

## CURRICULUM VITAE FRANCESCA FALK

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Date of birth: 17 January 1977

Civil status: Married, two children (2012/2016)

Citizenship: Swiss and Italian dual-citizen



### ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Since 8/2019 Lectureship (Dozentur) in Migration History, University of Bern, Switzerland

2013–2019 Senior Lecturer (Oberassistentz) in Contemporary History at the bilingual French-German University of Fribourg, Switzerland

2016–17 Advanced Postdoc Mobility Fellowship (with return phase), Swiss National Science Foundation, Switzerland

2012 Lecturer at the ETH Zurich (History of the Modern World), Switzerland

2009–2012 Lecturer at the University of Basel, Switzerland

2009–2012 Swiss National Science Foundation Postdoc employment in the framework of the ‘Representative Violence’ project, Zurich University of the Arts, Switzerland

2005–2008 PhD National Centre of Competence in Research Eikones (The Power and Meaning of Images), University of Basel, Switzerland

### EDUCATION

2009 PhD in History, University of Basel, Switzerland, thesis: 5.5; thesis defence: 6 (6 = *highest mark*)

2005 MA in History and Political Science, Universities of Basel and Zurich, Switzerland; with studies in Basel, Geneva, and Zurich (Switzerland) and Freiburg im Breisgau (Germany), *summa cum laude*

### RESEARCH ABROAD AND VISITING ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2016–2017 Visiting Scholar at Sapienza University and Istituto Svizzero, Rome, Italy; Centro Studi Movimenti, Parma, Italy; University of Oxford, UK

July 2014 Research stays in Rome and Ponza, Italy

June–July 2012 Stay at the Casa Zia Lina, Elba (Robert und Lina Thyll Dürr Foundation), Italy

October 2011 Research stay in Tunisia

2008 and 2009 Visiting Scholar (short-term) at the Istituto Svizzero, Venice, Italy

Fall term 2007 Visiting Scholar at UC Berkeley, United States

Awarded Fellowships that could not be accepted for family reasons:  
Istituto Svizzero in Rome (2015–2016), Italy  
Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Advanced Study in New Delhi, India (April–September 2012)

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

History of modern Europe and its global contexts, power relations and their critique, women and gender history, (post-)colonialism, migration, adoption, cultural and visual studies, oral and public history, historiography, the historian in the climate turnaround, socio-political change

## AWARDS

2020	Eduard-Adolf-Stein Prize for the publication <i>Gender Innovation and Migration in Switzerland</i> , University of Bern
2020	Award for Excellence in Teaching, Faculty of Humanities, University of Bern
2011	Dissertation shortlisted for the <i>Opus Primum Award</i> (Volkswagen Foundation)
2010	<i>Agpro Award</i> for the publication of <i>Grenzverwischer</i> , ceremony at the University of Vienna, Austria, in presence of the Austrian Federal Minister for Science and Research
2001–2009	Swiss Study Foundation for outstanding students
2005	Literature competition second prize, University of Basel, Switzerland
2002	Prize for the European Year of Languages, University of Basel, Switzerland

## ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES

### *University of Bern:*

Since 2021	Member of the research ethics working group, Faculty of Philosophy and History
2021	Member of the evaluation commission ‘Study Program Master Minor Gender Studies’
2021	Member of a promotion commission, Institute of History
2020-2021	Member of the working group ‘student numbers’ of the Historical Institute
2020-2021	Member of the Collegium Decanale
Since 2020	Member of the Faculty Assembly
2019-2021	Member of the Steering Committee of the Walter Benjamin Kolleg
Since 2019	Member of the Board of Directors of the Institute of History
Since 2019	Coordinator of the research cooperation MIKO
Since 2019	Member of the University Gender Equality Commission

### *University of Fribourg (selection):*

2013-2019	Member of the Steering Committee for the PhD Programme ‘Migration and Post-colonialism meet Switzerland’, Study Counselling, Member of the Faculty Assembly (with several interruptions especially during my maternity leave and stays abroad)
2015	Member of the Reform Study Programme History and Contemporary History

### *University of Basel:*

2011	Member of the Search Committee for Professor for Contemporary Art History (Laurenz-Assistenzprofessur für Zeitgenössische Kunst)
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## MAJOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

### *Present:*

COST National Coordinator for ‘Women on the Move’  
Deputy Department Head of the Swiss Society for History Division for Science Policy  
Editorial Board of the collection ‘Gender Questions’ (Swiss Association for Gender Studies),  
Seismo  
Editorial Board of the collection ‘Present and Past’, Seismo  
Scientific Advisory Board for [www.geschichteimpuls.ch](http://www.geschichteimpuls.ch)

*Past:*

Member of the Board of Directors of the Swiss Society for History  
Delegate on the Advisory Board of the Swiss Society for History  
Department Head of the Swiss Society for History Division for Science Policy  
Jury member of 'Presenting History Online', organized by infoclio.ch  
Member of the Foundation Council of the Swiss Historical Encyclopaedia  
Member of the Advisory Board for a project of cfd, the Feminist Peace Organization  
Member of the Advisory Board for a project of the NGO cooperaxion

**REVIEWER FOR FUNDING ORGANIZATIONS**

Austrian Science Foundation  
Swiss National Science Foundation

**REVIEWER FOR JOURNALS/ENCYCLOPAEDIAS**

Postcolonial Studies  
Sicherheit und Frieden (S+F)/Security and Peace  
Swiss Historical Encyclopaedia

**MEMBERSHIPS (SELECTION)**

American Historical Association (since 2009)  
European Network in Universal and Global History (since 2011)  
Italian Society of Women Historians (since 2017)  
Oralhistory.ch (since 2020)  
Swiss Association for Gender Studies (since 2019)  
Swiss Network of Female Historians (since 2019)  
Swiss Society for Economic and Social History (since 2019)  
Swiss Society for History (since 2009)

**TEACHING AND SUPERVISION OF STUDENTS**

A total of more than hundred student projects supervised (Proseminar- und Seminararbeiten). In addition, the Bachelor's and Master's thesis of the following students were supervised at the University of Bern:

**Master theses**

2022

- Deryan Bozat (ongoing)
- Isabelle Gerber (ongoing)

2021

- Seylan Keles: 'Das Leben hat es gefordert und wir haben es durchlebt.' Der Partizipationsprozess einer Migrantin in der Türkei und der Schweiz 1961-2000

