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EMPLOYMENT

2022-date	Associate Professor in European History and Memory Studies, Maastricht University (NL)
2019 & 2021	Maternity Leave
2014-2022	Assistant Professor in European Studies, Maastricht University (NL)
2012-2014	Lecturer in European Studies, Maastricht University (NL)
2011-2012	Researcher , Dachau Concentration Camp Memorial Site (DE)
2008-2011	Course Assistant , Euromasters Programme, University of Siena (IT)

EDUCATION

2007-2011	PhD in European and Comparative History and Politics (summa cum laude) CIRCaP, University of Siena (IT) <u>Thesis</u> : 'Constructing the Past – Shaping the Future: From a National to a European Memory Framework'
2007-2008	Master of Research in European and Comparative Politics CIRCaP, University of Siena (IT)
2006-2007	MA in Contemporary European Studies (summa cum laude) Euromasters jointly awarded by: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• University of Bath (UK)• Sciences Po Paris (FR)• University of Siena (IT) <u>Thesis</u> : 'Shared history, divided memory? Vergangenheitsbewältigung in Italy and Germany'
2002-2006	BA Honours in European Studies and Foreign Languages (1 st class) University of Reading (UK)

PUBLICATIONS

Books

History, Memory, and Trans-European Identity: Unifying Divisions. London/New York: Routledge (2014)

Dividing United Europe. From Crisis to Fragmentation? London/New York: Routledge (2019, with C. Karner)

Agency in Transnational Memory Politics. Oxford: Berghahn (2020, with J. Wüstenberg)

Peer-reviewed journal articles

Memory, post-fascism and the far-right. *Italian Political Science Review* (2024, with L. Ortiz Cabrero)

Le Politiche della memoria dell'Unione Europea. *Qualestoria – Rivista di Storia Contemporanea*, XLIX, No. 2, 19-33 (2021)

Acting at the margins – Italian mnemonic activism in the European Parliament. *Politique européenne*, 71, 110-141 (2021, with L. Ortiz Cabrero)

EU Memory Politics and Europe's Forgotten Colonial Past. *Interventions*, 22(6), 386-702 (2020)

The European Union as a Memory Region. *Contemporanea. Rivista di Storia dell'800 e del '900*, 23(1), 128-132 (2020)

A Contested Latecomer – the Munich Documentation Centre for the History of National Socialism. *History & Memory*, 32(1), 9-33 (2020)

Entre el debate y el diálogo – La Unión Europea como mediadora de memoria. *Revista Científica de Información y Comunicación*, 15, 29-55 (2018)

1939 versus 1989 – A Missed Opportunity to Create a European Lieu de Memoire?, *East European Politics & Societies*, 31(3), 439-455 (2017)

National Stereotypes in the Context of the European Crisis. *National Identities*, 19(1), 1-9 (2017, with C. Karner)

Drawing Lessons from the Past – Mapping Change in Central and South-Eastern Europe. *East European Politics & Societies*, 30(1), 3-9 (2016)

Linking the Local and the Transnational: Rethinking Memory Politics in Europe. *Journal of Contemporary European Studies*, 23(3), 321-329 (2015, with J. Wüstenberg)

Nostalgia for Times Past. On the Uses and Abuses of the *Ostalgie* Phenomenon in Eastern Germany. *Contemporary European Studies*, 4(2), 47-60 (2009)

Minority Language Protection in Italy. Linguistic minorities and the Media. *Journal of Contemporary European Research*, 4(4), 303-321. (2008)

Editorships

Taking Stock of Memory Studies [Special Issue]. *Memory Studies*, 16(6) (2023, edited with J. Olick and J. Wüstenberg)

Museums and Monuments: Memorials of Violent Pasts in Urban Spaces [Special Issue]. *History & Memory* 32(1) (2020, edited with U. Capdepon and J. Strauss)

Dividing united Europe. Stereotypes, prejudices and the European (economic) crisis [Special Issue]. *National Identities*, 19(1) (2017, edited with C. Karner)

Europe's Changing Lessons from the Past [Special Issue]. *East European Politics & Societies*, 30(1) (2016)

