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CURRENT POSITIONS

- 2021- Postdoctoral researcher and lecturer (Oberassistent) at the Chair in Political Communication and Comparative Politics (Prof. Dr. Alexander H. Trechsel), Department of Political Science, University of Lucerne, CH
- 2023- Interim Co-Director, Grant Office, University of Lucerne, CH

EDUCATION

- 2021 PhD in Social and Political Sciences (ungraded), European University Institute, Florence, IT, for the dissertation entitled *Do Inclusive Societies Need Closed Borders? The Association Between Immigration and Citizenship Regimes*
Supervisors and co-supervisor: Rainer Bauböck and Maarten Vink
External examiners: Sara Wallace Goodman and Sergi Pardos-Prado
- 2016 Master of Research in Social and Political, European University Institute, Florence, IT
- 2015 Master of Arts in World Society and Global Governance (focus on Political Science and Research Methods), University of Lucerne, CH, GPA 6.0/6.0 (*summa cum laude*)
- 2011 Bachelor of Arts in Political Science (minor in Comparative Religion), University of Lucerne, CH, GPA 5.88/6.0 (*summa cum laude*)

PREVIOUS POSITIONS AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2022 Postdoctoral researcher, NCCR *on the move* project “The Mobility of Migration Policies” – Prof. Dr. Joachim Blatter, Department of Political Science, University of Lucerne, CH
- 2021-22 Postdoctoral researcher, Swiss National Science Foundation Project “Transnational Voting” – Prof. Dr. Joachim Blatter, Department of Political Science, University of Lucerne, CH
- 2014-18 Part-time research associate across a total of 16 months, GLOBALCIT / EUDO CITIZENSHIP Observatory, Robert Schuman Center for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, Florence, IT

- 2015 Research assistant and lecturer, Department of Political Science, University of Lucerne, CH
- 2012-14 Student research assistant, Swiss National Science Foundation Project “Dual Citizens: Hazard or Vanguard of Citizenship in the Post-Westphalian Order?” – Chair of Political Theory (Joachim Blatter), Department of Political Science, University of Lucerne, CH
- 2009-12 Student assistant and web-editor, Department of Political Science, University of Lucerne, CH

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

- 2017 Oslo Summer School in Comparative Social Science Studies, course in “Case Study Research Methods” taught by Andrew Bennett
- 2016 Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis, course in “Panel Data Analysis for Comparative Research” taught by Christopher Adolph
- 2015 Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences at the University of Lucerne, course in “Academic Writing” taught by David Matley
- 2014 Swiss Summer School in Democracy Studies on “Democracy and Globalization” organized by the NCCR Democracy, participation in two workshops

TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING

- 2023 Lecturer for the Advanced Seminar “What Divides Us: The Social Roots of Political Conflict”, University of Lucerne, CH, 4 ECTS, 16 students, mean evaluation score: 3.82 (1-4 scale, max. 4)
- 2023 Lecturer for the Advanced Seminar “Media and Politics”, University of Lucerne, CH, 4 ECTS, 20 students, mean evaluation score: 3.69 (1-4 scale, max. 4)
- 2023 Teaching assistance and main responsibility for three sessions of the Lecture “Einführung in die vergleichende Politikwissenschaft” (German), held by Prof. Dr. Alexander H. Trechsel
- 2023 *Von der studentischen Arbeit zum Journal-Artikel: Das Beispiel des IMIX* (German), invited presentation in a seminar for students at the University of Lucerne, CH
- 2022 Lecturer for the Advanced Seminar “What Divides Us: The Social Roots of Political Conflict”, University of Lucerne, CH, 4 ECTS, 18 students, mean evaluation score: 3.67 (1-4 scale, max. 4)
- 2022 Teaching assistance and main responsibility for three sessions of the Lecture “Political Behavior and Communication”, held by Prof. Dr. Alexander H. Trechsel
- 2022 Lecturer for the Advanced Seminar “Media and Politics”, University of Lucerne, CH, 4 ECTS, 14 students, mean evaluation score: 3.35 (1-4 scale, max. 4)

