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Appointments

Current Academic Appointment

Professor of Migration Law and Human Rights

Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg

UN Expert Position

Member of the UN Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances

Special Procedures of the UN Human Rights Council (August 2022 – July 2027)

Former Appointments

Senior Research

Hertie School, Center for Fundamental Rights, Berlin (March 2024 – August 2024)

Assistant Professor

Polish Academy of Sciences, Institute of Law Studies, Warsaw (July 2017 – July 2024)

Postdoctoral Researcher (funded through Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Action)

Hertie School, Center for Fundamental Rights, Berlin (September 2021 – February 2024)

Research and Policy Advisor

German Institute for Human Rights, Berlin (October 2019 – July 2020)

Postdoctoral Researcher

Project “Memory Laws in European and Comparative Perspectives (MELA)”

Research consortium: Queen Mary University of London, T.M.C Asser Institute, Polish Academy of Sciences, University of Bologna (September 2016 – July 2019)

Researcher

Project: “Fostering Human Rights Among European Policies (FRAME)”

Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań (September – October 2014)

Researcher

Institute of Law Studies, Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw (February 2011 – June 2016)

Intern

Bundestag, Internationales Parlaments Stipendium, Berlin (February – July 2012)

Intern

Polish Embassy in Ankara (July – August 2008)

Parental leaves:

August 2017 – September 2018

August 2015 – February 2016

Degrees

Ph.D. in Law, Institute of Law Studies, Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw (2011-2016)

M.A. in Turkish Philology, Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań (2006-2011)
Erasmus at Kafkas University in Kars, Turkey (2009–2010)

M.A. in European Studies, Law Faculty Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań (2004-2009)

Funded Research Projects

Individual Projects

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Actions (174,806.40 EUR; 2021–2024)
“Missing Migrants: Identifying and Shaping Obligation for Protection”

Poland’s National Science Centre: Scheme for Ph.D. Holders (ca. 40,000 EUR; 2020–2023)
“State Obligations with Regard to Missing and Disappeared Persons Under International Law”

Poland’s National Science Centre: Scheme for Ph.D. Candidates (ca. 10,000 EUR; 2014–2016)
“Enforced Disappearance in Europe: Development of Legal Standards”

Group Projects (co-writing funding applications)

International Consortia

Volkswagen Stiftung, Challenges for Europe (1.2 million EUR; 2021–2024)
“MEMOCRACY: The Challenge of Populist Memory Politics for Europe: Towards Effective Responses to Militant Legislation on the Past”, PI Prof. Dr. Angelika Nusßberger

Humanities in the European Research Area (1.2 million EUR; 2016–2019)
“MELA: Memory Laws in European and Comparative Perspective,” PI Prof. Eric Heinze

Funded National Research Groups

Poland’s National Science Centre: General Grants (ca. 104,730 EUR; 2020–2023)
“The Protection of Vulnerable Groups in the International Human Rights Law,” PI Prof. Aleksandra Gliszczyńska-Grabias

Poland’s National Science Centre: General Grants (ca. 65,640 EUR; 2017–2020)
“The Impact of Universal Human Rights Standards on the Jurisprudence of the European Court of Human Rights: A Critical Analysis,” PI Prof. Roman Wieruszewski

Poland’s National Science Centre: General Grants (ca. 57,430 EUR; 2013–2016)
“The UN Human Rights Protection Mechanisms: A Systemic Analysis,” PI Prof. Roman Wieruszewski

Research Awards

Israel Law Review Prize 2022

Annual prize for the best unsolicited article published by the journal during the preceding calendar year for my article “The Rights of the Families of Missing Persons: Going Beyond International Humanitarian Law”.

Ministry of Science and Higher Education Award for Exceptional Young Researchers (2019)

The scholarship is awarded annually to the most outstanding researchers employed in Polish academic institutions, who are at most seven years after their dissertation.

Prize: 194,040 PLN over three years (ca. 44,000 EUR; 2020–2023)

START Stipend for the Most Talented Young Researchers in Poland (2018)

The stipend is awarded by the Foundation for Polish Science annually to 100 most promising researchers affiliated with academic institutions in Poland under the age of 30.

