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CURRENT POSITIONS

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| since 08/2015 | Full Professor, Department of Political Science, Central European University (CEU) |
| since 08/2021 | MA Program Director, Department of Political Science, Central European University (CEU), Vienna |
| since 2020 | Co-chair of the Permanent Design Team and leader of work packages responsible for research in CIVICA - The European University of Social Sciences |

FORMER POSITIONS

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| 2014-17 | Head of Department, Department of Political Science, Central European University (CEU), Budapest |
| 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) |
| 2012-13 | Visiting Professor, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven |
| 20010-11 | Visiting Professor, Hogeschool Universiteit Brussels (HUB) |
| 2004-08 | Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Central European University (CEU), Budapest |

UNIVERSITY EDUCATION

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|---------|---|
| 2000-04 | <i>European University Institute (EUI), Florence</i>
Department of Political and Social Sciences |
| 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 |

RESEARCH AND TEACHING AREAS

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)

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
Nov 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.

PUBLICATIONS

Books

under contract	Carsten Q. Schneider. <i>Set-Theoretic Multi-Method Research: A Guide to Combining QCA and Case Studies</i> . Cambridge University Press, Cambridge
2021	Ioana-Elena Oana, Carsten Q. Schneider, and Eva Thomann. <i>Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) using R: A Gentle Introduction</i> . Cambridge University Press, Cambridge
2012	Carsten Q. Schneider and Claudius Wagemann. <i>Set-Theoretic Methods for the Social Sciences: A Guide to Qualitative Comparative Analysis</i> . Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 2012
2008	Carsten Schneider. <i>The Consolidation of Democracy: Comparing Europe and Latin America</i> . Routledge, London, 2008
2007	Carsten Q. Schneider and Claudius Wagemann. <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, 2007

Articles in Peer Reviewed Journals

accepted	Ioana-Elena Oana and Carsten Q. Schneider. A Robustness Test Protocol for Applied QCA: Theory and R Software Application. <i>Sociological Methods & Research</i> , 2021
2020	Alan M. Jacobs, Tim Büthe, and et al. Transparency in Qualitative Research: An Overview of Key Findings and Implications of the Deliberations. <i>Perspectives on Politics</i> , 19(1):171–208, 2020
2019	Carsten Q. Schneider and Ingo Rohlfing. Set-theoretic Multimethod Research: The Role of Test Corridors and Conjunctions for Case Selection. <i>Swiss Political Science Review</i> , 25(3):253–275, 2019
	Seraphine F Maerz and Carsten Q. Schneider. Comparing Public Communication in Democracies and Autocracies - Automated Text Analyses of Speeches by Heads of Government. <i>Quality and Quantity</i> , 54:517–545, 2020
	Carsten Q. Schneider. Two-Step QCA Revisited: The Necessity of Context Conditions. <i>Quality & Quantity</i> , 53(3):1109–1126, 2019
2018	Carsten Q. Schneider. Realists and Idealists in QCA. <i>Political Analysis</i> , 26(2):246–254, 2018