**Bachelor theses**

2021

- Chiara Gisler: Untersuchung der administrativen Versorgung im Kanton Uri und spezifisch der Gemeinde Attinghausen

- Elena Müller: Gegen die Unsichtbarkeit anschreiben. Lesbische Frauen in der Schweiz im Spiegel der Zeitschrift «Menschenrecht» (1937-1942)
- Nico Sidler: Die Ablehnung der ‘Linksextremistinnen’ im Wiederaufnahmeverfahren von 1952
- Silje Staubli: Die antirassistische Subversion. Von der Geistigen Landesverteidigung des ‘Komitee für Freiheit im Reden und Denken’
- Helena Stucki: Julie von May und die Frauenfrage
- Markus Meier: Die Flüchtlings- und Internierungslager im Appenzellerland 1938 – 1946

2020

- Francesca Blachnik: Das Bild der Kinderkrippen in der ‘Monatsschrift für Jugendhilfe’ der Pro Juventute zwischen 1950 und 1967
- Luca Burgaretta: Die Schweizer Migrations- und Assimilationspolitik der 1960er und 1970er Jahre
- Seraina Campell: Darstellung verschiedener Migrationsphänomene in der zeitgenössischen Presse während des Baus der Albulastrecke
- Laura Rompietti: Benvenuti in Svizzera: Zwei ‘Generationen’ erinnern sich an ihre Erfahrungen in der Schweiz zwischen den 1960er Jahren und heute

### List of courses BA- and MA-level

Since the term ‘proseminar’ does not exist in English, the term ‘seminar’ is also used to refer to courses that are called *Proseminar* in German.

Colloquium With various colleagues of the Historical Institute of the University of Bern	Spring 2022 Fall 2021 Spring 2021 Fall 2020 Spring 2020 Fall 2019	Research Colloquium on History after 1800	History	University of Bern
Colloquium With S. Berger and S. Zala	Spring 2022 Fall 2021 Spring 2021 Fall 2020 Spring 2020 Fall 2019	Project outline Master thesis	History	University of Bern
Seminar	2022	About women as breadwinners and house husbands: When migration shaped the division of labour in the family	History	University of Bern
Reading course	2022	The history of intercountry adoptions	History	University of Bern
Seminar	2022	Refugee Migration and Adoption from Sri	History	University of Bern

		Lanka to Switzerland in the 1980s		
Exercise	2022	Of Children's Friends and Socialist Educational Theories. The Archive of the Bernese Red Falcons	History	University of Bern
Exercise	2021	The crèche on television. Analysing audio-visual sources	History	University of Bern
Seminar	2021	'We, seasonal workers...' Conduct oral history interviews with former seasonal workers for an exhibition	History	University of Bern
Seminar	2021	Women parliamentarians with migration background: Historical approaches	History	University of Bern
Exercise With S. Berger	2021	50 years of women's suffrage: What is remembered in exhibitions?	History	University of Bern
Reading course	2020	The historian in the climate turnaround	History	University of Bern
Seminar	2020	Corona: An Oral History Seminar	History	University of Bern
Seminar	2020	The 'Schwarzenbach Vote' – analyse interviews with contemporary witnesses	History	University of Bern
Seminar	2020	'Italians' remember the 'Schwarzenbach Vote' of 1970	History	University of Bern
Exercise	2020	Migration in the museum	History	University of Bern
Historical source analysis	2019	The archive of the crèche	History	University of Bern
Seminar	2019	Historiography	History	University of Fribourg
Lecture Course 75 students	2018	Past and present of feminism	History	University of Fribourg
Seminar With I. Gadiant	2018	Migration as a driving force in history	History	University of Fribourg

Seminar	2015	Revolution, evolution, restoration? Changing gender relations	History	University of Fribourg
Seminar	2015	Analysing the recent interest in national history	History	University of Fribourg
Seminar (taught three times)	2019 2015 2014	Democracy, past and present	History	University of Fribourg
Seminar	2014	Switzerland and colonialism	History	University of Fribourg
Basic course (taught three times)	2018 2015 2014	Theory and Methodology	History	University of Fribourg
Lecture Course With M. Mühlheim More than 100 students	2014	Class Struggle, colonialism, consumerism	History	University of Fribourg
Methodological Training	2013	Visual history	History	University of Fribourg
Seminar	2013	Migration, protest, change	History	University of Fribourg
Lecture Course With M. Mühlheim	2012	European history and its global contexts	Department of Humanities, Social and Political Sciences	ETH Zurich
Seminar With C. Bischoff and S. Kafehsy	2012	Basel as a border city	Cultural Studies and European Ethnology	University of Basel
Methodological Training	2011	Postcolonial perspectives of political theories	History	University of Basel
Seminar With D. Rudin	2010	Propaganda films	Cultural Studies and European Ethnology	University of Basel
Methodological Training With D. Rudin	2009	How to use images as historical sources	History	University of Basel
Seminar With J. Häberlein	2009	Gender and new migration regimes	Gender Studies	University of Basel

Various training courses at the Universities of Basel and Bern, for instance on research-based learning or education for sustainable development

## DOCTORAL PROGRAMME AND DOCTORATS

### PhD students

Surangika Jayarathne (ongoing), second supervisor; main supervisor Carolin Schurr

As a member of the steering committee, I have, together with Damir Skenderovic and Christina Späti, co-conceptualized a doctoral programme on the topic of migration and post-colonialism at the University of Fribourg. This programme enhanced transdisciplinary work (history, sociology, political science, religious studies, social anthropology, gender and cultural studies, as well as other disciplines) at the postgraduate level. In addressing important challenges to society and politics, it gave PhD students the opportunity to bridge different knowledge cultures, enhance intellectual exchange, and discuss current methodological and theoretical debates. From 2013 to 2019, around 50 PhD students have taken part in this programme. Due to my transfer to the University of Bern, I have not been on the steering committee since 2020. The programme ended in 2021.