Stipend: 28,000 PLN (ca. 6,300 EUR)

Fellowships

Re: Constitution Fellowship

Fellowship awarded yearly to 15 academics and practitioners to pursue a project of their own choice, including a mobility period of three to six months at research institutions or places of legal practice within the European Union (September 2023 – July 2024)

Fellow in the GSO Leadership Academy

The 10-days in-person program aims at preparing 25 outstanding researchers for their future management responsibilities in research-related environments.

German Scholars Organization e.V. (Boston, September 2022 – Darmstadt, February 2023)

Fellow in the Project “Internalizing Borders: The Social and Normative Consequences of the European Border Regime”

Center for Interdisciplinary Research (ZiF), Universität Bielefeld (October 2023 – June 2024)

Fellow in the Project “Constitutional Politics in Turkey II”

Humboldt University & Bilkent University in Ankara (February – July 2019)

Diplomacy and Diversity Fellow

Humanity in Action, Washington, D.C. – Paris (May – June 2014)

Teaching

Course “Migration & Human Rights”

Hertie School, September – December 2022; February – May 2023

Master students (International Affairs, Public Policy, Data Science)

Evaluated by students in 2022 at 96.2%

Lectures on International Human Rights Law

Polish Academy of Sciences, Institute of Law Studies

Several lectures a year since 2014

Ph.D. students (law)

Parts of the Course “International Human Rights Law”

Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań, Poland, December 2018 – February 2019
Law students

Workshop: Introduction to Human Rights for Non-Lawyers

University of Zurich, Switzerland, August 2016

One-day workshop during the summer course “Business and Human Rights: Interdisciplinary Challenges and Opportunities”

M.A. students from 5 different countries and different backgrounds

Workshop: Implementation of Views of the UN Human Rights Committee

Helsinki Foundation for Human Rights, Warsaw (twice: in 2013 and 2014)

One-day workshop

Lawyers from Belarus

Course “International Human Rights Law” (Focus Belarus)

Financed by the Raoul Wallenberg Institute organized at the Polish Academy of Sciences 2013

30-hours course: I designed the syllabus, gave 10 hours of lectures, and invited guest lectures

M.A. students and graduates of seven Belarusian universities (law, international relations, and international economic relations)

Course “International Protection of Human Rights”

Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań, Poland (2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015)

60-hours course (different responsibilities in different editions, I also delivered lectures and designed the syllabus in two editions [2014, 2015])

Course for professionals: activists, NGO workers, lawyers, researchers, civil servants

Publications

Selected publications:

- Monograph with Intersentia (2021).
- Edited work with *European Papers* (2020), Cambridge University Press (under contract).
- Peer-reviewed articles in *Law and Social Inquiry* (2024), *European Constitutional Law Review* (2023), *European Convention on Human Rights Law Review* (2023), *Netherlands Quarterly of Human Rights* (2023), *Israel Law Review* (2022), *Polish Yearbook of International Law* (2022, 2019), *East European Politics & Societies: and Cultures* (2020), *European Papers* (2020), *European Human Rights Law Review* (2018), *International Review of the Red Cross* (2017).

Monographs

Baranowska (2021) *Rights of families of disappeared persons: How international bodies address the needs of families of disappeared persons in Europe* (Intersentia).

Baranowska (2017) *Wymuszone zaginięcia w Europie. Kształtowanie się międzynarodowych standardów zapobiegania i reagowania* [Enforced disappearances in Europe. Developing international standards of prevention and reaction] (C.H. Beck).

Edited work (collections & special issues)

Baranowska, Kolaković-Bojović (eds.) (under contract), *Enforced Disappearances: On Universal Responses to a Worldwide Phenomenon* (Cambridge University Press).

Baranowska, Górczyńska (eds.) (2023) 'Aktualne zagadnienia migracji' [Current migration challenges] *Europejski Przegląd Sądowy* 08, 1-62.

Baranowska, Castellanos-Jankiewicz (eds.) (2020) 'Historical Memory in post-Communist Europe and the Rule of Law', Special Sections: 5(1) *European Papers* 95–174 & 5(3) *European Papers* 1171–1246.