Transnational Memory Politics in Europe [Special Issue]. *Journal of Contemporary European Studies*, 23(3) (2015, edited with J. Wüstenberg)

Chapters in books

Die Erinnerungspolitik der EU und Europa's vergessene koloniale Vergangenheit. In J. Mackert and I. Pappe (Eds.) *Siedlerkolonialismus – Grundlagentexte des Paradigmas und aktuelle Analysen*. Baden-Baden: Nomos (2024)

Europeanising memory: The European Union's politics of memory. In M. Mälksoo (Ed.) *Handbook on the Politics of Memory*. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar Publishing (2023)

Memory Studies – Development, Debates and Directions. In M. Berek et al. (Eds.) *Handbuch Sozialwissenschaftliche Gedächtnisforschung*. Wiesbaden: Springer VS (2023)

Las Políticas Europeas de la Memoria: Un Ejemplo de Conflicto Productivo? In J. Guixé, J.A. Carballés and R. Conesa (Eds.). *Diez Años de Leyes y Políticas de Memoria (2007-2017)*. Madrid: Catarata (2019)

Memory, Identity and a Painful Past: Contesting the Former Dachau Concentration Camp. In M.T. Starzmann and J.R. Roby (Eds.). *Excavating Memory: Sites of Remembering and Forgetting*. Gainesville: University Press of Florida (2016)

La lotta italiana con la storia e l'europeizzazione della memoria nazionale. In L. Cecchini and H. Lauge Hansen (Eds.). *Conflitti della memoria/Memoria dei conflitti. Modelli narrativi della memoria intergenerazionale in Italia e Spagna*. Copenhagen: Museum Tusculanum Press (2015)

Integrating Europe – integrating memories. The EU's politics of memory since 1945. In L. Bond and J. Rapson (Eds.). *The Transcultural Turn: Interrogating Memory between and beyond borders*. Berlin: De Gruyter (2014)

The end of the memory war? From a national to a European memory framework. In O. Gyarfasova and K. Liebhart (Eds.). *Constructing and Communicating Europe*. Berlin/Vienna: LIT Verlag (2014)

Italy's struggle with history and the Europeanisation of national memory. In U. Engel, M. Middell and S. Troebst (Eds.). *Erinnerungskulturen in transnationaler Perspektive*. Leipzig: Leipziger Universitätsverlag (2012)

Other publications

Introduction: Taking Stock of Memory Studies. *Memory Studies*, 16(6), 1399-1406 (2023, with J. Olick and J. Wüstenberg)

History, Memory and the Construction of a European Identity. *Rivista di Diritti Comparati*, 1/2023, 58-67 (2023)

Book Review: Speccher, T. (2016). Die Darstellung des Holocausts in Italien und Deutschland. Erinnerungsarchitektur – Politischer Diskurs – Ethik. Bielefeld: Transcript. In *Quest: Issues in Contemporary Jewish History*, 13, 392 (2018).

Book Review: Hoerber, T (2014). A Converging Post-War European Discourse: War Experience, Changing Security Concepts, and Research and Education. Lanham: Lexington Books. In *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 55(1), 153-154 (2018).

The Memory Studies Association: Ambitions and an invitation. *Memory Studies*, 10(4), 490-494 (2017, with J. Olick and J. Wüstenberg)

