

PERSONAL INFORMATION



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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- 06/2017–Present** PhD Program: History
University of Vienna (Austria)
- 03/2013–2017** MA Program: Global History und Global Studies
University of Vienna (Austria)
Majors: Postcolonial Studies, Otherness, Transformation Studies
- 10/2012–09/2015** MA Program: English Language and Linguistics **MA**
University of Vienna (Austria)
Majors: Cognitive Linguistics, Sociolinguistics, Corpus Studies
- 02/2011–07/2012** BA Program: English and American Studies **BA**
University of Vienna (Austria)
Majors: English and Cultural Studies
- 09/2007–01/2011** Diploma program: Foreign (European) Philology
University of Orenburg (Russia)
Majors: English and German

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS, GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS:

- 01/2021–12/2023** PhD-scholarship of the Doctoral School of Historical and Cultural Studies
Department of History
University of Vienna
- 04/2019–10/2020** Administrative manager of the Vienna Anthropocene Network
Department of German Studies
University of Vienna
- 08/2018–10/2020** Administrative manager of the Vienna Doctoral Academy *Theory and Methods in the Humanities*

- Department of German Studies & Department of History
University of Vienna
- 03/2017-08/2018 Fellowship at the Vienna Doctoral Academy *Theory and Methodology in the Humanities*
Department of History
University of Vienna
- 01/2014-05/2014 Administrative assistant to the organization team of the European Social Science and History Conference 2014
International Institute for Social History, University of Amsterdam
Institute of Economic and Social History, University of Vienna
- 03/2013-07/2015 Tutor for the Survey of History of Literatures in English
Department of English and American Studies
University of Vienna
- 03/2014-06/2014 Student representative to the Department of English and American Studies' Committee on the Curricular Change
Department of English and American Studies
University of Vienna
- 09/2010-06/2011 Grant Award for an Exchange Scholarship in German
Bilateral cooperation of the University of Orenburg & Ludwig Maximilian University, Munich
- 03/2010 Student representative to the Faculty's Scientific Circle
Department of English and American Studies
University of Orenburg
- 09/2007-01/2011 Scholarship of the Ministry of Education of the Russian Federation
University of Orenburg

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATIONS AND PUBLIC TALKS:

- *Einheitspsychose? – Vom Verhandeln des international vergleichbaren diagnostischen Bildes für Schizophrenie in den 1970-1980er Jahren* – Skalen, Normen, Grenzwerte im (digitalen) Wandel - gemeinsame Jahrestagung der Gesellschaft für Technikgeschichte und der Gesellschaft für Geschichte der Wissenschaften, der Medizin und der Technik, September 2021
- *“And how is it there, over the Ocean?” – Soviet Dissidents Reaching the West* – Workshop Dissidents as Figures of Truth (Since the 1970s), July 2021
- *Bipolar Science: Soviet Psychiatry as a Battlefield of the Cold War* – European Social Science and History Conference, March 2021

- *On Mixed Signals and Borderline Messages: Soviet Psychiatry in the Epistemic Conflict of the Cold War* – Deglobalization and Anti-Globalism in Central Europe, Workshop Series of the University of Chicago and University of Vienna, February 2021
- *Soviet Psychiatry as a Battlefield of the Cold War* – Workshop Discussing New Cold War Studies, Arne Westad (Yale University) & The New Cold War Studies Research Group, December 2020
- *Community in The Making: Approaching Soviet Psychiatrists* – 4. Schreibwerkstatt zur Geschichte der Psychologie, Max-Weber-Kolleg der Universität Erfurt, Research Center Gotha, September 2020
- *Ärzte im Zwielficht: Internationale Organisationen im Konflikt mit sowjetischer Psychiatrie* – 13. Zeitgeschichte Tagung, Universität Innsbruck, April 2020
- *Soviet Psychiatry in Domestic Politics and International Networks* – Working Group GDR-Psychiatry (AK DDR-Psychiatrie, Charité – Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Institut für Geschichte der Medizin und Ethik in der Medizin), December 2019
- *“They’ll Cure You. And You. And They Will Cure Me, Too” - Picturing Soviet Psychiatry in The Popular Culture Of The Late Soviet Era* – 3. Schreibwerkstatt zur Geschichte der Psychologie, Max-Weber-Kolleg der Universität Erfurt, Research Center Gotha, September 2019
- *The Power in Psychiatry. Soviet Political Abuse as a Contest of Epistemic Hierarchies and Paradigms* – The 13th Annual Graduate Conference in European History (GRACEH), Budapest, April 2019
- *Schizophrenia: disease and/or dissent? – Soviet psychiatrists within the international peer community of the 1970s* – 2. Schreibwerkstatt zur Geschichte der Psychologie, Max-Weber-Kolleg der Universität Erfurt, Research Center Gotha, September 2018
- *Pure madness! – communicating the political abuse of psychiatry in the USSR within the international peer community* – The 12th Annual Graduate Conference in European History (GRACEH), Vienna, April 2018