Baranowska, Gliszczyńska-Grabias, Hernandez-Pończyńska, Sękowska-Kozłowska (eds.) (2017) *O prawach człowieka. Księga jubileuszowa Profesora Romana Wieruszewskiego* [On Human Rights. Festschrift for Professor Roman Wieruszewski] (Wolters Kluwer Polska).

Baranowska, Bodnar, Gliszczyńska-Grabias (eds.) (2015) *20 lat ochrony praw obywateli w Unii Europejskiej – osiągnięcia i wyzwania na przyszłość* [Twenty Years of Protecting the Rights of EU Citizens: Achievements and Challenges for the Future] (Wolters Kluwer Polska).

Journal articles

Alpes, **Baranowska** (2024) 'The politics of legal facts: the erasure of pushback evidence from the European Court of Human Rights' *Law & Social Inquiry*.

Baranowska (2023) 'Protecting the good name of the nation as a memory law' 19 *European Constitutional Law Review* 623-641.

Baranowska (2023) 'Exposing Covert Border Enforcement: Why Failing to Shift the Burden of Proof in Pushback Cases is Wrong' 4(4) *European Convention on Human Rights Law Review* 473-494.

Baranowska (2023) 'How long does the past endure? "Continuing violations" and the "very distant past" before the UN Human Rights Committee' 41(2) *Netherlands Quarterly of Human Rights* 97-114.

Baranowska (2022) 'The Rights of the Families of Missing Persons: Going Beyond International Humanitarian Law' 55(1) *Israel Law Review* 25–49.

Winner of *Israel Law Review* Prize for 2022

Sękowska-Kozłowska, **Baranowska**, Gliszczyńska-Grabias (2022) 'Sexist Hate Speech and the International Human Rights Law: Towards Legal Recognition of the Phenomenon by the United Nations and the Council of Europe' 35 *International Journal for the Semiotics of Law – Revue internationale de Semiotique juridique* 2323–2345.

Baranowska (2022) 'Pushbacks in Poland: Grounding the Practice in Domestic Law in 2021' XLI *Polish Yearbook of International Law* 193–211.

Bachman, Lyubashenko, Garuka, **Baranowska**, Pavlaković (2020) 'The Puzzle of Punitive Memory Laws: New insights into the origins and scope of punitive memory laws' 35(4) *East European Politics & Societies: and Cultures* 996–1012.

Baranowska, Castellanos-Jankiewicz (2020) 'Historical Memory in Post-Communist Europe and the Rule of Law: An Introduction' 5(1) *European Papers* 95–106.

Gliszczyńska-Grabias, **Baranowska**, Wójcik (2019) 'Law-Secured Narratives of the Past in Poland in Light of International Human Rights Law Standards' 38 *Polish Yearbook of International Law* 59–72.

Baranowska (2018) 'Families of disappeared persons in the jurisprudence of the European Court of Human Rights' 5 *European Human Rights Law Review* 505–514.

Sarkin, **Baranowska** (2018) 'Why Enforced Disappearances are Perpetrated against Groups as State Policy: Overlaps and Interconnections between Disappearances and Genocide' 3 *Catolica Law Review* 10–50.

Gliszczyńska-Grabias, **Baranowska** (2018) 'Right to Truth' and Memory Laws: General Rules and Practical Implications' 47 *Polish Political Science Yearbook* 97–109.

Baranowska (2018) 'Osoby zaginione w Kosowie a ONZ – rozważania na tle działalności Komisji Doradczej ds. Praw Człowieka' [Disappeared Persons in Kosovo and the UN – Reflections Regarding the Human Rights Advisory Panel] 9 *Polski Rocznik Praw Człowieka i Prawa Humanitarnego* 21-35.

Baranowska (2017) 'Advances and progress in the obligation to return the remains of missing and forcible disappeared persons' 99(2) *International Review of the Red Cross* 709–733.