- Ingo Rohlfing and Carsten Q. Schneider. A Unifying Framework for Causal Analysis in Set-Theoretic Multi-Method Research. *Sociological Methods & Research*, 47(1):37–63, 2018
- Ioana-Elena Oana and Carsten Q. Schneider. SetMethods: an Add-on R Package for Advanced QCA. *The R Journal*, 10(1):507–533, 2018
- 2017 Carsten Q. Schneider and Seraphine Maerz. Legitimation, Cooptation, and Repression and the Survival of Electoral Autocracies. *Zeitschrift für Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft*, 11:213–235, 2017
- 2016 Carsten Q. Schneider. Real Differences and Overlooked Similarities. Set-Methods in Comparative Perspective. *Comparative Political Studies*, 49(6):781–792, 2016
- Carsten Q. Schneider and Claudius Wagemann. Assessing ESA on what it is designed for: A reply to Cooper and Glaesser. *Field Methods*, 28(3):316–321, 2016
- Carsten Q. Schneider and Ingo Rohlfing. Case Studies Nested in Fuzzy-set QCA on Sufficiency: Formalizing Case Selection and Causal Inference. *Sociological Methods & Research*, 45(3):526–568, 2016
- 2014 Carsten Q. Schneider and Kristin Makszin. Forms of Welfare Capitalism and Education-Based Participatory Inequality. *Socio-Economic Review*, 12(2):437–462, March 2014, *Winner of the 'SER Annual Award for the Best Paper'*
- 2013 Carsten Q. Schneider and Ingo Rohlfing. Combining QCA and Process Tracing in Set-Theoretic Multi-Method Research. *Sociological Methods and Research*, 42(4):559–597, 2013
- Ingo Rohlfing and Carsten Q. Schneider. Improving Research On Necessary Conditions: Formalized Case Selection for Process Tracing after QCA. *Political Research Quarterly*, 66(1):220–235, 2013
- Carsten Q. Schneider and Claudius Wagemann. Doing Justice to Logical Remainders in QCA: Moving Beyond the Standard Analysis. *Political Research Quarterly*, 66(1):211–220, 2013
- Carsten Q. Schneider, Daniel Bochsler, and Mihail Chiru. Comparative Politics in Central and Eastern Europe: Mapping Publications Over the Past Twenty Years. *European Political Science*, 12:127–145, 2013
- 2010 Carsten Q. Schneider and Claudius Wagemann. Standards of Good Practice in Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) and Fuzzy-Sets. *Comparative Sociology*, 9(3):397–418, 2010
- Claudius Wagemann and Carsten Q. Schneider. Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) and Fuzzy-Sets: Agenda for a Research Approach and a Data Analysis Technique. *Comparative Sociology*, 9(3):376–396, 2010
- 2009 Bernard Grofman and Carsten Q. Schneider. An Introduction to Crisp-set QCA, with a Comparison to Binary Logistic Regression. *Political Research Quarterly*, 62(4):662–672, 2009
- 2006 Carsten Q. Schneider and Claudius Wagemann. 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, 2006
- 2004 Carsten Q. Schneider and Phillip C. Schmitter. Liberalization, Transition and Consolidation. Measuring the Components of Democratization. *Democratization*, 11:59–90, 2004, *Winner of Democratization's 'Frank Cass Prize for the Best Article by a Young Scholar in 2004'*
- 2003 Carsten Q. Schneider. Prospects for the Consolidation of Latin American Democracies. Rethinking the Role of Corruption and Institutional Trust. *Sociologia, Problemas e Praticas*, 42:65–90, 2003

