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Research project „Exploring Post-Ottoman Cities Through the Photographic Lens. New Approaches to Lifeworld Research in Turkey and Yugoslavia, 1920s and 1930s“
- 2007–2013 Senior researcher at the University of Zurich:
Habilitation project „Tito, Nehru, Nasser, and the Non-Aligned Movement 1948–1965. Connected History of a Politicians’ Friendship“, financed by the Swiss National Science Foundation
- since 2006 Regular teaching terms at the universities of Basel and Zurich
- 2002–2005 Novartis International AG, Basel, archivist at the company archives
- 2003 Ph.D. at the University of Basel
Thesis: „Basare und Boulevards. Belgrader Lebenswelten im 19. Jahrhundert“, supervised by prof. Heiko Haumann and prof. Karl Kaser

Latest Publications

Monographs and edited volumes:

Freedom and Friendship. Tito, Nehru, Nasser and the Non-Aligned Movement, 1948–1964. Forthcoming.

Delhi – Bandung – Belgrade: Non-Alignment between Afro-Asian Solidarity and the Cold War. Edited with Harald Fischer-Tiné and Nada Boškowska. Forthcoming.

Basare und Boulevards: Belgrad im 19. Jahrhundert. Wien, Köln, Weimar: Böhlau 2008 (Zur Kunde Südosteuropas II/29).

Serbian translation: *Čaršije i bulevari: Svet života u Beogradu 19. veka.* Belgrade: Muzej grada Beograda, 2010 (second edition in preparation).

Articles (selection)

Tito, Nehru und die ungarische Revolution 1956: Blockfreies Krisenmanagement im Kalten Krieg. Südost-Forschungen 72 (2013). In print.

Wer erfand die Blockfreiheit? Überlegungen zur Verknüpfung von Osteuropäischer und Globalgeschichte. In: Osteuropäische Geschichte und Globalgeschichte. Ed. by Julia Obertreis and Martin Aust (Quellen und Studien zur Geschichte des Östlichen Europas). Stuttgart: Steiner 2013. In print.

Between Idealism and Pragmatism. Tito, Nehru and the Hungarian Crisis 1956. In: Delhi – Bandung – Belgrade: Non-Alignment between Afro-Asian Solidarity and the Cold War. Ed. by Nataša Mišković, Harald Fischer-Tiné, Nada Boškowska. In print.

Introduction to: Delhi – Bandung – Belgrade: Non-Alignment between Afro-Asian Solidarity and the Cold War. Ed. by Nataša Mišković, Harald Fischer-Tiné, Nada Boškowska. In print.

Jovanka and Josip Broz Tito: Gender and Power at the Top of Communist Yugoslavia. In: Doing Gender — Doing the Balkans. Dynamics and Persistence in South-Eastern Europe. Ed. by Roswitha Kersten-Pejanić, Christian Voß and Sabine Raljić (Studies on Language and Culture in Central and Eastern Europe). Munich, New York 2012, 221–240.

Mission, Power, and Violence: Serbia's National Turn. In: Hannes Grandits, Nathalie Clayer, Robert Pichler, eds.: Conflicting Loyalties in the Balkans. The Great Powers, the Ottoman Empire, and Nation-building. London: I.B. Tauris, 2011, 206–224.

Housing Shortage and Communal Politics in European Cities around 1900: The Cases of Basel 1889 and Belgrade 1906. Studies in History, 26, 1, n.s. (2010), Sage Publications, 61–89.

The Pre-History of the Non-Aligned Movement: India's First Contacts to Communist Yugoslavia. 1948–1950. India Quarterly 65 (2/2009), 185–200.

Marriage and Household in the Belgrade Elite at the Beginning of the 20th Century: The Novaković Family. History of the Family 13 (2008), 152–162.

Recent Lectures (selection)

Friedliche Koexistenz als gemeinsamer Nenner. Internationalismus, Dekolonisierung und die Gründung der Blockfreien. Lecture at the Friedrich-Alexander University Erlangen, 2 May 2013.

Postosmanische Städte im Visier. Visuelle Zugänge zur vergleichenden Lebensweltforschung in Jugoslawien und in der Türkei, 1920er und 1930er Jahre. Lecture at the Forschungskolloquium Islamwissenschaft, Universities of Basel and Zurich, Basel, 20 March 2013.