Baranowska, Hernandez-Pończyńska (2017) 'Procedury specjalne a rozbudowa uniwersalnego systemu ochrony praw człowieka' [The UN Special Procedures and the Expansion of the Universal Human Rights System] 3(211) *Studia Prawnicze* 101-113.

Gliszczyńska-Grabias, **Baranowska** (2016) 'The European Court of Human Rights on Nazi and Soviet past in Central and Eastern Europe' 45 *Polish Political Sciences Yearbook* 117–129.

Baranowska (2016) 'Kształtowanie się międzynarodowych standardów prawnych w zakresie zapobiegania i reagowania na wymuszone zaginięcia' [Developing international legal standards of prevention and reaction to enforced disappearance] 1(205) *Studia Prawnicze* 65-90.

Baranowska (2015) 'Wymuszone zaginięcia na Ukrainie w latach 2013-2014: skargi i procedury międzynarodowe' [Enforced disappearances in Ukraine in the years 2013-2014: international complaints and procedures] 2 (62) *Studia Prawnicze KUL*, 9-29.

Baranowska (2014) 'Legal Regulations on National and Ethnic Minorities in Poland' 2 *Przegląd Zachodni* 35–48.

Baranowska (2014) 'Ochrona praw mniejszości narodowych w orzecznictwie Europejskiego Trybunału Praw Człowieka oraz Komitetu Praw Człowieka ONZ – analiza porównawcza' [Protection of the national minorities – a comparative analysis of the European Court of Human Rights and the UN Human Rights Committee case law] 1(197) *Studia Prawnicze* 7-28.

Book Chapters

Sękowska-Kozłowska, **Baranowska**, Grygiel, Szoszkiewicz (2024) 'The impact of the United Nations human rights treaties on the domestic level in Poland', in Heyns, Viljoen and Murray (eds) *The impact of the United Nations human rights treaties: Twenty years on* (Brill) 823-898.

Ananthavinayagan, **Baranowska** (2024) 'United Nations Human Rights System', in González Hauck, Kunz, Milas (eds) *Public International Law: An Open Textbook* (Routledge) 558-565.

Gliszczyńska-Grabias, **Baranowska** (2023) 'Using and Abusing Memory Laws in Search of "Historical Truth: The Case of the 2018 Amendments to the Polish Institute of National Remembrance Act', in Tirosh and Reading (eds), *The Right to Memory: History, Media, Law, and Ethics* (Berghahn) 112-131.

Baranowska (2022) ‘Can a state limit processing of asylum applications (evaluation of the provisions of the so-called Pushback Act) & ‘The legality and permissibility of push-back policies (forcing people back over a border) and assessment of the attempts to legalize it in Poland’, in Klaus (ed) *Beyond the Law: Legal assessment of the Polish State’s activities in response to the humanitarian crisis on the Polish-Belarusian Border* (Publishing House of ILS PAS) 8-13.

Baranowska, Szoszkiewicz (2021) ‘New International Migration Management Technologies and Their Impact on Sustainability’, in Filho, Azul, Brandli, Salvia, Gökçin Özuyar and Wall (eds.) *Encyclopedia of the UN Sustainable Goals: Reduced Inequalities* (Springer) 604-612.

Baranowska (2020) ‘Penalizing statements about the past in Turkey’, in Grzebyk (ed), *Responsibility for Negation of International Crimes: Memory Law – International Crimes – Denial* (The Justice Institute) 249-258.

Baranowska (2020) ‘Memory Laws in Turkey: Protecting the Memory of Mustafa Kemal Atatürk’, in Bachmann and Garuka (eds.) *Criminalizing History: Legal Restrictions on Statements and Interpretations of the Past in Germany, Poland, Rwanda, Turkey and Ukraine* (Peter Lang) 107-125.

