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CURRENT POSITIONS

2014-17	Head of Department, Department of Political Science, Central European University (CEU), Budapest
since 08/2015	Full Professor, Department of Political Science, Central European University (CEU), Budapest
since 2013	Faculty Member, European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) Winter School in Methods and Techniques
since 2007	Faculty Member, European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) Summer School in Methods and Techniques

FORMER POSITIONS

2008-15	Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Central European University (CEU), Budapest
2007-13	Founding Director of the Center for the Study of Imperfections in Democracies (DISC) at CEU, Budapest
2009-14	Elected Member of the German Academy of Young Scientists (Die Junge Akademie) Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities (Berlin-Brandenburgische Akademie der Wissenschaften - BBAW) and the German Academy of Natural Scientists Leopoldina (Deutsche Akademie der Naturforscher Leopoldina)
2010-14	Doctoral School of Political Science, Track Representative for Comparative Politics, Central European University (CEU), Budapest
2006-09	Ph.D. Program Director, Department of Political Science, Central European University (CEU), Budapest
2004-08	Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Central European University (CEU), Budapest

VISITING RESEARCHER POSITIONS

2017-18	<i>Universita Pompeu Fabra</i> , Research and Expertise Centre for Survey Methodology (RECSM)
2009-10	<i>Harvard University</i> . Center for European Studies, John F. Kennedy Memorial Fellow

Spring 2008	<i>The New School New York</i> . Department of Political Science, Visiting Scholar
November 2007	<i>Hanse Wissenschaftskolleg, Institute for Advanced Studies, Delmenhorst</i> . Social Sciences, Social Policy, Visiting Researcher
Spring 2003	<i>University of California, Berkeley</i> . Center for Latin American Studies (CLAS), Visiting Scholar
Summer 2001	<i>Social Science Center (WZB), Berlin</i> . Research group Institutions, States, and Markets, Visiting Scholar.

INVITED SHORT-TERM TEACHING POSITIONS

2017	Global School in Empirical Research Methods (GSERM), Oslo, IPSA-USP Summer School, Sao Paulo, Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research (IQMR), Syracuse University
2016	Universität Hannover, IPSA Research Methods Course in Poznan, Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research (IQMR), Syracuse University, American Political Science Association (APSA) pre-conference short course, Universität Zurich
2015	Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research (IQMR), Syracuse University, Vienna University Mandalay University, Myanmar, April 27-May 1
2014	Johannes Kepler University, Linz, Free University, Berlin, Leibniz University, Hannover, Max-Planck Institute for the Study of Societies, Cologne, Salamanca University School of Public Policy (SPP) and the GRASS Think Tank (GE), seminars at CEU for young Abkhaz and Georgian professionals Department of International Relations and European Studies (IRES) at CEU and the Bolashak program of the Kazah government, seminars at CEU for young Kazah academics
2013	Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin, Freiburg University, Institute for Advanced Studies, Lucca, University of Cologne, Jacobs University Bremen, Technical University Dresden, Katolike Unversiteit Leuven, Advanced Master Quantitative Analysis in the Social Science program (QUASS)
2012	EURAC Bozen, Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research (IQMR), Syracuse University, University of Brno, Copenhagen Business School, University of Speyer
2011	University of Passau, University of Graz, European University Institute (EUI), Freiburg University, Free University, Brussels Advanced Master Quantitative Analysis in the Social Science program (QASS)

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| 2010 | Institute for Advanced Studies (HIS), Vienna, Maastricht University, Netherlands Institute of Government, Salamanca University, Salamanca Summer School in Methodology, Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research (IQMR), Syracuse University, Salamanca University |
| 2009 | Salamanca University, Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences |
| 2008 | University of Hamburg, University of Mannheim, University of Cologne |
| 2007 | Cologne Short Program of Applied Economic and Social Research, University of Konstanz |
| 2006 | Free University Berlin, Universidad Autnoma de Madrid, University of Bern |
| 2005 | Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin, University of Vienna, Humboldt University Berlin, European University Institute, Universität Lüneburg |
| 2004 | European University Institute, New York University (NYU), Florence Campus, 2003-04 |

UNIVERSITY EDUCATION

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|---------|--|
| 2000-04 | <i>European University Institute (EUI), Florence</i>
Department of Political and Social Sciences
dissertation defended in September 2004 |
| 1995-99 | <i>Free University, Berlin</i>
Otto-Suhr Institute for Political Science |
| 1996-97 | <i>Complutense University, Madrid</i>
Facultad de Ciencias Políticas y Sociología |
| 1994-95 | <i>Philipps-University, Marburg</i>
Department of Political Science |

PUBLICATIONS

Books

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| 2012 | Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2012). <i>Set-Theoretic Methods for the Social Sciences: A Guide to Qualitative Comparative Analysis</i> . Cambridge University Press, Cambridge |
| 2008 | Schneider, C. (2008a). <i>The Consolidation of Democracy: Comparing Europe and Latin America</i> . Routledge, London |
| 2007 | Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2007a). <i>Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) und Fuzzy Sets. Ein Lehrbuch für Anwender und alle, die es werden wollen</i> . Verlag Barbara Budrich, Opladen and Farmington Hills |

Articles in Peer Reviewed Journals

- 2017 Schneider, C. Q. and Maerz, S. (2017). Legitimation, Cooptation, and Repression and the Survival of Electoral Autocracies. *Zeitschrift für Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft*, forthcoming, DOI: 10.1007/s12286-017-0332-2
- 2016 Schneider, C. Q. (2016b). Real Differences and Overlooked Similarities. Set-Methods in Comparative Perspective. *Comparative Political Studies*, 49(6):781–792
- Rohlfing, I. and Schneider, C. Q. (2016). A Unifying Framework for Causal Analysis in Set-Theoretic Multi-Method Research. *Sociological Methods & Research*, DOI: 10.1177/0049124115626170
- Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2016). Assessing ESA on what it is designed for: A reply to Cooper and Glaesser. *Field Methods*, 28(3):316–321
- Schneider, C. Q. and Rohlfing, I. (2016). Case Studies Nested in Fuzzy-set QCA on Sufficiency: Formalizing Case Selection and Causal Inference. *Sociological Methods & Research*, 45(3):526–568, DOI: 10.1177/0049124114532446
- 2014 Schneider, C. Q. and Makszin, K. (2014). Forms of Welfare Capitalism and Education-Based Participatory Inequality. *Socio-Economic Review*, 12(2):437–462, *Winner of the 'SER Annual Award for the Best Paper'*
- 2013 Schneider, C. Q. and Rohlfing, I. (2013). Combining QCA and Process Tracing in Set-Theoretic Multi-Method Research. *Sociological Methods and Research*, 42(4):559–597
- Rohlfing, I. and Schneider, C. Q. (2013). Formalized Case Selection for Process Tracing after QCA of Necessity. *Political Research Quarterly*, 66(1):220–235
- Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2013b). Doing Justice to Logical Remainders in QCA: Moving Beyond the Standard Analysis. *Political Research Quarterly*, 66(1):211–220
- Schneider, C. Q., Bochsler, D., and Chiru, M. (2013). Comparative Politics in Central and Eastern Europe: Mapping Publications Over the Past Twenty Years. *European Political Science*, 12:127–145
- 2010 Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2010). Standards of Good Practice in Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) and Fuzzy-Sets. *Comparative Sociology*, 9(3):397–418
- Wagemann, C. and Schneider, C. Q. (2010). Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) and Fuzzy-Sets: Agenda for a Research Approach and a Data Analysis Technique. *Comparative Sociology*, 9(3):376–396
- 2009 Grofman, B. and Schneider, C. Q. (2009). An Introduction to Crisp-set QCA, with a Comparison to Binary Logistic Regression. *Political Research Quarterly*, 62(4):662–672
- 2006 Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2006). Reducing complexity in Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA): remote and proximate factors and the consolidation of democracy. *European Journal of Political Research*, 45(5):751–786