- 2018 Carsten Q. Schneider. Macro-Qualitative Approaches. In Wolfgang Merkel, Raj Kollmorgen, and Hans-Jürgen Wagoner, editors, *Handbook of Political, Social, and Economic Transformation*, pages 173–180. Oxford University Press, 2018
- 2016 Juraj Medzihorsky, Ioana-Elena Oana, Mario Quaranta, and Carsten Q. Schneider. 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>, 2016
- Carsten Q. Schneider. DA-RT Vader and QCA. *Qualitative Transparency Deliberations on behalf of the APSA Section for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research*, 2016, <https://www.qualtd.net/viewtopic.php?f=10&t=62>
- 2015 Claudius Wagemann and Carsten Q. Schneider. Transparency Standards in Qualitative Comparative Analysis. *Qualitative & Multi-Method Research Newsletter*, 13(1):38–42, 2015
- 2014 Ingo Rohlfing and Carsten Q. Schneider. Clarifying Misunderstandings , Moving Forward: Towards Standards and Tools for Set-Theoretic Methods. *Qualitative & Multi-Method Research Newsletter*, 12(2):27–34, 2014
- Carsten Q. Schneider. Makro-Qualitative Verfahren. In Raj Kollmorgen, Wolfgang Merkel, and Hans-Jürgen Wagoner, editors, *Handbuch der Transformationsforschung*, pages 221–229. VS Verlag, Wiesbaden, 2014
- 2013 Carsten Q. Schneider and Claudius Wagemann. Are We All Set? *Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Newsletter*, 11(Spring):5–8, 2013
- Carsten Q. Schneider and Claudius Wagemann. Fuzzy Sets are Sets – A Reply to Goertz and Mahoney. *Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Newsletter*, 11(Spring):19–22, 2013
- Carsten Q. Schneider. Sind Demokratien besser als Autokratien? In Klaus Oschema, Ulrike von Luxburg, and Marc Helbling, editors, *Wissenschaft 2014. Ein Kalender der Ambivalenzen*, pages 72–73. Thorbecke, 2013
- 2012 Carsten Q. Schneider. Doktorandenprogramme. In Matthias von Klatt and Sabine Koller, editors, *Lehre als Abenteuer. Anregungen für eine bessere Hochschulausbildung*, pages 59–66. Campus Verlag, Frankfurt, 2012
- Carsten Q. Schneider. Internationalisierung. In Matthias von Klatt and Sabine Koller, editors, *Lehre als Abenteuer. Anregungen für eine bessere Hochschulausbildung*, pages 120–124. Campus Verlag, Frankfurt, 2012
- Carsten Q. Schneider and Ingo Rohlfing. Does Set-Relational Causality Fit Into a Potential Outcomes Framework? An Assessment of Gerring’s Proposal. *Newsletter of the APSA Organized Section for Qualitative & Multi-Method Research*, 10(1):8–14, 2012
- 2009 Carsten Q. Schneider, Claudius Wagemann, and Susanne Pickel. Standards guter Praxis in Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) und Fuzzy-Sets. In Gert Pickel, Hans-Joachim Lauth, and Detlef Jahn, editors, *Neue Entwicklungen und Anwendungen auf dem Gebiet der Methoden der vergleichenden Politik- und Sozialwissenschaft*, pages 387–412. VS-Verlag, Wiesbaden, 2009
- 2006 Carsten Q. Schneider. Qualitative Comparative Analysis und Fuzzy Sets. In Joachim Behnke, Thomas Gschwend, Delia Schindler, and Kai-Uwe Schnapp, editors, *Methoden der Politikwissenschaft: Neuere qualitative und quantitative Analyseverfahren*, pages 273–285. Nomos, Baden-Baden, 2006
- 2003 Claudius Wagemann, Carsten Q. Schneider, and Susanne Pickel. Fuzzy-Set Qualitative Comparative Analysis (fs/QCA): ein Zwei-Stufen-Modul. In Gert Pickel, Hans-Joachim Lauth, and Detlef Jahn, editors, *Vergleichende politikwissenschaftliche Methoden – Neue Entwicklungen und Diskussionen*, pages 105–134. Westdeutscher Verlag, Wiesbaden, 2003

- 2002 | Carsten Q. Schneider and Phillipe Schmitter. Conceptualizing and Measuring the Liberalization of Autocracy and the Consolidation of Democracy across Regions of the World and from Different Points of Departure. In Manuel Alcantara, editor, *Política en América Latina. I Congreso Latinoamericano de Ciencias Políticas*, pages 1578–1645. Ediciones Universidad de Salamanca, Salamanca, 2002
- 2001 | Carsten Q. Schneider. Korruption und Vertrauen in Implementationsinstitutionen: ein Vergleich Lateinamerikas mit konsolidierten Demokratien. In Michael Becker, Hans-Joachim Lauth, and Gert Pickel, editors, *Rechtsstaat und Demokratie: Theoretische und empirische Studien zum Recht in der Demokratie*, pages 275–298. Westdeutscher Verlag, Wiesbaden, 2001