Gliszczyńska-Grabias, **Baranowska** (2017) ‘Prawa pamięci. Uwagi na temat ochrony prawdy o przeszłości’ [Memory Laws. Comments on protecting the truth about the past], in Baranowska, Gliszczyńska-Grabias, Hernandez-Pończyńska and Sękowska-Kozłowska (eds.) *O prawach człowieka Księga jubileuszowa Profesora Romana Wieruszewskiego* [On Human Rights. Festschrift for Professor Roman Wieruszewski] (Wolters Kluwer Polska)

Baranowska (2017) Komitet Przeciwko Torturom [The Committee Against Torture] & Podkomitet do Spraw Prewencji [The Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture] & Komitet do Spraw Wymuszonych Zaginięć [The Committee Against Enforced Disappearances] & Funkcjonowanie procedury sprawozdawczej do Komitetu Przeciwko Torturom w odniesieniu do Polski [Functioning of the reporting procedure to the Committee against Torture in relation to Poland] [in:] Wieruszewski (red.) *Mechanizmy ochrony praw człowieka w ramach ONZ. Analiza systemowa* [The UN Human Rights Protection Mechanisms - A Systemic Analysis] (C.H. Beck) 129-176, 265-296, 343-348.

Baranowska (2016) ‘ETPC i słuszne zadośćuczynienie w skargach międzypaństwowych – wyrok w sprawie Cypr przeciwko Turcji z 12.05.2014 r.’ [ECtHR and just satisfaction in interstate applications: judgment in Cyprus vs Turkey from 12.05.2014] [in:] M. Balcerzak, J. Kapelańska-Pręgowska (red.), *Odpowiedzialność międzynarodowa w związku z naruszeniami praw człowieka, międzynarodowego prawa humanitarnego i karnego* [International responsibility arising from violations of human rights law, international humanitarian law and criminal law] (Nicolaus Copernicus University publishing house).

Outreach

Policy Briefs & Reports, Court Submissions, Legal Opinions

Gliszczyńska-Grabias, **Baranowska**, Wójcik, Sadowski, Vorobiova (2023) ‘Memory Laws in Poland and Hungary. Report by the research consortium ‘The Challenges of Populist Memory Politics and Militant Memory Laws (MEMOCRACY)’ (Publishing House of ILS PAS).

Baranowska (2023) “OA v Denmark, Merits, UN Doc CCPR/C/121/D/2770/2016; IHRL 3975 (HRC 2017), 7 November 2017” Oxford Reports on International Law: International Human Rights Law, Oxford University Press.

Rule 9 submission to the ECtHR on the implementation of *MK and others v Poland* (three submissions: January 14, 2022; April 19, 2022; January 27, 2023).

Baranowska (2022), "Missing migrants: Lessons from the EU's response to Ukraine refugees" (Jacque Delors Centre, Hertie School).

Baranowska (2020), "The Relevance of the ICPPED for Disappeared Migrants and Refugees" (German Institute for Human Rights).

Baranowska (2014) "EU's financial contribution to UN human rights activities," in *EU human rights engagement in UN bodies*, FRAME Report (FP7 project).

Wieruszewski, **Baranowska**, Połczyńska (2013), "Legal Opinion: the functioning of available mechanisms verifying compliance with the rule of law principle on the example of Hungary," for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Poland.

Wieruszewski, Sobczak, Sękowska-Kozłowska, Gliszczyńska-Grabias, **Baranowska** (2012), "Legal opinion on admissibility of restrictions on the freedom of assembly," for the Mayor of Warsaw.

Wieruszewski, Sękowska-Kozłowska, Gliszczyńska-Grabias, **Baranowska**, (2011) "Constitutional opinion on the motion to issue an ordinance ordering the removal of the Latin cross located in the session room of the Sejm," for the Speaker of the Polish Parliament.

Academic Blog Posts

Alpes, **Baranowska** (2024) 'Whats beneath the iceberg in M.A. and Z.R. v Cyprus? The erasure of pushback evidence at borders' October 25, 2024, *Border Criminologies* and *FluchtforschungsBlog*

Baranowska (2023) 'Poland's Sham 'Migration' Referendum' October 11, 2023, *Verfassungsblog*.

Baranowska, Citroni (2023) 'The UN Independent Institution on Missing Persons in the Syrian Arab Republic. A marathon, a sprint, or a hurdle race?' July 7, 2023 *EJIL:Talk!*

Baranowska (2022) "Left behind: reparations and assistance for families of missing and disappeared persons," June 2, 2022, *ICRC Humanitarian Law & Blog*.

