

# Curriculum Vitae

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### Personal Information

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| Date of Birth        | 23 July 1981  |
| Nationality          | Austrian  |
| Country of Residence | Austria<br>since 08/2021; 2017-2021 United Kingdom; 2007-2017 The Netherlands |

### Research and Teaching Interests

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- Politics of Foreign Policymaking; International Relations of the European Union; International & EU & domestic nexus;
- European Union Politics; Digital Transformation; Public Administrations; Central and Eastern Europe;
- Constructivism; Relational Theory; Complex Systems; Qualitative Research Methods; Social Network Analysis;

→ Current Research Programme: “Cooperative politics and European democracies: between relational identities and sovereign geopolitics”

### Current Academic Positions

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| Since 2021/08 | <b>Danube University Krems</b><br>Senior Researcher at the Department for E-Governance and Administration |
| Since 2019/09 | <b>College of Europe</b> , Bruges<br>Visiting Professor in <a href="#">European Diplomacy</a>             |

### Previous Academic Positions

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| 2020/04 – 2021/07 | <b>University of Bristol</b> , School of Sociology, Politics and International Studies<br>Marie Curie Research Fellow: <a href="#">European Diplomacy Practices post-Lisbon</a> |
| 2021/04 – 2021/06 | <b>University of Vienna</b> , Department of Political Science<br>Visiting Professor in Austrian Politics and EU   |
| 2018/09 – 2020/03 | <b>University of Oxford</b> , Department of Politics and International Relations<br>Lecturer in EU Politics   |
| 2017/09 – 2018/09 | <b>London School of Economics and Political Science</b><br>International Relations Department, Fellow in EU and International Organisations                                     |
| 2011/08 – 2017/09 | <b>Maastricht University</b> , The Netherlands. Assistant Professor (tenured from 2014; 60% teaching, 20% pedagogical support, 20% research)                                    |
| 2012/10 – 2013/06 | <b>School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS), John Hopkins University</b> ,<br>Center for Transatlantic Relations, Austrian Marshall Plan Foundation Fellow               |
| 2008/08 – 2011/07 | <b>Maastricht University</b> , The Netherlands<br>Lecturer in European Studies (80% teaching, 20% research)   |
| 2007/10 – 2008/08 | <b>European Institute of Public Administration (EIPA)</b> , Maastricht<br>Research Fellow   |
| 2006/03 – 2007/02 | <b>University of Vienna</b> , Austria<br>External Lecturer for seminar “The EU as international Actor”  |

## Education

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- 2005/03 – 2011/10 **PhD in Political Science**, University of Vienna.  
Dissertation Title: “Business as usual? The European Neighbourhood Policy & institutional coherence in European Union foreign policy-making”;
- 2004/10 – 2007/09 **Postgraduate scholar** “European Integration 2004-2007” at the **Institute for Advanced Studies** (IHS), Vienna (Austria)
- 1999/10 – 2004/10 Magistra-Study in **Political Science** at Vienna University (curriculum before BA/MA introduction) with minor in communication science;

## List of International Peer-Reviewed Publications

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ORCID Profile: <https://orcid.org/0000-0002-0509-7580>

Google Scholar Profile: <https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=wewnv68AAAAJ>

- The EU and the invasion of Ukraine: a collective responsibility to act?** (, with Richard Whitman and Nicholas Wright), *International Affairs*, 2023, 99(1): 219-238. Impact Factor: 4.985; <https://doi.org/10.1093/ia/iia262>
- Process and position power: a social relational research agenda about state power in negotiations** (with Marianna Lovato), *Journal of European Public Policy*, 2022, 29(12): 1994-2006. Impact Factor: 4.366; <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/13501763.2022.2135755>
- How much unity do you need? Systemic Contestation in EU Foreign and Security Cooperation** (with Nick Wright), *European Security*, 2021, 30(3): 385-401. Impact Factor: 1.942. <https://doi.org/10.1080/09662839.2021.1947800>
- Reclaiming Agency: Skills, Academics and Students in the Social Sciences** (with Maxine David). *European Political Science*, 2022, 21: 308–324: <https://doi.org/10.1057/s41304-021-00349-3>; Impact Factor: 1.756. <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1057%2Fs41304-021-00349-3>
- Still governing in the shadows? Member states and the Political & Security Committee in the post-Lisbon EU foreign policy architecture** (with Nick Wright), *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 2020, 59(4): 856-872. Impact factor: 3.990. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jcms.13134>
- A New Paradigm for EU Diplomacy? EU Council Negotiations in a Time of Physical Restrictions** (with Nick Wright), *The Hague Journal of Diplomacy*, 2020, 15(4), 556-568. SJR Impact Score: 0.960. <https://doi.org/10.1163/1871191X-BJA10039>
- Introduction: Innovative Teaching on European (Foreign) Affairs.** (with Arne Nieman and Friedrich Plank), 2020, *Journal of Contemporary European Research* 16(1). SJR Impact Score: 0.299. <https://www.jcer.net/index.php/jcer/article/view/1153>
- The Quest for Internal Legitimacy: The EEAS, EU delegations and the contested structures of European diplomacy** (with J.H. Morgenstern-Pomorski), 2018, *Global Affairs*, 4(2-3), 305-316. <https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/23340460.2018.1535252>
- European cooperation abroad: European diplomatic cooperation outside EU borders** (with Federica Bicchi), *The Hague Journal of Diplomacy*, 2018, 13(1): 1-19. SJR Impact Score: 0.960. [https://brill.com/abstract/journals/hjd/13/1/article-p1\\_1.xml](https://brill.com/abstract/journals/hjd/13/1/article-p1_1.xml)
- Neither fish nor fowl. EU Delegations as tools of European Diplomacy after the Lisbon Treaty** (with Kristi Raik), *The Hague Journal of Diplomacy*, 2018, 13(1): 57–74. SJR Impact Score: 0.960. [https://brill.com/view/journals/hjd/13/1/article-p57\\_57.xml](https://brill.com/view/journals/hjd/13/1/article-p57_57.xml)
- Austrian Diplomacy in a Changing Global and European Context: Between Innovation, Adaptation and Resilience.** *Austrian Political Science Journal*, 2016, 45 (2): 35-47. SJR Impact Score: 0.238. <https://webapp.uibk.ac.at/ojs/index.php/OEZP/article/view/1611>
- Students´ Skills, Employability and the Teaching of European Studies: challenges and opportunities.** (with Jocelyn Mawdsley) *European Political Science*, 2014, 13(1): 32-42. Impact Factor: 1.756. <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1057%2Feps.2013.34>

**The Presidency in EU External Relations: Who is at the helm?** (with Sophie Vanhoonacker & Karolina Pomorska), 2011, *Politique Européenne* No. 35 (special issue), 139-164. SJR Impact Score: 0.168. <https://www.cairn.info/revue-politique-europeenne-2011-3-page-139.htm>

**Understanding the Role of Bureaucracy in the European Security and Defence Policy: The State of the Art.** (with Sophie Vanhoonacker & Hylke Dijkstra), *European Integration Online Papers*, 2010. Volume 14 (Special Issue 1). SJR Impact Score: 0.361. <http://eiop.or.at/eiop/pdf/2010-004.pdf>

- **Special Issues Editorship**

**Innovative Teaching on European (Foreign) Affairs.** (with Arne Niemann & Friedrich Plank), *Journal of Contemporary European Research*, 2020, 16(1). <https://www.jcer.net/index.php/jcer/issue/view/62>