- 2004 Schneider, C. Q. and Schmitter, P. C. (2004). Liberalization, Transition and Consolidation. Measuring the Components of Democratization. *Democratization*, 11:59–90, *Winner of Democratization's 'Frank Cass Prize for the Best Article by a Young Scholar in 2004'*
- 2003 Schneider, C. Q. (2003). Prospects for the Consolidation of Latin American Democracies. Rethinking the Role of Corruption and Institutional Trust. *Sociologia, Problemas e Praticas*, 42:65–90

Book Chapters, Newsletters, Software Packages, Miscellaneous

- 2016 Medzihorsky, J., Oana, I.-E., Quaranta, M., and Schneider, C. Q. (2016). SetMethods: Functions for Set-Theoretic Multi-Method Research and Advanced QCA, R package, version 2.1. <https://cran.r-project.org/web/%0Apackages/SetMethods/index.html>
- Schneider, C. Q. (2016a). DA-RT Vader and QCA. *Qualitative Transparency Deliberations on behalf of the APSA Section for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research*, <https://www.qualtd.net>
- 2015 Wagemann, C. and Schneider, C. Q. (2015). Transparency Standards in Qualitative Comparative Analysis. *Qualitative & Multi-Method Research Newsletter*, 13(1):38–42
- 2014 Rohlfing, I. and Schneider, C. Q. (2014). Clarifying Misunderstandings , Moving Forward: Towards Standards and Tools for Set-Theoretic Methods. *Qualitative & Multi-Method Research Newsletter*, 12(2):27–34
- Schneider, C. Q. (2014). Makro-Qualitative Verfahren. In Kollmorgen, R., Merkel, W., and Wagener, H.-J., editors, *Handbuch der Transformationsforschung*, pages 221–229. VS Verlag, Wiesbaden
- 2013 Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2013a). Are We All Set? *Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Newsletter*, 11(Spring):5–8
- Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2013c). Fuzzy Sets are Sets – A Reply to Goertz and Mahoney. *Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Newsletter*, 11(Spring):19–22
- Schneider, C. Q. (2013b). Sind Demokratien besser als Autokratien? In Oschema, K., von Luxburg, U., and Helbling, M., editors, *Wissenschaft 2014. Ein Kalender der Ambivalenzen*, pages 72–73. Thorbecke
- 2012 Schneider, C. Q. (2012a). Doktorandenprogramme. In von Klatt, M. and Koller, S., editors, *Lehre als Abenteuer. Anregungen für eine bessere Hochschulausbildung*, pages 59–66. Campus Verlag, Frankfurt
- Schneider, C. Q. (2012b). Internationalisierung. In von Klatt, M. and Koller, S., editors, *Lehre als Abenteuer. Anregungen für eine bessere Hochschulausbildung*, pages 120–124. Campus Verlag, Frankfurt
- Schneider, C. Q. and Rohlfing, I. (2012). Does Set-Relational Causality Fit Into a Potential Outcomes Framework? An Assessment of Gerrings Proposal. *Newsletter of the APSA Organized Section for Qualitative & Multi-Method Research*, 10(1):8–14

- 2009 Schneider, C. Q., Wagemann, C., and Pickel, S. (2009). Standards guter Praxis in Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) und Fuzzy-Sets. In Pickel, G., Lauth, H.-J., and Jahn, D., editors, *Neue Entwicklungen und Anwendungen auf dem Gebiet der Methoden der vergleichenden Politik- und Sozialwissenschaft*, pages 387–412. VS-Verlag, Wiesbaden
- 2006 Schneider, C. Q. and Behnke, J. (2006). Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets. pages 273–285. Nomos, Baden-Baden
- 2003 Wagemann, C., Schneider, C. Q., and Pickel, S. (2003). Fuzzy-Set Qualitative Comparative Analysis (fs/QCA): ein Zwei-Stufen-Modul. In Pickel, G., Lauth, H.-J., and Jahn, D., editors, *Vergleichende politikwissenschaftliche Methoden – Neue Entwicklungen und Diskussionen*, pages 105–134. Westdeutscher Verlag, Wiesbaden
- 2002 Schneider, C. Q. and Schmitter, P. (2002). Conceptualizing and Measuring the Liberalization of Autocracy and the Consolidation of Democracy across Regions of the World and from Different Points of Departure. In Alcantara, M., editor, *Política en América Latina. I Congreso Latinoamericano de Ciencias Políticas*, pages 1578–1645. Ediciones Universidad de Salamanca, Salamanca
- 2001 Schneider, C. Q. (2001). Korruption und Vertrauen in Implementationsinstitutionen: ein Vergleich Lateinamerikas mit konsolidierten ratién. pages 275–298. Westdeutscher Verlag, Wiesbaden

Book Reviews

- 2013 Schneider, C. Q. (2013a). Book review: Pippa Norris: Democratic Deficit – Critical Citizens Revisited (Cambridge University Press 2011) and Making Democratic Governance Work – How Regimes Shape Prosperity, Welfare, and Peace (Cambridge University Press 2012). *Perspectives on Politics*, 13(3):911–913
- 2012 Schneider, C. Q. (2012c). Jan Teorell: Determinants of Democratization: Explaining Regime Change in the World, 1972-2006 (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, UK, 2010). *Acta Politica*, 47(3)
- 2010 Schneider, C. Q. (2010a). Andrew Roberts: The Quality of Democracy in Eastern Europe: Public Preferences and policy Reforms (Cambridge University Press, 2010). *Perspectives on Politics*, 8(3)
- 2008 Schneider, C. Q. (2008b). Book review: Gary Goertz and Harvey Starr (eds.): Necessary Conditions: Theory, Methodology and Applications (Rowman and Littlefield, 2003). *Journal of Politics*, 70(Special Issue on Qualitative Methods):279–282

