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### **Academic Degrees**

- since 11/2012 Habilitation, Institute of European Ethnology, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich ("Ethnographies of ")
- 11/2007: PhD Degree, Institute of European Ethnology, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich. Dissertation: "Every Day Life at the 'Edge of Dissidence'. Practices and Strategies of the Every Day Life of Czech Intellectuals in the Time of 'Normalization' (1968-1989)" (summa cum laude)
- 2001-2003: Intercultural Communication Studies, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich
- 11/1993-07/2000: Magister Artium in Slavic and European Ethnology Studies, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich

### **Professional Life**

- since 10/2009 Research and Teaching Assistant, MA East European Studies, Institute of European Ethnology, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich
- 11/2013: Teaching Assistant, Institute for Historical Studies, Technical University of Liberec, Czech Republic
- 03/2005-8/2013: Research and Teaching Assistant, Chair of Comparative European Ethnology, University of Regensburg
- 10/2009-03/2010: Teaching Assistant, European Ethnology, Katholic University of Eichstätt
- 02/2001-09/2004: Research Assistant, Bayerischer Forschungsverbund Ost- und Südosteuropa (forost), Institute of European Ethnology, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich. Grant "Transitions in Eastern Europe"
- 04/2001-08/2001: Tutor, Institute of European Ethnology, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich

### **Fellowships, Grants & Awards**

- 10/2013-09/2014 Habilitation Fellowship, Bayerische Gleichstellungsförderung, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich
- 10/2011-12/2014 Mentee of Mentoring Programme LMU excellent
- 04/2009 Dissertationaward, Georg R. Schroubek Sonderfonds „Östliches Europa - Erkundungen und Annäherungen“
- 02/2009 Grant for Printing Costs, Boehringer Ingelheim Stiftung
- 03/2008-03/2010 Initial Financing for the Habilitation, Fund Raising LMUexcellent Prof. Dr. Irene Götz, Institute of European Ethnology, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich

### **Main Research Topics**

- Every Day and Popular Culture
- Biography and Oral History
- Methods of European Ethnology
- Memory Studies
- Eastern European Studies
- Borders and Spaces
- Myths and Stereotypes
- Performance and Ritual