**European cooperation abroad: European diplomatic cooperation outside EU borders** (with Federica Bicchi), *The Hague Journal of Diplomacy*, 2018, 13(1). [https://brill.com/abstract/journals/hjd/13/1/article-p1\\_1.xml](https://brill.com/abstract/journals/hjd/13/1/article-p1_1.xml)

**Austrian Foreign Policy and 20 Years of EU Membership: Opportunities and Constraints** (with Patrick Müller), 2016. *Austrian Political Science Journal* 45 (2). <https://webapp.uibk.ac.at/ojs/index.php/OEZP/issue/view/181>

**Teaching European Studies: old and new tools for student engagement** (with Simon Lightfoot), *European Political Science*, 2014, 13(1). <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1057/eps.2013.28>

**Understanding the Role of Bureaucracy in the European Security and Defence Policy.** (with Sophie Vanhoonacker and Hylke Dijkstra), 2010, *European Integration Online Papers*, Volume 14 (Special Issue 1). [http://eiop.or.at/eiop/vol\\_14\\_2010.html](http://eiop.or.at/eiop/vol_14_2010.html)

- **Chapters in Edited Volumes**

**Foreign Policy** (with Nick Wright), In: *Encyclopaedia of European Union Public Policy*. eds. Jale Tosun and Paolo Graziano. Edward Elgar. <https://www.e-elgar.com/shop/gbp/elgar-encyclopedia-of-european-union-public-policy-9781800881105.html> - :~:text=A\_holistic\_and\_extensive\_exploration,field of EU public policy

**The added value of European diplomacy for EU regional and international actorness.** In: *The EU's global actorness in a world of contested leadership: policies, instruments and perceptions*, 2022, edited by Maria Freire, Paula Lopes, Paula, Daniela Nascimento and Licia Simao, Palgrave Macmillan; <https://link.springer.com/book/10.1007/978-3-030-92997-8>.

**The European External Action Service.** In: *Palgrave Handbook of EU Crisis*, 2021, edited by Marianne Riddervold, Jarle Trondal, Akasemi Newsome; <https://link.springer.com/book/10.1007/978-3-030-51791-5>.

**Best Practices in Problem-Based Learning.** In: *Handbook of Teaching and Learning in Political Science and International Relations*, 2015. Edited by John Ishiyama, Will Miller and Eszter Simon, Edward Elgar Publishers; <https://www.elgaronline.com/display/edcoll/9781782548478/9781782548478.xml>.

**An upgraded EU delegation in a reinforced system of European diplomatic coordination: insights from Washington.** In: *European Diplomacy post-Westphalia*, 2015. Edited by Spence, David, and Batora, Jozef, Palgrave Macmillan; [https://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1057/9781137383037\\_15](https://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1057/9781137383037_15).

**From regional power to global power? The European Neighbourhood Policy after the Lisbon Treaty.** (with Licia Simao), In: *Global Power Europe – Policies, Actions and Influence of the EU's External Relations*, 2013. Edited by A. Boening, J.Fk Kremer & A. van Loon. Springer; [https://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1007/978-3-642-32412-3\\_6](https://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1007/978-3-642-32412-3_6).

**Problem-Based Learning in European Studies.** (with Christine Neuhold) In *Teaching European Union Studies. Patterns in Traditional and Innovative Teaching Methods and Curricula*, 2013. Edited by Stefania Baroncelli, Roberto Farneti, Ioan Horga & Sophie Vanhoonacker. Springer.

**La présidence du Conseil des affaires étrangères.** (with Karolina Pomorska and Sophie Vanhooacker) In: Le système présidentiel de l'Union européenne après Lisbonne, 2012. Edited by Charlety, Veronique and Michel Mangenot: Strassbourg: Ecole Nationale d'Administration (ENA).

**Belgium at the Helm of EU External Relations: A Successful 'Non-Presidency', 2011.** (with Sophie Vanhooacker and Karolina Pomorska) In: Readjusting the Council Presidency. Belgian Leadership in the EU. Edited by Steven Van Hecke and Peter Bursens (pp. 65 - 79) Brussels: ASP.

### Work in Progress 2024

close to sub. **Small in Practice? Small EU Member States in Council Negotiations** (with Marianna Lovato). Final revisions, planned submission by June 2023 to *Cooperation and Conflict*.

*draft* **How emotions travel between EU member states:** A social relational perspective (with Marianna Lovato, University College Dublin), drafting phase until May 2023; paper for special issue 2024 in the *Journal of European Integration*

*draft* **The added value of European diplomatic cooperation as an emergent property.** Draft paper; planned submission by 2024 to *International Studies Quarterly*.

*In prep.* **The specialisation of smaller EU member states: the hows and whys.** Joint paper with Tomas Weiss and Sandra Fernandez. Draft paper to be presented at UACES 2023 conference.

*In prep.* **Do joint diplomatic representations of the OECS and EU invigorate or challenge the essence of diplomacy?** (with Kenneth Stiller, University of Oxford), draft paper to be presented at ISA in March 2023; submission by end 2023.

*In prep.* **Understanding member states' consensus on the Permanent Structured Cooperation: a social relational explanation** (with Marianna Lovato, University College Dublin), paper to be presented for UACES conference in September 2023, revisions until early 2024 for submission to *Journal of Common Market Studies*.

*In prep.* **Is Foreign Policy different? European Public Administrations in the Digital Age**, draft to be presented at UACES conference in Sept. 2023, submission planned for first half 2024.

### Book Projects in progress

- Invitation to join as editor for revised 3<sup>rd</sup> edition of "**Foreign Policies of EU member states**" (original editors: Amelia Hadfield, Ian Manners, Richard Whitman); reconceptualization and invitation of authors 2023; finalisation of manuscript 2024;
- Book proposal to be developed in 2024: "**The EU as a complex (foreign) policy system**"
- Book proposal currently under discussion with SAGE: "**EU politics: an active learning textbook**"

### Academic Reviewing

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Regular reviewer for Journal of Common Market Studies, Journal of European Integration; Journal of European Public Policy, International Studies Quarterly; International Affairs; Foreign Policy Analysis; Comparative European Politics, Politics; European Journal of International Relations; The Hague Journal of Diplomacy; European Political Science; Living Reviews in European Governance; Austrian Political Science Journal; Cambridge Review of International Affairs; European Integration Online Papers; European Security;

Grant Reviewer for COST open call OC-2022-1, January 2023

Marie Curie (MSCA) Postdoctoral Fellowship selection, autumn 2022

Research Council of Norway (RCN) for call "Driving forces, trends and challenges in Europe" 2019, 2020, and 2021

Foundation for Polish Science, regularly since 2017

Research Foundation Flanders (Fonds Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek FWO), regularly since 2014

Book Jury 2021 for first biennial The Hague Journal of Diplomacy Book Award

Jacqui Briggs Prize: Member of Prize Jury 2021 for best article published by European Political Science

Regular book proposal reviewer for Palgrave and Routledge;