Tito goes Postcolonial. Why the Marshal of Yugoslavia was a perfect partner for Nehru and Nasser in the founding of the Non-Aligned Movement. Lecture at the Brownbag Seminar, Centre for Southeastern European Studies, University of Graz, 11 December 2012.

Yugoslavia's Non-Alignment as a Strategy to Fend Off International Intervention. Presentation within the Panel „The State and International Intervention in Southeast Europe: Three Episodes of (non) Intervention“ at the 44th Annual Convention of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies. New Orleans, 16 November 2012.

Post-Ottoman Nostalgia in the Yugoslav Capital Belgrade. Paper given at the International Conference „Balkan Worlds: Ottoman Past and Balkan Nationalism“. University of Macedonia, Department of Balkan, Slavic and Oriental Studies, Thessaloniki, 4 to 7 October 2012.

Südosteuropäische Geschichte in der Schweiz. Gibt es das? Paper presented at the Workshop „Die doppelte Marginalisierung: Der Zerfall Jugoslawiens und der Südosteuropa-Studien im deutschsprachigen Raum“, Basler Arbeitskreis für Südosteuropa BASO. Basel, 5 July 2012.

Visuelle Quellen in Südosteuropa. Die Jatagan Mala im Belgrad der 1920er und 1930er Jahre. Lecture at the Fachbereich Geschichts- und Kulturwissenschaften, Justus Liebig-University Giessen, 1st June 2012.

Commentator of the Panel „Afro-Asian Leaders“ at the international Conference „The Afro-Asian World in the 1950s and 1960s“, McGill University and Concordia University, Montreal, 23 to 24 March 2012.

Zwischen den Blöcken. Mode im sozialistischen Jugoslawien. Paper presented at the conference „Zwischen öffentlich und privat. Arbeit, Konsum und Freizeit im Sozialismus, 1960er bis Mitte 1980er Jahre“: 40 Jahre Abteilung für Osteuropäische Geschichte am Historischen Seminar der Universität Zürich, 25 to 26 November 2011.

Belgrade à la fin de l'époque ottomane: Rapprochement par des sources écrites et visuelles du XIX siècle. Lecture at the Laboratoire „Cultures et sociétés en Europe“ (UMR 7236) and the Département d'études turques, Université Marc Bloch, Strasbourg, 19 October 2011.

Belgrade and the Summit of the Non-Aligned, September 1961. Paper presented at the conference „The Cold War and the Postcolonial Moment: Prehistory, Aims and Achievements of the Non-Aligned Movement, 50 Years after Belgrade“, University of Zurich und ETH Zurich, in collaboration with the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library. 3 to 4 June 2011.

Jovanka Broz. Gender and Power at the Top of Communist Yugoslavia. Paper presented at the conference „Doing Gender—Doing the Balkans. Dynamics and Persistence of Gender Relations in South-East Europe“, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin, 12 to 13 May 2011.

Why Did Yugoslavia Break Up? Lecture at the Academic Staff College, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 23 March 2011.

Reviews (selection)

Holm Sundhaussen: *Jugoslawien und seine Nachfolgestaaten 1943–2011. Eine ungewöhnliche Geschichte des Gewöhnlichen.* Wien, Köln, Weimar 2012. In preparation for *Südost-Forschungen*.

Marie-Janine Calic: *Geschichte Jugoslawiens im 20. Jahrhundert.* München 2010. *Südosteuropäische Hefte* 1/2 (2012), 100–103.

Holm Sundhaussen: *Geschichte Serbiens 19.–21. Jahrhundert.* Wien 2007. *Schweizerische Zeitschrift für Geschichte* 3 (2008), 369–371.

Karl Kaser: *Macht und Erbe. Männerherrschaft, Besitz und Familie im östlichen Europa (1500–1900).* Wien, Köln, Weimar 2000. *Südost-Forschungen* 59/60 (2000/2001), 540–543.

Media work (selection)

Dorn im Fleisch der Supermächte: 50 Jahre Blockfreie Staaten. UZH News, 31 May 2011.

Gradologija. TV broadcast at Studio B, Belgrade, 16 November 2010.

Beograd: Od bazara do bulevara. Politika No. 34850 (year CVII), Belgrade, 14 November 2010.

Gefühl und Kalkül. Titos Freundschaften mit Nehru und Nasser waren mehr als Zweckbündnisse. Neue Zürcher Zeitung No. 101. Zurich, 4 May 2010.