## LANGUAGES

German (Native), Italian (Native), French (Alliance française: Diplôme des Hautes Etudes Françaises), English (University of Cambridge: Certificate of Proficiency), Spanish (Optional subject High School), Latin (Major High School)

## Funding

UniBE Initiator Grants	University of Bern	16,400 CHF	2022	PI
Funds for auxiliary assistant (2 personnel points)	Collegium Decanale, University of Bern	2,870 CHF	2022	PI
Funds for auxiliary assistant (1.4 personnel points)	Center for Global Studies University of Bern	2,000 CHF	2022	with A. Achermann, Y. Bürki, C. Fischer, S. Schilliger, S. Strasser and B. Sweers
120%-Care-Grant	Vice Rectorate Research of the University of Bern	13,776 CHF	2022	PI
Budget MIKO 2021/2022	Center for Global Studies University of Bern	5,500 CHF	2022	with A. Achermann, Y. Bürki, C. Fischer, S. Schilliger, S. Strasser and B. Sweers
Funds for auxiliary assistant	Collegium Decanale,	2,870 CHF	2022	PI

(2 personnel points)	University of Bern			
UniBE ID Grant 'Alternative Futures – Transformation pathways for a post-growth society'	Vice Rectorate Research of the University of Bern	92,500 CHF	2021	with C. Bader and S. Moser
Inspired teaching	Collegium Decanale, University of Bern	600 CHF	2021	PI
Funds for auxiliary assistant (2 personnel points)	Collegium Decanale, University of Bern	2,800 CHF	2021	PI
Funds for auxiliary assistant (2 personnel points)	Collegium Decanale, University of Bern	2,800 CHF	2020	PI
Adoption of children from Sri Lanka in the canton of St. Gallen (1973 to 2002) Analysis and reporting	Canton St. Gallen	Ca. 93,000 CHF	2021/ 2022	PI
Eduard-Adolf-Stein Prize	University of Bern	5,000 CHF	2020	PI
Inspired teaching	Collegium Decanale, University of Bern	1,000 CHF	2020	PI
Adoption of children from Sri Lanka in the canton of St. Gallen (1973 to 2002) Compilation of documents	Canton St. Gallen	40, 000 CHF	2020	PI
Cost Action <i>Women on the Move</i>	COST - European Cooperation in Science and Technology	Ca. 500,000 EUR	2020	Secondary proposer (with others) Main proposer: M. Ruiz
Funds for auxiliary assistant (2 personnel points)	Collegium Decanale, University of Bern	2,800 CHF	2019	PI
Conference <i>Stories of Success: Equality Measures of Universities in Dialogue</i>	Project Pool, University of Bern	5,000 CHF	2019	with V. Blaser, L. Bürgi, S. Hadorn, K. Hermann, M. Hugentobler, S. Matter, I. Schürch and M. Teubner



Research cooperation MIKO	Walter Benjamin Kolleg, University of Bern	3,000 CHF	2019	with A. Achermann, T. Bühler, Y. Bürki, C. Büschges, S. Strasser and B. Sweers
Open-access Publication of <i>Gender Innovation and Migration in Switzerland</i>	SNSF	9,500 CHF	2018	PI
Conference <i>Migration and Socio-Political Innovation</i>	Infoclio.ch	13,000 CHF	2018	PI
Advanced Postdoc. Mobility Fellowship with return phase	SNSF	95,000 CHF	2016 – 2017	PI
<i>Political Deportation</i> (teaching and student research assistant)	University of Fribourg Research Pool	11,000 CHF	2014	PI
International Workshop on <i>Colonialism without Colonies</i>	SNSF	6,600 CHF	2013	with P. Purtschert and B. Lüthi
Publication of <i>Economy of Images</i>	Eikones	3,500 EUR	2013	with E. Alloa
Publication of <i>Postcolonial Switzerland</i>	SNSF	10,200 EUR	2011	with P. Purtschert and B. Lüthi
Publication dissertation	Bonjour Foundation, Hamasil Foundation, Max Geldner Foundation, Dissertation Fund of the University of Basel	4,100 EUR	2010 – 2011	PI
Conference and publication <i>Images of Illegalized Immigration</i>	SNSF, University of Basel, Freiwillige akademische Gesellschaft	Ca. 15,000 CHF	2008 – 2010	with C. Bischoff and S. Kafeshy
Agpro Award	Agpro Foundation	1,000 EUR	2010	PI
Research grant	Janggen-Pöhn Foundation	Ca. 20,000 CHF	2008	PI

## EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 Podcasts produced with students for the exhibition ‘We Saisonners’ (New Museum Biel)
- 2020 ‘Italians’ remember the ‘Schwarzenbach Vote’ of 1970 (Münstergasse Library Bern, Swiss Social Archives Zurich and Archive for Women’s, Gender and Social History Eastern Switzerland St. Gallen), with students of the University of Bern and Cenk Akdoganbulut, Johannes Stieger, Kaspar Surber (cancelled due to corona)

## PERSONAL INVITATIONS

- 2023 MAS on Applied History, University of Zurich, with Kristina Schulz, Leo Lucassen, organized by Gianni D’Amato
- 2023 Presentation at the conference ‘Italian migration to Switzerland: historical perspectives and current trends’, University of Bern
- 2022 Input for ‘Women Professors and Lecturers Network Lunch’, University of Bern
- Invitation for a workshop on Oral History for the Graduate School Gender Studies, University of Bern (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Invitation for a presentation at the event ‘Joint Future’ organised by the Migration Office of the Reformed Churches Bern-Jura-Solothurn in Busswil (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Invitation for an event at the Photobastei Zürich in connection with the exhibition <http://www.unddannfinddaslebenan.ch>, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Invitation for a lecture by La Federazione delle Associazioni Femminili, Ticino (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Input for a retreat of the Federal Commission against Racism, Hotel Weissenstein (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Moderation of the ‘Gosteli Talks’ in French, University of Bern (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Invitation for the lecture series ‘Love’ of the University of applied Sciences and Arts Northwestern Switzerland (FHNW) in Olten (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Comment for the international conference ‘The Life Reform: New Issues and Perspectives’, University of Fribourg, online (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Lecture at the conference on ‘Foreigners in Custody’, organised by the expert group ‘Reform in the Penal System’ (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Lecture at the conference ‘Gazes from the World. Contemporary Italy in international Historiography’, University of Bologna (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Input presentation and panel participation for an event on postcolonial Switzerland, organised by FABIA together with the Integration Office of the City of Lucerne (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Comment for the Research Days ‘Migration Studies and Colonialism’ NCCR On the Move in Neuchâtel, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 2022 Panel discussion on the future of women's socio-political inclusion with Nazan Walpoth, Saadet Türkmen, Bern (cancelled due to covid)
- 2021 Vernissage ‘Handbuch Neue Schweiz’. Discussion on Civil rights struggles from the 1960s to the Black Lives Matter Movement, Kosmos Zurich (could not be accepted)
- 2021 Input for the event ‘Adventure of science, women and glaciers in Central Asia’, UNESCO cluster office Central Asia, online (could not be accepted)
- 2021 WOZ anniversary panel on the future of borders, Kaserne Basel (could not be accepted)
- 2021 Invitation as guest expert at the workshop ‘Critical Development, de-colonization and Post-colonialism’, Department of Geography at the University of Zürich (could not be accepted)