## Project List & Third Party Funding

| Date                    | Award   | Position   | Description ( <a href="#">hyperlink in blue</a> )   |
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| 04/2022<br>–<br>03/2025 | UACES<br>Research<br>Network<br><br><b>GBP 5.000</b>                    | <b>Co-applicant<br/>(incl. design<br/>and drafting of<br/>application)</b><br><br>&<br>Co-coordinator    | <a href="#">RELATE: European Studies in a Relational Universe</a> is a research network of UACES (University Association for Contemporary European Studies) with more than 25 members from across Europe and beyond. It is coordinated by Marianna Lovato (University College Dublin, Dr Heidi Maurer (University for Continuing Education Krems) and Dr Ana Juncos (University of Bristol). RELATE brings social relational approaches, particularly practice theory, network theory and pragmatism, into the mainstream of European and EU studies.   |
| 12/2025<br>–<br>12/2022 | ERASMUS+<br>Network<br><br><b>EUR 119.999</b>                           | Network<br>member  | <a href="#">EUIP: European Union What role for Europe in the Indo-Pacific? Identifying regional policy responses towards the EU's Indo-Pacific Strategy 2022-2025</a> . The network assesses the critical question of “what is the most effective role for the EU in the Indo-Pacific?”. It creates a unique grouping of EU and Indo-Pacific expertise (mixture of academics, think-tankers, foreign policy officials from both the EU and third countries) to conduct interviews, engage in Delphi style policy debates, and “policy sandpits” in eight Indo-Pacific countries: Australia, China, Indonesia, Japan, New Zealand, South Korea, Taiwan, Thailand. Coordinator is the University of Canterbury (New Zealand). |
| 09/2020<br>–<br>08/2023 | ERASMUS+<br>Network<br><br><b>EUR 299.291</b>                           | <b>Co-applicant<br/>(incl. design<br/>and drafting of<br/>application)</b><br><br>&<br>network<br>member | <a href="#">RENPET: Reconceptualising European Power in an Era of Turmoil: Contestation, Relevance, Sustainability</a> aims to deepen and diversify a global and interdisciplinary community of senior and junior scholars, policy-makers and civil society representatives debating the political, economic and societal role of the EU in international affairs. Main applicant: University of Leiden plus 10 international partners;   |
| 04/2020<br>–<br>03/2022 | Marie Curie<br>Individual<br>Fellowship<br><br><b>EUR<br/>183.454.8</b> | <b>Main applicant</b>  | <a href="#">“European Diplomacy Practices post-Lisbon: Adding Value through Cooperation” (EuroDipl)</a> assesses the impact and significance of new European diplomatic practices in third countries between the EU and its member states. It contributes to the conceptual, theoretical and methodological innovation in studies of European diplomatic practice, to the cross-fertilization between policy practice and academic research, and explains the impact of post-Lisbon European diplomatic practice on European foreign policy-making.   |
| 09/2017<br>–<br>08/2020 | ERASMUS+<br>Network<br><br><b>EUR 300.000</b>                           | <b>Main applicant<br/>&amp;<br/>coordinator</b>  | <a href="#">NORTIA: Network on Research and Teaching in EU Foreign Affairs</a> aims to develop, deepen and strengthen a global community of senior and junior scholars and to actively engage that community with the wider policy world. Scholarly goal; apply lessons learned from 50 years of foreign policy cooperation to challenges of a potentially fragmenting global order and Europe’s own existential crises.  |



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| 02/2014<br>–<br>01/2017                       | TEMPUS<br>project<br><b>EUR<br/>1.015.335</b><br>of which<br>Maastricht<br>University:<br>EUR 285.090 | <b>Co-applicant<br/>(incl. design<br/>and drafting of<br/>application)<br/>&amp;<br/>key partner</b> | <a href="#">TEMPUS project “INOTLES: Innovating Teaching and Learning of European Studies”</a> . Aim curriculum development in European Studies and knowledge exchange between universities in Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine, Belgium, the Netherlands and UK. See <a href="http://www.inotles.eu/partners">http://www.inotles.eu/partners</a> |
| 09/2014<br>–<br>08/2017                       | ERASMUS+<br>Network<br><b>EUR 209.000</b>   | Network<br>member  | <a href="#">ANTERO - Addressing the Needs on Teaching, Education and Research in EU Foreign Policy</a> ; led by UCD Dublin (Prof Ben Tonra), with 8 partners.  |
| 06/2015                                       | Maastricht<br>Research<br>Stimulation<br>Fund<br><b>EUR 2.300</b>                                     | Main applicant &<br>event organiser  | Grant to organise workshop for special issue on European Diplomacy (co-edited with F. Bicchi), published in 2018.  |
| 10/2012<br>–<br>06/2013                       | Austrian<br>Marshall Plan<br>Foundation<br><b>US\$ 45.000</b>   | Award  | <a href="#">Austrian Marshall Plan Foundation Fellowship</a> 2012-13 at the Center for Transatlantic Relations (CTR) at the John Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS/JHU) in Washington DC   |
| 09/2007<br>-<br>08/2008                       | Austrian<br>Academic<br>Exchange<br>Service Grant<br><b>EUR 8.000</b>                                 | Award  | Research Fellowship at the <a href="#">European Institute of Public Administration</a> in Maastricht from the Austrian Ministry for Education and Science; main task: support Dr. Simon Duke with background research, contribute actively in daily work of institute;   |
| <i>Grants for teaching related activities</i> |   |  |  |
| 06/2016                                       | <b>EUR 5.200</b>  | Main applicant<br>&<br>event<br>organiser  | Grants from ECPR (£1000), CERIM (EUR 2500) and PSA/BISA (£1000) to organise 2 <sup>nd</sup> European Teaching and Learning Conference in Brussels  |
| 03/2015                                       | <b>EUR 6.200</b>  | Main applicant   | Grant from SWOL University Fund (EUR 4.000) and FASoS Faculty Board (EUR 2.200) for FASoS Participation in Eurosim 2015 in Saratoga Springs (US); plus organisation and preparation of 5 students  |
| 06/2014                                       | <b>EUR 6.500</b>  | Main applicant<br>&<br>event<br>organiser  | Grant from: SWOL University Fund (EUR 3.500), European Consortium for Political Research (EUR 1.000), British Higher Education Academy (EUR 2.000) for <a href="#">1<sup>st</sup> European Teaching &amp; Learning Conference</a> by ECPR, PSA, BISA, UACES in Maastricht, 26-27 June 2014; co-organiser: S. Lightfoot.                    |
| 2012<br>–<br>2013                             | <b>EUR 24.000</b>   | Main applicant<br>&<br>project leader  | Leading in Learning Project (Maastricht University initiative): “Assignment design & course revision: a hands-on approach to regenerate PBL at FASoS” (with Mirko Reithler), supported by Leading & Learning Initiative, Maastricht University.  |
| 2011<br>–<br>2012                             | <b>EUR 5.000</b>  | Main applicant<br>&<br>project leader  | Leading in Learning Microgrant (Maastricht University initiative) “Problems everywhere? Establishing an inventory of what constitutes a “good” assignment and how this contributes to self-study” (with Christine Neuhold).  |

