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# **Experience**

### 2016-09 - present

# Institute of Political Studies Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw

Assistant in the Department of History of Eastern Territories

My duties include, among others, participation in the ongoing work (eg. through the preparation of research tools, translating, reporting to progress) and participation in the working meetings of the Department. Since in the end of 2016, department making for National Centre for Culture Poland (NCC) survey in which is included creation of research methodology collective memory of Ukrainians with special emphasis on Polish-Ukrainian relations. My responsibilities include co-creation tools, translation into Ukrainian and co-prepare report.

### 2016-10 - present

### The Foundation "Aid to Poles in the East", Warsaw

Expert

Assistance in foundation tasks, especially consulting and co-created of programs aimed at Poles from Ukraine.

### 2016-02 - 2016-09

# **European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (FRA)**

Researcher

The study entitled .: "Biometric data used in large-scale IT systems in the area of European Union borders, visas and asylum - implications for the fundamental rights", was implemented in several countries and on several continents. It applied to cross the borders of the European Union from the point of view of biometric data collected in large-scale systems of the EU and their impact on fundamental rights. The aim of the study was to examine how various types of database contribute to the difficulties in the enforcement of these rights by people traveling to the European Union.

I participated in the work of Polish and Ukrainian teams. I did in-depth interviews with different groups of beneficiaries: the experts (in this case, lawyers), the so-called rights holders - the persons whose fundamental rights have been violated somehow. I also was a member of the team which worked outside of Warsaw: making the observation of border crossings in Terespol and Medyka, where also I was making in-depth interview with the rights holders, including people living in refugee centers. In the Ukrainian part of the project, survey covered selected consular points and visa centers. Besides to research and notes from trips, I was responsible for the translation of part of the tool into Ukrainian.

### 2016-04 - 2016-06

# The Institute of Labour and Social Affairs (IPISS), Warsaw

Researcher

Research Social Welfare Centers in Poland. As part of my duties was to conduct research in selected towns of Upper Silesia (both with staff and clients of this institution), as well as doing desk research and the preparation of the report - a case study for Kuźnia Raciborska and Bielsko-Biała. Also I was made a description of the research and data analysis.

### 2016-03 - 2016-03

### **Institute of Rural and Agricultural Sciences, Warsaw**

Researcher

Research to participate in the local culture in selected towns, using the method of PAPI with the locals. Allso qualitative study involving draw a mental map of the village - depth interview with the element of drawing and explain the significance of different objects.

### 2012-11 - 2015-01

### Research Lab of Institutions and Local Communities ProVerb, Warsaw

Researcher, assistant

My duties included conceptual and minor organizational works. In cooperation with the Laboratory, among others, I took part in studies such as:

- evaluation of the program "Polish Theatre" (Teatr Polska)
- evaluation of the program of social economy in Poland. Its effect is the research report entitled: "To explore the process of verification of applications for payment in the premises of the beneficiary", K. Zacharuk, M. Bargielski, Warsaw 2013
- evaluation of various social programs, including projects implemented by NGOs.

# 2015-06 - 2015-12 Center for Citizenship Education, Warsaw

Researcher

A study using the method of desk research, to prepare a report on the condition of Ukrainian education. Research such an ex ante, designed to gather information needed for the project implementation"Класна школа".

## 2012-03 - 2012-06 European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (FRA)

Researcher

Researcher in the project on the treatment of citizens of third countries (non-EU) on the Schengen border. One of my tasks included observation of procedures and interviews with detainees on the second line, that is, to clarify the case because of which they were not allowed into the EU.

# 2013-12 - 2014-05 Copernicus Science Centre, Warsaw

**Amanuensis** 

PO KL project entitled .: "Development and piloting of active methods of work of the teacher with the student based on the research method". My tasks provided for the organization of meetings of experts from across the country, drafting protocols and organize the collected material.

### 2012-07 - 2012-07 The Warsaw Family Alliance, Warsaw

Teacher

Teaching children use of active methods, about the observation of natural phenomena: classes had a workshop character and consisted of examining the properties of electrostatic and optics and sound waves. Within the project "From a small school in a big world," Summer School Explorers.

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Reseracher

The "Friendly border" realized by Stefan Batory Foundation and the University of Warsaw. As a member of the research team, I had to organized a trip to Ukraine, where collected data on the impact of the presence of the border on the development of border villages.

# 2010-11 - 2012-06 TNS OBOP, Warsaw

CATI pollster

Work undertaken during the daily master studies in the Department of Sociology at the University of Warsaw. Conducted telephone surveys, both opinion polls and market research.

# 2010-05 - 2010-11 Group RMF, Warsaw

Publisher

Publisher of local services RMF MAXXX for Warsaw and Mazovia.

### 2009-02 - 2010-02 Center for Educational Initiatives in Lviv

Volunteer / teacher

Teaching journalism in the school and school institutions.

### 2008-09 - 2011-02 Everyday newspaper Metro (Agora SA)

The journalist, regional (from Upper Silesia) and international (from Ukraine) correspondent

At the beginning of of my collaboration with the Metro, I was a regional correspondent of Upper Silesia. Since 2009 I was a correspondent in Ukraine. In 2010 reported on the presidential elections in Ukraine.