- The Contemporary Presence of the Past: Memory Studies in the Council for European Studies and Beyond. In *EuropeNow* (Special Issue: Memory and the Politics of the Past: New Research and Innovation), Issue 6 (2017, with J. Wüstenberg).
- Democratic Change in Central and Eastern Europe 1989-90. The European Parliament and the end of the Cold War*. Brussels: European Parliament (2015)
- Book Review: Cento Bull, A. and Cooke, P. (2013). Ending Terrorism in Italy. London: Routledge. In *Tijdschrift voor Sociale en Economische Geschiedenis*, 12(1), 122-123 (2015)
- Book Review: Middelaar, L. Van (2013). The Passage to Europe, how a Continent became a Union. New Haven and London: Yale University Press. In *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 52(1), 180-181 (2014)
- Book Review: McCrone, D. and McPherson, G. (2009). National Days. Constructing and Mobilising National Identity. London: Palgrave Macmillan. In *National Identities*, 16(1), 182-184 (2014)
- Book Review: Clifford, R. (2014). Commemorating the Holocaust. The Dilemmas of Remembrance in France and Italy. Oxford: Oxford University Press. In *Historical Justice and Memory Research Network* (2014)
- Book Review: Resede, E. & Budryte, D. (Eds.). (2014). Memory and Trauma in International Relations. Theories, cases and debates. New York: Routledge. In *E-International Relations* (2014)
- Book Review: McGrattan, C. (2013). Memory, Politics and Identity: Haunted by History. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. In *Historical Justice and Memory Research Network* (2013)
- Book Review: Stübler, D. (2010). Revolution in Italien. Sächsische Diplomaten und Journalisten über Italien zwischen 1789 und 1871. Leipzig: Leipziger Universitätsverlag. In *CURIOSITAS*, 12-13, 283-284 (2013)
- A question of impact – EU citizenship without citizens?. *Open Citizenship*, 1(1), 6-27 (2010)
- Book Review: Fligstein, N. (2009). Euroclash: The EU, European Identity and the Future of Europe'. Oxford: Oxford University Press. In *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 47(3), 681 (2009)
- Book Review: Battini, M. (2007). The Missing Italian Nuremberg: Cultural Amnesia and Postwar Politics. New York: Palgrave Macmillan. In *Political Studies Review*, 7(3), 428 (2009)
- Book Review: Zehfuss, M. (2007). Wounds of Memory: The Politics of War in Germany. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. In *Political Studies Review*, 7(3), 429 (2009)
- Actors and Issues in Quality Assurance in Higher Education in Europe*, DGIV Background paper. Strasbourg: Council of Europe (2004)

AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS

2022/2023	Fellow, De Gasperi Centre, European University Institute, Florence (IT)
April-May 2022	Visiting Fellow, LUISS, Rome (IT)
2014-2015	Visiting Fellow, European University Institute, Florence (IT)
June 2013	Short-term Visiting Fellowship, CSIC, Madrid (ES)
2020	Teaching-Research Integration Award, Centre for European Research in Maastricht (NL)
2010	Internationalisation Award for outstanding international research activities, University of Siena (IT)
2005	DAAD Fellowship for Internships in International Organisations

RESEARCH FUNDING

2024-2025	NWO Open Competition SSH XS grant, individual research grant by the Dutch Research Council	50.000€
2022-2027	NWO Aspasia grant, individual research grant by the Dutch Research Council	120.000€
2021-2023	CHOS - Contested Histories Onsite. Europe for Citizens programme (lead applicant)	100.000€
2015-2019	HISTCOM3 – History of the European Commission 1986-2004 (coordinated by the EUI, participant)	800.000€
2017-2019	E-WORDS - Europeans win ostracism: from remembrance to a dialogue society. Europe for Citizens programme (co-applicant)	100.000€
2016	Inaugural Conference of the Memory Studies Association 3-5 December 2016 in Amsterdam Grants from a range of organizations for the conference	24.000€
2015	European Parliament Public Tender EPRS/BIB/SER/14/123N, Study on the 25 th Anniversary of Democratic Change in Central and Eastern Europe (sole applicant)	14.500€
2012-2016	COST Project ISTME <i>In search of Transcultural Memory in Europe</i> (coordinated by Lund University, participant)	600.000€
2012	International Visitors' Survey, Dachau Concentration Camp Memorial Site (coordinator)	17.600€
2007-2010	PhD Scholarship, University of Siena (IT)	35.000€
2006	Euromasters Scholarship, University of Bath (UK)	7.500€

INVITED TALKS (as keynote speaker or guest lecturer)

Die erste Europawahl 1979, Otto von Habsburg Foundation Budapest, 05 March 2024 (plenary)

La dificultad de la memoria, Museo de la Memoria Cordoba Argentina, 31 October 2023 (plenary)

History, Memory and the European Project, Otto von Habsburg Foundation Budapest, 08 May 2023 (plenary)

United in Conflict? Memory Politics in the European Union, Columbia University, 24 April 2023 (online expert roundtable)