## Current Additional Professional Roles, incl. Committee Work

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| since 2023/01 | Expert for <a href="#">European Parliament Research Service</a> Report entitled “Decision-making on EU Foreign Policy: from unanimity to qualified majority voting?”        |
| since 2022/09 | Member of Editorial Board of <a href="#">European Political Science Education (JPSE)</a>  |
| since 2022/12 | Jean Monnet Network “EUIP: European Union What role for Europe in the Indo-Pacific? Identifying regional policy responses towards the EU’s Indo-Pacific Strategy 2022-2025” |
| since 2022/03 | Coordinator of 2022-2025 UACES research network <a href="#">RELATE: European Studies in a Relational Universe</a> (with Marianna Lovato and Ana Juncos)                     |
| since 2021/02 | <a href="#">GLOBSEC</a> Bratislava, Associate Fellow, Center for Global Europe  |
| since 2020/09 | Jean Monnet Network <a href="#">RENPET</a> : Reconceptualising European Power in an Era of Turmoil; Co-applicant & network member   |
| since 2021/10 | Member of Editorial Board of <a href="#">European Political Science</a>   |
| since 2021/07 | Advisory Board member of the European Network on European Teaching Excellence ( <a href="#">e-NOTE</a> ; project leader: Leiden University)                                 |

## Previous Professional Roles, incl. Committee Work

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| 2018/09 – 2022/09         | Member of International Advisory Board of <a href="#">The Hague Journal of Diplomacy</a>   |
| 2018/11 – 2022/09         | External Examiner, International Business School ( <a href="#">IBS</a> ) Budapest;   |
| 2021/09 – 2022/05         | <a href="#">Section Co-chair</a> “Teaching the EU” for 11 <sup>th</sup> ECPR Standing Group European Union (SGEU) Conference in Rome, June 2022 (with Karolina Pomorska, Leiden)   |
| 2013/11 – 2021/08         | <b>University Association for Contemporary European Studies (<a href="#">UACES</a>)</b><br>Steering Committee Member and Trustee (elected since 09/2018)   |
| 2020/04 – 2021/07         | <b>University of Oxford</b> , Department of Politics and International Relations, Research Associate   |
| 2013/09 – 2019/05         | <b>European Union Studies Association (<a href="#">EUSA</a>)</b> , Member of Advisory Council and Co-chair of Teaching and Learning Section  |
| 2018/02 – 2018/12         | External Consultant for <b>Europe Directorate in Foreign and Commonwealth Office</b> : briefing notes on Challenger Parties and Populism in Central Europe, European Council after Brexit and effect of Brexit on European Parliament; |
| 2017/09 – 2020/12         | Coordinator and main application of <b>Jean Monnet Network <a href="#">NORTIA</a></b> : Research & Teaching in EU Foreign Affairs;   |
| 2017/09 – 2020/09         | <b>Convenor of ECPR Standing Group</b> “ <a href="#">Teaching and Learning Politics</a> ”  |
| 2011/08 – 2017/09         | <b>Committee Member</b> of ECPR Standing Group “ <a href="#">Teaching and Learning Politics</a> ”  |
| 2018/09                   | <b>Section Chair</b> “Contesting European foreign policy: rules, norms and practices” for European International Studies Association, Prague 2018 (with K. Pomorska).  |
| 2020 & 2018 & 2016 & 2014 | Organiser of four <b>European Teaching and Learning Conferences</b> (EuroTLC): 2014 Maastricht, 2016 Brussels, 2018 Prague; 2020 Amsterdam (online).   |
| 2013/09 - 2017/08         | Elected Member of <b>Faculty Council</b> , Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, Maastricht University.   |
| 2015/09 – 2017/08         | Chair of <b>Faculty Council</b> , Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, Maastricht University.  |
| 2014-2017                 | Faculty Representative and European Deputy Director of EuroSim organised by the <b>Trans-Atlantic Consortium for European Union Simulation (<a href="#">TACEUSS</a>)</b>   |
| 2012/09 – 2017/07         | <b>Programme Coordinator of the Minor European Studies</b> (5 months programme for approx. 75 students) at Maastricht University.  |
| 2008/03 – 2010/10         | Editorial Assistant of the <b>Journal of European Integration</b> .  |

## Teaching and Supervision Experience

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My **teaching philosophy** builds on my extensive expertise of active learning pedagogy and my experience of teaching small or large-sized groups of homogenous or heterogenous international student groups across and beyond Europe (e.g. Austria, Belgium, The Netherlands, UK, Japan, US). I can select and adapt a wide variety of traditional and active learning tools to the respective context (expectations, background of students, structural requirements) and enjoy supporting students in becoming independent researchers and critically minded citizens.

University of Vienna (2020/2021)

- **Austrian Foreign Policy between tradition and innovation** (BA specialisation module for Austrian Politics in framework of visiting professorship; delivered online due to Covid-19; 34 students)
- **Austria and global challenges** (MA specialisation module for Austrian Politics in framework of visiting professorship; delivered online due to Covid-19 measures; 12 students)

College of Europe, Bruges (2019/2020 and 2020/21 and 2021/22 and 2022/23)

- **European Diplomacy in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century**: course design, delivery and assessment. 90 students taught in interactive lecture-format.
- **Master theses supervision** on topics related to diplomacy, international and transnational cooperation

University of Oxford (2018/2019 and 2019/2020)

- **Politics of the EU** (undergraduate: PPE optional paper): course design, delivery and assessment (plus guest lectures in academic year 2017/2018); including tutoring for several colleges
- **PPE prelims political practice**: lecture on The European Union: a peculiar political system
- **European Governance** (MPhil European Politics & Society): two seminars and assessment
- **European Foreign Policy** (MPhil EPS and MPhil IR, optional paper): design, delivery, assessment
- **Graduate supervision of MPhil European Politics and Society students (Master)** on topics related to European politics, European foreign policy, and EU in international relations, for example:
  - Agents & Learning in Foreign Policymaking: EU involvement in the Moldova Protracted Conflict
  - EU vs Disinfo: Understanding the Role of Policy Entrepreneurs in Foreign Policymaking
  - Foreign Policy Cooperation vis-à-vis the Heartland: Populism and Polish EU Foreign Policy
  - Member States and the Making of the EU-Japan Partnership Agreements
  - To tie each other's hands: national ownership of EU fiscal rules 2010-13
- **Admissions** for MPhil European Politics and Society

London School of Economics and Political Science (2018/2019)

- **International Organisations** (BSc IR, year 2): seminar instructor and assessment.
- **International Institutions** (MSc IR): seminar instructor and assessment.
- **Europe in the World** (MSc IR and MSc EU politics): seminar instructor and assessment.
- Supervision of **Bachelor and Master dissertations** in the field of International Relations and European Politics; Pastoral care for students in BSc IR, MSc IR and MSc EU Politics.

Maastricht University, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (2008-2017)

- **EU politics**: Academic Coordinator (2009-2015) and tutor (2009-2015), BA European Studies year 1 (340 students, 10 tutors); similar course in Minor European Studies (2009-2016) for exchange students and students from other faculties (75-90 students, 2 tutors).
- **Negotiation Skills**: Academic Coordinator (2009, 2010, 2012) and tutor (2008-2013) in BAES year 2 (270 students, 9 tutors) and in Minor ES (from 2010 onwards, 75-90 students, 2 tutors).
- **External Relations**: Academic Coordinator (2013 as substitute for Dr. Pomorska) and tutor (2013-2017) in BA European Studies year 3 (90 students, 3 tutors).
- **Constructing Research Design**: Academic Coordinator and tutor (2016).
- Additionally, tutor for **EU as international actor; International Relations; Comparative Politics; Idea of Europe; Policy Domains** (trade, higher education, Common Foreign and Security Policy); **Qualitative Research Methods**; Supervision of **BA papers** (10-15 per year) and **MA theses** (8-12 per year);



### Additional teaching experience

- European Forum Alpbach (20-26 August 2022) on “**Securing Europe Amidst Current Insecurities**”, co-seminar leader with Dr. Xymena Kurowska (CEU) for weekly seminar of scholarship holders (22 students).
- Oxford Summer School on the “**Politics of the EU**”, organised by the University of Virginia in July 2019 for two weeks (10 students).
- October 2013: “**Europe after crisis: different perspectives on European integration**”. One-week intensive course on European Affairs, Akita International University, Japan.
- 2011 – 2013: Social Science Instructor for “**Understanding Europe from a historical, political and cultural perspective**”, 4-weeks Summer School of the Open Society Foundation in Istanbul.
- 2006 – 2007: University of Vienna: seminar-style course “**The EU as an International Actor**”.

