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I am a postdoctoral researcher working at the Institute of Sociology at the Freie Universität Berlin and at the Center for Civil Society Research at the WZB Berlin Social Science Center. I am interested in political sociology, social movements, civil society, party competition, political participation, politics in times of crisis, cleavages, both in Western and in Central and Eastern Europe.

EDUCATION

European University Institute Florence, IT

Doctor of Political and Social Sciences Sep. 2014–Dec. 2018

- Cumulative dissertation: Parties and Protests in Crisis-Hit Europe – Continuity and Change in the Structure of Political Conflict. (not graded, per university policy)
- Supervisor: Prof. Hanspeter Kriesi (European University Institute)

Master of Research in Political and Social Sciences Sep. 2014–Jun. 2015

Central European University Budapest, HU

Master of Arts in Political Science, specialized in electoral politics Sep. 2012–Jun. 2014

- Thesis: Preference for the Public Good. Programmatic Linkages in Hungary and Romania.

Babeş-Bolyai University Cluj-Napoca, RO

Bachelor of Arts in Political Science, English track of studies Oct. 2009–Jul. 2012

- Thesis: The Kurdish Issue of Turkey in a Game Theory Framework.

Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, Hungarian track of studies Oct. 2009–Jul. 2012

- Thesis: Nationalism and Liberalism – Historical and Theoretical Links.

Middle East Technical University Ankara, TR

Erasmus student Sep. 2011–Jan. 2012

- Department of Political Science and Public Administration

FURTHER TRAINING

- Q-Step Centre Summer School Social Network Analysis** online, Aug. 2021
University of Glasgow (inst: Michael T. Heaney)
- Summer Institute in Computational Social Science Sciences** Bamberg, DE, Jul. 2019
- Teaching in Higher Education, European University Institute** Florence, IT, Oct. 2016
- ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques** Ljubljana, SV, Jul. 2015
Course: Applied Multilevel Modelling (inst: Zoltán Fazekas)
- Citizens' Resilience in Times of Crisis** Florence, IT, Jul. 2015
LIVEWHAT – Living with Hard Times; COSMOS Center on Social Movement Studies and Scuola Normale Superiore

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Freie Universität Berlin and WZB Berlin Social Science Center** Berlin, DE, Oct. 2018–pres.
Developing two key projects on 'Political Parties in Movements' (PI: Swen Hutter) and 'The Potentials of Civil Society: Solidarity and Crisis Management' (PI: Swen Hutter, Jule Specht, Christian von Scheve).
- European University Institute** Florence, IT, Sep. 2014–Dec. 2018
PhD researcher focusing on Central and Eastern Europe in the ERC project Political Conflict in Europe in the Shadow of the Great Recession (POLCON, PI: Hanspeter Kriesi)
- Eurolab, GESIS – Leibniz Institute for the Social Sciences** Cologne, DE, Jun.–Jul., 2016
Researching defection from parties in government over time and across countries, based on 2004, 2009, and 2014 waves of the European Election Studies
- Median Research Center** Bucharest, RO, Mar. 2013–Apr. 2015
Research assistant: tracker for votes and pledges of MPs; RO part of the Comparative Candidates Survey (2012, 2016); deliberative poll experiment; territorial autonomy arrangements; rolling cross sectional survey for media effects before the 2014 elections

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Languages: Hungarian (mother tongue), Romanian (C2), English (C2), German (C1), Italian (B1), Turkish (A2)
- IT & Statistics: GitHub, HTML, Julia, Jupyter notebook, Latex, Markdown, Python, R, SPSS, Stata, Unipark

MEMBERSHIP

- Hungarian Academy of Sciences External Public Body (since 2021)
- Institut für Protest- und Bewegungsforschung (since 2020)
- Editorial board of Studia Politica – Romanian Political Science Review (since 2019)