Old wine in a new bottle? Memory Studies and its challenges, Kalamata, 1 December 2022 (opening lecture)

European memory policies and legislation, University of Barcelona, 23 November 2022 (plenary)

History, Memory and the Construction of European Identity, Università Roma Tre, 10 November 2022 (plenary)

Democratic Change in Central and Eastern Europe, the European Parliament and Otto von Habsburg, European University Institute, 7 October 2022 (expert roundtable)

The European Integration Process – The Role and Impact of History, Memory and Identity, Johns Hopkins University SAIS Bologna, 15 September 2022 (opening keynote)

Remembering the Holocaust in Germany and Italy, Universität Trier, 05 May 2022 (online expert roundtable)

Ragioni/Regioni della memoria. Il 27 gennaio e l'Europa, International Holocaust Day, Università di Genova, 25 January 2022 (keynote speaker)

EU Memory Politics and Europe's Forgotten Colonial Past, Jean Monnet Centre Montréal, 28 January 2021 (keynote speaker)

Historical Memory and Foreign Policy, Finnish Institute of International Affairs, 19 January 2021 (online expert roundtable)

In the Labyrinth of Politics of Memory. Hitler Stalin Pact: Shared and Divided European Perspectives and Experiences, European Network of Remembrance and Solidarity, 26 August 2020 (online expert roundtable)

Memory challenges for the European Union, Universidad de Sevilla, 14 May 2019 (guest lecture)

Real or Imagined? Questioning the Existence of a European Memory, Inauguration of the Simone Veil Research Centre for Contemporary European Studies, Ben Gurion University Israel, 8-10 April 2019 (plenary)

Reflexiones sobre la Memoria de la Unidad Europea, Universitat Pompeu Fabra Barcelona, 22 February 2019 (guest lecture)

Common Legacy or Competition of Memories? Remembering in the European Union, University of Barcelona, 15-16 November 2018 (plenary)

National Stereotypes in the Context of the European Crisis, Université Libre de Bruxelles, 19 April 2018 (guest lecture)

The Unbearable Lightness of Dates – Remembering the End of the Cold War in the EU, Johns Hopkins University SAIS Bologna, 1 February 2018 (guest lecture)

Why Do Italy and Germany Confront the Legacy of the Holocaust and WWII so Differently? What Does this Mean for European Memory? University of Minnesota, 9 November 2017 (guest lecture)

Transnational Memory Politics, University of Groningen, 6 November 2017 (guest lecture)

Memory Politics – Local, National or European? Bosnia Herzegovina Historical Museum, 26 April 2017 (plenary)

Unita nella diversità. Le politiche della memoria dell'Unione Europea, University of Padua, 19 April 2017 (guest lecture)

Memory Studies and History – a conflictual relationship and European Memory – a survey of the battlefield, Central European University, 3 April 2017 (guest lecture)

A Contested Latecomer – the Munich Documentation Centre for the History of National Socialism, Under Glass – Museums and the Display of History, Columbia University and NYU, 24 January 2017 (plenary)

European Identity – Reflections on a Contested Idea, Imag(in)ing Europe Conference, Utrecht University, 14-16 September 2016 (plenary)

Reality or Utopia? Can a European Memory Exist? 6th European Commission Network Meeting, Barcelona, 31 May-1 June 2016 (keynote)

Fluid Boundaries – The European Union as Memory Region, Genealogies of Memory Conference, University of Warsaw, 17-19 March 2016 (plenary)

1989 - A Missed Opportunity to create a European Lieu de Mémoire? Jean Blondel Seminar, University of Siena, 10 November 2015 (guest lecture)

Crisis of Memory - Memory in Crisis? The European Union and Its Troubled Past(s), University of Turin, 19 November 2015 (plenary)

Coming to terms with the past: European memory conflicts and sense of democratic citizenship, 5th European Commission Network Meeting, Tallinn, 4-6 May 2015 (keynote)

Postwar Public Commemoration Policies in Europe, Deakin University Melbourne, 27 February 2015 (keynote)

Democratic Change in Central and Eastern Europe 1989-90. The European Parliament between Action and Reaction, European Parliament, 03 February 2015 (keynote)