### PhD Supervisory Committee and PhD Committee experience

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I have gained valuable experience in supporting PhD and early career students in the past years:

- Since 2021/11: **co-supervisor** of Antonio Karlović, PhD student at Political Science Department at the University of Zareb, for his PhD project “Contestation of the EU’s Common Foreign and Security Policy: continuation of Europeanisation by other means”, supervisor: Robert Barić, University of Zagreb;
- 2022/05: **member of PhD committee** for assessment of thesis by Carlos Bravo Laguna: “Managing Crisis beyond the EU borders: A network-based analysis”, Department of political and social sciences, UPF Barcelona. Supervisor: Prof. Jacint Jordana Casajuana;
- Since 2020: **member of PhD supervisory committee** of Franziska Petri for her PhD project “The Role of EU Delegations in EU Climate and Energy Diplomacy in a Contested World Order”, supervisor: Prof Katja Biedenkopf, KU Leuven;
- 06/2019: **member of PhD committee** of Daan Fonck: “The Emergence of the European Parliament as a Diplomatic Mediator: Conceptualising, Exploring and Explaining Parliamentary Diplomacy in EU Foreign Policy”, KU Leuven; Supervisors: Prof. Stephan Keukeleire & Dr. Kolja Raube;
- 06/2019: **member of PhD committee** of Dorothy Duchatelet: “The effect of role-play simulations in an Higher Education Context”, University of Antwerp; Supervisor: Prof. Peter Bursens;
- 06/2016: **Member of PhD committee** of Renate Shipkova: “What accounts for the Communication Deficit of the European Union? An exploration into the challenges of Communicating Europe”, Vrije Universiteit Brussel; Supervisor: Dr. Jamal Shahin;

Please note: I could not act as main supervisor for PhD students due to legal and practical restrictions of my posts: in the Netherlands only associate professors and professors were eligible to act as main supervisors, while from 2007 onwards my contracts were of non-permanent nature, what made it impossible to commit to act as formal first supervisor. Nevertheless, I gained valuable experience in co-supervising two PhD students and as member of four PhD assessment commitments.

I also regularly informally mentored and still mentor **current and previous doctoral and PhD students and early career scholars** working on themes of Austrian politics, European politics and EU in international affairs to discuss career plans, research projects, and work-life arrangements. I am particularly pleased that three of my former Oxford MPhil students under my mentorship were successfully admitted to competitive PhD programmes at the University College Dublin, at the European University Institute and Leiden University.

In addition, I am actively promoting exchange opportunities for professional career development and contributing to early-career support activities within the framework of the NORTIA/RENPET Jean Monnet networks.

## Memberships in Professional Associations

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I regularly present, chair and act as discussant at political science or European politics conferences, I also actively contribute to the shape of exchanges by planning panels and roundtables. With the Covid-pandemic nudging an alteration of our academic exchanges, I actively contributed to the experimentation with online formats and the design and organisation of two NORTIA research seminar series in spring 2020 and autumn 2020 respectively. Next to research formats, I also regularly promote the discussion of professional issues in academia and the exchange about efficient and effective teaching and learning.

- **ECPR - EUROPEAN CONSORTIUM FOR POLITICAL RESEARCH**

Member of the Standing Groups Teaching and Learning Politics, European Union, Political Networks  
Section Co-chair "[Teaching on the EU](#)" for 11th ECPR Standing Group European Union (SGEU) Conference in Rome, June 2022 (with Karolina Pomorska, University of Leiden)

Convenor of Standing Group "[Teaching and Learning Politics](#)" (2017-2020) and Steering Committee member (2011-2017)

Organizer of ECPR [Teaching and Learning Conferences](#) 2014 / 2016 / 2018 / 2020

- **UACES - UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION FOR CONTEMPORARY EUROPEAN STUDIES**

Steering committee member & Trustee 2013-2021, Teaching Group and Engagement group member

- **EUSA - EUROPEAN UNION STUDIES ASSOCIATION**

Member of the interest sections EU in the world and Teaching the EU

Co-chair of Teaching and Learning Section and Member of [EUSA Advisory Council](#) 2013-2019

- **EISA - EUROPEAN INTERNATIONAL STUDIES ASSOCIATION**

Section Chair "Contesting European foreign policy: rules, norms and practices" for EISA Conference Prague 2018 (with Karolina Pomorska).

- **ECPR – European Consortium for Political Research**

- **ISA – INTERNATIONAL STUDIES ASSOCIATION**

- **ÖGWP – Austrian Political Science Association**

## Other Professional Qualifications

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| 2021/03-09        | <b>Leading Collaborative Teams</b> , 5-months training at the University of Bristol.  |
| 2020/08           | <b>Social Network Analysis</b> , Virtual ECPR Summer School on Methods and Techniques in the Social Sciences.   |
| 2016/02 – 2016/06 | <b>Training grants for individuals</b> , Maastricht University.   |
| 2015/10           | Analytical Story Telling", 1-day training at Maastricht University.   |
| 2011/22           | Basis Kwalificatie Onderwijs BKO ( <b>Basic Teaching Qualification Certificate</b> ).   |
| 2008/03           | Project Cycle Management. A technical Guide, Training at EIPA, Maastricht.  |
| 2007/07           | <b>Multiple Regression Analysis</b> , ECPR Summer School on Methods and Techniques in the Social Sciences, Ljubljana.                                   |
| 2005/09           | Workshop about Methods and Techniques in the Social Sciences in Vienna, organised by graduate section of the Austrian Association of Political Science. |

## Language Skills

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- German (native speaker)
- English (very good - teaching and academic publishing in English),
- Dutch (intermediate)
- French (basic)

## List of Talks Given and Conference Engagements

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### Invited Academic Talks and Guest Lectures (selection)