- 2021 Lucerne History Teachers' Association, 'Dealing with racism in history lessons', Cantonal School Lucerne Alpenquai (could not be accepted)
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- 2021 Further training for employees of the City of Zurich on the topic of migration and equality in Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2021 Participation in the panel discussion '(In)visible Presence? Collecting, indexing, archiving and valorising individual testimonies in the age of Corona', Bernisches Historisches Museum (could not be accepted)
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- 2021 Panel discussion on the history of civilian service in Switzerland organized by CIVIVA (Swiss Civilian Service Association), Zurich (could not be accepted)
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- 2021 Participation in a panel discussion on different ancient and modern examples of letter collections, Istituto Svizzero, Rome (could not be accepted)
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- 2021 Chair of the podium discussion, 'Established in Research? Migration and Postcoloniality in Switzerland', Schloss Münchenwiler (could not be accepted)
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- 2021 Input for the plenary session of the Federal Commission on Migration, Bern
- 
- 2021 Annual conference of the 'Family at the University' Association, podium discussion with Christina Caprez, Peter Kook, Stefan Schnyder, Isabelle Steffen-Stadelmann, University of Zurich
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- 2021 Panel discussion 'Unheard voices? 50 Years of Women's Suffrage in the Focus of Migration' with Serena O. Dankwa, Alba Chantico Ledesma, Hannan Salamat, Amira Hafner-Al Jabaji, Stadthaus Zurich, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lsN1wr7cimQ> (24.6.2021)
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- 2021 Lecture in the context of the exhibition 'Jenseits', Stellwerk Heerbrugg (could not be accepted)
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- 2021 Panel discussion Tour de Lorraine on continuities of anti-colonial resistance, with Izabel Barros, Jonas van Holanda, Noora Lamery, Vanessa Thompson (could not be accepted)
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- 2021 50 years of federal women's voting rights, lecture series University of Bern
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- 2021 Discussion at Kosmopolitics on the topic of [trauma of migration](#), with Catia Porri, Kaspar Surber, Kosmos Zurich, Switzerland
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- 2021 Panel discussion on the topic voting rights today and then, with Joachim Blatter and others, University of Lucerne, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2021 Online Workshop on online archiving, with Tim Zulauf, Mara Züst, Bea Schwager (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2021 Conference titled 'On the Social History of Persecution', chair of a panel, University of Bern, Switzerland
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- 2020 Roundtable at a digital conference organised by the Think Tank 'Gender und Diversity' (could not be accepted)
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- 2020 Comment for the 6<sup>th</sup> Day of the Junior Fellows, Walter Benjamin Kolleg at the University of Bern (could not be accepted)
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- 2020 Remembrance Assembly organised by Tim Zulauf, Paola de Martin and Rohit Jain, Zurich
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- 2020 Conference titled '50 years after Schwarzenbach', Italian Embassy in Bern
- 
- 2020 Lecturer for the study week 'School and Migration' at the Zurich University of Teacher Education (could not be accepted)
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- 2020 Expert for the 9<sup>th</sup> doctoral Conference of the Center for Migration Law (ZFM) and the Swiss Network of young Migration Scholars (could not be accepted)

- 2020 Lecture at the University of Neuchâtel as part of a BA course, invited by Kristina Schulz (could not be accepted)
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- 2020 Workshop titled 'The Minnesota School of Migration and Refugee Studies in Europe', University of Vienna (could not be accepted)
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- 2020 Discussion with Andreas Liebmann at the Kulturhaus Helferei, Zurich, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2020 Introduction for a discussion titled 'Foreigners: Work and Pay Taxes: Yes, Vote: No', New Helvetic Society Bern, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2020 Bibliotalk, library for equality in the Stadthaus Zurich
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- 2020 Conference titled 'On the Move. Migration in Antiquity', Monte Verità, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2020 Discussion with Rohit Jain, Rahel el Maawi, Serena O. Dankwa at the Dampfzentrale Bern (could not be accepted)
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- 2020 Invitation for a talk by the Ethnological Association Zurich, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2020 Podium discussion with Serena O. Dankwa, Tarek Naguib and Ruveni Wijesekera at the Theater Basel, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2019 Discussion at Kosmopolitics on the topic of the climate turnaround, Zurich
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- 2019 Input for a workshop organized by INES (Institute New Switzerland), Montezillon
- 
- 2019 Gender and Migration History Network's meeting at the Université de Picardie Jules Verne, France, organized by Marie Ruiz and Beatrice Zucca
- 
- 2019 Presentation at the University of Bern, Switzerland, for the programme 'Certificate of Advanced Studies in migration law'
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- 2019 Colloquium in History at the University of Lucerne, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2019 Panel discussion in Basel, Switzerland. Topic: Memory, migration and participation, with Christoph Keller, Mustafa Atici and Sabine Strasser
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- 2019 Two speeches at the women's strike in Bern, Switzerland (main programme on the central square in the evening and speech at the University of Bern)
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- 2019 Podium discussion at the Swiss Academies of Arts and Sciences in Bern, Switzerland. Topic: Women at University, with Astrid Epiney, Manuela Hugentobler, Angelika Kalt, Antonio Loprieno
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- 2019 Podium discussion at the University of Bern, Switzerland. Topic: Women's strike then and now, with Brigitte Studer, Silvia Schroer, Andi Geu
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- 2019 Chair with Pauline Milani, bilingual discussion on the women's strike of 1991, with Elisabeth Joris, Catrina Demund, Antoinette Charrière, Michèle Ranquancourt, Jacques Eschmann, Micheline Aebischer, Ancienne Gare Fribourg, Switzerland
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- 2019 Podium discussion on the film 'Agassizhorn', University of Zurich, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2019 Lecture at the Department of Educational Science at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2019 Lecture at the Museum Zollikon, Switzerland
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- 2019 Lecture in the seminar 'Colonialism, Capitalism, Modernity. Decolonizing Thinking and Knowledge', University of St. Gallen, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2019 Input at the Tour de Lorraine, Bern, Switzerland
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- 2018 Input at the 'Long Night of Education', University of Bern, Switzerland