Unifying Divisions – Politics of Memory in the European Union, Historikerdialog, College of Europe, 22 January 2015 (keynote)

Prophet or Laggard? The European Parliament and the End of the Cold War, Jean Blondel Seminar, University of Siena, 25 November 2014 (guest lecture)

How to Unify Diversity – the EU Politics of Memory, Transnational Memory Seminar, Utrecht University, 24 February 2014 (guest lecture)

Memory, Identity and a Painful Past: Contesting the Former Dachau Concentration Camp, IGS Seminar, University of Birmingham, 04 December 2013 (plenary)

Facilitating the Transnationalisation of Debates. The EU's Politics of Memory, Graduiertenkolleg Seminar, Duitsland Instituut Amsterdam, 11 November 2013 (plenary)

The difficulty of remembering Nazi crimes. From concentration camps to memorial sites, Holocaust Remembrance Day Lecture, University of Reading, 27 January 2012 (keynote)

CONFERENCE/WORKSHOP ORGANISATION

Conference Organizer, Eight annual conference of the Memory Studies Association, Lima, 17-20 July 2024

Conference Organizer, Seventh annual conference of the Memory Studies Association, Newcastle, 03-07 July 2023

Workshop Organizer, *Critical Theories of History and Memory*, funded by the Centre for European Research in Maastricht, Maastricht University, 19-20 May 2022

Conference Organizer, Fifth annual conference of the Memory Studies Association, Warsaw, 05-09 July 2021,

Conference Organizer, Fourth annual conference of the Memory Studies Association, Charlottesville, 18-20 June 2020, cancelled due to COVID

Conference Organizer, Third annual conference of the Memory Studies Association, Madrid, 25-28 June 2019, 1500 participants

Conference Organizer, Second annual conference of the Memory Studies Association, Copenhagen, 14-16 December 2017, 600 participants

Panel Organizer, Memory Politics in the Context of Crisis, 24th Council of European Studies Conference, University of Glasgow, 12-14 July 2017

Conference Organizer, *Thinking Through the Future of Memory*, Inaugural conference of the Memory Studies Association, Amsterdam, 3-5 December 2016, 200 participants

Panel Organizer, *The Transnationalisation of Memory Activism*, 10th ECPR General Conference, Charles University Prague, 7-10 September 2016

Symposium Organizer, *A Tool to Foster Resilience? New Challenges in Memory Studies*, 23rd Council of European Studies Conference, Philadelphia, 14-16 April 2016

Panel Organizer, *Memory and Identity Policy-Making in the European Union*, 9th ECPR General Conference, Université de Montreal, 26-29 August 2015

Symposium Organizer, *Shaping Memory and Identity in Europe: Countervailing Forces from Above and Below*, 22nd Council of European Studies Conference, Sciences Po Paris, 8-10 June 2015

Conference Organizer, *History, Memory and European Identity*, 10th History of European Integration Research Society (HEIRS) Conference, Maastricht University, 5-6 June 2014, 60 participants

Symposium Organizer, *Europe's changing lessons from the past – transnational perspectives*, 21st Council of European Studies Conference, Washington DC, 14-16 March 2014

Panel Organizer, *When history becomes a weapon. Stereotypes, prejudices and the European (economic) crisis*, 7th ECPR General Conference, Sciences Po Bordeaux, 5-7 September 2013

Panel Organizer, *Dividing united Europe. Stereotypes, prejudices and the European (economic) crisis*, 20th Council of European Studies Conference, University of Amsterdam, 25-27 June 2013

Panel Organizer, *Memory- contestation - identity: European politics of remembrance*, 19th Council of European Studies Conference, Boston, 22-24 March 2012

Panel Co-Organizer, *European politics of remembrance and the question of a European public sphere*, 6th ECPR General Conference, University of Reykjavik, 25-27 August 2011

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Post-fascism, right-wing populism and memories in transit, Eighth annual conference of the Memory Studies Association, Pontificia Universidad Catolica del Peru, 17-21 July 2024

Resignifying contested histories through education and guided tours. Examples from Contested Histories Onsite, Seventh annual conference of the Memory Studies Association, University of Newcastle, 03-07 July 2023

