR 1.186 million; see <http://www.eurac.edu/Org/Minorities/MIRICO/index.htm>).
- 2003-2005 Leverhulme Trust Research Fellowship (£20,000): ‘Minorities in the “New” Europe’.
- 2002 LSE STICERD Grant (£7,000).
- 1999-2003 One of three principal researchers on the ESRC project ‘Elites and Regional and Local Governance in Eastern Europe’ (£160,000), ESRC Programme ‘One Europe or Several?’ (see www.regard.ac.uk for output).

ADVISORY BOARDS, CONSULTANCY AND THINK TANKS

- 2021 Member of the Working Group *Zukunftszentrum für Deutsche Einheit und*

Europäische Transformation, Federal Ministry of the Interior

- 2021-2023 Member of the Working Group of the German Government „Zukunftszentrum für Europäische Transformation und Deutsche Einheit“ & subsequent Member of the Jury selecting the city to host the new Centre (Halle)
- Since 2021 Member of the Advisory Board of *Stiftung Berliner Mauer*
- Since 2020 Member of the Advisory Board of *Ukrainian Research in Switzerland* (URIS)
- Since 2019 Member of the Board of *Deutsche Gesellschaft für Osteuropakunde* (DGO) (elected by the members of the Association)
- Since 2019 Member of the Academic Advisory Board of the Institute for European Politics (IEP), Berlin
- Since 2019 Member, Förderverein Gedenkstätte Berliner Mauer
- Since 2018 Member of the Advisory Board of the *FES Regional Office for Cooperation and Peace in Europe*, Vienna (ROCPE)
- Since 2018 Member in the Advisory Board of the *Center for Eastern European Studies (CEES)* at the University of Zürich
- Since 2018 Member of the Academic Advisory Board of the Project *Comprehensive Capacity-Building in the Eastern Neighbourhood and Central Asia (COMPASS): research integration, impact governance and sustainable communities*, funded by the *Global Challenges Research Fund UK*
- Since 2017 Chair of Scientific Advisory Board, *LeibnizScienceCampus Eastern Europe – Global Area* (EEGA)
- Since 2014 Non-resident Senior Fellow at *Carnegie Europe*; <http://carnegieeurope.eu/experts/?fa=993>
- Since 2010 Member of the International Advisory Council of the *European Centre for Minority Issues* (ECMI)
- 2010-2011 Member of the International Academic Advisory Council of the *Academic Fellowship Program, Open Society Institute* (supervises projects on university reform in Eastern Europe)
- 2008-2012 Member of the International Sub-Board of the *Open Society Institute's Think-Tank Fund* (provides financial support and advice to think tanks in Eastern Europe)
- 2007-2012 Region head (Eastern Europe) and Contributor to Daily Brief, *Oxford Analytica*.
- 2006-2009 International Scholar, *Academic Fellowship Programme, Open Society Institute*

(attachment to two political science departments in Sofia, regular visits and involvement in teaching, curriculum design, research profile)

- 2005-2010 Deputy Editor of the *UNDP* newsletter ‘Development and Transition’
- 2000-2006 *Economist Intelligence Unit*, Regular Contributor to the Quarterly Reports and Country Forecasts on Ukraine
- 1997-2009 *Enterprise LSE*, Regular Contributor to *Eastern Europe Today* (Emerging Markets Analysis)
- 1995-1997 *Royal Institute of International Affairs*, Research Assistant in the Eastern Europe and Eurasia Programme

MEDIA AND PUBLIC OUTREACH

I regularly write for the Carnegie Europe blog *Strategic Europe* and contribute to the research-based blogs *Monkey Cage* (Washington Post), *The Conversation*, *ZOiS Spotlight*, *Global Voices* etc.. I regularly contribute to podcasts, incl. *Roundtable Osteuropa* (ZOiS), *Foreign Times*, *Erklär mir die Welt*, *UkraineCast* (Telegraph), *Die Lage*. I have written op-eds for a variety of media outlets, incl. *Financial Times*, *The Guardian*, *Neue Zürcher Zeitung*, *Süddeutsche Zeitung*, *Tagesspiegel*, *Table Media*, *taz et al.*. I am regularly being interviewed by German and international media, incl. *Tagesschau*, *Tagesthemen ZDF frontal*, *ARD/ZDF Morgen-/Mittagsmagazin*, *ARTE*, *Deutschlandfunk*, *Markus Lanz*, *Maybritt Illner*, *Phoenix*, *rbb*, inforadio, *Deutsche Welle*, *Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung*, *Die Zeit*, *Zeit Online*, *BBC*, *Monocle*, *CNN* etc.

I regularly brief German policy-makers (German Federal Foreign Office, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development, Federal Ministry of Defense, Chancellery, Bundestag, European Commission/Parliament etc.) about policy-relevant research and participate in discussion groups on East European and foreign policy issues hosted by the political institutions or Berlin-based think-tanks. I also regularly take part in public events on Eastern Europe, in particular on Russia’s war against Ukraine (e.g. Federal/Regional Agency for Civic Education).

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ORGANISATIONS

American Political Science Association (APSA) (incl. Chair of the Committee awarding the Juan Linz Prize for the best dissertation in the field of ‘Comparative Democratization’ in 2008, Member of the Committee awarding the Best Book Award in European Politics and Society in 2010); *Association for the Study of Nationalities* (ASN); *University Association for Contemporary European Studies* (UACES), *Deutsche Gesellschaft für Osteuropakunde* (DGO)

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