Baranowska (2022) "A Tale of Two Borders: Poland's continued illegal actions at its border with Belarus," March 10, 2022, *Verfassungsblog*.

Baranowska, Başdaş, Welfens (2021) "The Dangerous Politics of Framing: The Situation at the Polish-Belarusian Border," November 25, 2021, *Border Criminologies*.

Baranowska (2022) "The Deadly Woods: Legalizing Pushbacks at the Polish-Belarusian Border," October 29, 2021, *Verfassungsblog*.

Lochbihler, Voß-Kyeck, **Baranowska** (2020) "Disappeared migrants and refugees. How the ICPPED can help in their search and protection," December 15, 2020, *Völkerrechtsblog*.

Baranowska (2020) "The United States' Obligations Regarding Separated Migrant Children," November 24, 2020, *Opinio Juris*.

Baranowska (2018) "The Right to the Truth for the Families of Victims of the Katyń Massacre," January 6, 2018, *Verfassungsblog*.

Baranowska, Wójcik (2017) "In Defense of European Memory Laws," November 1, 2017, *Free Speech Debate*.

Selected outreach events

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| April 9, 2024 | Invited expert in hearing at European Parliament Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs (LIBE) and Committee on Legal Affairs on Creating a European Centre for missing persons, including children |
| October, 19 2023 | Chairing panel discussion 'Search and rescue in the Mediterranean Sea' at Hertie School, featuring sea rescuers and a member of the German Parliament. |
| January 19, 2023 | Talk during open days "Migration and involuntary disappearances" at Hertie School's Open Days. |
| November 30, 2022 | Chairing meeting for Hertie School students with UN Special Rapporteur in the field of cultural rights, Alexandra Xanthaki. |
| October 16, 2022 | Chairing film discussion at 2022 Berlin Human Rights Film Festival, after screening of film <i>Judges Under Pressure</i> . |
| December 8, 2021 | Participating online discussion with migration activists after screening of film <i>Shadow Game</i> , Hertie School. |
| September 20, 2021 | Participating in panel discussion at the 2021 Berlin Human Rights Film Festival "Europe's Deadly Borders: Seeking Protection in Bordered Europe." |

Selected media presence

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| September 19, 2023 | TV interview in ARD-Mittagsmagazin on universal jurisdiction case in Switzerland (German) |
| July 5, 2023 | Interview for Swiss Info on new UN mechanism missing persons in Syria (English) |
| December 19, 2022 | Radio interview in TOK FM on pushbacks at the Polish-Belarussian border (Polish) |
| October 17, 2022 | Radio interview in TOK FM on UN responses to enforced disappearances (Polish). |
| March 29, 2022 | Participating in podcast WeiterGedacht "Unexpected unity in the EU: A step forward for the EU asylum reform?" (English). |
| March 11, 2022 | Interview in newspaper Oko.Press on Ukraine refugees in EU countries (Polish). |
| November 25, 2020 | Radio interview in TOK FM on practice of separation of families at the Mexico–United States border (Polish). |

Conferences, Seminars, Invited Talks (since 2017)

