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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2014-now Lecturer in Governance and Coordinator of the study area Governance, Liberal Arts and Sciences, University College Freiburg (UCF)
Albert-Ludwig-University Freiburg, Germany
- 2017-now Associated researcher in SNF-funded project "Constructing Europe's Borders"
Swiss Federal School of Technology (ETH), Zurich, Switzerland
- 2012-2013 Coordinator of the research area Global Integration, post-doctoral researcher
Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences (BIGSSS), Germany
- 2006-2011 Doctoral and post-doctoral researcher
Swiss Federal School of Technology, Zurich, Switzerland

EDUCATION

- 10.2011 Doctor of Political Science, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology
- 2005 Research Master in Comparative Societies and Policies, SciencesPo, Paris
- 2004 University Diploma in Political Science, European Humanities University, Minsk
Joint program with Institutes of Political Science of Strasbourg, Grenoble, Lille and
Bordeaux
- 2001 Certificate in European Studies, Institutes of Political Science of Strasbourg and
Grenoble, Trinity College, Dublin and European Humanities University

MANAGEMENT AND UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION EXPERIENCE

- 2014-now Coordinator of the study area Governance, Liberal Arts and Sciences study program
(100 students, 13 course modules, team of 2 lecturers, 1-2 assistants and 2-5 adjunct
lecturers per semester)
- 2015-now Member of the Admissions Commission, Liberal Arts and Sciences
Member of the "institutional mission" process, University College Freiburg
- 2016-now Member of the Board of Studies, Liberal Arts and Sciences
Member of the Board of Examiners, Liberal Arts and Sciences
Member of the sub-committee on teaching quality / evaluations, Board of Studies

RESEARCH PROJECTS

Research Project “Constructing Europe’s Borders” (2017-2020)

Researcher and revised proposal co-author, Swiss National Foundation, 500'000 Swiss Francs

PIs: Frank Schimmelfennig, Marie-Eve Bélanger. [Online](#).

- Dataset on parliamentary discourse in Russia on regional integration and belonging, 2004-2017
- Codebook for the project and instructions for coders, with Marie-Eve Bélanger
- ‘Seeing the Elephant in the Room: Russian Framing of the Eastern Partnership’, upcoming conference paper for EUSA (Denver 2019) With Marek Neuman
- ‘Ukraine’s Foreign Policy between the EU and Russia’, upcoming conference paper for EUSA International Biennial conference (Denver 2019) With Cristina Gerasimov
- ‘Russia and Europe’s Borders: Evolution of Parliamentary Discourse between 2004 and 2017’, paper presented at Dreiländertagung - Joint conference of political science associations of Switzerland, Switzerland and Austria (Zurich 2019)
- ‘Russia and Regional Integration in Europe and Eurasia: Parliamentary Discourse between 2005 and 2017’, paper presented at ECPR Standing Group on the European Union (Paris 2018)

Research Topic “Treaty Bodies in the Council of Europe: Institutions and Discourse”

PI of kick-off project on institutional and discursive adjustments in international organizations, Research Innovation Fund of the University of Freiburg, 17'000 Euro, [Online](#).

- Dataset on submission delays in three report-based monitoring mechanisms
- ‘Court, Mediator, Facilitator: How three Monitoring Bodies of the Council of Europe Define their Role and Adjust their Working Methods’, paper presented at ECPR General Conference (Hamburg 2018) With Angela Geck
- ‘Institutional Innovation by Treaty Bodies of International Organization: Strategies of Maximizing Authority and Legitimacy’, paper presented at ECPR General Conference (Oslo 2017)
- ‘“Happily ever after”: Authority and legitimacy of international organizations in the process of treaty monitoring’, paper presented at ECPR General Conference (Prague 2016)
- ‘Self-Legitimation of the Council of Europe in the Process of Treaty Monitoring’, paper presented at ECPR Workshop Sessions (Warsaw 2015)

Research Topic “Discourse Analysis of Diplomatic Communication”

- ‘Follow-ups in Pre-structured Communication: the Case of Treaty Monitoring’, peer-reviewed paper in Elda Weizman and Anita Fetzer (eds): *Follow-ups in political discourse*. Amsterdam / Philadelphia: John Benjamins, 2015: 231-262. [Abstract online](#)
- ‘Reporting under International Conventions: a Genre Analysis’. *The Hague Journal of Diplomacy* 2012, 7.3: 287-312. Doi:[10.1163/187119112X635168](https://doi.org/10.1163/187119112X635168)
- ‘Strategies of Response and Responsiveness in Diplomatic Communication’, workshop paper in: Fetzer, Anita, Elda Weizman, Elisabeth Reber (eds): *Proceedings of the ESF Workshop ‘Follow-ups across Discourse Domains: A Cross-cultural Exploration of Their Forms and Functions’*. Universität Würzburg, 2012: 178-191.
- ‘Discursive Strategies in Diplomatic Communication’, paper presented at IPSA (Madrid 2012)
- ‘Pragmatics in Diplomatic Communication’, paper presented at Lodz Symposium on New Developments in Linguistic Pragmatics (Łodz 2012)
- ‘Discursive Dynamics of Compliance: International Involvement in National Minority Protection’, PhD thesis, ETH Zurich, October 2011