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- 2022/04 **The West and the Rest.** Evening discussion on impact of Ukraine war on European politics and the added value of diplomacy. Salzburg Centre of European Union Studies. Salzburg, 06.04.2022.
- 2021/12 Guest speaker at online panel debate “**EU external policy**”, organised by Jamal Shahin and Claske Vos Faculty of Humanities, University of Amsterdam, online: 01.12.2021.
- 2021/11 Discussant at online PhD seminar at the University of Copenhagen. 15.11.2021. Topic: how trust plays a role in the maintenance of multilateralism.
- 2021/06 Guest Talk “**Increasingly illiberal and populist politics in Europe: (How) does it matter for European foreign policy cooperation**” at Seminar Series of Political Science Department of the University of Vienna, 2 June 2021. See <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=087-SWgPnhk>
- 2021/04 Virtual Guest Lecture “**Transdisciplinarity, Interdisciplinarity and European foreign policy research**”, 11 March 2021, for JMM-Inter EU students, University of Leiden.
- 2020/11 Keynote speaker at Oxford MUN 2020 “**The European Green Deal and the EU as international actor**”, virtual talk to 110 students via zoom, 14 November 2020.
- 2020/05 Virtual pedagogical video address about “**Public Diplomacy and Soft Power**” for Prof Natalia Chaban (University of Canterbury, New Zealand), 25 May 2020.
- 2020/05 Virtual Guest Lecture “**The EU fit for purpose? Lessons learnt from the Covid-19 pandemic**” for the Center for European Studies at Epoka University, Albania. 15 May 2020
- 2020/04 Virtual roundtable speaker at “**Europeanisation in the times of corona pandemics**” organised by Tomas Weiss, Charles University Prague.
- 2020/02 Roundtable speaker at “**Strategy Building for Small States in European Security and Defence**”, Institute for International and European Affairs, Dublin, 28 February 2020.
- 2019/11 **De-Europeanisation of Foreign Policy in Central Europe.** Roundtable discussion with Karolina Pomorska and Tomas Weiss, Charles University Prague, 28 November 2019.
- 2019/11 The role of EU member states in EU foreign policy making. Presentation at research seminar, University of Agder, 26 November 2019.
- 2019/11 Master thesis seminar for students “From Research Idea to Master thesis: tips and tricks of how to plan and execute your research process”, University of Agder, 25 November 2019.
- 2019/06 Guest speaker “The EU and its Neighbours in the East: Cooperation, Integration, Contestation?” at Oxford University Consortium module entitled “impact of democratic politics on international relations between Russia and the West”, Oxford, 27 June 2019.
- 2019/03 Guest speaker about “**Europe as a Strong Actor in a More Complex World Order**” at GLOBSEC workshop “What EU Foreign Policy Do We Want?”, Bratislava, 19 March 2019.
- 2018/12 Roundtable panellist at DAAD Conference “The EU in international security after Brexit: New paths for Europe?”, University of Cambridge, 13 December 2018.
- 2018/11 Panelist at Europaeum conference “External and internal challenges to European integration. Interpreting security in the times of crisis” Jagiellonian University, Krakow, 23 November 2018
- 2018/11 Speaker at NORTIA practitioner-academic roundtable “Brexit - the result of the UK’s democratic deficit?” at Leiden University in Den Haag, 13 November 2018. More info [here](#).
- 2018/07 “How can sport contribute to European studies, and vice-versa?”. Roundtable speaker invitation at 13th Annual Sport&EU Annual Conference July 3-4 2018, Hull University.
- 2018/05 “Differentiated integration: the future of European integration” and “Understanding European Union decision-making”. NORTIA Guest lectures, Leiden University, 25 April and 07 May 2018.
- 2018/03 Roundtable panellist “**Cultural Diplomacy in Times of Political Ferment**”. Event as part of series in commemoration of 1968-protests, Northeastern University, College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Boston, 09 April 2018.

- 2018/04 “[Representing the European interest abroad: the role of the EU Delegations and EU member states embassies](#)”. Research seminar presentation at Comenius University Bratislava (3 May) and at Webster University Vienna (4 May).
- 2017/11 Discussant of research seminar “[Technocratic government – challenges and legacy, the case of Romania](#)”, South East European Studies & St. Antony’s College, University of Oxford.
- 2017/08 Roundtable contribution to “Public Diplomacy and Parliamentary Diplomacy in EU External Action” at PACO conference about Parliaments in EU diplomacy. Brussels, 31 August 2017.
- 2017/05 Guest speaker in seminar on European Union Common and Foreign Security Policy offered for Russian Students by the Konrad Adenauer Stiftung office in Moscow, 13 May 2017.
- 2017/02 Guest speaker at a [roundtable on “European Defence Policy”](#) at the Institute for International and European Affairs Dublin, 14 February 2017. Focus: The perspective from Austria.
- 2017/02 Guest speaker in ANTERO-Masterclass on “[Theoretical and Empirical Challenges in EU foreign policy research](#)”, University College Dublin, 9 February 2017.
- 2017/01 Expert Speaker at full-day workshop for Master students about the use of expert interviews, University of Amsterdam, 18 January 2017.
- 2017/01 Guest Speaker at student-organised roundtable “The state of the Refugee crisis” at Radboud Universiteit Nijmegen, 11 January 2017.
- 2016/11 Guest Lecture “The role of the EEAS in EU’s engagement with Asia” within the Master European Studies at KU Leuven for Prof. Dr. Dimitri Vanoverbeke.
- 2016/03 Expert invited to Hearing on “Britain as a Global Actor” within LSE Commission on the Future of Britain in Europe after Brexit, 1 March 2016.
- 2015/09 “The EU Easy Explained”. Public talk at “Parcours of Arts and Sciences” organised by Studium Generale in Maastricht on 12 September 2015.
- 2014/05 “Pioneers of EU diplomacy: Lessons learned from the EU delegations in Washington and Moscow” Policy Dialogue with EEAS SecGen O’Sullivan at European Policy Center, Brussels.
- 2013/09 **Keynote speaker at the 6th PSA/BISA Conference** “Teaching and Learning Politics and International Relations in the UK and Beyond: Challenges, Opportunities, Innovation“, 9-10 September 2013 at the University of Westminster.
- 2013/05 Expert Seminar about “Transatlantic Links” in the framework of the City University New York Graduate Center; 31 May 2013 in New York;
- 2013/05 “Is Europe capable to take care of its own security? Lessons learnt from 10 years European Neighbourhood Policy and 5 years Eastern Partnership”. Panel discussion organised at the Center for Transatlantic Relations, Washington (DC): 7 May 2013.

### Presentations at Academic Conferences & Workshops (selection)

I regularly present my ongoing work at political science or European politics conferences in Europe (**ECPR** general conferences, conferences/workshops of ECPR Standing Group EU - **SGEU**, European International Studies Association - **EISA**, University Association for Contemporary European Studies - **UACES**) and internationally (European Union Studies Association – **EUSA**; International Studies Association – **ISA**). I also act as efficient **chair** and I am regularly invited as **discussant** on a variety of topics on European politics due to my ability to provide constructive feedback.

- 2023/05 Presentation of two papers “How emotions travel between EU member states: A social relational perspective” and “Defining specialisation in EU small states’ foreign policy” at biannual EU in International Affairs (EUIA) Conference 2023, 3-5 May 2023, Brussels.
- 2022/09 Process And Position Power: A Social Relational Research Agenda About Member States in EU and participant in The Academy - Roundtable 1: Programme Development in a Changed and Changing Context, **UACES Conference 2022** in Lille.
- 2022/08 Understanding the added value of European diplomatic coordination: a relational perspective. **ECPR General Conference** in Innsbruck, August 2022.
- 2022/06 The added value of European diplomatic coordination: a relational perspective and Ukraine and the EU’s collective responsibility to act: understanding the durability of EU Foreign Policy Cooperation, **ECPR Standing Group EU 2022 Conference**, Rome, 8 - 10 June.