Can one past heal another? The memory of Colonialism in the European Union, University of Oxford, 10 March 2022

Converging European Memories, Fifth annual conference of the Memory Studies Association, Warsaw, 05-09 July 2021

The Narrative Amnesia of Colonialism. Europe's Shared Forgotten Past, House of European History, 16-17 May 2019

Remembering for the Future. Transgressive Norm-building of the Past, University College London, 29-30 March 2019

Memory Sits in Places – the Case of the Dachau Concentration Camp Memorial Site, Fondazione Campo Fossoli, 3-5 October 2018

'Never again!' – A critical analysis of the German DIN standard in Vergangenheitsbewältigung, DAAD Conference Coalescence or Collapse, George Washington University, 8-10 December 2016

What Shall We Remember? Locating and Dislocating Memories of the End of the Cold War, COST ISTME Conference, University College Dublin, 1-3 September 2016

1939 versus 1989 - Contested European Lieux de Mémoires, 5th AHDA Annual Conference, Columbia University New York, 3-5 December 2015

Holocaust and Gulag as European-wide realms of memory, Bundeszentrale für Politische Bildung Vienna, 29 November-1 December 2015

Alternative Visions for Europe - The Emergence of a New Narrative after 1989, Jagiellonian University Krakow, 24-26 September 2015

Local, National or European? The Transformation of Memory Politics, Austrian Academy of Sciences Vienna, 15-16 December 2014

Memories of conflict, conflict of memories. Framing memory debates in the EU, 4th AHDA Annual Conference, Lund University, 04-06 December 2014

Bridging the gap. Framing memory debates in the EU, Genealogies of Memory Conference, University of Warsaw, 06-08 November 2014

National stereotypes in the context of the European crisis - an overview of current research, ARENA, University of Oslo, 04-06 November 2014

La lotta italiana con la storia e l'europeizzazione della memoria nazionale, DFG Villa Vigoni Gespräche, Villa Vigoni, 08-10 October 2014

'Never again!' – How EU Institutions Draw Lessons from the Past, 21st Council for European Studies Conference, Washington DC, 14-16 March 2014

Did we win or did we lose? Constructions of guilt and victimhood in post-war Italy and Germany, Jagiellonian University Krakow, 16-17 September 2013

Silencing the past or passing the silence? German politicians between Realpolitik and national constraints, Simon Wiesenthal Centre, 29-30 November 2012

European politics between memories of WWII and nation states, University of Nottingham, 27-29 June 2012

What are we supposed to remember? Bridging the gap between Europe's asymmetric memories, University of Lund, 14-16 May 2012

Whose truth is true? Public commemoration of WWII in Italy, University of Aarhus, 10-12 May 2012

It's our history! The creation of a European memory framework, 6th ECPR General Conference, University of Reykjavik, 25-27 August 2011

Whither Europe, Whither Memory? Or the Future of the Past, 8th ECSA-C Biennial Conference, University of Victoria, 29 April-01 May 2010

The Europeanisation of national memories, University of London, 05-06 February 2010

United Europe-Divided Memories. The (im)possibility of a European memory framework, University of Jyväskylä, 08-09 January 2010

The end of the memory war? From a national to a European memory framework, VII. International Summer School, Universität Leipzig, 28 September-01 October 2009

Remembering to forget? Memory and democracy in Italy and Germany, XXIII Convegno della Società Italiana di Scienze Politiche, LUISS Guido Carli, Roma, 17-19 September 2009

The end of the memory war? From a national to a European memory framework, 5th ECPR General Conference, Universität Potsdam, 10-12 September 2009

European politics of memory, Università degli Studi di Milano, 29 June-1 July 2009

Common market and common currency, common values and common memory?, Universidade Nova de Lisboa, 07-08 May 2009

The struggle of memory: Public commemoration of WWII in Italy, Biennial Conference of the Society for Italian Studies, Royal Holloway, University of London, 16-19 April 2009

Integrating Europe-integrating memories. The EU's politics of memory, 5th History of European Integration Research Society (HEIRS) Colloquium, European University Institute, 06-07 March 2009