Working Papers

- 2010 Schneider, C. Q. and Makszin, K. (2010). Education and Participatory Inequalities in Real Existing Democracies: Probing the Effect of Labor Markets on the Qualities of Democracies. *Center for European Studies, Harvard University, Working Paper*, 2

- Schneider, C. Q. (2010b). Issues in Measuring Political Regimes. *DISC Working Paper*, 2010/12
- 2007 Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2007b). Standards of Good Practice in Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) and Fuzzy-Sets. *Comparative Methods for the Advancement of Systematic Cross-Case Analysis and Small-n Studies (COMPASSS)*, Working paper, 2007-51
- Schneider, C. Q. (2007). Causal Complexity and the Change of Political Regimes: A QCA Analysis of Howard and Roesler's (2006) Study of 'Liberalizing Electoral Outcomes'. *Istituto de Ciências Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa, Seminários de Ciência Política*
- 2006 Schneider, C. Q. (2006a). It might look like a regression ... but it's not! An intuitive approach to the presentation of QCA and fs/QCA results. *Compass Working Paper*, WP2006-39
- Schneider, C. Q. (2006b). Some Notes on How to Study the Impact of Modes of Transition on the Consolidation of Democracy. *Universidad Autonoma de Madrid, Departamento de Ciencia Política y Relaciones Internacionales, Estudio/Working Paper*, 63/2006
- 2005 Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2005). Reducing Complexity in Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA): Remote and Proximate Factors and the Consolidation of Democracy. *Comparative Methods for the Advancement of Systematic Cross-Case Analysis and Small-n Studies (COMPASSS)*, Working paper, 2005-35
- 2003 Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2003b). Improving Inference with a 'Two-step' Approach: Theory and Limited Diversity in fs/QCA. *European University Institute (EUI) Working Paper SPS*, 2003/7
- Schneider, C. Q. and Wagemann, C. (2003a). How to Draw Causal Inference (Despite) Using QCA: The Two-Step, Multi-Equation fs/QCA Approach. *Comparative Methods for the Advancement of Systematic Cross-Case Analysis and Small-n Studies (COMPASSS)*, Working paper, 2002-1
- 2000 Schneider, C. Q. (2000). Veränderungen von Arbeits- und Umwelteinstellungen im internationalen Vergleich. *Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin fuer Sozialforschung, Working Paper Series*

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2015 Winner of the 'SER Annual Award for the Best Paper' published in 2014 in *Socio-Economic Review*, for the paper "Forms of Welfare Capitalism and Education-Based Partipatory Inequalities", co-authored with Kristin Makzsin
- 2009-14 Election as a Member of the German Academy of Young Scientists (Die Junge Akademie) Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities (Berlin-Brandenburgische Akademie der Wissenschaften - BBAW) and the German Academy of Natural Scientists Leopoldina (Deutsche Akademie der Naturforscher Leopoldina)

2009-10	John F. Kennedy Memorial Fellow, Center for European Studies, Harvard University
2005	‘Frank Cass Prize for the Best Article by a Young Scholar in 2004’ for the article “Liberalization, Transition and Consolidation. Measuring the Components of Democratization”, with Philippe C. Schmitter, in: <i>Democratization</i> , Vol. 11, No. 5 (special issue), pp. 59-90, 2004
2005	Nominated by European University Institute (EUI) Political and Social Sciences Department for ECPRs award of the best thesis in politics, 2005
2005	Nominated by European University Institute (EUI) Political and Social Sciences Department for the American Political Science Associations Gabriel Almond award of the best thesis in the field of comparative politics, 2005
2005 & 2006	Nominated for the Juan Linz Dissertation Award of APSAs section ‘Comparative Democratization’
2002-04	Ph.D. scholarship from European University Institute (EUI)
2000-02	Ph.D. scholarship from the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)
2003 & 2004	APSA travel grants for the Annual Meetings in Philadelphia (2003) and Chicago (2004)
2000-04	Intramural (EUI) grants for conference and research trips to Berlin, Budapest, Greifswald, Leuven, Marburg, Oslo, Philadelphia, and Salamanca
2002	Invited participant, 4 th Annual Graduate Student Retreat of ‘The Society for Comparative Research’ (SCR), organized by Princeton University and held at the Central European University (CEU), 8-10 May, Budapest, 2002
2001-02	Invited participant, 2 nd cohort for the Advanced Research Workshops organized by the European Political-Economy Infrastructure Consortium (EPIC), funded by the European Commission 5 th Framework Program, 2001-2002
2000	Two-Year-Ph.D. scholarship (NaFöG) from the State of Berlin, declined
1999	Grant from the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) for the 32 nd Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis and Collection
1996-97	One-year Erasmus grant for studying at the Facultad de Ciencias Políticas y Sociología at the Complutense University, Madrid.

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

2017-18	Alexander George Article/Chapter Award Committee Member, APSA’s Qualitative and Multi-Method Research Section
2016-17	Co-moderator of cluster ‘Algorithmic Analytic Approaches’, Qualitative Transparency Deliberation, on behalf of the American Political Science (APSA) Section for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research

since 2016	Local Academic Convener, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Budapest
since 2014	Member of the Strategic Development Committee, Central European University
2014-16	Elected Member to the Executive Committee of the Alumni Association, European University Institute, Florence
2015	Member of the 25 th Anniversary Activities Committee, Central European University
2014-15	Member of the Frontiers of Democracy Committee, Central European University
since 2014	Official Representative of CEU at the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR)
since 2013	Member of the University Doctoral Committee, Central European University
2012	Nominating Committee Member, Qualitative and Multi-Method Research Section (QMMR) of the American Political Science Association (APSA)
since 2010	Representative of the Comparative Politics track at the Doctoral School of Political Science at CEU
2009	Chair of Sage APSA Paper Award Committee, Qualitative and Multi-Method Research Section (QMMR) of the American Political Science Association (APSA)

Board Memberships

since 2016	Editorial Board, <i>American Political Science Review</i> (APSR)
2016	Member of Scientific Committee of 1 st International Conference on Advanced Research Methods and Analytics (CARMA), Valencia, 6 – 7 July
since 2014	Editorial Board, <i>Methods for Social Inquiry Series</i> , Cambridge University Press
since 2014	International Advisory Board, <i>Swiss Political Science Review</i> (SPSR)
since 2014	Editorial Board, <i>European Journal of Political Research</i> (EJPR)
since 2014	International Advisory Board, 2014 European Parliament election project, led by the <i>European Union Democracy Observer</i> (EUDO), Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute (EUI)
since 2012	Editorial Board, <i>Sociological Methods and Research</i> (SMR)
since 2011	Editorial Committee, <i>COMPASSS Working Paper Series</i>
2008-10	Editorial Board, <i>International Studies in Sociology and Social Anthropology</i> , Brill Academic Publishers
2008-10	Editorial Board, <i>Comparative Sociology</i>
2005-09	ECPR Representative for Department of Political Science, Central European University