CONFERENCES, TALKS & WORKSHOPS – ORGANIZED OR COORDINATED:

For the Vienna Anthropocene Network:

- *Schuld im Anthropozän* – a workshop for Benjamin Robinson and Julianne Prade-Weiss, in cooperation with the Viennese Magistrate 40 (Culture), January 2020
- *Vanishing Ice* – an expert podium discussion & a conference in cooperation with the Museum of Natural History, Vienna & The Austrian Polar Research Institute, January 2020
- *Resource Imaginaries* – a conference of the Vienna Anthropocene Network in cooperation with the Key Research Area History of Science, Historical Faculty, University of Vienna, November 2019
- *Historische Perspektiven auf das Anthropozän* – a talk for Franz Mauelshagen, November 2019
- *Asia Decentering Anthropocene* – a conference for Susanne Weigelin-Schwiedrzik, Department of Asian Studies, November 2019
- *Planetary Social Thought* – a talk for Bronislaw Szerszynski, October 2019

- *Anthropocene Book Party* – a book presentation with a podium discussion, October 2019
- *Anthropocene: Challenging the Disciplines* – an (opening) conference of the project, April 2019
- *The Anthropocene: An Overview of the current Status and geological Assessment to Date* – a talk for Colin Waters, March 2019
- *Kulturgeschichte als Energiegeschichte: über Mensch und Natur im Anthropozän* – a talk for Hannes Bergthaller, January 2019

For the Vienna Doctoral Academy *Theory and Methodology in the Humanities*:

- *Vienna Doctoral Academy's (yearly workshop) Retreat 2019*, June 2019
- *Ästhetik im Zeichen des Konsums. Ausdifferenzierung oder Entzug der Diversität?* – a talk for Moritz Baßler, January 2019
- *Historische Methoden für Doktorierende* – a workshop for Eva Horn & Franz Eder, December 2018
- *Anthropocene Narratives* – a workshop for Kate Rigby, December 2018

Non-aligned (co-)organized conferences:

- *Colloquium Medizin- und Psychiatriegeschichte* – Department for History & Doctoral School of Historical and Cultural Studies, June 2021
- *Architektur der Sprache* – a book presentation for Roland Innerhofer, Department of German Studies, June 2019
- *People and Ideas on the Move: Interaction, Interconnection and Entanglement* – Graduate Conference in European History (GRACEH), April 2018
- *European Social Science and History Conference (ESSHC)*, April 2014

PUBLICATIONS:

- Power in Psychiatry: Soviet Peer and Lay Hierarchies in the Context of Political Abuse of Psychiatry (<https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/10.1177/0957154X211047805> in *History of Psychiatry*, SAGE)

MEMBERSHIPS:

- Research Center for the History of Transformations (RECET)
- Research Platform for the Study of Transformations and Eastern Europe
- The New Cold War Studies Research Group
- Key Research Area History of Science (Faculty of Historical and Cultural Studies, University of Vienna)
- Gesellschaft für Geschichte der Wissenschaften, der Medizin und der Technik (GWMT)