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QUALIFICATIONS

DPhil, socio-legal studies Centre for Socio-Legal Studies, University of Oxford, UK	2012
PhD, law National Academy of Sciences, Ukraine	2003
LLM, law London School of Economics and Political Science, UK, distinction	2000
BA, law Economics and Law Faculty, Donetsk State University, Ukraine, honours	1998
Certified Mediator IHK Academy, Munich and Upper Bavaria, Germany/Ukraine, 220 hours	2015
Search for Common Ground, US, 90 hours	1998

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Associate Professor National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy, Kyiv, Ukraine Law School, Political Science Department, International Relations Department Undergraduate and master courses <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mediation and Alternative Dispute Resolution• Theory and Practice of Conflict Resolution• Mediation and Dialogue Facilitation Skills• Methodology of Research Supervise post-graduate and PhD dissertations	2012 - present
Lecturer swisspeace summer school, University of Basel, Switzerland “Ukraine – Opportunities and Challenges for Dialogue”	2021
Guest Lecturer Department of Peace and Conflict Research, University of Uppsala, Sweden Swedish Institute Fellowship Master course “Negotiation and Mediation in Practice”	2020, 2021
Visiting Lecturer and Fellow Center for East European Studies, University of Giessen, Germany Master courses <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mediation and Conflict Resolution in post-Soviet Countries• Rule of Law in post-Soviet Countries	2018
Visiting Lecturer International Trade Law LLM Program, ILO Training Center, Torino, Italy	2017, 2018

Master course “Methodology of Research in Law”

Visiting Lecturer

University of Torino, Law School, Italy
PhD course “Methodology of Research in Law”

2016-2017

Trainer

Business Mediator Certification Program, IHK Academy,
Munich and Upper Bavaria and Ukrainian Mediation Center
Module “Legal Regulation of Mediation”

2010 - 2021

Visiting Teaching Fellow

Centre for Commercial Law Studies, Queen Mary, University of London
Postgraduate Diploma in International Dispute Resolution
(Arbitration and Mediation) by Distance Learning

- Designed, validated, delivered and assessed online course ‘Alternative Dispute Resolution’
- Supervised and second-marked LLM dissertations in International Commercial Arbitration and ADR

2003 - 2013

Lecturer, Senior Lecturer

Economics and Law Faculty, Donetsk National University, Ukraine
Undergraduate and master courses

- Alternative Dispute Resolution
- International Commercial Arbitration
- Constitutional Law

Supervised post-graduate dissertations and PhD theses

2000-2006

RESEARCH AND CONSULTING

Director and founder, Mediation and Dialogue Research Center
National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy, Ukraine

2018 - present

Lead expert, Working Group at the Ministry of Reintegration of Ukraine

Leading inclusive civil society consultation and dialogue process
to develop the Concept of Peacebuilding for Ukraine,
conducting survey, analysing data, drafting the Concept

2021

Team leader and principal investigator, policy research and advocacy

“Dialogue in Transitional Justice”, CMI

- Research paper “Dialogue in the Model of Transitional Justice in Ukraine”
- Policy Brief “How to Integrate Dialogue into Transitional Justice Processes in Ukraine”
- Advocacy and dissemination campaign that resulted in inclusion of dialogue into legislation on Transitional Justice in Ukraine

2020

Fellow, Swedish Institute Fellowship

Department of Peace and Conflict Research, University of Uppsala, Sweden

2020-2021

Research and Consulting

Inclusive Peace and Transition Initiative, Geneva, Switzerland

- In-depth interviews and desk research
- Research paper “Mapping Civil Society and Peacebuilding in Ukraine”
- Validation workshops with civil society organizations

2018-2019

<p>Fellow, Borders in Motion Center European University Viadrina, Frankfurt (Oder), Germany Research project “Inclusion in Peacebuilding and Dialogue in Ukraine”</p>	2018
<p>Principal Investigator, Survey of Dialogue Participants in Ukraine Peaceful Change Initiative, UK</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design of the questionnaire • Drafting and publication of the Analytical Report • Recommendations on Community Dialogue • Self-reflection framework on dialogue impact 	2018
<p>Research and Consulting OSCE Project Coordinator Office in Ukraine</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research on dialogue models and definitions • Drafted the Standards of Dialogue: Definition and Principles • Training on legal regulation of mediation for University professors 	2017, 2019
<p>Research and Consulting USAID New Justice Program for Ukraine</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consultations with mediators and other stakeholders • Research paper “Mechanisms of Self-Regulation of Mediation: International Best Practices and Lessons for Ukraine” 	2017
<p>Policy research, Bosch Foundation ‘Impediments to Dialogue in Ukraine’ In collaboration with Viadrina European University, Frankfurt Oder, Germany</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consultations with local stakeholders • Expert round-tables for international and national experts • Policy paper for stakeholders in Ukraine and internationally 	2016-2017
<p>Policy Research, Council of Europe ‘Integration of Mediation into Court System of Ukraine’</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consultations with the government, judges, business, mediators and other stakeholders • Drafted and disseminated policy paper 	2016
<p>Marie Curie/COFUND postdoctoral fellowship ‘Exporting Mediation as a Part of Rule of Law: Case-Study of Ukraine’ Law Department, University of Torino, Italy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 57 semi-structured interviews and five focus groups • Analysis of the qualitative data, drafting report • Publications and outreach campaign 	2015-2017
<p>Policy Research ‘Commercial Dispute Resolution Study’ International Finance Corporation/World Bank Group, Kyiv, Ukraine</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analysis of the Ukrainian legislation • Design of the survey questionnaire • Conducting of the in-depth interviews • Research Report 	2006-2007

