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KSA - Dept. of Social & Cultural Anthropology
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EDUCATION

SEPTEMBER 2020

MA – UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA

Department of Social and Cultural Anthropology

CREOLE: Cultural Differences and Transnational Processes

Thesis: "Mechanisms of Othering and Power Asymmetries: Institutional Experiences of Refugees in Austria" | supervisor: Dr. Monika Palmberger
Graduated with distinction

MAY 2013

BA – LUTHER COLLEGE

Decorah, Iowa, USA

Majors: Anthropology and German; Minor: Music

Graduated *Magna Cum Laude*

LANGUAGE SKILLS

English: Native | **German:** Fluent (C1)

PUBLICATIONS

OCTOBER 2020

"WILLKOMMENSKULTUR THEN AND XENOPHOBIA NOW: LESSONS LEARNED FROM 'REFUGEE CRISIS' VOLUNTEERS IN VIENNA"

Book chapter in: Marlene Persch and Milo Strauss (eds). *Willkommenskultur und Stracheldraht: Beobachtungen aus der österreichischen ‚Flüchtlingskrise‘ 2015-17* (*Welcome Culture and Barbed Wire: Observations from the Austrian "Refugee Crisis" 2015-17*).

JULY 2020

"'THE IDEAL AUSTRIAN' VS. 'THE REFUGEE': THE CONSTRUCTION OF COLLECTIVE IDENTITIES IN THE VALUES AND ORIENTATION COURSES"

Academic blog post; co-authored with Mina Vasileva

Refugee Outreach and Research Network (ROR-n) (<http://www.ror-n.org>)

PRESENTATIONS

PRESENTATION IN PANEL
21-24 JULY 2020
ONLINE

EASA2020: NEW ANTHROPOLOGICAL HORIZONS IN AND BEYOND EUROPE

Presented paper: "'Values and Orientation Courses' for Refugees in Austria: (Re)Producing Hegemonic Narratives" (with Mina Vasileva); co-serve as admin
In panel: "Managing and mobilizing elements of difference: discourses on contemporary Europe's 'Muslim otherness'"
(*Accepted to two different panels but only presented at one due to conference rules*)

PRESENTATION IN PANEL
9-14 MARCH 2021
ONLINE

IUAES CONGRESS 2020: COMING OF AGE ON EARTH: LEGACIES AND NEXT GENERATION ANTHROPOLOGY

Presented paper: "Values and Orientation Courses' for Refugees in Austria as Sites of Encounter" (with Mina Vasileva) in panel: "Middle Eastern Encounters"

PRESENTATION IN PANEL
21-22 SEPT. 2011
ANKENY, IA, USA

IOWA COMMUNICATION ASSOCIATION FALL CONFERENCE

"Family Narratives"

Part of group of 5 presenters selected from 25 submitted papers

PRESENTATION IN PANEL
7 MAY 2010
DECORAH, IA, USA

**PAIDEIA STUDENT RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM,
LUTHER COLLEGE**

"Indian Cultural Norms and Violence Against Women during the Partition"

Chosen presenter out of 20 submitted student research papers

HONORS & AWARDS

2021

SOWI:DOCS DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP

Vienna Doctoral School of Social Sciences, University of Vienna

1 of 5 fellows selected for 3 years of funding

(JUNE 2020 - CANCELLED)
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

CENTRAL EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY – SUMMER UNIVERSITY

The Politics of Nationalist Mobilization

Accepted and awarded full tuition scholarship

2013

LAMBDA ALPHA ANTHROPOLOGY HONOR SOCIETY

Lifetime member

Selection based on student's Grade Point Average

2013

DELTA PHI ALPHA NATIONAL GERMAN HONOR SOCIETY

Lifetime honorary member

Selection based on professor's nomination

2012

GOETHE-INSTITUT BOOK PRIZE

Recognizes excellence within the German major

Selected by professor

2012

BARBARA A. BAHE STUDY ABROAD SCHOLARSHIP

Granted to exemplary German students for upcoming study abroad

VOLUNTARY WORK

2018 – 2021
VIENNA

REFUGEE OUTREACH AND RESEARCH NETWORK (ROR-N)

Media Manager

- Update and maintain website (<http://www.ror-n.org>) & social media
- Manage email lists and circulate network emails

Assistant Blog Editor

- Liaison between writers and editors, coordinate with Editorial Team
- Proofread & publish blog posts

2013 – PRESENT
VIENNA | USA | ONLINE

ACADEMIC EDITING AND PROOFREADING

- Proofread and edit English articles, theses, emails
- For researchers and university students

2018 – PRESENT
VIENNA

ENGLISH TUTOR

- Practice English with young refugees on weekly basis
- Teach other skills, including piano

2018 – PRESENT

EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL ANTHROPOLOGISTS (EASA)

Member; Volunteered at EASA2018 (Stockholm, August 2018)

2018 – 2019

VIENNA

BLOG WRITER

Impact Hub Vienna

2017

MINNESOTA, USA

ENGLISH TEACHING ASSISTANT

MORE Empowerment – free English classes for refugees

2013 – 2014

VIENNA

ENGLISH TEACHER

Caritas Lerncafé – free English practice for children of migrants

EMPLOYMENT

MARCH - DECEMBER 2021

VIENNA

PUBLICATIONS PROJECT MANAGER

The International Dialogue Centre (KAICIID)

- Coordinating & managing large publications projects from start to finish
- Proofreading, copyediting, & assessing for language, content, & quality
- Planning & adjusting timeline as project evolves/unexpected changes occur
- Liaising between involved parties; managing and aligning expectations
- Improving communication workflow

2013 – PRESENT

VIENNA | USA | NEW ZEALAND

ACADEMIC COPY EDITING, PROOFREADING

- Proofread and copy edit English articles
- For researchers (mainly at ISA, ÖAW) and university students
- Includes theses, proposals, articles, and blog posts

2015 – 2019

ONLINE

FREELANCE EDITOR, WRITER, & GERMAN-ENGLISH TRANSLATOR

Key Content, SL; Jenn Marie Writing & Editing, LLC; various clients

2019

VIENNA

SCHOOL OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

AMADEUS International School Vienna

2014 – 2018

ONLINE

FREELANCE GERMAN-ENGLISH TRANSLATOR

Day Translations, Inc.; American Football Bund Österreich

2015

WELLINGTON, NEW ZEALAND

ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR

YMCA Greater Wellington - After School Care

2014

DÜSSELDORF, GERMANY

SUSTAINABILITY INTERN

Henkel AG & Company, KGaA

2013 – 2014

LOWER AUSTRIA

ASSISTANT ENGLISH TEACHER

Austrian-American Educational Commission

COMPUTER SKILLS

Applications: Microsoft Office; Affinity Design, Photo, & Publisher

Platforms: WordPress, Weebly, MailChimp, Canva

Programming: HTML5, CSS

HOBBIES

Soccer and other team sports, bouldering, creative writing, classical singing, piano, escape rooms, board games