2006-10	Advisory Board, <i>CEU Political Science Journal</i>
2002-08	Editorial Board, <i>European Political Economy Review (EPER)</i>

Search Committee and Review Committee Membership

2015	ERC Advanced Grant Evaluator
2014	Wissenschaftskolleg Berlin, Fellowship program
2013	Promotion Review Committee Chair, Department of Political Science, CEU
2012	Comparative Politics Search Committee, School of Public Policy, CEU
2012	External Reviewer for Promotion to Full Professor (W3), Humboldt University Berlin
2012	Review for Promotion from Assistant to Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, CEU
2007	Research Methodology, Department of Political Science, CEU

Reviewer for

American Journal of Sociology, American Journal of Political Research, British Journal of Political Science, Central European University Press, Cambridge University Press, Climate Policy, Comparative Political Studies, Comparative Sociology, Compass Working Paper Series, Global Environmental Change, Corporate Governance: An International Review, Democratization, European Commission ERC Advanced Grant, European Journal of Political Research, European Political Science Review, European Science Foundation (ESF) funding schemes, Field Methods, Gender & Society, Historin, International Cooperation Programme (PCI) of the National Commission for Scientific and Technological Research of the Government of Chile (CONICYT), International Journal of Social Research Methodology, International Sociology, IPSA Committee on Concepts and Methods, Journal of East Asian Studies, Journal of Institutional Economics, Journal of Public Policy, Policy & Society, Political Concepts & Political Methodology Working Paper Series, Political Analysis, Politische Vierteljahresschrift, Political Research Quarterly, Princeton University Press, Regulation and Governance, Revista de Ciencia Política (Chile), Routledge, Sage Book Publications, Sociological Methods and Research, Springer Books, Studies in Comparative International Development, Sussex European Institute Working Paper Series, Swiss Political Science Review, West European Politics, Zeitschrift für Soziologie, Zeitschrift für Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft

Professional Affiliations

American Political Science Association (APSA), Sections ‘Qualitative and Multi-Method Research’, ‘Comparative Democratization’, ‘Political Methodology’, and ‘Comparative Politics’

International Political Science Association (IPSA), Section ‘Committee on Concepts and Methods’

Deutsche Vereinigung für Politische Wissenschaft (DVPW), Sections ‘Demokratieforschung’ and Working Group ‘Empirical Methodology’

CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES AND INVITED LECTURES

Invited Keynotes and Presentations

- 2016 Invited Panelist, Film forum "be a better being", organized by the German Academy of Young Scientists (Die Junge Akademie), Berlin, 17 November
- "Legitimation, Cooptation, and Repression and the Survival of Electoral Autocracies", with Seraphine März, ECPR General Conference, Prague, 1 September
- "Causal Modeling in Qualitative Comparative Analysis", Annual Meeting of the American Political Science, with Ingo Rohlfing and Holger Doering, Philadelphia, 3 September
- Invited Brown Bag Round Table Participant "Getting Published", with Alenka Jelen-Sanchez, 11th ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Budapest, 3 August
- "Welfare States Matter for Democracy: Income-based Participatory Inequality in Post-WWII Western Democracies", with Constantin Manuel Bosancianu, presented at the 24th World Congress of the International Political Science Association (IPSA), 25 July
- Invited Speaker "Set-Theoretic Multi-Method Research: Cross-case Causal Effects and Within-case Causal Mechanisms", conference "Causality in Comparative Research", Social Science Center Berlin (WZB), 27-28 June
- 2015 Invited Brown Bag Round Table Participant, "Speaking of Quality: Shared Standards for 'Good' Qualitative Research", 4th ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques, University of Bamberg, 17 February
- 2014 Invited Keynote Speaker "Populism in Europe - More Popular Than Ever?", Welcome Event of the 2014 edition of the Allianz Alumni Academy on Europe, Central European University, 28 November
- Invited Round Table participant, "Should QCA Set Aside Its Algorithms?", with Charles Ragin and Roberto Garcia Castro, 2nd International QCA Expert Workshop, Zurich, 5-7 November
- "A Formalization of Comparative Process Tracing Based on Fuzzy-Set QCA", with Ingo Rohlfing, 2nd International QCA Expert Workshop, Zurich, 5-7 November
- "Set-theoretic Multi-method Research: Principles, Practice, and Software Implementation", Pre-APSA Short Course, with Ingo Rohlfing, Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Washington DC, 27 August
- "The Formalized Choice of Cases for Comparative Process Tracing Based on QCA Results", with Ingo Rohlfing, Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Washington DC, 30-31 August
- Invited Brown Bag Round Table Participant "Getting Published – the Dirty Little Secrets...", with Derek Beach, ECPR Methods School, Ljubljana, 5 August

- Invited Discussant to Panel “Applications of Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA)”, Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Washington DC, 30-31 August
- Invited Round Table Participants “Demokratieverständnis in Europa”, with Dieter Grimm and Krzysztof Ruchniewicz, International Conference “Demokratieverständnis in Europa und der Welt”, Berlin-Brandenburgische Akademie der Wissenschaft, Berlin, 2-3 April
- 2013 Invited Speaker “The Challenges of Qualitative Comparative Analysis”, Institute of International Relations, Prague, 9 December, 2013
- Invited Roundtable Panelist, Roundtable on “Set-Theoretic Methods for the Social Sciences”, University of Frankfurt, 22 November
- Invited International Expert to “International QCA Expert Workshop”, University of Zurich and ETH Zurich, 23-24 October
- Invited Speaker on “Problems of European Democracies” at the event “Transformation of Countries of Visegrad 4. Lessons for Belarus”, organized by East European School of Political Studies and the Council of Europe, Budapest, 10 September
- Invited Participant to “And What Now? The State of the Art of Qualitative Case Study Methodology Two Decades After KKV”, round table ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Ljubljana, 6 August
- “Forms of Capitalism and the Qualities of Democracies: How Labor Markets Shape Political Equality”, with Kristin Makzsin, at the SASE Mini-Conferences ‘The Political Economy of Skills and Inequality’ at the 25th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, University of Milan, 27-29 June, 2013
- Invited Keynote “Set-Theoretic Methods: Challenges, Good Practices, and a Long-Sought Common Ground for Qualitative Researchers?”, delivered at the International Communication Association (ISA) Post-conference ‘Bridging the Quantitative-Qualitative Divide in Comparative Communication Research: Heading towards Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA)’, 22 June 2013
- Invited Lecture “Pregnant Men, False Necessary Conditions, and Other Dangerous Things: A Set-Theoretic Perspective on Limited Diversity in the Social Sciences”, invited lecture at the Institute for Advanced Studies (IAS), Vienna, 16 May 2013
- Invited Lecture “Qualitative Comparative Analysis”, at the Heidelberg Graduate School ‘Political Performance of Democratic and Autocratic Regimes’, 28 March 2013
- 2012 Round Table – “What Methods Should a PhD Student in Political Science be Familiar With?”, Academic Practice Workshop of the Doctoral School in Political Science at CEU, 30 November

