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Education:

Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Zurich, Switzerland

Ph.D. candidate

Area: Conflict studies

Professor: Dr. Lars-Erik Cederman

University of Zurich, Switzerland

M.A. Political Science (2008); minors in Educational Psychology and Constitutional Law

Thesis: "Ethnic Exclusion and Ethno-Nationalist Conflicts. How the Struggle over Access to the State Can Escalate: A Quantitative and Qualitative Analysis of West Africa"

Advisor: Prof. Lars-Erik Cederman (Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Zurich)

Hamline University, St. Paul, MN

Amity Institute exchange student (fall and winter semesters 2004/2005)

High School Rychenberg, Winterthur, Switzerland

University-entrance diploma ("Matura") (2001)

Work Experience:

Klubschule Migros, Zurich, Switzerland

Adult Educator, 2002 to date

German language instruction to adult immigrants (intensive, writing, and German in the workplace courses)

German language instruction to exchange students

Development of course concepts

Casa Alianza, Tegucigalpa, Honduras

Mentor and Educator of Street Children, October 2008 - April 2009

Development and implementation of job-market integration project;

Mathematics and reading instruction

Educator in family reintegration section

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Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Zurich, Switzerland

Research Assistant, July 2007 - December 2007

Regional expert for West and Equatorial Africa, Geo-referencing Ethnic Power Relations (dataset project under the direction of Prof. Lars-Erik Cederman in co-operation with the Peace Research Institute, Oslo)

Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Zurich, Switzerland

Research Assistant, September 2006 - July 2007

Regional expert for West and Equatorial Africa, Ethnic Power Relations (dataset project under the direction of Prof. Lars-Erik Cederman and Prof. Andreas Wimmer (UCLA))

Hamline University, St. Paul, MN

Assistant Instructor and Substitute, September 2004 - March 2005

German and Education Departments

Courses: Beginning German I and II (Prof. Kari Richtsmeier), Intermediate German I (Prof. Russell Christensen), Advanced German Conversation and Composition (Prof. Kari Richtsmeier), World Language Methods (Prof. Kari Richtsmeier)

Asylum Organization Zurich, Switzerland

Instructor, October 2001 - May 2002

German and computer science courses to asylum-seekers and refugees

Field Research:

Guatemala, April – July 2011

Indigenous mobilization and post-conflict democratization. 59 elite interviews with party, state, and civil society leaders, journalists, and experts.

Publications:

Working Papers

Vogt, Manuel (2007). "Ethnic Exclusion and Ethno-Nationalist Conflicts. How the Struggle over Access to the State Can Escalate: A Quantitative and Qualitative Analysis of West Africa". Working Paper No. 18, National Centre of Competence in Research (NCCR). Online: <http://www.nccr-democracy.uzh.ch/nccr/publications/workingpaper/pdf/WP18.pdf>

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Newspaper Articles

„Afrikas nächste verpasste Chance?“, Tages-Anzeiger (Switzerland), 24.12.2010
„El Movimiento Winaq y la Democracia“, El Periódico (Guatemala), 9.9.2011
„Guatemala: Die Herrschenden haben Mayas im Griff“, Infosperber (Switzerland, www.infosperber.ch), 24.9.2011
„Das System der weissen Eroberer“, Tages-Anzeiger (Switzerland), 29.9.2011
„Kriegsverbrecher mit besten Siegeschancen“, 20 Minuten Online (Switzerland, www.20min.ch), 5.11.2011

Talks:

„Honduras – Before and After the Coup“. Workshop at the Social and Environmental Forum of East Switzerland („Sozial- und Umweltforum Ostschweiz“, SUFO), 8.5.2010.

Participation at Conferences:

ECPR Joint Sessions, workshop on „Political Institutions and Political Violence“, St. Gallen (Switzerland), 12-17 April 2011.

Workshop „Elections and Representation in Divided Societies“, Aarau (Switzerland), 20 September 2011.

NCCR/CIS Conference „Transformation of the Arab World: Where Is It Heading to?“, Zürich (Switzerland), 27-28 October 2011.

Workshop „Inequality, Grievances, and Civil War“, Zürich, 10-12 November 2011.

Awards:

2011: NCCR Knowledge Transfer Award

Certifications:

- Certificate SVEB I (Swiss Association for Adult Education, Certificate Degree 1 / 2)
- EUROLTA (European Certificate in Language Teaching to Adults)

Other Skills and Qualifications:

- Various advanced training courses in didactics since 2002
- Further training in adult literacy didactics (September - November 2005)

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Languages and Additional Cross-Cultural Experience:

- Native language: German
- Excellent command of written and spoken English (TOEFL score: 115/120)
- Excellent command of written and spoken Spanish
- Good command of written and spoken French

- 2001 to date: Individual travel throughout Africa (Senegal, Ghana), Latin America (Mexico, Honduras, Guatemala, Nicaragua, Costa Rica, Panama, Cuba, Colombia, Venezuela, Bolivia), Egypt, Jordan, Turkey, and Israel
- June - July 2002: Language school in Oaxaca, Mexico (6 weeks)