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Curriculum vitae

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Theory and practice of judicial decision making, empirical legal methods, international courts, Court of Justice of the European Union

POSITIONS

2016 Appointed associate professor, Faculty of Law, Copenhagen

2013 – 2016 Assistant professor, Faculty of Law, Copenhagen

EDUCATION

PhD, Faculty of Law, University of Copenhagen

PhD thesis: *The European palimpsest: justificatory practices and precedent construction at the Court of Justice of the EU* (defended in November 2012)

Master of Laws (Postgraduate degree), Faculty of Law, University of Ljubljana

Master of European Legal Studies (LL.M.), College of Europe, Bruges

Bachelor of Law, Summa cum laude (BA), Faculty of Law, University of Ljubljana

AFFILIATIONS

2015 Grotius Visiting Research Scholar, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

2011 Visiting scholar, Institute of European and Comparative Law, University of Oxford, Oxford

2009 Visiting scholar, Centre of European Law, King's College, London

PUBLICATIONS

Articles and chapters

- *Theorizing General Principles of EU Law in Perspective: High Expectations, Modest Means, and The Court of Justice* (forthcoming in *European and Comparative Perspectives*, ed. Stefan Vogenauer, Stephen Weatherill, Hart Publishing, 2017, with Joxerramon Bengoetxea)
- *Selecting the Cases that Defined Europe: Complementary Metrics for Network Analysis* (forthcoming in the proceedings of The 2016 IEEE/ACM International Conference on Advances in Social Networks Analysis and Mining (ASONAM), San Francisco, 2016, with Fabien Tarissan and Yannis Panagis)
- *“Effectiveness” Patterns in the Case Law of the CJEU and the ECtHR: The Impact of Neoliberal Discourse on European Law* (forthcoming in *International Journal for Language and Law*, 2016, with Anne Lise Kjær and Yannis Panagis)
- *The (Elusive) Influence of the Advocate General on the Court of Justice of the EU* (forthcoming in the *Yearbook of European Law*, 2016, with Suvi Sankari)
- *Sovereignty in Post-Sovereign Society, A Systems Theory of European Constitutionalism*, Jiří Přibáň (book review, (2016) 53 *Common Market Law Review* 841)
- *A ‘Selfie’ from Luxembourg: The Court of Justice and the Fabrication of Pre-Accession Case-Law Dossiers* ((2016) 22 *Columbia Journal of European Law* 327, with Mikael Rask Madsen)
- *Did the Financial Crisis Change European Citizenship Law? An Analysis of Citizenship Rights Adjudication Before and After the Financial Crisis* ((2016) 22 *European Law Journal* 40, with Mikael Rask Madsen)

- *The Force of EU Case Law: An Empirical Study of Precedential Constraint* (JURIX proceedings, The Foundation for Legal Knowledge Based Systems, 2015, with Yannis Panagis)
- *What is a Leading Case in European Union Law: An Empirical Analysis* ((2015) 40 *European Law Review* 15, with Yannis Panagis)
- *The Role of Effet Utile in Preserving the Continuity and Authority of European Union Law: Evidence from the Citation Web of the Pre-accession Case Law of the Court of Justice of the EU* ((2015) 8 *European Journal of Legal Studies* 19)
- *National courts and the effectiveness of EU law*, in *National Courts and EU Law: New Issues, Theories and Methods* (Bruno De Witte et al (ed.), Edward Elgar Publishing 2015)
- *European Interpretive Enterprise*, in *Rettens magt - Magtens ret* (Helle Krunke (ed.) DJØF 2014)
- *Precedent in the Sui Generis Legal Order: A Mine Run Approach* ((2014) 20 *European Law Journal* 544, with Sigrid Hink)
- *Case - Case-Law - Law : Ruiz Zambrano as an Illustration of how the Court of Justice of the European Union Constructs its Legal Arguments* ((2013) 9 *European Constitutional Law Review* 205)

Working papers and Research in progress

- *Depreciation of Precedent in EU Law*, with Fabien Tarissan
- *Do International Courts Make Law in Small Steps? The Case of the European Court of Justice*
- *The Preliminaries of a Reference*, with Graham Butler
- *The Court's New Approach to the Rights of Economically Inactive EU Citizens*, with Suvi Sankari
- *Can Quantitative Methods Complement Doctrinal Legal Studies? Using Citation Network and Corpus Linguistic Analysis to Understand International Courts*, with Henrik Palmer Olsen (*Leiden Journal of International Law*, revised and resubmitted in June, 2016)
- *The Force of EU Case-Law: An Empirical Study of Precedential Constraint*, with Yannis Panagis (iCourts Working Paper 68/2016)
- *Counting on International Courts*, with Henrik Palmer Olsen (iCourts Working Paper 8/2014)