“Was wäre wenn... Zum Umgang mit unmöglichen kontrafaktischen Fällen in mengentheoretisch basierten Methoden, with Claudius Wagemann, at the Congress of the German Political Science Association (DVPW), Tübingen, 24-28 September

“Determinants of Party System Institutionalization in “Third Wave” Democracies: a Set-Theoretic Approach”, with Fernando Bertoa Casal, at the XXII IPSA World Congress of Political Science, Madrid, 8-12 July

“Implementing Small-N Case Selection Principles Into QCA-Based and Regression-Based Multi-Method Research”, with Ingo Rohlfing, Workshop at Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research Maxwell School, Syracuse University, 23-24 June

2011 “The Direction of Comparative Politics in Central and Eastern Europe: Challenges of a Young Academic Discipline”, with Daniel Bochsler, at the 6th ECPR General Conference, Reykjavik, 25-27 August

“Gender-Based Participatory Inequalities in Real Existing Democracies”, with Kristin Makszin, presented at 2nd European Conference on Politics and Gender, Budapest, 13-15 January

2010 “Combining Set-Theoretic Methods and Case Studies in Multi-Method Research”, presented at the Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research (IQMR), Syracuse, 18 June

“Education and Participatory Inequalities in Real Existing Democracies: Probing the Effect of Labor Markets on the Qualities of Democracies”, with Kristin Nickel Makzsin, presented at ECPR Joint Session, Workshop 13 ‘The Dilemma of Political Sophistication and Political Equality’, Münster, 20-27 March

“Democracies and Capitalism: How Markets Shape the Qualities of Democracies”, presented at the Visiting Scholar Seminar of the Minda de Gunzburg Center for European Studies at Harvard University, 10 March

2009 “Explaining Party Competition: A Multi-Method Approach Combining Fuzzy Set Qualitative Comparative Analysis (fsQCA) and Case Studies”, with Ingo Rohlfing, presented at 5th General Conference of the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), Potsdam, 10-12 September

“Limits in Multi-Method Research”, presentation in round panel “Split Tables or Shared Standards?: New Trends, Controversies, and Methodological Challenges in the Contemporary Study of Politics”, with David Collier (UC Berkeley), James Mahoney (Northwestern), and Fernando Filgueira (CEPAL), 21st World Congress of Political Science of the International Political Science Association, Santiago de Chile, 12-16 July (invitation canceled due to family commitments)

“Problems of European Democracies”, presented at the Workshop ‘European Politics and Societies: Parties, Institutions, Civil Participation and Democracy’ of the East European School of Political Studies, Budapest, 12-14 June

- “The Effects of Inequality on Democratic Regimes and Processes”, Paper proposal for conference “Heterogeneity and Democracy”, a joint conference of the Working Group “Democracy Research” of the German Political Science Association (DVPW), the Committee on Concepts & Methods of the International Political Science Association (IPSA), and the Research Unit “Democracy” of the Social Science Research Center Berlin (WZB), Berlin, Germany, Social Science Research Center Berlin (WZB), 25-27 June
- 2008 “Pitfalls and Traps in Multi-Method Research Approaches”, presentation at the conference ‘Understanding Complexity: Methodology and Research Design in the Social Sciences’, 2nd Graduate Network Conference, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary, 11-14 December
- “Methodological Innovations in Comparative Social Sciences”, University of Copenhagen, 21 November
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Sets: A Critical Introduction”, Copenhagen Business School, Methodology-Seminars, 20 November
- 2007 Does Unity Bring Dictators Down? Empirical Facts and Methodological Artifacts”, presented at joined Panel of the Working Groups “Research on Democracy” and “Empirical Methods in Political Science” of the German Association of Political Science (DVPW), Delmenhorst, Germany 9-11 November
- Evening Lecture ‘Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets’ at the Conference ‘Consequences of Globalization on International Comparative Research’ at the invitation of the Working Groups ‘Social Scientific Institutes’ and Empirical Methods in Sociology’ of the German Sociological Association, Center for Globalization and Governance, University of Hamburg, 2 November
- “Graphical Representations of Fuzzy Set Result: How not to get your Audience Confused”, with Bernard Grofman, presented at ECPR General Conference, Section Configurational Comparative Methods: new directions, Pisa (Italy), 6-8 September
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Galton’s Problem – a Critical Reflection”, presented at workshop of the Young Academy “Comparative Methods in a Connected World – an Interdisciplinary Workshop”, Göttingen (Germany), 30 June – 1 July
- “Causal Complexity and the Change of Political Regimes: A QCA Analysis of Howard and Roessler’s (2006) Study on ‘Liberalizing Electoral Outcomes’ ”, presented at Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa, 27 April
- 2006 “Issues in Measuring Regime Types”, presented at the ‘Jahreskongress der Schweizerischen Vereinigung für Politikwissenschaft’, Arbeitsgruppe “Empirische Methoden in der Politikwissenschaft”, Balsthal (CH), 2 – 3 November
- “It Might Look Like a Regression ... But It Is Not! An Intuitive Approach to the Presentation of QCA and fs/QCA Results”, presented at the conference, ‘Comparative Politics: Empirical Applications of Methodological Innovations’, Sophia University, Tokyo (Japan), 15-17 July

- “Como Estudiar el Efecto de Pactos en la Consolidación Democrática”, presented at the Universidad Autonoma de Madrid, Departamento de Ciencia Política y Relaciones Internacionales, Madrid, 5 May
- 2005 “Consolidation of Democracy in South and East. Common Paths or Regional Patterns?”, presentation at Comenius University, Bratislava, 8 December, and Charles University, Prague, 9 December
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis/ Fuzzy Sets”, presented at the Autorentagung ‘Methoden der Politikwissenschaft – Neuere Standardisierte und Nicht-Standardisierte Analyseverfahren’, Mannheimer Zentrum für Europäische Sozialforschung, 18-19 February
- 2004 “Patterns of Democratic Consolidation: Latin American Exceptionalism or Common Paths?”, presented at the International Conference ‘Thirty Years of Third Wave of Democratization: Paradigms, Lessons, and Perspectives’, Berlin (WZB), 10-11 December
- “Patterns of Democratization in Different World Regions”, presented at the University of Bishkek, Kyrgystan, the American University in Kyrgystan, and Osh State University, Kyrgystan, December
- “Context-Specific Analysis: Comparative Methods Reassessed”, with Bernhard Kittel, presented at the ESF SCSS Explorative Workshop Innovative Comparative Methods for Policy Analysis. An Interdisciplinary European Endeavour for Methodological Advances and Improved Policy Analysis/Evaluation, Erfurt/Jena, 25-28 September
- “The Fuzzy-Set/QCA Two-Step Approach to Middle-Range Theories”, with Claudius Wageman, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Chicago, 2-5 September
- Guest lecture “Neuere Entwicklungen bei der Anwendung des fuzzy set Qualitative Comparative Analysis (fs/QCA) Ansatzes in der vergleichenden Politikwissenschaft”, Institute for Advanced Studies (IHS), Department of Political Science, Vienna, 1 April
- 2003 “The Consolidation of ‘Third Wave’ Democracies: An Analysis of Six World Regions Using New Data and Methods”, invitation for a lecture at the Center for the Study of Democracy, University of California, Irvine, 15. November
- “Exploring the Complex Causes of the Consolidation of Democracy. An Application of the Two-Step fs/QCA Approach”, presented at the 2nd conference of the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), Marburg, 18-21 September
- “Exploring a New Cross-Regional, Time Series Data Set on the Key Concepts in Democratization: Liberalization, Transition, and Consolidation”, with Philippe C. Schmitter, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Philadelphia, 28-31 August