Policy Research

'Mediation in Ukraine: Possible Models'

2005

Academy of Judges, EU Commission, Kyiv, Ukraine

- Expert interviews and analysis of the Ukrainian legislation
- Policy paper
- Mediation training for judges

International Policy Fellowship

2000

'Prospects of Alternative Dispute Resolution in Ukraine'

Open Society Institute, Hungary

- Policy Paper on ADR in Ukraine
- Developing negotiation and arbitration curriculum for Ukrainian Universities

RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

External Academic Advisor

2008 - present

Parliamentary Drafting Committee for the law on mediation, Kyiv, Ukraine

- Advised MPs on mediation experience in European Union and worldwide
- Co-authored draft law of Ukraine 'On Mediation'

Member of professional associations: International Sociology Association; Socio-Legal Studies Association, Conflict Research Society, European Consortium for Political Research

Member of Advisory Boards of NGOs: Ukrainian National Association of Mediators, Ukrainian Centre for Common Ground, Ukrainian Mediation Centre

Reviewer, Review of Central and East European Law, Routledge Law Books Series

Mediation Professional

2016, 2020

ICC International Mediation Competition, Paris, France

Ukrainian Student Competition in Effective Dispute Resolution

Coach

2003-2015

Coached five teams of students for International Arbitration Moot, Vienna, Austria; ICC International Mediation Competition, Paris, France

AWARDS

2014, 2016, 2021	Kyiv-Mohyla Academy Award for best academic article in English
2012-2013	Academic Fellowship for Returning Scholars, Open Society Institute, Hungary
2006-2009	University of Oxford, Dulverton Scholarship for doctoral degree
2001-2004	Civic Education Project Fellowship, Open Society Institute, Hungary
1999-2000	British Government Chevening Scholarship for LLM degree at LSE
1997	First Prize, National Telders Moot Court Competition, Ukraine
1996	First Prize, National Jessup Moot Court Competition, Ukraine

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

"Inclusion Dilemmas in Peacebuilding and Dialogues in Ukraine", *Peace and Conflict: Journal of Peace Psychology*, On-line first, 2020 (with Holper, A.) [LINK](#)

“Dilemmas and Trade-Offs in Peacemaking: A Framework for Navigating Difficult Decisions”, *Politics and Governance*, 7(4), 2019, pp. 331-342 (with Kraus, A. I., Frazer, O., Kirchhoff, L., Mason, S. J., & Palmiano Federer, J.) [LINK](#)

“*Preteniia* Dispute Resolution in Ukraine: Formal and Informal Transformation”, *Review of Central and East European Law*, 2015, 40(1), pp. 57-95 [LINK](#)

“Dualism of Ukrainian Commercial Courts: Exploratory Study”, *The Hague Journal on the Rule of Law*, 6(2), 2014, pp. 178-201 [LINK](#)

“Doing Action Research on Dialogues in Ukraine”, *Zeitschrift für Beratungs- und Managementwissenschaften*, 2018, vol. 4, pp. 64-71 (with Anne Kraus) [LINK](#)

“Mediation in Ukraine: Challenges of Peace and War” *Tulane Journal of International and Comparative Law*, 2017-18, 26(1), pp. 107-145 [LINK](#)

“Professional Peacemakers in Ukraine: Mediators and Facilitators before and after 2014”, *Kyiv-Mohyla Law and Politics Journal*, vol. 3, 2017, pp. 117-136, [LINK](#)

“Institutional Preconditions for Mediation Reform in Ukraine”, *Social'no-ekonomični Problemi i Deržava*, 2016, 15 (2), pp. 78-84

“Socio-Legal Functions of Commercial Contracts”, *National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy Review, Legal Sciences Series*, 2016, vol. 181, pp. 120-124

“The Role of State in Ukrainian Business: Violent *Bespredel* and Profitable Partner”, *Kyiv-Mohyla Law and Politics Journal*, 2015, 1(1), pp. 83–112 [LINK](#)

“Mediation in Ukraine: The Need for Legal Regulation”, *Interdisciplinary Studies in Humanities: Studia Jurisprudentia*, 2015, vol. 2, pp. 45-52 (with G. Yeromenko)

“Mechanisms of Contract Enforcement and Dispute Resolution”, *National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy Review, Social Sciences Series*, 2014, vol. 161, pp. 73-76

“Comparing Contracts through Socio-Legal Approach: Case Study of Ukraine”, *Journal of Comparative Law*, 8(1), 2013, pp. 146-171 [LINK](#)