- 2018 Conference titled ‘Mobilizing people with a migrant history for Swiss politics’, Bern, Switzerland
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- 2018 Research workshop, Master in Sociology, University of Geneva, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2018 Lecture at the event ‘Becoming Stone Ball’, Zurich, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2018 Discussions on intersectional engagement, Museum Helmhaus Zurich, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2018 Autumn Academy of the Academia Engelberg, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2018 Annual conference of the trade union Syna, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2018 Lecture of the day at the Theatre Festival Basel, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2018 Lecture and discussion at the Casa d’Italia, invited by Marche Mondiale des Femmes, Bern, Switzerland
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- 2018 Lecture and discussion at the University for Seniors in Schaffhausen, Switzerland
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- 2018 Lecture at the Centro Italiano in Appenzell, Switzerland
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- 2017 Comment at the workshop ‘Migration and the Production of Knowledge’, University and ETH Zurich, Switzerland
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- 2017 Lecture at the former armoury in Solothurn, Switzerland, together with Harald Fischer-Tiné and Bernhard Schär
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- 2017 Keynote at the Summer University of the Swiss Social Democratic Party at the Grand Hôtel in Chandolin, Switzerland
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- 2017 Lecture at the cultural programme of the Circus Chnopf in Zurich, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2017 Conference titled ‘Borders and Beyond: Reinventing Europe’, organized by the Istituto Svizzero in Rome, Italy, and the Institute for European Global Studies at the University of Basel, Switzerland
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- 2017 Podium discussion at the Swiss National Library, Switzerland, with Jakob Tanner, Stephan Scheuzger, Emanuel Tandler
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- 2017 Living Research Library on migration histories, organized by the Swiss Academy of Humanities and Social Sciences, PROGR Bern, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2017 Conference titled ‘History and its teaching in the digital age’, Historical Institute Piacenza, Italy (could not be accepted)
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- 2017 Discussion in Baden, Switzerland, with Florian Vock on Postcolonial Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2017 Conference titled ‘Political Migration to Switzerland in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century’, University of Reims, France (could not be accepted)
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- 2016 Talk at Rendez-vous, Swiss Radio and Television (could not be accepted)
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- 2016 Invitation for an event on racial profiling at the Grabenhalle St. Gallen, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2016 Keynote for a Conference in Olten, Switzerland, for the Swiss Agencies of Integration (KoFI) (could not be accepted)
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- 2016 Open Theory Lectures, Schedhalle Zurich, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2016 Lecture for a conference on migration history, Centre of Competence for Integration, City of Bern, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2016 Workshop at the Warburg Haus in Hamburg on the 150<sup>th</sup> birthday of Aby Warburg, organized by the University of Hamburg, Germany and the Leuphana University Lüneburg, Germany (could not be accepted)

- 2016 Lecture for a geopolitics course at the Centre for Geoinformation of the German Federal Armed Forces, Fürstentfeldbruck, Germany (could not be accepted)
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- 2016 Public annual conference of the Swiss Departments on Integration (with 100–120 participants), Solothurn, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2016 Conference titled ‘Moving Images, Mobile Subjects’, organized by Charles Heller and Cecilie Ullerup Schmidt, at the Rote Fabrik in Zurich, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2016 Panel discussion for the annual conference of the Basel Graduate School of History, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
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- 2016 Contribution for a colloquium with Jakob Tanner at NCCR On the Move in Neuchâtel, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2015 Comment on Francesco Garufo’s presentation on Images of Migration, University of Fribourg, Switzerland
- 
- 2015 Input together with Bernhard Schär, Halua Pinto de Magalhães, Fuat Köçer, Mohammed Wa Baile, and Rohit Jain, Centre of Competence on Integration, Bern, Switzerland
- 
- 2015 Event ‘Decolonize Bern’ with Pamela Ohene Nyako, Bernhard Schär, Philip Zölls, and Simon Goeke, Gaskessel Bern, Switzerland
- 
- 2015 Panel discussion for the workshop ‘Reclaiming African History’ with the historian Jacques Depelchin, University of Basel, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2015 The good years! An international conference on recent history 1980–2010, organized by David Gugerli and Jakob Tanner, Monte Verità, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2015 Conference on Postcolonial Perspectives for Political and Social Theory, organized by Ina Kerner, HU Berlin, Germany (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2014 Colloquium in Contemporary and Eastern European History at the University of Bern, Switzerland
- 
- 2014 Chair of a panel discussion on Italian Women in Post-war Switzerland, with Sarah Baumann, Marina Richter, Damir Skenderovic, Paola Gallo, University of Fribourg, Switzerland
- 
- 2014 Invitation for a panel at the conference titled ‘Visible or Invisible: The Design of International Organizations’, organized by the Institute of Art and Design, Geneva, Switzerland, in collaboration with the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2014 Presentation of the film ‘Siamo italiani’ and discussion, ETH Zurich, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2014 Colloquium on the different forms of legislation within the EU bearing on Human Smuggling, Vienna International Centre, Alliance for Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, Austria (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2014 Conference titled ‘Empty Space’ organized by Ulrike Jureit, Hamburg Institute for Social Research, Germany (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2014 International Exploratory Workshop, ‘Analysing Visual Representations of War’, University of Zurich, Department of History, in cooperation with the Basel Graduate School of History, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2013 Comment on the presentation ‘The Political Iconography of Federalism in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century’ by Elisabeth Haas, University of Fribourg, Switzerland
- 
- 2013 Chair of an event at the University of Basel, Switzerland, on the topic of ‘Freedom of Movement and Border Crossers’ (could not be accepted)