Young Europeans – from pro-european to eurosceptic?, ECPR 4th Pan-European conference on EU politics, University of Latvia, 25-27 September 2008

Ostalgie and the PDS in Eastern Germany, Central European University, 13-14 June 2008

Vergangenheitsbewältigung in Italy and Germany after WWII, University of York, 17 November 2007

TEACHING

Holder of the University Teaching Qualification UTQ (September 2013)

Supervision of 44 Masters and 40 Bachelor Dissertations (since 2012)

Supervision of 4 PhD Candidates

BA and MA European Studies, Research Masters European Studies, MA Arts & Culture, Maastricht University (NL) (since 2012)

- EUS 1007 Europe and Global Politics since World War II (Course Coordinator)
- EUS 2012 Diversity in Contemporary Democracies: Issues and Institutions (Course Coordinator)
- AHE 4015/ AHE 4024 The Politics of (collective) Memory I and II (Course Coordinator)
- AHE 4030/ AHE 4033 Heritage & Society I and II (Course Coordinator)
- AHE 4043 Decolonising Heritage and Memories (Course Coordinator)
- RES 5010 The Symbolic Construction of European Union (Course Coordinator)
- EUS 2003 Area Studies (Course Coordinator)
- EUS 1000 The Idea of Europe: The European Experience from a Historical Perspective
- EUS 1002 Bloody Diversity: A History of European State- and Nation-Building
- EUS 1006 EU Politics: Theories, Institutions and Challenges

- EUS 1504 Back to the Sources - An Introduction to Researching the History of European Integration
- EUS 2509 Qualitative Research Skills II: Case Study Research Design
- EUS 2511 Developing Your Own Research Design
- EUS 1001 Research and Writing
- EUS 4022 Key Challenges for Contemporary Europe: Historical and Interdisciplinary Perspectives
- MPC 4503 Research and Writing III

MA European Politics, Policy and Society, University of Siena (IT) (2008-2011)

- State and Society in Italy since 1860: A difficult relationship
- Europe in a Global World
- Governance and Party Politics
- The USA and Europe: A Special Relationship?
- Politiche Pubbliche: Italia/Europa

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Head of Department	History Department, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, Maastricht University (2024-present)
Co-Founder and Co-President	Memory Studies Association (2017-2023, 1500 paying members in five continents)
Co-Founder and Co-Chair	CES Research Network on <i>Transnational Memory and Identity in Europe</i> (2014-2018, 270 members)
Management Board Member	EU COST Project <i>Slow Memory Transformative Practices for Times of Uneven and Accelerating Change</i> (2021-2025)
Management Board Member (Substitute)	EU COST Project ISTME <i>In search of Transcultural Memory in Europe</i> (2012-2016)
Elected Faculty Council Member	Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, Maastricht University (2013-2015 and 2015-2017)
Steering Committee Member	History of European Integration Research Society (HEIRS) (2009-2014)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Editor Book Series	Berghahn Book Series <i>World of Memories</i> (2019-present)
Editorial Board Member	<i>National Identities</i> (2017-2021)
External Evaluator	EU COST Project Proposals, ERC Starting Grants and Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowships (2014-present)
Review Board	European Science Foundation, Israeli Science Foundation, Swiss Science Foundation, National Science Centre Poland, Foundation for Baltic and East European Studies, Luxembourg National Research Fund (2017-present)
External Reviewer	Routledge, <i>Memory Studies</i> , <i>International Relations</i> , <i>American Historical Review</i> , <i>British Journal of Sociology</i> , <i>East European Politics & Societies</i> , <i>Modern Jewish Studies</i> , <i>European Journal of Political Research</i> , <i>European Political Science Review</i>

LANGUAGES

German	Native speaker
English	Near native (C2)
Italian	Near native (C2)
French	Very good (C1)
Dutch	Good (B2)
Spanish	Elementary (A2)

AFFILIATIONS

MSA – Memory Studies Association
 CES – Council for European Studies
 ECPR - European Consortium of Political Research
 HEIRS – History of European Integration Research Society
 SISP - Società Italiana di Scienze Politiche
 UACES - University Association for Contemporary European Studies