Research Topic “Didactics of Social and Political Science Teaching

- ‘Encouraging Student Reflection: Approaches to Teaching and Assessment’. *European Political Science* 2018, online: <http://link.springer.com/article/10.1057/s41304-018-0182-7> Editor of the symposium
- ‘Reflective Writing for Enhancing Integration of Knowledge in Modularized Study Programs’, with Elina Schleutker and Stoyan Panov. *European Political Science* 2018, online: <http://link.springer.com/article/10.1057/s41304-018-0183-6>
- ‘Motivation, Ownership and the Role of the Instructor in Active Learning’. *International Studies Perspectives* 2016, 17.2: 214-229. Doi: [10.1093/isp/ekv001](https://doi.org/10.1093/isp/ekv001)
- ‘Reflective Writing Exercises for Enhancing Analysis and Synthesis of Individual Learning Outcomes’, paper presented at ECPR General Conference (Oslo 2017) With Stoyan Panov
- ‘Mitigating the drawbacks of study programs’ modularization by student reflection: Letter to the future self’, paper presented at ECPR General Conference (Prague 2016)
- ‘Level of Teacher Control and Motivation in Active Learning Methods’, paper presented at IAFOR European Conference on Education (Brighton 2013)
- ‘Simulation Role-Plays as a Motivation Tool’, paper presented at EduLearn International Conference on Education and New Learning Technologies (Barcelona 2013)

Research Project “Minority Protection Rules in the Context of EU Conditionality” (2008-2011)

Researcher and proposal co-author, Swiss National Foundation, 290'000 Swiss Francs, PIs: Frank Schimmelfennig, Guido Schweltnus. [Online](#).

- Dataset on legislative changes on five policy issue areas in the ‘Big Bang’ enlargement countries
- ‘The Revocation of Minority-Protection Rules in New EU Member States: Language and Education Policy in Slovakia and Latvia’. *L’Europe en formation* 2012, 364: 379-400, with Guido Schweltnus and Lilla Balázs. Doi: [10.3917/eufor.364.0379](https://doi.org/10.3917/eufor.364.0379)
- ‘Project Report: A Fuzzy-Set Qualitative Comparative Analysis of Minority Protection Rules in Ten New EU Member States’. In: *European Yearbook of Minority Issues*, Volume 9 (2010), Bolzano: Brill, 2012: 117-145, with Guido Schweltnus and Lilla Balázs [Preview online](#)
- ‘It ain’t over when it’s over: The Adoption and Sustainability of Minority Protection Rules in New EU Member States’. *European Integration Online Papers* 2009, 2.13: 1-28, with Guido Schweltnus and Lilla Balázs. [Online](#)

Other publications

- (Book review) Ilie, Cornelia (ed). European Parliaments under Scrutiny. 2010. Amsterdam/Philadelphia: John Benjamins, 378 pp., *Journal of Language and Politics*, 2012, 11.1: 162-167.
- ‘Principes de la politique linguistique. Étude comparée de la Révolution Française et la Révolution d’Octobre’ [Linguistic Policy Foundations: Comparative Study of the French and October Revolutions]. *European Journal of Language Policy* 2013, 5.2: 159-185. Doi: [10.3828/ejlp.2013](https://doi.org/10.3828/ejlp.2013).

TEACHING

PhD	Discourse Analysis
Master	Methods of Text Analysis; International Protection of Minorities
4th year courses	Research Design across Disciplines; Research Colloquium Governance; International Organizations; Diplomatic Profession
3rd and 2nd year	International Relations and Institutions; International Human Rights; History of European Diplomacy; Diplomacy; International Policy Evaluation
1st year	Internationalism; Introduction to Governance
Supervision	Bachelor Theses in social and political sciences

GRANTS AND AWARDS

2015-2018	Conference grants: German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD); European Consortium for Political Research; Scientific Society, University of Freiburg.	
2015	Teaching Quality Fund, 40'000 euro	Co-applicant; additional funds for teaching activities in the Major "Governance", including a new academic staff position.
2015	University Freiburg, 20'000 euro	Event coordinator for Employability event and Employability Conference, December 4-5, 2015 with 15 organizations, 8 international academic participants, and about 60 students. Coordinated a team of 4 members.
2010	Swiss National Foundation, CIS Zurich, 12'000 Swiss francs	Co-applicant and co-organizer of a 3-day research workshop on minority protection rules with 20 international participants, with Lilla Balázs
2006	German Parliament	Fellowship in support of living costs during an internship at the party Bündnis 90 / Die Grünen
2004-2005	French Government, 11'000 euro	Grant for MA studies and for field research in Estonia and France
2002-2003	French Embassy in Belarus	Performance-based grants for participation in international student conferences: Cairo, Vilnius, Kiev
1999-2004	European Humanities University	Performance-based tuition fee waiver

LANGUAGES

English, French, German, Russian, Belarusian

Freiburg im Breisgau, 17 February 2019