- 2022/04 How emotions travel among EU member states in the Council: A social relational perspective (with Marianna Lovato). **ECPR Joint Sessions**, Online, 19 - 22 April 2022.
- 2021/11 Understanding the durability of EU Foreign Policy Cooperation 50 years on: A Collective European Responsibility To Act (with N. Wright & R. Whitman, Paper presentation and **Austrian Political Science Association 2021** conference, online.
- 2021/09 50 Years of European Foreign Policy Scholarship: Preoccupations, Transgressions and Silences, Paper input for convened panel at UACES 2021 conference (with Nick Wright and Richard Whitman) and paper presentation at **2021 ECPR virtual conference**.
- 2021/09 Has Digital Technology Transformed Diplomacy? Roundtable discussion with practitioners organised by Dorina Baltag at **2021 UACES virtual conference**.
- 2021/06 Small in practice? Austrian and Irish Strategies in shaping EU foreign and trade policy (with Marianna Lovato, UCD), Paper presented at **virtual workshop** "Small States in EU Policy-Making: Strategies, Challenges, Opportunities" organised by A-L Högenauer, University of Luxembourg, 17-18 June 2021.
- 2021/05 Small in Practice? Strategies of Small States in Shaping EU Foreign and Trade Policy (with Marianna Lovato), Paper presented at **virtual ECPR Joint Session** organised by T. Weiss and A. Wivel on Small States in International Organisations, 24-27 May 2021
- 2020/08 How much unity do you need? A systemic assessment of contestation in EU foreign and security cooperation. **ECPR Virtual Conference 2020, UACES Virtual Conference 2020 and SGEU Virtual conference June 2021**.
- 2020/02 Understanding the internal drivers of CFSP contestation: EU member states between divergence and disengagement (with Nick Wright). **COST workshop** "Contestation and politicization of EU foreign policy: New realities or same old?" 26-27 February 2020, Vienna.
- 2019/09 Still governing in the shadows? The role of the Political and Security Committee in the post-Lisbon EU foreign policy architecture (with Nick Wright). UACES conference 2019 in Lisbon and in July 2019 at **COST workshop in Porto**.
- 2019/06 The politics behind European diplomacy: the normalization of a European diplomatic cooperation system of 28 plus 1, for conference "Foreign Policy and Democratic Governance in post-1945 Europe", 27 June 2019, **European Studies Centre, St Antony's College**, Oxford; also presented at BISA Conference in Bath, 13-15 June 2018.
- 2019/05 Increasingly Illiberal, right-wing, and populist politics in Europe: How does it matter for European foreign policy cooperation? **European Union Studies Association (EUSA) Conference in Denver**, May 2019;

### Organisation of Academic Conference Panels & Roundtables (selection)

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I also regularly organise panels and roundtables at international and European conferences, with particular care to a good mix of early-career and experienced scholars, different theoretical or methodological perspectives, and a sound geographical balance.

With the Covid-pandemic nudging an alteration of our academic exchanges, I actively contributed to the experimentation with online formats and the design and organisation of two NORTIA research seminar series in spring 2020 and autumn 2020 respectively. Next to research formats, I also regularly promote the discussion of professional issues in academia and the exchange about efficient and effective pedagogy.

- 2022/09 Two Panels organised as part of "political network section": **Network Analysis in European Studies and International Relations** (with Marianna Lovato, UCD).
- 2022/06 **Section Chair "Teaching on the EU"** (with Karolina Pomorska, Leiden University) for 2022 ECPR Standing Group EU conference
- 2021/11 **Post-pandemic European Union politics: continuity or profound transformation?** Panel organised for the Austrian Political Science Day in November 2021 in Salzburg (accepted)
- 2021/07 **The EEAS from a network perspective**. Organisation of roundtable with expert academics and practitioners to present EuroDipl policy brief, 7 July 2021.
- 2021/09 **Post-pandemic Academia: Lessons Learnt, Opportunities and Future Challenges**. Roundtable with international academics at UACES virtual conference 2021.
- 2021/09 **Teaching with Case Studies: Lessons-Learnt and Take-Aways**. Roundtable with Case Writers and Pedagogical Experts at UACES virtual conference 2021.



- 2020/09 UACES virtual conference panel “European Foreign Policy and Beyond: Key Concepts in Foreign Policy Analysis”, 6-9 September 2020.
- 2020/08 ECPR Virtual Conference section co-organiser (with Silviu Piros, IES Brussels): Advancing Teaching and Learning in Higher Education: Innovation, Adaptation, and Scholarship (3 panels)
- 2020/07 Organiser of NORTIA roundtable “[EU, WTO and regulatory cooperation post-Covid19](#)” (together with Prof Bicchi, EU/LSE), 7 July 2020
- 2020/05 Organiser and chair of NORTIA roundtable “[Does size matter? Foreign policy lessons from European responses to Covid19](#)”, 26 May 2020.
- 2019/10 NORTIA roundtable on [50 years of European foreign policy cooperation: What is it for?](#), European Studies Center, St. Anthony’s Oxford, 18 October 2019.
- 2019/10 NORTIA interactive seminar on “[Ask the Experts: what priorities for EU foreign policy?](#)” (co-organised with Federica Bicchi), London School of Economics and Political Science.
- 2019/09 NORTIA-UACES plenary “[What role for the High Representative post 2019](#)” at UACES 2019 conference with Portuguese Secretary of State Ana Zacharias and former EU ambassador to US David O’Sullivan
- 2019/09 Organiser of eight NORTIA-panels on European Foreign Policy for the UACES conference in Lisbon, 2-4 September 2019.
- 2019/06 Organiser and chair of Keynote at 2nd NORTIA Network Conference by Robert Cooper - [The development of EU foreign policy](#).
- 2019/05 Organiser of six NORTIA-panels on European Foreign Policy for the European Union Studies Association (EUSA) Conference in Denver, May 2019.
- 2018/09 Roundtable convenor “When does teaching matter in academic (career) development?”, ECPR General Conference in Hamburg, 22-25 August 2018. Organization of Section on “Advances in Teaching and Learning Politics”.
- 2018/04 Two Panels “Contesting European foreign policy: rules, norms and practices challenged from outside/inside” organized for ISA Conference in San Francisco, 5-8 April 2018.
- 2017/05 Panel “European diplomatic cooperation outside the EU: same dynamics, same challenges?” and Roundtable “Assessing the State of EU Foreign Policy Scholarship: its added value, current challenges, and future potential” for European Union Studies Association (EUSA) Conference in Miami, 4-6 May 2017.
- 2015/06 Workshop “Same Old, Same Old? EU Foreign Policy making after the Lisbon Treaty” organised (together with Dr. Kolja Raube, Leuven University) at 2015 Politicologeneetmal (Dutch-Flemish Annual Political Science Conference) in Maastricht, 11-12 June 2015.
- 2013/05 Convenor and chair of well-received roundtable, European Union Studies Association Conference (EUSA) in Baltimore: “European Union Studies in crisis? Challenges and Opportunities for ES programmes” with Desmond Dinan (George Mason University), Helen Drake (Loughborough University), Andrea Lenschow (University of Osnabrueck), Alberta Sbragia (University of Pittsburgh), and Paul Stephenson (Maastricht University).

