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Education

Since 12/2020	PhD Researcher <i>Université catholique de Louvain, Belgium</i>
2019 – 2020	Masters of Research (MRes) Political Communication <i>University of Glasgow, UK</i>
2014 – 2019	Masters of Arts (MA) Politics with Quantitative Methods <i>University of Glasgow, UK</i> 1 st class Honours Degree
2013 – 2014	Access Sociology and Politics <i>University of Glasgow, UK</i>

Academic Work Experience and Training

Since 09/2021	Graduate Teaching Assistant <i>University of Glasgow</i> I teach labs to second year undergraduate students as part of the QStep programme which is designed to promote a step-change in quantitative social science training. The courses I teach on include an introduction to using quantitative methods (QM1: Measuring Your Social World) and a follow-up course that expands on QM1 and introduces OLS regression (QM2: Analysing Your Social World). The labs are especially focused on using the statistical software R.
Since 01/2021	Editorial Assistant <i>Politics of the Low Countries</i> I am responsible for swift communication between authors and the editors while maintaining a double-blind peer review process. I further administer the process from submission, peer-review, and decision on Editorial Manager (EM), a highly configurable workflow management system.
08/2021	QStep Centre Summer School <i>University of Glasgow</i> Social Network Analysis
06/2018 – 07/2018	ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research <i>University of Michigan</i> Completed modules: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Maximum Likelihood Estimation I: Generalized Linear Models (Grade: A)- Network Analysis I: Introduction (Grade: A)
2017 – 2018	The Olive Tree Initiative <i>University of Glasgow</i> I took part in an extracurricular, experiential learning program of conflict studies with focus on the Israel-Palestine conflict which included a 17-day fieldtrip to the region as a student diplomat. The program emphasized academic research, critical thinking, analysing narrative perspectives, group briefings, and exposure to challenging environments and situations.

08/2017 - 12/2017

QStep Intern

University of Glasgow

I assisted in a research project within the School of Education which inquired how class relates to higher education outcomes and the willingness to take on quantitative methods training.

My role was to help design and carry out a survey, execute data cleaning, and offer a preliminary descriptive data analysis.

09/2014 – date

Trustee and Researcher

Global Minorities Alliance (GMA), Glasgow

I co-founded GMA in 2013 and became one of its trustees in 2014 upon its registration as a charity. Since then I am responsible for the general oversight of the charity as well as for the essential research work that underpins GMA's advocacy work for minorities worldwide.

In 2016, I was part of a fact finding mission in Thailand and subsequently co-authored a report on the situation of urban refugees from Pakistan in Thailand's capital Bangkok.

Publications

Reports

Gebauer, R. and Khan, S. (2017) "Are Christians in Pakistan Persecuted?" Available at: <https://www.globalminorities.co.uk/gma-reports/are-christians-in-pakistan-persecuted-gma-thailand-report-201617>

Articles in Newspapers, Blogs, Magazines, Newsletters, & Proceedings

Gebauer, R., Devillers, S. and Reuchamps, M. (2021) "Le « dialogue citoyen permanent: une première mondiale en Belgique Germanophone" *Aide-mémoire* (n°96) Available at: <https://www.territoires-memoire.be/aide-memoire/aide-memoire-96/le-dialogue-citoyen-permanent-une-premiere-mondiale-en-belgique-germanophone.html>

Presentations

09/2021

Workshop Challenges of Democratic Innovations in Europe

University of Ljubljana

08/2021

ECPR General Conference

Online

06/2021

NEXT Generation Deliberation Celebration Symposium

Online (hosted by KU Leuven)

12/2020

'Belgium: The State Of The Federation'

Online (hosted by Vereniging voor Politieke Wetenschappen and Association belge francophone de science politique)

09/2020

Worskhop One year of Permanent Citizens' Dialogue

Online (hosted by UC Louvain)

Work Experience

09/2015 to date	Church Officer (part-time) <i>Wellington Church, Glasgow, UK</i>
08/2017 to date	Survey interviewer (casual work) <i>Pexel Research Service, Glasgow, UK</i>
04/2015 – 09/2015	Customer Service Agent (full time) <i>Impact Results, Glasgow, UK</i>
07/2012 – 04/2015	Customer Support Agent (full time) <i>Pole to Win International, Glasgow, UK</i>
01/2005 – 10/2009	Store Manager (full time) <i>Netto Markendiscout (former Plus WarenhandelsgmbH), Germany</i>
08/2002 – 12/2004	Apprentice Store Manager (full time) <i>Plus WarenhandelsgmbH, Germany</i>

Volunteering

01/2020 – to date	Faith Impact Forum Member <i>Church of Scotland, Edinburgh, UK</i>
08/2019 – 12/2020	Advisory Group Member <i>Scottish Churches Parliamentary Office, Edinburgh, UK</i>
05/2017 – 12/2019	Church and Society Council Member <i>Church of Scotland, Edinburgh, UK</i>
07/2018 – 12/2018	Democracy Matters Facilitator <i>Scottish Churches Parliamentary Office, Edinburgh, UK</i>
09/2014 – to date	Elder and Trustee <i>Wellington Church, Glasgow, UK</i>

Awards and Recognitions

2021	Shortlist Best Paper Award <i>ECPR Section on Democratic Innovations: Uses and Perceptions</i>
2018	Scholarship to attend the ICPSR Summer Program <i>Awarded by the QStep Centre at the University of Glasgow</i>
2017 – 2018	Scholarship to participate in the Olive Tree Initiative <i>Awarded by the Olive Tree Initiative at the University of Glasgow</i>
2016 – 2017	Sociology Class Prize (for best overall score) <i>Awarded by the Department of Sociology at the University of Glasgow</i>
2015	Elizabeth Aitken Prize for Achievement in Access <i>Awarded by the Centre for Open Studies at the University of Glasgow</i>
2014	Highly Commended <i>Awarded by the International Young Scotland Program</i>

Other Skills

IT	Microsoft Office, R for Data Science, Citavi, Wordpress, extensive trouble shooting skills
Driving	Full EU Driving License
Languages	German (mother tongue), English (fluent), French (basic, A2)
First Aid	Certified first aider trained by St Andrews First Aid

References

References are available on request

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