Book Reviews

- 2013 | Carsten Q. Schneider. 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, 2013
- 2012 | Carsten Q. Schneider. Jan Teorell: *Determinants of Democratization: Explaining Regime Change in the World, 1972-2006* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, UK, 2010). *Acta Politica*, 47(3), 2012
- 2010 | Carsten Q. Schneider. Andrew Roberts: *The Quality of Democracy in Eastern Europe: Public Preferences and policy Reforms* (Cambridge University Press, 2010). *Perspectives on Politics*, 8(3), 2010
- 2008 | Carsten Q. Schneider. 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, 2008

Work In Progress

- article | Carsten Q. Schneider and Seraphine F. Maerz. Democracy in Crisis - Bringing Public Discourse (Back) In, under review
- article | Constantin Manuel Bosancianu and Carsten Q. Schneider. Welfare States Matter for Democracy: Income-based Participatory Inequality in Post-WWII Western Democracies, in progress

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2019 | Winner of the '*David-Collier Mid-Career Achievement Award*', granted by the Qualitative and Multi-Method Research section of the American Political Science Association (APSA)
Winner of the '*CEU Distinguished Teaching Award*'
- 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 Participatory Inequalities", co-authored with Kristin Makzsin, in *Socio-Economic Review*. Vol. 12, No.2, pp. 437–62, 2014
- 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 Winner of the ‘*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”, co-authored with Philippe C. Schmitter, in: *Democratization*, Vol. 11, No. 5 (special issue), pp. 59-90, 2004
- 2005 Nominated by European University Institute (EUI) Political and Social Sciences Department for ECPR’s award of the best thesis in politics
Nominated by European University Institute (EUI) Political and Social Sciences Department for the American Political Science Association’s Gabriel Almond award of the best thesis in the field of comparative politics
- 2005 & 2006 Nominated for the Juan Linz Dissertation Award of APSA’s 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)
- 2001-02 Invited participant, 2nd cohort for the Advanced Research Workshops organized by the European Political-Economy Infrastructure Consortium (EPIC), funded by the European Commission 5th 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 32nd Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis and Collection

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

- 2020- CEU representative in the joint initiative ‘Vienna Karl Polanyi Visiting Professorship’
- 2019- International Expert Reviewer, Riksbankens Jubileumsfond (RJ), the Swedish Foundation for Humanities and Social Sciences
- 2019-20 International Expert Reviewer, National Science Centre Poland
- 2018 External Reviewer for Tenure, University of New Mexico
- 2017-18 Alexander George Article/Chapter Award Committee Member, APSA’s Qualitative and Multi-Method Research Section
- 2016-18 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
- 2016-20 Local Academic Convener, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, Budapest
- 2014-16 Elected Member to the Executive Committee of the Alumni Association, European University Institute, Florence
- 2015 ERC Advanced Grant Evaluator
- 2014- Official Representative of CEU at the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR)
- 2014 Wissenschaftskolleg Berlin, Fellowship program
- 2012 External Reviewer for Promotion to Full Professor (W3), Humboldt University Berlin
- 2012 Nominating Committee Member, Qualitative and Multi-Method Research Section (QMMR) of the American Political Science Association (APSA)
- 2010-14 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

2014-	Editorial Board, <i>Methods for Social Inquiry Series</i> , Cambridge University Press
2016-20	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
2014-20	Editorial Board, <i>European Journal of Political Research</i> (EJPR)
2014-19	International Advisory Board, <i>Swiss Political Science Review</i> (SPSR)
2014-16	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)
2012-	Editorial Board, <i>Sociological Methods and Research</i> (SMR)
2011-	Editorial Committee, <i>COMPASSSS 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; 12-	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</i> (EPER)