## Policy Impact & Dissemination Activities

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- 2023/02 Organisation and contribution to RENPET seminar, organised with German Academy for Political Education and the Int. Assoc. for the Study of German Politics: “No teeth, but money? European security and defense policy in the light of current crises”, 23-25 February 2023, Tutzing/Germany.
- 2022/10 How to stay digitally fit? Guest speaker and session lead for “Forum Digitalisation” of the **Lower Austrian Administration**, St. Pölten, 25 October 2022.
- 2022/09 The role of EU institutions and member states in the decision-making on EU external action: a multi-level architecture. Compact Seminar at the **European Diplomatic Academy Pilot**, Bruges, 29-30 September 2022.
- 2021/12 Guest Speaker at Enhancing Capabilities and Instruments in EU Foreign, Security and Defence Policy. **Munich Security Conference** (MSC) Digital Workshop, 13.12.2021.
- 2021/11 Promoting European Values Abroad, Expert Talk at Citizen Panel in Stream “EU in the World”, **Conference on the Future of Europe**, 28.11.2021.



- 2021/06 Panelist at “EU foreign policy fit for the new realities” at 2021 **Globsec Forum Bratislava**, 16 June 2021.
- 2021/07 Speaker “External action oriented towards the future- what should we expect?” at European Liberal Forum virtual Book Launch Event: [EU Diplomacy fit for the future](#), 1 July 2021.
- 2021/05 Contribution to Expert Roundtable on Strategic Autonomy, organised by LSE Ideas, 27 May 2021 (online)
- 2020/07 Foreign and Commonwealth Office online Masterclass “European foreign policy cooperation 2020: rupture or return to normal?”, 2 July 2020 with 70 participants from UK ministerial departments.
- 2020/07 Foreign and Commonwealth Office “Discussion with selected experts of analysis on the geopolitical impact of C-19 on the EU (chaired by Europe Director Sarah Taylor)
- 2019/07 Foreign and Commonwealth Office Lunch Seminar speaker “Changing times in Austrian politics”, Foreign Commonwealth Office, 3 July 2019.
- 2019/04 Training for the European External Action Service “The EU’s diplomacy: the transforming role of EU delegations” for the EEAS Seminar: “Changing Patterns of Diplomacy”, organised by the European Institute of Public Administration (EIPA), Brussels, 1 April 2019
- 2019/01 Briefing for incoming Foreign and Commonwealth Office director Nick Hopton on future strategic security partnership with EU, FCO Office London, 31 January 2019.
- 2018/12 Expert presentation “Populism and Challenger Parties in Central Europe” for deep-dive UK diplomatic training, organized by UK Embassy in Budapest, 05 December 2018.
- 2014/07 Training Workshop “The EU & its Eastern Neighbours: From the European Neighbourhood Policy (ENP) to the Eastern Partnership (EaP)”, College of Europe, 16 July 2014.
- 2012/05 Consultancy to Multi-level Scoreboard of the **Committee of the Regions**, contribution with chapter “The European Neighbourhood Policy”; Project leader: EIPA Barcelona.

### Outreach Activities (Selection)

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- 2022/03 [The Ukraine-Russia Crisis: Perspectives from the EU](#). A Peace for Asia discussion. 3 March 2022.
- 2021/01 The Hague Journal of Diplomacy Podcast, Episode 9: Heidi Maurer and Sophie Vériter on the Future of Diplomacy in Europe: <https://www.universiteitleiden.nl/hjd/journal/podcast>
- 2020/08 Interview [BBC World News](#) about EU position towards Belarus, 19 August 2020.
- 2019/06 Interview Austrian [Ö1 Mittagsjournal](#) about “Boris Johnson and the EU”, 15 June 2019.
- 2019/06 Interview [BBC World News](#) “The Briefing” about June European Council 2019, 21 June 2019.
- 2019/05 Contribution to [BBC Newshour](#) on 2019 European Parliament elections, 26 May 2019.
- 2019/03 Interview in Slovakian newspaper Pravda: [Why EU-UK debate is toxic](#), 31 March 2019.
- 2019/01 Interview with [BBC Radio London](#) on EU-UK relationship in Brexit times, 25 January 2019
- 2018/12 Lunch talk at Hills Road Sixth form College in Cambridge to showcase and discuss the added value of studying Politics and International Relations at university. 07 December 2018.
- 2018/12 “[Trust and changing political culture in Europe](#)”. Commentary for Latvian newspaper project “DELFI” in celebration of Latvia’s Centenary. For English version see [here](#).
- 2018/09 [Has the EU been a success?](#) Contribution to BBC History Magazine No. 12.
- 2018/07 Written evidence to the [Global Britain: FCO skills inquiry](#) of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Commons. See my contribution [here](#).
- 2018/07 Cambridge Immerse Global Leadership Seminar for students aged 16-18 years: Assessing a more interest-driven Europe in an increasingly insecure world. 5 July 2018
- 2018/06 [UACES Expert on Europe](#): Interview about diplomacy, gender & project-based learning.
- 2018/04 Interview for “Die Zeit”: [Austria and the EU in Skripal case](#)
- 2018/02 “[How to make the right choice of EU Studies?](#)” UACES Workshop at Politico EU Studies Fair.
- 2017/10 “[Jean Monnet funding: ideas for the new programme period](#)”. Guest Speaker at Biannual Jean Monnet Conference. 27-28 November 2017 in Brussels.
- 2017/11 contribution to UACES 2017 Doctoral Training Workshop in Manchester. Topics: [Preparing to Present at an Academic Conference](#) and [How to organise an Academic Conference](#).

## Teaching and Professionalisation Related Outreach Activities (selection)

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- 2021/04 How to engage students via problem-based learning. Virtual training course organised for University College Dublin, 15 April 2021.
- 2020/11 [Digitisation of academic teaching](#). Speaker at UACES doctoral training academy. 27 Nov. 2020.
- 2020/10 Organiser of NORTIA teaching case study activity, including training for case writers
- 2020/06 Organiser and chair of NORTIA professionalisation roundtable "[How to organise your Phd and think about publishing](#)", 23 June 2020.
- 2020/05 Organiser and chair of NORTIA roundtable "[Foreign Policy Research in times of Covid-19 Restrictions](#)", 19 May 2020
- 2019/11 Panelist "Research-led Teaching" at UACES 2019 [Graduate Training Academy](#), Brussels.
- 2019/11 Master thesis seminar "From Research Idea to Master Thesis: Tips and Tricks of How to Plan and Execute Your Research Process". University of Agder, 25 November 2011.
- 2019/01 [Wozu innovative Lehrmethoden?](#) Impulsvertrag im Rahmen der ÖGPW Podiumsdiskussion „Innovationen und Herausforderungen in der politikwissenschaftlichen Lehre“, Vienna.
- 2017/12 "How to use problem-based learning to engage students before they learn", EDUneighbours Workshop "Innovative Teaching Methods", University of Tampere, 14 December 2017.
- 2017/09 [„Publizieren in der Lehre: Publikationskulturen in Europa“](#). Contribution (via skype) to a workshop organised by the Themengruppe Hochschullehre der Deutschen Vereinigung für Politikwissenschaft, September 2017.
- 2017/01 Guest speaker at one-day seminar of 3-year project "Teaching, learning, outreach: Promoting Practice in Teaching", University of Ås, Norway, 24 January 2017.
- 2015/05 Contribution to UM MOOC on Problem Based Learning entitled "[Features of a well-designed learning task](#)", A conversation about how to select and present PBL tasks.
- 2015/01 Workshop "How to use active learning and Problem Based Learning" at TED University, Ankara (9 January 2015) and 2-day workshop on "How to use active learning and Problem Based Learning", invitation by Euro-College, Tartu University (7-8 January 2015).