- June 18 2024 Paper entitled 'Living up to obligations through the ICRC? A critique of state's attempts to shift obligations when addressing missing persons' presented at Futureproofing human rights Developing thicker forms of accountability, University of Ghent, online.
- May 24, 2024 Paper entitled 'Fit for Purpose? Universal Criminal Jurisdiction and Enforced Disappearance: between potential and challenges' presented at ECPR Accountability & Human Rights Conference UCL, London, UK.
- May 23, 2024 Presentation during panel '(B)OrderS and Mobile People Roundtable: Meet the Practitioners working with Covert/Overt Borders' at Queen Mary University of London, London, UK.
- March 21, 2024 Paper entitled 'Protecting the Good Name of the Nation as a Memory law' at webinar Memory Laws and the Rule of Law
- February 22, 2024 Paper entitled 'Vermisste minderjährige Migranten' [Missing unaccompanied minors] at Nürnberger Menschenrechtszentrum, Nürnberg, Germany.
- January 10, 2024 Paper entitled 'Exposing Covert Border Enforcement: Why Failing to Shift the Burden of Proof in Pushback Cases is Wrong' at webinar "The Evidentiary System of the European Court of Human Rights in Critical Perspective", organized by Dissect Project of Ghent University, online.
- December 15, 2023 Paper entitled 'Missing unaccompanied minors and legal obligations of states' at Missing Children Europe Academy webinar, organized by Missing Children Europe, online.
- December 11, 2023 Paper entitled 'Missing persons and enforced disappearances: international institution responses', at webinar Dialoghi Romani di Diritto Internazionale, organized by Sapienza Università di Roma, online.
- December 1, 2023 Guest lecture 'Climate-Induced Mobility' for the course Climate Crisis & Human Rights at the Hertie School, Berlin, Germany.
- November 10-12, 2023 Paper entitled 'The Troubling Nexus Between the European Border Policies and the Rule of Law Crisis in Poland' & leading workshop 'Missing migrants: Identifying and Shaping Obligation for Protection' at Herbsttagung des Netzwerk Migrationsrecht Rule of Law: Zwischen Migrationskontrolle und Menschenrechten?, Hohenheim, Germany.
- October 12-13, 2023 Paper entitled 'Protecting the good name of a nation as memory law' during conference "Precarious Constitutionalism: The Ambiguities of Liberal Orders and the Rise of Illiberalism in Central Europe and Latin America", Czech Academy of Sciences, Prague, Czech Republic.
- May 8, 2023 Panel on missing and forcibly disappeared migrants, Geneva Academy of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights, Geneva, Switzerland.
- April 20, 2023 Paper entitled "Can migrant deaths' and disappearances be considered enforced disappearances?" at Kolleg-Forschungsgruppe, "The International Rule of Law – Rise or Decline?" Freie Universität, Berlin, Germany.

- March 17, 2023 Talk at the international forum “Regional cooperation for the search, investigation and prevention of the disappearances of persons in the context of migration” organized by the UN Office of the High Commissioner, Fundacja Justicia, and Ombudsperson Office, Panama City, Panama.
- January 17, 2023 Guest lecture “Missing Persons as a result of Russia’s invasion on Ukraine,” during the Winter School of the Cologne/Bonn Academy “The Future of Eastern Europe,” Cologne University, Germany.
- September 8–9, 2022 Paper “Pushbacks at the Polish-Belarusian border and the ECtHR” at the re:constitution Network Conference, Berlin, Germany.
- July 15, 2022 Paper “Official Poof of Unofficial Practices: Evidencing Border Violence and Access Barriers to the European Court of Human Rights” at the annual Law & Society Association Conference, Lisbon, Portugal.
- July 6, 2022 Participation in roundtable “Ukrainian War, Refugees, and Human Rights in a Global Context” organized by Institute for Human Sciences in Vienna, online.
- July 4–6 2022 Paper “Protecting the good name of the nation as a memory law,” Annual Conference of International Society of Public Law (ICON-S), online.
- May 10, 2022 Talk “Legal obligation regarding missing migrants: a view on Ukraine” at research workshop of the Centre for Women and Gender Research University of Warsaw, online.
- March 9, 2022 Paper “How to prove unacknowledged apprehension of migrants before the ECtHR? Drawing evidentiary lessons from the Strasbourg case law on enforced disappearances” at Colloquium of the Centre for Fundamental Rights, Hertie School, online.
- December 21, 2021 Guest lecture on “Human Rights of migrants: missing migrants in Europe and the role of businesses” for the International Doctorate Programme: Business and Human Rights at the Centre for Human Rights Erlangen-Nürnberg, Nürnberg, Germany.
- December 9, 2021 Guest lecture on “2021 ‘migration crisis’ on the Polish-Belarusian border” for the course “The Power of Law: Integration in the EU from a Spatial Perspective” at the University of Amsterdam, online.
- November 24, 2021 Talk on disappeared migrants and refugees for the Expert Seminar on Enforced Disappearances: Strengthening Prevention & Protection organized by Geneva for Human Rights, online.
- November 9, 2021 Guest lecture on “Memory laws” for the course “Introduction to transitional justice” at the Geneva Academy of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights, online.
- September 29, 2021 Book launch of *Rights of families of disappeared persons: How international bodies address the needs of families of disappeared persons in Europe*, Hertie School, online.