CEU-Internal

2016-20	Member of CEU's University Doctoral Committee
2017-18	Chair of 'Methods@CEU' Committee
2014-	Member of the Strategic Development Committee, Central European University
2015	Member of the 25 th Anniversary Activities Committee, Central European University
2014-15	Member of the Frontiers of Democracy Committee, Central European University
2013	Promotion Review Committee Chair, Department of Political Science, CEU
2012	Comparative Politics Search Committee, School of Public Policy, CEU
2010-14	Doctoral School of Political Science, Track Representative for Comparative Politics, Central European University (CEU), Budapest
2012	Review for Promotion from Assistant to Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, CEU
2007	Research Methodology, Department of Political Science, CEU
2006-09	Ph.D. Program Director, Department of Political Science, Central European University (CEU), Budapest

Reviewer for

American Journal of Sociology, American Journal of Political Research, Archives of Environmental and Occupational Health, British Journal of Political Science, Central European University Press, Cambridge University Press, Climate Policy, Comparative Political Studies, Comparative Sociology, Compasss 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, Gender and Politics, 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, Italian Political Science Review, Journal of Advances in Management Sciences and Information Systems, Journal of East Asian Studies, Journal of Institutional Economics, Journal of Public Policy, Methodological Innovations, Plos One, Policy & Society, Political Concepts & Political Methodology Working Paper Series, Political Analysis, Politische Vierteljahresschrift, Political Research Quarterly, Politics & Gender, Princeton University Press, Regulation and Governance, Revista de Ciencia Política (Chile), Routledge, Sage Book Publications, Social Science Quarterly, 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

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| 2021 | ”Democracy in Crisis: Bringing Public Discourse (Back) In”, Department of Political Science, Northwestern University, 12 February |
| 2019 | ”Case orientation and parameters of fit orientation. A proposal for systematized robustness tests in QCA using R”, with Nena Oana, 2 nd International QCA Expert Workshop, Antwerp, 22-24 May
Presenter (represented by co-author Seraphine Maerz), ”Democracy in Crisis – Bringing Public Discourse (Back) In”, ECPR Joint Session Workshop on ’Democratic backsliding in EU member states and candidate countries’, Mons, 9-12 April
Invited Keynote Speaker, EPS Barcelona Research Seminar ’Causation in Case Study Research? Some Theories and Practices’, Barcelona, 21 January |
| 2018 | Invited Keynote Speaker, Timisoara Workshop on Research Methods ’Causality in the Social Sciences’, Timisoara, 22-24 November
”Political Leaders and Leadership in Illiberal Democracies, Semi-Democratic and Authoritarian Regimes”, with Seraphine März, European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), 22-25 August, Hamburg
”A Missing Political Regime Indicator? Automated Text Analyses of Speeches by Heads of Government”, Departmental Seminar of Political Science Department, CEU, 15 November
”Out of Democratic Bounds? An Automated Text Analysis of Speeches by European Heads of Government”, with Seraphine März, Jahrestagung der Deutschen Vereinigung für Politikwissenschaft (DVPW), Frankfurt a.M., 25-28 September
”Welfare Regimes and the Link between Political and Social Inequalities in Western Democracies”, University Autònoma, Barcelona, 24 April
”The Mechanisms Linking Welfare States to Political Inequality”, University Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, 19 April |

- “Welfare Regimes and the Link between Political and Social Inequalities in Western Democracies”, University of St Gallen, 13 March
- 2017 “SetMethods - Tools for Advanced Set-Theoretic Analyses”, panel on Innovation in QCA Software, 5th International QCA Expert Workshop, ETH Zurich, 13-14 December
- “Two-Step QCA Revisited”, 5th International QCA Expert Workshop, ETH Zurich, 13-14 December
- Speaker “Meet the Expert: Mixed-Method QCA”, International QCA Young Researcher Workshop, ETH Zurich, 12 December
- Invited Round Table Presenter “30 Years of QCA”, International QCA Young Researcher Workshop, ETH Zurich, 12 December
- Invited Panelist “What Makes a Good QCA Paper”, International QCA Young Researcher Workshop, ETH Zurich, 12 December
- 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 Makszin, 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 (HIS), 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 Ciências 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 Autónoma 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, Kyrgyzstan, the American University in Kyrgyzstan, and Osh State University, Kyrgyzstan, 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