- “The Liberalization of Autocracy and the Consolidation of Democracy. Exploring a Cross-Regional Time-Series Data Set”, with Philippe C. Schmitter, presented at the International Conference: Reassessing Democracy - New Approaches to Citizenship, Governance and Multiple Identities in Comparative Research of the Working Group on ‘Inter-Cultural Comparison of Democracies’ at the German Association of Political Science (DVPW), Bremen, 20-22 June
- Guest lecture invited by Prof. Charles Ragin on fuzzy set Qualitative Comparative Analysis (fs/QCA) at the Department of Sociology, University of Arizona, Tucson, 9 May
- 2002 “Procesos de Liberalización de Autocracias y de Consolidación Democrática. Datos Empíricos de Países de Distintas Regiones Mundiales (1974-2000)”, presented at the ‘I Congreso Latinoamericano de Ciencias Políticas’, Salamanca, 8-11 July
- “QCA: Limited Diversity – Limited Applicability? The Role of Theory in QCA-based Studies of Democratization’, with Claudius Wagemann, presented at the International Conference: Methods of Comparative Political Science – Procedure and Examples of International and Inter-Cultural Comparative Studies of the Working Group on ‘Inter-Cultural Comparison of Democracies’ at the German Association of Political Science (DVPW), Greifswald, 5-7 July
- “The Consolidation of Democracy in Different Contexts: Complex Causation and Preliminary Data on 28 Third-Wave Democracies”, presented at the 3rd Meeting of the 2nd Advanced Research Workshop organized by the European Political Economy Infrastructure Consortium (EPIC), Florence, 16-22 May
- 2001 “The Consolidation of Democracy in Different Contexts: Combining Structures and Actors in an Inter-Regional Comparison of Third Wave Democracies”, presented at 4th Annual Graduate Student Retreat of ‘The Society for Comparative Research’ (SCR), Budapest, 8-10 May
- 2000 “Politische Kultur und demokratische Konsolidierung. Theoretische Reflexionen und empirische Befunde im interregionalen Vergleich”, presented at the Conference ‘Rechtsstaat and Democracy’ of the Working Group ‘Inter-Cultural Comparison of Democracies’ at the German Association of Political Science (DVPW), Bamberg, 2-3 June 2000

Panels Chaired/Moderated

- 2017 Chair for Panel “Comparative Politics”, 9th Graduate Network Conference, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, 30-31 March
- 2014 Chair for Panel “Applications of Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA)”, Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Washington DC, 38-31 August
- 2013 “Causal Inference in Set-Relational Analysis: New Techniques and Developments”, co-chaired panel with Ingo Rohlfing, the 7th ECPR General Conference, Bordeaux, 5-7 September

- “How Indonesia became a Constitutional Democracy and What it Means for Constitutional Processes and Democratic Institutions”, by Donald L. Horowitz, DISC Lecture Series, Central European University, 10 May
- “Methodological Challenges in the Studies of the Effects of Political Institutions in Divided Societies”, panel at “Status Quo Vadis – Political Institutions in Divided Societies”, DISC Conference, Central European University, 9-10 May
- “Compass Expert Seminar”, organized on behalf of the Compass Platform (www.compass.org), Central European University, 26 April
- “Varieties of Democracy (V-Dem): Global Standards, Local Knowledge”, by Staffan Lindberg, DISC Lecture Series, jointly organized with the Political Behavior Research Group, Central European University, 20 February
- 2012 “The Qualities of Democracies: Latin America and Beyond”, by Gerardo Munck, DISC Lecture Series, 14 November
- “Change of the Game or Games of Change? Making Sense of Middle East Politics After the ‘Arab Spring’”, by Oliver Schlumberger, DISC Lecture Series, 21 May
- “Democratic Consolidation Challenged? Findings of the Transformation Index BTI 2012 on Political and Economic Developments in East-Central Europe”, by Martin Brusis and Hauke Hartmann, DISC Lecture Series jointly organized with the Political Science Department, Central European University, 16 May
- “Imperfections of Democracy from the Human Empowerment Perspective”, by Christian Welzel, DISC Lecture Series, 15 May
- “The International Struggle Against Torture: Experiences of the Former UN Special Rapporteur on Torture”, by Manfred Nowak, DISC Lecture Series jointly organized with CEU’s Legal Studies Department, Central European University, 10 May
- “Quiet Politics and Business Power”, by Pepper Culpepper, DISC Lecture Series jointly organized with the Political Economy Research Group (PERG), Central European University, 7 May
- “Democratization in post-conflict ethnically divided countries: institutions vs local actors”, panel at the 7th CEU Annual Doctoral Conference, 25-27 April
- “The Democracy Paradox: The Erosion of Democracy as We Knew It and Rebirth of the Quest for Good Political Order”, by Michael Zürn, School of Public Policy and International Affairs, Central European University, 20 February
- 2011 “The Uncertain Future of Slovenian Exceptionalism”, by Igor Guardiancich, DISC Lecture Series jointly organized with the Political Economy Research Group (PERG), 5 December
- “Successful Power Sharing? Normative Justifications, Formal Procedures and Empirical Outcomes of Institutional Design in Post-Conflict Kosovo”, by Artak Galyan, DISC Lecture Series, 1 December
- “The Concept of Political Inequality”, by Joshua Kjerulf Dubrow, DISC Lecture Series, 11 October