- 2022 Co-lecturer for the Postgraduate Workshop “Diversity in Democracies: Social Groups, Political Behavior and Representation”, 8th Swiss Summer School in Democracy Studies (S3DS), University of Zurich, CH
- 2020 Lecturer for the Master Seminar “The Politics of Immigration, Integration, and Citizenship”, University of Lucerne, CH, 4 ECTS, 12 students, mean evaluation score: 1.63 (1-4 scale, max. 1), online event
- 2020 *Comparative citizenship and migration studies*, invited presentation in a seminar for students at the Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, CA, online event
- 2019 Teacher Training Certificate from the European University Institute, Florence, IT
- 2015 Lecturer for the Undergraduate Seminar “Einführung in die vergleichende Regionale Integration und die Europäische Union” (German), University of Lucerne, CH, 4 ECTS, 14 students, not evaluated
- 2011 Teaching assistant for the Undergraduate Seminar “Einführung in die Internationale Beziehungen” (German), University of Lucerne, CH, 4 ECTS

FELLOWSHIPS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND GRANTS (TRAVEL GRANTS NOT LISTED)

- 2021 2-year Postdoc.Mobility grant from the Swiss National Science Foundation for research at the University of California, Irvine, USA, and the University of Toronto, CA – *declined*
- 2019-21 Doctoral Fellowship, Department of Ethics, Law, and Politics, Max-Planck-Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity, Göttingen, DE
- 2019 Visiting Fellowship, Centre d’Etudes de l’Ethnicité et des Migrations (CEDEM), Institut de Recherches en Sciences Sociales, Université de Liège, Liège, BE
- 2018 Visiting Fellowship, The Politics of Inclusion & Exclusion (INEX Research Group), Department of Political Science, University of Vienna, AT
- 2018 MACIMIDE Junior Visiting Fellowship, Maastricht Centre for Citizenship, Migration and Development, Maastricht University, NL
- 2015 Scholarship of the Swiss Confederation for doctoral studies at the European University Institute, Florence, IT

RECOGNITIONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

- 2023 Inclusion into the free-to-read [European Political Science’s Collection for the ECPR 2023 General Conference](#), featuring the article *Non-universal suffrage: measuring electoral inclusion in contemporary democracies*
- 2022 Honorable Mention for the Maria Ioannis Baganha Dissertation Award, granted by the IMISCOE (International Migration, Integration and Social Cohesion in Europe; Europe’s largest interdisciplinary research network in the field of migration studies), for the dissertation entitled *Do Inclusive Societies Need Closed Borders? The Association Between Immigration and Citizenship Regimes*

- 2022 Best Graduate Student Conference Paper Award, granted by the APSA Section on Migration and Citizenship at the APSA Annual Meeting, for the paper entitled *Open Borders versus Inclusive Citizenship? Distinct and Common Logics in Immigration and Membership Politics*
- 2022 [Thesis of the Month](#), granted by the Department of Social and Political Sciences at the European University Institute, Florence, IT, for the dissertation entitled *Do Inclusive Societies Need Closed Borders? The Association Between Immigration and Citizenship Regimes*
- 2019 [Three-Minute PhD Award](#) in the Social Sciences, granted by the European University Institute, Florence, IT
- 2018 [Journal of Common Market Studies \(JCMS\) 2017 Best Article Prize](#) for the article entitled *Democratic Deficits in Europe: The Overlooked Exclusiveness of European Nation-States and the Positive Role of the European Union*
- 2017 Best Paper Award, granted by the NCCR on the move at the Neuchâtel Graduate Conference of Migration and Mobility Studies, Université de Neuchâtel, CH, for the paper entitled *Open borders versus inclusive citizenship? The relationship between entry and membership regimes across institutional contexts in 20 democracies 1980-2010*
- 2016 Nomination for the Rinus Penninx Best Paper Award, granted by the IMISCOE (International Migration, Integration and Social Cohesion in Europe; Europe's largest interdisciplinary research network in the field of migration studies) at the IMISCOE Annual Conference, Prague, CZ, for the paper entitled *Democracy, open borders, and the rights of immigrant workers*