- 2013 Lecture series ‘Beyond Gender Borders’, University of Hamburg, Germany (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2013 Discussion at ‘Black/White — The Series in Grey Tones and Many Colours’, Radio X, Basel Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2013 Discussion with Kaspar Surber on asylum, St. Gallen, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2013 Panel discussion on Richard Wagner and Antisemitism, Schedhalle Zurich, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2013 Lecture at the Y Institute, Bern University of the Arts, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2012 Lecture on ‘Postcolonial Switzerland: An Introduction’, with Patricia Purtschert, Palace St. Gallen, Switzerland
- 
- 2012 Interdisciplinary public lecture series, ‘Innovative Processes and Creative Imperatives’, University of Applied Arts Luzern, Switzerland
- 
- 2012 Lecture to students in the Master of Advanced Studies in Applied History, University of Zurich, Switzerland
- 
- 2012 Discussion with the Syrian activist Shadi Alshhadeh and the Hungarian-Syrian artist Roza El-Hassan on Radio Desire, organized by Sarah Bernauer, Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2012 Panel discussion on the theme of asylum with Christoph Brutschin, Michel Meier, Almut Rembges, Stefan Schlegel, Urs Buess, Swiss Red Cross Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2012 Contribution to a workshop organized by Annette Amberg School of Art and Design, Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2012 Workshop organized by Veronika Sellier and Katharina Pühl in L’arc, Romainmôtier, Switzerland
- 
- 2012 Discussion at the Finkenschlag Theater, Freiburg im Breisgau, Germany
- 
- 2012 Presentation on the series ‘A Nomadic Lecture Series of the Autonomous School’, Theatre at the Gessnerallee Zurich, Switzerland
- 
- 2012 Book presentation ‘*Eine gestische Geschichte der Grenze*’ in Rheineck, Switzerland, with Ruth Erat
- 
- 2012 Lecture at a conference of the Institute for Advanced Study in the Humanities, Essen, Germany
- 
- 2012 Contribution on the topic ‘Teaching Art in a Migrant Society’, Zurich University of the Arts, Switzerland
- 
- 2012 Invitation by Andrew Walton, assistant professor in political theories, University of St. Gallen, Switzerland (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2012 Presentation at the colloquium of the work group on social movements, Berlin Social Science Centre, Germany (could not be accepted)
- 
- 2011 Colloquium History of the Modern World, ETH Zurich, Switzerland
- 
- 2011 Discussion with Anna Schmid, Almut Rembges and Valerian Maly at the City Gallery in Bern, Switzerland
- 
- 2011 Colloquium by Francis Cheneval and Urs Marti in political philosophy, University of Zurich, Switzerland
- 
- 2011 Chair of a panel at the conference ‘Reframing Gender, Reframing Critique’, organized by the Swiss Gender Studies Network, University of Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2011 Input and discussion on ‘Women’s Images — Women’s Rights’, a joint production of Swiss Radio and Television as well as Memoriav in the Schloss Cinéma in Wädenswil, Switzerland

- 2011 Lecture in Tim Raeymaekers's seminar in Political Geography, University of Zurich, Switzerland
- 
- 2010 Contribution at an event at the Palace St. Gallen, Switzerland, with Katrin Meyer, Micha Lewinsky, and Dorothee Elmiger, among others
- 
- 2010 Moderation of the Memoriav Colloquium 'Audio-visual Media as Object of Research and as Historical Source', with Jakob Tanner, Margrit Tröhler, Anton Rey, Valentin Groebner, and Esther Baur, Zurich University of the Arts, Switzerland
- 
- 2010 Lecture at the conference titled 'The Contentious Face of European Politics' with Helena Flam and Daniel Schönplugg, among others, Free University Berlin, Germany
- 
- 2009 Contribution to a lecture series (with Corina Caduff, Christoph Menke, Michael Hagner, among others), Zurich University of the Arts, Switzerland
- 
- 2009 Panel discussion on 20 years of women's suffrage in Appenzell Ausserrhoden, a joint production of the Swiss Radio and Television and Memoriav in the Kino Herisau, Switzerland
- 
- 2008 Lecture at a conference organized by the Institute for Advanced Study in the Humanities, Essen, Germany and the Ludwig Boltzmann Institute in Vienna, Austria
- 
- 2008 Colloquium on Pre-Modern History at the Historical Seminar of the University of Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2007 Lecture at the conference titled 'Borders — The Problem and Usefulness of a Concept for the Cultural History of Antiquity', University of Basel, Switzerland

#### **PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS AND COLLOQUIA<sup>1</sup>**

- 2022 Presentation and discussion of our report 'Adoptions of children from Sri Lanka in the Canton of St. Gallen 1973-2002', together with Danielle Berthet at the Research Colloquium on History after 1800, Historical Institute at the University of Bern, Switzerland
- 
- 2022 Presentation at the conference 'XXIII International Committee of Historical Sciences Congress' in Poznan, Poland. Title of the Panel: 'Migration and Socio-political Innovation. Comparing Historical Case Studies'
- 
- 2022 Chair at the project day of the research cooperation MIKO, University of Bern, Switzerland
- 
- 2022 Presentation at the '6<sup>th</sup> Swiss History Days', University of Geneva. Title: 'Denaturalise paid work'
- 
- 2022 Presentation and discussion of our report 'Adoptions of children from Sri Lanka in the Canton of St. Gallen 1973-2002', together with Danielle Berthet and representatives of the Department of Home Affairs and the Department of Justice of the Canton of St. Gallen as well as the adoptee organisation 'Back to the Roots', St. Gallen, Switzerland
- 
- 2021 Panel Chair at the Conference of the Swiss Association for Gender Studies 'Women's Suffrage and Democracy: Critique, Memory, Visions', Title of our Panel: 'Comment voulons-nous commémorer 1971? Bilan et perspectives /Wie möchten wir uns an 1971 erinnern? Bestandsaufnahme und Perspektiven' University of Zurich, Switzerland
- 
- 2019 Presentation at the workshop 'Mediating the Ecological Imperative: Formats and Modes of Engagement', University of Bern, Switzerland

<sup>1</sup> If I have been personally invited as a participant or chair to attend a conference or a workshop, the event will be listed under 'personal invitations'.