- “Democracy: Realized Promises and the Risk of Drift”, by Dominique Schnapper, CEU Rector’s Lecture Series, Freedom and Democracy Dialogue, 10 October
- “Direct Democracy Worldwide”, by David Altman, DISC Lecture Series, 3 October
- “Mixed Methods”, at the 6th ECPR General Conference, Reykjavik, 25-27 August
- “Democracy Barometer – Measuring the Quality of Democracy”, by Wolfgang Merkel, DISC Lecture Series, 6 June
- “Are Large Polities More Democratic?”, by John Gerring, DISC Lecture Series, 27 May
- “Representation in Comparative Perspective”, at the 7th CEU Conference in the Social Sciences ‘What Follows After the Crisis? Approaches to Global Transformations’, 27 May
- “Equity and Equality in Voting on Redistribution: A Real-effort Experiment”, by Bernhard Kittel, DISC Lecture Series, 21 May
- “Radical Politics”, at the 6th Annual Doctoral Conference in Political Science, CEU, Budapest, 29 April
- “The Rocky Road Ahead: Deepening Good Governance Progress in the Western Balkans and the Eastern Neighborhoods”, at the conference ‘Exploring Experiences – Good Governance Exchange on the Frontiers of Europe’, Center for EU Enlargement Studies, CEU, 30 April
- “But do not mention migration! Comparative politics of denizen enfranchisement reforms in democracies with large migrant populations”, by Luicy Pedroza, DISC Lecture Series, 6 April
- “When Citizens Become Involved”, by Lawrence LeDuc, DISC Lecture Series, 4 February
- “Using Social Pressure to Get Out the Vote”, by Chris Larimer, DISC Lecture Series, 13 January
- 2010 “Redistribution and the Political Economy of Education”, by Marius Busemeyer, DISC Lecture Series, 18 November
- “Between Futungo and the Constitution. Considerations on Angola’s Political System”, by Jose Reis Santos, DISC Lecture Series, 11 November
- “Exogenous Influences on Political Trust in Central Europe”, by Mihail Chiru, DISC Seminar Series, 14 October
- “Meaning and Measurement: Conceptualizing Imperfect Democracies”, by Gary Goertz, DISC Lecture Series, 8 October
- 2009 “The Effects of Inequality on Democratic Regimes and Processes”, panel co-chaired with Bob Hancke (LSE) at the 5th ECPR General Conference, Potsdam, 10-12 September

- 2008 “How Freedom is Won and How to Keep it: Lessons from Democratic Breakthroughs and the Current Challenges to Freedom in the Post-Soviet Space”, by Peter Ackerman (Freedom House chairman), at the public roundtable discussion organized by the Human Rights Students Initiative at Central European University (CEU) and Freedom House Europe, 15 January
- 2007 “Lectures in Democracy and Human Rights Promotion: The Visegrad Experience”, organized by The Human Rights Students’ Initiative (HRSI) at Central European University (CEU), in cooperation with People in Need (Czech Republic) and Pontis Foundation (Slovakia), Budapest, 19 November
- “Research on Non-Democracies and Hybrid Regimes”, Panel at the 4th General Conference of the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), Pisa, 6.-8. September
- 2006 “Analyzing Democracy: Concepts, Measures, Methods”, Panel at the XX. Conference of the International Political Science Association’s (IPSA) Meeting, Fukuoka, Japan, 9-13 July
- 2005 “Outliers in Different Methodological Approaches”, Panel at the 3rd General Conference of the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), Budapest, 8-10 September

Conference Organization

- 2013 “Status Quo Vadis – Political Institutions in Divided Societies”, DISC Conference, Central European University, 9-10 May
- 2008 “The Challenges to Democratic Governance in New Democracies in Central Europe and the Balkans”, jointly organized with Freedom House Europe, Central European University, 10-11 October
- 2008 “The Qualities of Old and New Democracies”, Central European University, 18-19 June
- 2005 “7th Annual Student Retreat of the Society for Comparative Research (SCR)”, jointly with Princeton University and Central European University, Department of Political Science, Budapest, 3-4 July,

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Regime Transition, Future of Democracies, Authoritarian Regimes, Political Inequalities, Comparative Politics, Research Design and the Comparative Method, Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences, Latin America and Europe (East and South)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Ph.D.-Level Courses

- 2016-17 “The Political Economy of Regime Change”, with Laszlo Bruszt, Central European University
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Central European University

2015-16	“The Political Economy of Regime Change”, with Dorothee Bohle, Central European University
	“Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Central European University
2014-15	“The Political Economy of Regime Change”, with Dorothee Bohle, Central European University
2011-13,	“Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Central European University
2011-13	“Political Dynamics: Regime Change”, Central European University
2009	Advanced Methods: Configurational Comparative Analysis, Central European University
2008	“Comparative Institutional Analysis”, with Zsolt Enyedi, Central European University
2007	“Comparative Democratization”, with Philippe C. Schmitter, Central European University
2006	“Comparing Regime Changes”, Central European University
	“Departmental Doctoral Seminar”, Central European University
	“Dissertation Seminar in Comparative Politics and Political and Social Theory”, Central European University
	“Dissertation Seminar in Comparative Politics and Political and Social Theory”, Central European University
2005	“Advanced Issues In Comparative Research”, Central European University
2004	“Concepts and Methods in Comparative Politics”, Central European University

Ph.D.-Level Short Courses

2017	“Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Sets: Basics and Advanced Issues in Set-Theoretic Methods” with Patrick Mello, 12 th ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Budapest, 31 July – 11 August
	“Qualitative Comparative and Fuzzy Set Analysis”, with Charles Ragin and Ingo Rohlfing, Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research, Maxwell School, Syracuse University, 27 – 29 June
	“Advanced Topics in Set-Theoretic Methods and QCA”, 6 th ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques, Bamberg, 6 – 10 March
	“Basics of Set-Theoretic Methods and QCA”, 8 th IPSA-USP Summer School on Methods and Concepts in Political Science and International Relations, Sao Paulo, 30 January – 3 February
	“Advanced Issues in Set-Theoretic Methods and QCA”, 8 th IPSA-USP Summer School on Methods and Concepts in Political Science and International Relations, Sao Paulo, 6 – 10 February

- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis”, Global School Empirical Research Methods (GSERM), Oslo Business School, 9 – 13 January
- 2016 “Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Sets: Basics and Advanced Issues in Set-Theoretic Methods” with Patrick Mello, 11th ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Budapest, 1 – 12 August
- “Set-Theoretic Methods for the Social Sciences: A Primer for Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) and Fuzzy Sets“, 24th IPSA World Congress of Political Science, 23 July
- “Qualitative Comparative and Fuzzy Set Analysis”, with Charles Ragin, Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research, Maxwell School, Syracuse University, 21 – 22 June
- “Advanced Topics in Set-Theoretic Methods and QCA”, 5th ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques, Bamberg, 29 February - 4 March
- “Advanced Issues in Set-Theoretic Analyses of to Business Research Data”, Leibniz University Hannover, 21 – 22 January
- 2015 “Set-Theoretic Methods for the Social Sciences: A Primer for Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) and Fuzzy Sets”, Department of Political Science, Vienna University, 13 November
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Sets: Basics and Advanced Issues in Set-Theoretic Methods” with Patrick Mello, 10th ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Ljubljana, 23 July – 8 August
- “Qualitative Comparative and Fuzzy Set Analysis”, with Charles Ragin, Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research, Maxwell School, Syracuse University, 1 – 2 July
- “Advanced Topics in Set-Theoretic Methods and QCA”, 4th ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques, Bamberg, 16-20 February
- 2014 “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Johannes Kepler University Linz, 18-19 December
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Free University, Berlin, 10 – 11 November
- “Applying Set-Theoretic Methods to Business Research Data”, Leibniz University Hannover, 23-24 October
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Sets: Basics and Advanced Issues in Set-Theoretic Methods” with Patrick Mello, 9th ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Ljubljana, 23 July – 8 August
- “La Lógica de la Política Comparada con Enfoque Especial en las Técnicas de ‘Qualitative Comparative Analysis’ y Conjuntos Borrosos”, Salamanca Summer School in Methodology, 30 June – 4 July
- “Advanced Topics in Set-Theoretic Methods and QCA”, 3rd ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques, Vienna, 16-20 February

- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Max-Planck Institute for the Study of Societies, Cologne, 24-25 February
- 2013 “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin, 25-26 October
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Freiburg University, 21-22 October
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Sets: Basics and Advanced Issues in Set-Theoretic Methods” with Patrick Emmenegger, 8th ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Ljubljana, 23 July – 8 August
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Institute for Advanced Studies, Lucca, 23-24 July
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences. Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Sets”, University of Cologne, 27-29 May
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Jacobs University Bremen, 5 April
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Technical University Dresden, 25-26 March
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis”, with Axel Marx and Benot Rihoux, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, 5-9 March
- 2012 “Comparative Social Science Research Designs”, EURAC Bozen, 22-23 October
- “Qualitative Comparative and Fuzzy Set Analysis”, with Charles Ragin, Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research Maxwell School, Syracuse University, 25-26 June
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, with Claudius Wagemann, 7th ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Ljubljana, 27 July – 11 August
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, University of Brno, 8-11 April
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, Copenhagen Business School, 7-8 January
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, University of Speyer, 3-4 January
- 2011 “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, University of Passau, 16-17 December
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, University of Graz, 14-15 October
- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, with Claudius Wagemann, 6th ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Ljubljana, 29 July – 13 August

- “Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”, European University Institute (EUI), 18-20 April
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Set Analysis”, Freiburg University, 7-8 March
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Set Analysis”, at the Advanced Master Quantitative Analysis in the Social Science program (QASS), Brussels, AY 2010-2011
- 2010 “The Basics of QCA”, Institute for Advanced Studies (HIS), Vienna, 6 December
- “Understanding Set-Theoretic Approaches: Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Sets”, Netherlands Institute of Government, Maastricht University, 24 November
- “Configurational Comparative Methods: QCA and Fuzzy Sets”, with Airo Hino, 5th ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Ljubljana, 30 July – 14 August
- “La Lógica de la Política Comparada con Enfoque Especial en las Técnicas de ‘Qualitative Comparative Analysis’ y Conjuntos Borrosos”, Salamanca Summer School in Methodology, 12-16 July
- “Set-Theoretic Methods: A User’s Guide for Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) and Fuzzy-Sets in the Social Sciences – Discussion of Draft Chapters”, Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Syracuse, 19 June
- “Comparative Methods in Context: Case Selection Principles after Set-Theoretic Analyses”, together with James Mahoney, Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, 18 June
- 2009 “Configurational Comparative Methods: QCA and Fuzzy Sets”, with Benoit Rihoux, 4th ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Ljubljana, 29 July – 15 August
- “La Lógica de la Política Comparada con Enfoque Especial en las Técnicas de ‘Qualitative Comparative Analysis’ y Conjuntos Borrosos”, Salamanca Summer School in Methodology, July
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets”, Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences, 10-11 February
- 2008 “Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets”, University of Hamburg, 18-19 November
- “Configurational Comparative Methods: QCA and Fuzzy Sets”, with Benoit Rihoux, 3rd ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Ljubljana, 30 July – 16 August
- “Fuzzy Set Analysis”, Graduate School of Economics and Social Sciences (GESS), Center for Doctoral Studies in the Social and Behavioral Sciences (CDSS), University of Mannheim, 17 May

- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets”, University of Mannheim, 16 May
- 2007 “Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets”, Cologne Short Program of Applied Economic and Social Research, University of Cologne, 17-19 September
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets”, University of Konstanz, 10-12 September
- “Comparative Research Design and Configurational Comparative Methods”, with Benoit Rihoux, 2nd ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Ljubljana, 22 July – 4 August
- 2006 “Methodentraining für Doktoranden”, with Brigitte Kerchner, Sonderforschungsbereich 700 ‘Governance’, Free University Berlin, 19-21 October
- “La Lógica de la Política Comparada con Enfoque Especial en las Técnicas de ‘Qualitative Comparative Analysis’ y Conjuntos Borrosos”, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, 3-4 May
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets”, with Claudius Wagemann, Department of Political Science, University of Bern, 13-14 January
- 2005 “Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets”, Research Unit Democracy: Structure, Performance, Challenges, Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin, 20-21 October
- “Problemstellungen quantitativer Analysen in den Sozialwissenschaften”, Methodenworkshop of Graduiertensektion der Österreichischen Gesellschaft für Politikwissenschaft (POWI 04), Institut für Politikwissenschaft, Universität Wien, 6 September
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets”, with Claudius Wagemann, Humboldt University Berlin, 3-4 August
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets”, with Claudius Wagemann, Department of Political and Social Sciences, European University Institute, 19-20 May
- “Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets”, with Claudius Wagemann, Zentrum für Demokratieforschung, Universität Lüneburg, 24-25 February
- 2004 “Comparative Qualitative Analysis: Logics & Techniques”, European University Institute, Department for Political and Social Sciences, with Prof. Stefano Bartolini and Claudius Wagemann, Florence, 29-30 April

MA Courses

- 2015-16 “Comparative Case Study Research”, Central European University
- 2010-13 “Analyzing Democracy”, Central European University
- 2004, 2007, 2010-13, 2015 “Comparative Political Research”, Central European University
- 2008 “Comparative Regime Change”, Central European University

2007	“Configurational Comparative Methods: Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Sets”, Central European University
2005	“Comparative Democratization”, Central European University

BA Courses

2003-04	“Democratic Transition in Central and Eastern Europe”, with Magda Herbow-ska, New York University (NYU), Campus Florence
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LINGUISTIC PROFICIENCIES

German	Mother tongue
English	Fluent
Spanish	Fluent
Italian	Fluent
Portuguese	Beginner
Hungarian	Beginner