INVITED TALKS

- 2023 *Immigration and integration policy trends in Western democracies 1980-2019: Evolution or transformation?* Mercator Forum on Migration and Democracy (MIDEM), TU Dresden, DE
- 2023 Keynote address *Mental health for PhD researchers*, IMISCOE PhD Day on academic mental health, online event
- 2022 Talk and participation in the public panel debate *Towards orderly migration or a new 'walled' order? Trends and dilemmas of contemporary migration policy*, DEMSCORE Migration Policy Database (MIGPOL) Workshop, Department of Government, Uppsala University, SE
- 2018 *Resolving the paradox of the liberal paradox: Immigration and citizenship policies in 23 democracies 1980-2010*, IPW Lecture, Department of Political Science, University of Vienna, AT
- 2018 *Beyond the liberal paradox? Immigration and citizenship policies in 20 OECD countries 1980-2010*, Migration Seminar, jointly organized by MACIMIDE, Maastricht University, and UNU-Merit, United Nations University, Maastricht, NL
- 2016 *The Price of Autocracy: Contextualizing the Openness-Rights Trade-Off in Labor Immigration*, Colloquium on Migration and Diversity at the WZB Berlin Social Science Center, DE

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

ANNUAL EVENTS

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| APSA Annual Meeting | 2021, 2019 |
| EPSA Annual Conference | 2023, 2021 |
| ECPR General Conference | 2021, 2019, 2017 |
| SPSA Annual Conference | 2023, 2019, 2018 |
| IMISCOE Annual Conference | 2022, 2019, 2017, 2016, 2015 |
| GLOBALCIT Annual Conference | 2022, 2018, 2017, 2016 |
| ISA Annual Convention | 2022, 2014, 2013 |

OTHER EVENTS

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| 2022 | DEMSCORE Migration Policy Database (MIGPOL) Workshop “Assembling the Wheel of Comparative Migration Policy Research”, Department of Government, Uppsala University, SE |
| 2021 | GLOBALCIT Workshop “Going Global: Opportunities and Challenges for the Development of a Comparative Research Agenda on Naturalization Policies at the Global Level”, Robert Schuman Center for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, Florence, IT, online event |
| 2020 | IMISCOE Standing Committee on Migration, Citizenship and Political Participation (MIGCITPOL) Workshop “Regulating and Experiencing Immigrant Status Transition Comparing Entry, Settlement, and Naturalization”, online event |
| 2018 | Conference “Studying Migration Policies at the Interface between Empirical Research and Normative Analysis”, Center for Interdisciplinary Research, Bielefeld, DE |
| 2018 | ECPR Joint Sessions Workshop “Diversifying Migration, Changing Policies: Patterns, Causes and Effects of Immigration and Citizenship Regulations”, University of Nicosia, CY |
| 2017 | Neuchâtel Graduate Conference of Migration and Mobility Studies, NCCR on the move, Université de Neuchâtel, CH |
| 2017 | TRANSMIC Conference “Migration, Rights and Citizenship: Coming Full Circle in a Challenging Environment”, European University Institute Florence, IT |
| 2014 | Conference “Causes and Consequences of Immigration and Citizenship Policies”, WZB Berlin Social Science Center, Berlin, DE |
| 2014 | Conference “Citizenship and the Franchise: Theoretical, Legal, and Empirical Perspectives”, European University Institute, Florence, IT |
| 2013 | Conference “Immigration, Incorporation, and Democracy”, Austrian Research Association, Vienna, AT |

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Peer review** American Political Science Review, British Journal of Political Science, International Migration Review, Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies, Journal of Common Market Studies, Political Studies Review
- 2019-23 Co-coordinator and PhD representative of the IMISCOE Standing Committee on Migration, Citizenship and Political Participation (MIGCITPOL)
- 2015-18 Board member, IMISCOE PhD Network
- 2015 Scientific consultant for the conference “Operationalizing a Dashboard of Indicators for Measuring Policy and Institutional Coherence for Migration and Development”, organized by the OECD and the Global Knowledge Partnership on Migration and Development (KNOMAD), The Hague, NL

LANGUAGES

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| German | Native |
| English | <i>Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English</i> , level C2 in all areas, grade A |
| French | Listening: B2 Reading: B2 Speaking: B1 Writing: B1 |
| Italian | Listening: A2 Reading: A2 Speaking: A1 Writing: A1 |