- 2019 Presentation at the ‘5<sup>th</sup> Swiss History Days’, University of Zurich. Title: ‘Gender Innovation and Migration in Switzerland’
- 
- 2018 Introduction for the conference titled ‘Migration and Socio-Political Innovation’, University of Fribourg, Switzerland
- 
- 2018 Presentation at the conference, ‘Bitter vegetables. Working and Living Conditions of Migrants in Swiss agriculture’ Bollwerk Bern, Switzerland. Title: ‘Irregular Italian Immigration and the Role of the Swiss Farmers’ Associations (1945-1965)’
- 
- 2016 Panel comment at the ‘4<sup>th</sup> Swiss History Days’, University of Lausanne. Title of the Panel: ‘Rethinking Migration: Swiss Migration in the 20th Century from a Postcolonial Perspective’
- 
- 2014 Presentation at the ‘Fribourg Forum for Contemporary History’, Switzerland. Title: ‘When the Banished Arrived’
- 
- 2012 Presentation at the conference ‘Picturing Protests, Reflecting Revolutions’, Zurich, Switzerland. Title: ‘How do Demonstrations as a Form of Protest Spread? What Role Do Pictures Play in this Process?’
- 
- 2011 Presentation at the workshop ‘Empirical Studies in Cultural Anthropology: Current Discussions about Methods’, Seminar for Cultural Studies and European Ethnology at the University of Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2011 Contribution at the workshop ‘Perspectives on Doctoral Studies in the Historical Sciences’, Swiss Society for History, National Library, Switzerland
- 
- 2011 Presentation at the conference ‘Europeanization of Exclusion Policies and Practices’, University of Neuchâtel, Switzerland. Title: ‘Symbolic and Historical Dimensions of Exclusion Policies and Practices’
- 
- 2011 Presentation at the ‘Third European Congress on World and Global History’, LSE London, UK. Title: ‘Illegalized Immigration and Colonial Constellations in Switzerland’
- 
- 2010 Presentation at the ‘Annual conference of the Social Science History Association’, Chicago, US. Title: ‘Deportation: Sovereignty, Discipline and Governmentality in Interaction’
- 
- 2010 Presentation at the ITH–Research Colloquium, Zurich University of the Arts, Switzerland
- 
- 2010 Presentation at the workshop ‘Approaches and Methods for Researching Political Ideas’, University of Hamburg, Germany. Title: ‘Thomas Hobbes’ Horror Vacui und John Locke’s Empty Land’
- 
- 2010 Presentation at the conference ‘Demonstrations of Power’, Academy of Art, Dusseldorf, Germany. Title: ‘The Women’s March on Versailles as the World’s First Demonstration?’
- 
- 2010 Presentation at the ‘2<sup>nd</sup> Swiss History Day’, University of Basel, Switzerland, Title: ‘Beak Masks: Sanitation, Sovereignty, Selection’
- 
- 2009 Presentation at the conference ‘Looking for Asylum’, Kreisky Archive and University of Vienna, Austria. Title: ‘Migration, Military, Medicine: Boat people and Europe’s Border’
- 
- 2009 Presentation at the conference ‘33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference of the German Studies Association’ in Washington, US. Title: ‘A Short History of the “Ausschaffungslager”’: Postcolonial Perspectives’
- 
- 2009 Presentation at the conference ‘Images of Illegalized Immigration’, University of Basel, Switzerland. Title: ‘Invasion, Infection, Invisibility. An Iconology of Illegalized Immigration’

- 2008 'Presentation at the conference 'Body and medium, a cooperation between Eikones and the School of Design Karlsruhe', University of Basel, Switzerland. Title: 'The image of the body politic'
- 
- 2008 Panel Swiss Study Foundation for outstanding students at the Conference 'The University in our Times', Monte Verità, Switzerland
- 
- 2008 Presentation at the conference 'Images of Power – The Power of Images', University of Basel, Switzerland. Title: 'The Leviathan and the beaked masks that have fallen out of the picture'
- 
- 2007 Presentation at the conference 'New World Cartographies: Mapping America', organized by the University of Oxford, UK and the American Museum in Britain, UK. Title: 'Carleton Watkins: Photography as Cartography'
- 
- 2007 Presentation at the conference 'Borders and Boundaries', Monte Verità, Switzerland. Title: 'Border contingency and the tendency towards border transparency'
- 
- 2006 Presentation at the conference 'Mapping Globalization', Universität Mannheim, Germany. Title: 'From the border wiper to the evidence of the border'

#### ACTIVE PARTICIPATION IN OTHER EVENTS

- 2022 Book launch '*Schwarzenbacheffekt*', PROGR Bern, Switzerland
- 
- 2021 MC and Working Group Meeting Cost Action 'Women on the Move', hybrid event (in presence in Budapest and online)
- 
- 2012 Book launch '*Postkoloniale Schweiz*', Klio Bookstore Zurich, Switzerland
- 
- 2011 Book launch '*Eine gestische Geschichte der Grenze*', Anne-Marie Pfister Bookshop Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2010 Moderation, together with Dominique Rudin, of 'Propaganda! Students present insights into Swiss political filmmaking' at the Stadtkino Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2010 Presentation at the lecture series titled 'Zones of Contact and Spaces of Projection' at the Centre for Cultural Topography, University of Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2010 Chair of the discussion on 'How we imagine higher education in the 21<sup>st</sup> century', University of Zurich, Switzerland

#### CONFERENCES, EVENTS AND PANELS CO-ORGANIZED

- 2022 Panel for the XXIII International Committee of Historical Sciences Congress together with infoclio.ch, Title: 'Migration and Socio-Political Innovation. Comparing Historical Case Studies', in Poznan, Poland, with Anna Badino, João De Athayde, Francesca Falk, Gunlög Fur
- 
- 2022 Panel discussion for the 6<sup>th</sup> Swiss History Days on the social perception of the study of history, career prospects and positioning strategies of the discipline
- 
- 2022 Panel for the 6<sup>th</sup> Swiss History Days with Christof Mauch and Leander Diener, University of Geneva, Switzerland. Title: 'The historian in the climate turnaround'
- 
- 2022 Project day of the research cooperation MIKO, University of Bern, Switzerland
- 
- 2022 MOVE: Cultural encounters in music, art and literature, Centre for Global Studies (CGS) Forum, organized together with Yvette Bürki, Julia Eckert, Jonas Frey, Lea Hagmann, Mirko Novak, Annick Payne, Nadia Radwan, Susanne Rutishauser, Carmen Scheide, Sabine Strasser, Britta Sweers, PROGR Bern
- 
- 2022 Film screening of 'Une histoire à soi' (Amandine Gay) together with the history student council, University of Bern, Switzerland