- 2021 Discussant for Panel “Regime Change & Stability”, 16th Annual Doctoral Conference, Doctoral School of Political Science, CEU, 8 April
- 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,

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Invited Teaching Positions in Europe and Beyond, predominantly post-graduate level

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| 2019-21 | Group Leader "Die Zukunft der Demokratie (in Europa)", Gesellschaftswissenschaftliches Kolleg, Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes, jointly with Eva G. Heidebreder |
| 2019 | Course Director "Action Research, Effective Writing, Visualization and Advocacy", Global Policy Academy, Hertie School of Governance, ECPR Summer and Winter Schools in Methods and Techniques in Budapest and Bamberg, Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research (IQMR), Syracuse University, University Pompeu Fabra Barcelona, IPSA-FLACSO Summer School, Mexico |
| 2018 | Course Director "Action Research, Effective Writing, Visualization and Advocacy", Global Policy Academy, CEU School of Public Policy, ECPR Summer and Winter Schools in Methods and Techniques in Budapest and Bamberg |
| 2017 | Global School in Empirical Research Methods (GSERM), Oslo, IPSA-USP Summer School, Sao Paulo, Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research (IQMR), Syracuse University, Course Director "Action Research, Effective Writing, Visualization and Advocacy", Global Policy Academy, CEU School of Public Policy, ECPR Summer and Winter Schools in Methods and Techniques in Budapest and Bamberg |
| 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, ECPR Summer and Winter Schools in Methods and Techniques |
| 2015 | Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research (IQMR), Syracuse University, Vienna University, ECPR Summer and Winter Schools in Methods and Techniques
Mandalay University, Myanmar, 27 April - 1 May |
| 2014 | Johannes Kepler University, Linz, Free University, Berlin, Leibniz University, Hannover, Max-Planck Institute for the Study of Societies, Cologne, Salamanca University, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques
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, Katolieke Unversiteit Leuven, Advanced Master Quantitative Analysis in the Social Science program (QUASS), ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques |
| 2012 | EURAC Bozen, Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research (IQMR), Syracuse University, University of Brno, Copenhagen Business School, University of Speyer, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques |
| 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), ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques |
| 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, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques |
| 2009 | Salamanca University, Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques |

2008	University of Hamburg, University of Mannheim, University of Cologne, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques
2007	Cologne Short Program of Applied Economic and Social Research, University of Konstanz
2006	Free University Berlin, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, University of Bern
2005	Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin, University of Vienna, Humboldt University Berlin, European University Institute, Universität Lüneburg
2004	European University Institute (EUI)

Ph.D.-Level Courses, taught at CEU

2014-17, 18	“The Political Economy of Regime Change”, with Dorothee Bohle and Laszlo Bruszt
2011-17, 18, 20	“Set-Theoretic Methods in the Social Sciences”
2011-13, 18	“Political Dynamics: Regime Change”
2009	Advanced Methods: Configurational Comparative Analysis”
2008	“Comparative Institutional Analysis”
2007	“Comparative Democratization”, with Philippe C. Schmitter
2006	“Comparing Regime Changes” “Departmental Doctoral Seminar” “Dissertation Seminar in Comparative Politics and Political and Social Theory”
2005	“Advanced Issues In Comparative Research”
2004	“Concepts and Methods in Comparative Politics”

MA Courses, taught at CEU

2020	”Frontiers of Political Research: Topics, Trends, Methods”
2015-16, 19, 20	“Comparative Case Study Research”
2010-13, 19	“Analyzing Democracy”
2004, 07, 10-13, 15, 19	“Comparative Political Research”
2008	“Comparative Regime Change”
2007	“Configurational Comparative Methods: QCA and Fuzzy Sets”
2005	“Comparative Democratization”

BA Courses

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

Mother tongue	German
fluent	English, Spanish, Italian
proficient	R, \LaTeX
basics	Portuguese, Hungarian