- July 5, 2021 Paper “Substantiating claims of secret migrant detention at the ECtHR” at the research workshop “Evidence and Proof in Proceedings before the European Court of Human Rights” organized by Ghent University, online.
- May 7–8, 2021 Talk “Disappeared migrants in the light of IHRL and IHR” at the International Conference “Prohibition, Prosecution and Prevention of Enforced Disappearances” organized by the Centre for Human Rights Erlangen-Nürnberg and International Nuremberg Principles Academy, online.
- April 2, 2021 Paper “The Relevance of the ICPPED for Disappeared Migrants and Refugees” at the Treaty Body Members Platform for the UN Committee on Enforced Disappearances, UN Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families & the UN Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, organized by the Geneva Academy of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights, online.
- November 9–11, 2020 Paper “Families of missing persons under IHL and IHRL” at the 15th Annual Minerva/ICRC Conference on International Humanitarian Law, organized by the Minerva Center for Human Rights at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, online.
- April 30 – May 2, 2020 Paper “Missing Migrants’ under international law: theoretical and practical challenges” at the 9th Annual Cambridge International Law Conference organized by Cambridge International Law Journal, online.
- November 14–15, 2019 Paper “Missing persons in the jurisprudence of international human rights mechanisms” at the International Conference “The Role of Human Rights Mechanisms in Implementing International Humanitarian Law (Geneva Conventions)” organized by the Geneva Academy of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights, Geneva, Switzerland.
- September 6–7, 2019 Paper “The categorization of “missing migrants’ and its impact on State obligations under IHL and IHRL” at the Annual Conference of Association of Human Rights Institutes (AHRI) 2019: “Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law: Challenges Ahead,” Potsdam, Germany.
- July 1–3, 2019 Paper “Turkish and Russian memory law in comparative perspective” at Annual Conference of International Society of Public Law (ICON-S), Santiago de Chile, Chile.
- June 28–29, 2019 Paper “Genocide denial and beyond: memory laws in Turkey in times of re-narrating history” at the Annual Conference of Memory Studies Association, Madrid, Spain.
- December 7–8, 2018 Paper “Enforced disappearances and genocide” at International Conference “Genocide After 1948: 70 Years of Genocide Convention” organized by the NIOD Institute for War, Holocaust and Genocide Studies, Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- April 3, 2018 Paper “Disappeared and Missing Persons: Role of Memory Laws” at the research workshop “Legal Governance of Historical Memory in Comparative Perspective” organized by the University of California, Berkeley, USA.

- December 7–9, 2017 Paper “Using ‘genocide’ in international relations: Resolution of the Polish Parliament on the Wołyń massacre of 1943–1944 and its implications” at the international conference “Present Past: Time, Memory, and the Negotiation of Historical Justice” organized by Columbia University, New York, USA.
- May 4–7, 2017 Paper “The European Parliament on the European and Turkish Pasts” at the European Union Studies Association Biennial Conference (EUSA), Miami, USA.
- April 27–28, 2017 Paper “Invoking universal standards in the practice of the ECtHR: enforced disappearance cases” at the international conference “The Promotion and Enforcement of Human Rights by International and Regional Organizations” Annual Conference of Association of Human Rights Institutes (AHRI), Brussels, Belgium.
- March 24, 2017 Paper “Memory laws and the right to truth” at the international conference “Law and Memory in Established Democracies” at Università di Bologna, Bologna, Italy.
- January 2017 Paper “The European Court of Human Rights and the Right to Truth” at the Annual Conference of Central and Eastern European Network of Legal Scholars, “An Uneasy Legacy: Remnants of Real-Socialist Legal and Political Thinking in Central and Eastern Europe,” Kraków, Poland.

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