“Socio-Legal Approach to Law Research”, *National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy Yearbook*, vol. 2013, pp. 99-103

“Mediation Regulation in the Countries of European Union”, *National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy Yearbook*, vol. 2010-2012, pp. 42-45

“Legal Transformations of Business Disputes in Post-Soviet Ukraine”, *Onati Socio-Legal Series*, vol. 1(6), pp. 1-20, 2011 [LINK](#)

“Legal Regulation of Mediation Services: Comparative Analysis”, *Law of Ukraine*, vol. 11/12, pp. 225-236, 2011

Books and Book Chapters

“Mediation as a Profession” in Krestovska N. & Romanadze L. eds. *Mediation in Professional Activity of Lawyer: Text-Book*. Odesa: Ekologia, pp. 176-189, 2019

“Self-Regulation of Mediation Professional Community” in Krestovska N. & Romanadze L. eds. *Mediation in Professional Activity of Lawyer: Textbook*. Odesa: Ekologia, pp. 321-327, 2019

“Ukrainian Mediators: Professionalization Enhanced by Civic Activism” in Shapovalova, N. & Burlyuk O. eds. *Civil Society in Post-Euromaidan Ukraine: From Revolution to Consolidation*. Stuttgart: Ibidem-Verlag, pp. 241-267, 2018

Kyselova, T. and Yeromenko, G. eds. *Mediation: How to Solve a Conflict without Going to Courts*. 2d ed. Lviv: Kompaniya Imperial, 2015

“Commercial Disputes and Their Resolution” in Kyselova, T. and Yeromenko, G. eds. *Mediation: How to Solve a Conflict without Going to Courts*. 2d ed. Lviv: Kompaniya Imperial, pp. 63-67, 2015

“Mediation Regulation in Ukraine” in Schonewille, F. & Schonewille, M. eds. *The Variegated Landscape of Mediation Regulation: Comparative study of mediation regulation in Europe and the World*. The Hague: Eleven International Publishing, pp. 467-476, 2014 (with G. Yeromenko)

“The History of Mediation Movement” in Yeromenko, G. et al. eds. *Mediation: How to Solve a Conflict without Going to Courts*. Kiev: Nika-Centre, pp. 8-21, 2010

“International Commercial Arbitration: Lecture Notes and Materials”. Donetsk University Press, 2005, 145 p.

Reports, Policy Papers, Blog Posts

“How to Integrate Dialogue into the Process of Transitional Justice in Ukraine”, Policy Brief, UCIPR, 2020 (with Brunova-Kalisetska, I. and Martynenko, O.) [LINK](#)

“Dialogue in the Model of Transitional Justice: Special Features and Functions”, Research Report, UCIPR, 2020 (with Brunova-Kalisetska, I. and Martynenko, O.) [LINK](#)

“Mapping Civil Society and Peacebuilding in Ukraine”, Mediation and Dialogue Research Center, Inclusive Peace and Transition Initiative, June 2019, [LINK](#)

“Mediation Capture”, Kluwer Mediation Blog, January 30, 2020, [LINK](#)

“Understanding Dialogue: Survey-based Study”, Mediation and Dialogue Research Center, Kyiv, 2018 [LINK](#)

“Against Mediation Regulation”, Kluwer Mediation Blog, October 30, 2018, [LINK](#)

“Self-Regulation of Mediation: Best Practices and Lessons for Ukraine”, USAID 'New Justice' Program Report 2018.

“Mediators and Dialogue Facilitators: One Profession or Competitors?”, Kluwer Mediation Blog, January 30, 2018, [LINK](#)

“Strategic Approach to Mediation: Lessons from Ukraine” Kluwer Mediation Blog, November 15, 2017, [LINK](#)

“Track III Dialogue in Ukraine: Major Patterns and Resulting Risks”, Policy Paper, Center for Peace Mediation, 2017 (with von Dobeneck J.), [LINK](#)

“Challenges to Mediation and Dialogue in Ukraine: Distrust in Procedures and a Dysfunctional Market”, Center for Peace Mediation, Discussion Paper, Frankfurt (Oder), 2016 (with Kraus A., and Von Dobeneck J.) [LINK](#)

“Integration of Mediation into Ukrainian Court System”, Policy Paper, Council of Europe, 2017, Ukrainian, [LINK](#)

“Will Ukraine Have a Law on Mediation in 2017?” [Kluwer Mediation blog](#) 2017

“Foundation Principles for Legal Regulation of Mediation”, Concept Paper, Ukrainian National Association of Mediators, 2016

“Taking Stock of the Transformation of Ukraine’s Judiciary: What Reforms Have Succeeded?” Working Paper 24, Wider Europe Network/SIPU, 2013

“Legal Framework for Mediation and Negotiation of Commercial Disputes in Ukraine”, Research Report, International Finance Corporation, World Bank Group, Kyiv, Ukraine, 2006

“Commercial Mediation in Ukraine: An Assessment of the present and a Strategy for the Future”, Research Report, EU Commission and UNDP, Kyiv, Ukraine, 2005 (with G. Bianchi)