# 2009-09 - 2009-11 Radio 4U, Lviv

Journalist

Journalist in the Ukrainian editorial radio RMF FM/Radio 4U. The radio was closed in November 2009. His story

### **Education**

# 2012-10 - 2017-09 Warsaw University, Faculty of Sociology, Doctoral Studies

Dissertation prepared at the Department of Methodology of the Social Science Research, on the theme of "We didn't come here into the guests, we are at home. Poles from right- and left-bank of the Ukraine."

In the frame of work to my doctoral thesis, I conducted since 2014 to 2016 fieldwork in Ukraine. In 2014, these were the studies under I was traveling around Ukraine and met with members and leaders of the Polish associations operating there. In August 2016 I organized a debriefing meeting, where forwarding people, members of the Polish associations, could discuss about the results of research. It was an element of participation in the study, which after the publication of the dissertation certainly will be impact on interviewees. To the present, there is no similar studies on the Polish minority living in throughout the country. There is just several regional, like for Bukovina, Lviv, Podolia or Kiev region. So far, there was no comprehensive studies.

# 2014-12 - 2015-06 Tbilisi State University, The Erasmus Mudnus Program

Scholarship in Tbilisi in the framework of doctoral studies, during which I tried to collected information on the differences and similarities in the position of Georgia and Ukraine in relation with Russia in the context of lack of control of its borders. An attempt to compare the situation in the ATO and also in Donbas and Abkhazia.

# 2010-10 - 2012-09 Warsaw University, Faculty of Sociology, master studies

Master thesis entitled "Polish Radio Lvov - mission and functions in the context of the transformations of the twentieth-century history of the city and the inhabitant of the Polish community".

# 2005-10 - 2009-07 The Poznan School of Social Sciences, faculty branch in Katowice, Journalism and Social Communication, Bachelor

Thesis in the field of media law and content analysis of the press. Example of Silesian weeklies - Voice of Zabrze and Ruda Śląska and Nowiny Zabrzańskie.

### Skills

Desk research

Analysis of existing data

Design research (mainly qualitative with the elements of quantitative research)

Using computer programs to assist in the analysis of contents

# Languages

Polish

Ukrainian

English

Russian

Georgian

### Interests

Playing scrabble
Photography
Travels
Cycling

Swimming

# **Publications**

| 2015 | Polacy na Ukrainie: przeszłość i przyszłość. Przyczynek do dalszych badań [w:] Sąsiedztwa III RP - Ukraina.<br>Zagadnienia społeczne. Pod red. M. Dębicki, J. Makaro, Wydawnictwo Gajt, Wrocław   |
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| 2015 | Z notesu obserwatora przyspieszonych wyborów prezydenckich na Ukrainie [w:] Sąsiedztwa III RP – Ukraina.<br>Zagadnienia społeczne, Red. M. Dębicki, J.Makaro, Wydawnictwo Gajt, Wrocław   |
| 2015 | Reforma edukacji w Ukrainie. Szanse i zagrożenia, K. Zacharuk, P. Pacewicz  |
| 2015 | Gorzko-słodki smak wolności, Recenzja książki Wojciecha Muchy "Krew i ziemia, o ukraińskiej rewolucji" w polskojęzycznej prasie ukraińskiej, Kurier Galicyjski nr 3 (233) , 17-26 lutego  |
| 2015 | Ćwiczenie wyobraźni. Refleksje, czy na Ukrainie mógłby powstać polski ruch rewolucyjny? [w:] Studia Politologica Ucraino-Polona, Polska Akademia Umiejętności, Instytut Państwa i Prawa W. Koreckiego NAN Ukrainy, Polskie Towarzystwo Naukowe w Żytomierzu   |
| 2015 | Autoreferat pracy magisterskiej opublikowany w Przeglądzie Polsko-Polonijnym nr 7-8, Polskie Radio Lwów, Wyd Stowarzyszenie Naukowe "Polska w świecie" w Gorzowie Wielkopolskim przy współpracy Polskiego Towarzystwa Naukowego na Obczyźnie w Londynie Instytutu Historii i Archiwistyki Polonijnej w Chicago, Gorzów Wielkopolski |
| 2014 | Narracje Kresowe. Przeszłość, teraźniejszość i perspektywy, Tom zbiorowy "Nowe drogi antropologii współczesności", Wydawnictwo Orbis Exterior, pod red. P. Łuczeczko, Gdańsk  |
| 2013 | Raport z badań pn. Badanie procesu weryfikacji wniosków o płatność w siedzibie beneficjenta, K. Zacharuk, M. Bargielski   |
| 2013 | Niedokończona rewolucja. Co (nie)wydarzyło się na Ukrainie w latach 2004-2012? Polska Akademia Umiejętności, Instytut Państwa i Prawa W. Koreckiego NAN Ukrainy, Polskie Towarzystwo Naukowe w Żytomierzu, wydanie trzecie, Żytomierz-Kijów-Kraków  |
| 2012 | Wielogłos, czyli o zachodzie i wschodzie Ukrainy raz jeszcze, Nowa Europa Wschodnia. Dwumiesięcznik poświecony Europie Wschodniej i Azji Centralnej, Kolegium Europy Wschodniej im. Jana Nowaka Jeziorańskiego we Wrocławiu   |