- 2021 Studying in pandemic times – difficulties and possibilities for action, an online event organized jointly with the history student council, University of Bern, Switzerland
- 
- 2020 Project day of the research cooperation MIKO, University of Bern, Switzerland
- 
- 2020 When votes and their consequences ‘traumatise’ and politicise people. A digital debate with Melinda Nadj Abonji, Mohamed Wa Baile, Arber Bullakaj, Francesca Falk, Kaspar Surber, University of Bern, Switzerland
- 
- 2020 Conference and podium discussion at the University of Bern, Switzerland. Topic: The ‘Schwarzenbach’ Vote of 1970, with Kaspar Surber, Concetto Vecchio, Marina Frigerio and various Swiss archives and other institutions (cancelled due to corona)
- 
- 2020 Workshop and podium discussion at the University of Bern, Switzerland. Topic: Stories of Success: Equality Measures of Universities in Dialogue, with Christian Leumann (rector of the University of Bern), Eva Demerouti, Caroline Frey, Britta Lundström, Sabine Bieri, Francesca Falk (cancelled due to corona)
- 
- 2019 Podium discussion at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland. Topic: The Academic Manifesto for the Feminist Strike, with Sarah Baumann, Astrid Epiney (rector of the University of Fribourg), Pascal Gygax, Pauline Milani
- 
- 2019 Co-organizer of the conference ‘Historical Sciences and Gender Justice’, Swiss Society for History, with Bernard Andenmatten, Lucas Burkart, Julia Cahenzli, Francesca Falk, Lina Gafner, Alix Heiniger, Sabine Kradolfer, Julia Richers, Simon Teuscher, Regina Wecker, National Library, Switzerland
- 
- 2019 Panel for the 5<sup>th</sup> Swiss History Days with Barbara Lüth. Title: ‘How is the connection between wealth, work and migration in Switzerland addressed in recent publications and projects?’ With Damir Skenderovic and Moritz Mähr, University of Zurich, Switzerland
- 
- 2019 Keynote from Iman Attia and a workshop at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland, with Damir Skendorovic and Linda Ratschiller
- 
- 2019 Annual conference of the doctoral programme ‘Migration and Postcolonialism’ at the Münchenwiler Castle, Switzerland, with Damir Skendorovic, Christina Späti, and Linda Ratschiller
- 
- 2018 Annual conference of the doctoral programme of ‘Migration and Postcolonialism’ at the Centre Loewenberg, Murten, Switzerland, with Damir Skendorovic, and Linda Ratschiller
- 
- 2018 Conference titled ‘Migration and Socio-Political Innovation’ at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland, together with infoclio.ch
- 
- 2017 Annual conference of the doctoral programme ‘Migration and Postcolonialism’ at Münchenwiler Castle, Switzerland, with Damir Skendorovic, Christina Späti, and Linda Ratschiller
- 
- 2017 Keynote from Matthias Middell and a workshop at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland, with Linda Ratschiller
- 
- 2015 Annual conference of the doctoral programme ‘Migration and Postcolonialism’ at the Centre Loewenberg, Murten, Switzerland, with Damir Skendorovic, Christina Späti, and Linda Ratschiller
- 
- 2015 Keynote from Saskia Sassen and a workshop at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland, with Damir Skendorovic, Christina Späti, and Linda Ratschiller
- 
- 2015 Panel kritnet-conference with Rohit Jain, Kijan Espahangizi, Juliane Karakayali, Vassilis Tsianos, Nikita Dhawan, Sandro Mezzadra, Patricia Purtschert, Zurich, Switzerland

- 2014 Annual conference of the doctoral programme ‘Migration and Postcolonialism’ at the Centre Loewenberg, Murten, Switzerland, with Damir Skendorovic, Christina Späti, Linda Ratschiller
- 
- 2013 International workshop titled ‘Colonialism without Colonies’, with Patricia Purtschert and Barbara Lüthi, ETH Zurich, Switzerland
- 
- 2012 Co-organizer of the conference titled ‘Publishing in the Historical Sciences’, Swiss Society for History, National Library, Switzerland
- 
- 2012 Conference titled ‘Picturing Protests, Reflecting Revolutions’, jointly held by the University of Zurich, the ETH, and the Zurich University of the Arts, Switzerland, with Sarah Farag and Florian Kappeler
- 
- 2011 Co-organizer of the workshop titled ‘Perspectives on Doctoral Studies in the Historical Sciences’, Swiss Society for History, National Library, Switzerland
- 
- 2011 Conference titled ‘Revolt, Surprise Attack, Demonstration’ at Zurich University of the Arts, Switzerland, with Roberto Nigro and Gabriel Hürlimann
- 
- 2010 Conference titled ‘Demonstrations of Power’ at the Academy of Art Dusseldorf, Germany, with Ludger Schwarte, Roberto Nigro, and Gabriel Hürlimann
- 
- 2010 Member of the organizing committee of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Swiss History Days (more than 700 participants)
- 
- 2010 Responsible, with Luís Salgado, for the Panel ‘Border Hygiene’ at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Swiss History Days with Silvia Berger, Matthias Hirt, Patrick Kury, Luise Müller, Lucas Burkard, Philipp Sarasin
- 
- 2009 ‘Images of Illegalized Immigration’, with Christine Bischoff and Sylvia Kafehsy, University of Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2009 ‘Image, Economy’, together with Sylwia Chomentowska, with Alexander Nützenadel, Urs Stäheli, and Philip Ursprung, among others, University of Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2008 Organization of the conference titled ‘Iconotopoi: Current Academic Practices in the Study of Images’, with Tamar Tembeck, McGill University, Montreal, Canada
- 
- 2008 Lecture series titled ‘Image, Economy’, together with Emmanuel Alloa and Sylwia Chomentowska, with Giorgio Agamben, Chantal Mouffe, Marie-José Mondzain, Achatz von Müller, Jakob Tanner, Matthias Bruhn, Aleida Assmann, Georg Franck, among others, University of Basel, Switzerland
- 
- 2007 Lecture series titled ‘Image, Violence’, together with Mladen Gladić, with Oliver Marchart, Cornelia Vismann, Dirk Setton, Valentin Groebner, Olivier Razac, Tom Holert, University of Basel, Switzerland

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**Kurz-Nachrichten**, <https://www.gertrudkurz.ch/kurznachrichten/>, November 2011

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**Le Courrier**, reprint of the article published in *Horizonte*, 3/2019,

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