International conferences, workshop presentations, and invited talks

- *Do International Courts Make Law in Small Steps?*(Seminar at the 11th session of the Brandeis Institute for International Judges, *The Authority of International Courts and Tribunals: Challenges and Prospects*, Copenhagen, June 2016)
- *Do International Courts Make Law in Small Steps? The Case of the European Court of Justice* (First Conference on Empirical Legal Studies in Europe (CELSE Amsterdam, June 2016)
- *A New and Restrictive Approach to EU Citizenship Rights: The Perspective of the Advocates General* (The Judicial Deconstruction of Union Citizenship / The Limits of Free Movement & Solidarity in the EU, University of Konstanz (Konstanz, April 2016)
- *No Case is an Island, Entire of Itself: The Judicial Construction of EU Law*, with Amalie Frese, selected for the presentation at ESIL Research Forum (Istanbul, April 2016)
- *The Force of EU Case-Law: An Empirical Study of Precedential Constraint*, with Yannis Panagis, First Society for Empirical Legal Scholars Global Workshop for Junior Empirical-Legal Scholars, Jerusalem, December 2015
- *No Strings Attached: Precedent in EU Law*, with Yannis Panagis, Precedent in EU Law: The Linguistic Aspect, workshop organized in conjunction with the Irish Centre for European Law (Dublin, December 2015)
- Moderator and discussant of Session *General Principles of European Union Law* for the *Conference General Principles of Law: European and Comparative Perspectives, Celebrating 20 Years of the Institute of European and Comparative Law* (Oxford, September 2015)
- *Making EU (Case)Law: Evidence From a Paragraph-to-Paragraph Network on the Cases Concerning the Citizenship of the European Union*, with Yannis Panagis, First Workshop on Law and Big Data: Empirical and Data-Centric Techniques for Legal, Judicial, and Administrative Systems – In Conjunction with the Fifteenth International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Law (ICAAIL San Diego, June 2015)
- *The Court, the Crisis, and the Citizenship of the Union*, with Mikael Rask Madsen, A workshop on The impacts of the economic crisis on the European system of human rights, University of Strasbourg (Strasbourg, June 2015)

- *Judicial Incrementalism and Supranational Judicial Authority*, presented at ESIL Annual Conference, The Judicialization of International Law – A Mixed Blessing? (Oslo, September 2015)
- *Becoming European: (Legally): Unpacking the Self-Portrait of the EU Legal Order in the Pre-Accession Case-Law Dossiers*, with Mikael Rask Madsen, 9th Annual Conference of Empirical Legal Studies (Berkeley, November 2014)
- *Becoming European: (Legally): Unpacking the Self-Portrait of the EU Legal Order in the Pre-Accession Case-Law Dossiers*, with Mikael Rask Madsen, ASIL midyear research forum (Chicago, November 2014)
- *Counting on International Courts*, with Henrik Palmer Olsen, ASIL midyear research forum (Chicago, November 2014)
- *Reinventing The Founding Myths of Europe: The Continuous Relevance of the Constitutional Milestones of the EU Legal Order; EURECO Distinguished Lecture Series, Copenhagen (September 2014)*
- *Unpacking the Self-Portrait of the EU Legal Order in the Pre-Accession Case-Law Dossiers; The CJEU, Law and the Economy, International Workshop, Helsinki (September 2014)*
- *Fragments of a Judge-Made Constitution: A Network Based Analysis of Constitutional Change in the EU; The Centre of Excellence in Foundations of European Law and Polity 5th Annual Conference; Helsinki (September 2013)*
- *Law Via Case-Law: Is effectiveness a Law-Making Argument of the Court of Justice of the European Union?; European case-law methods in action; Copenhagen (April 2013)*
- *European Citizenship and Identity: a Seamless Web?; EU Enlargement: Identities, Values and Market; Jean Monnet Chair of European Public Law; Dubrovnik, Croatia (April 2012)*
- *A Theory of Adjudication for the Sui Generis Legal Order: A Mine Run Approach, Constitutionalization in Question: revisiting the Foundational Logics of European Integration by Law; Copenhagen (December 2011)*
- *Sturm und Drang in the Legal Reasoning of the European Court of Justice – Making a Case for Citizenship, EURECO International Conference: Europe in the World – Challenges and Dynamics; Copenhagen (September 2010)*
- *Comparing precedent*, International Graduate Conference, King’s College, London (April 2010)

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

Member of the Slovenian Bar Association (Ministry of Justice, Slovenia)

Member of the European Society for International Law

LANGUAGES

Slovene (mother tongue); English, Danish, German, Croatian (all fluent), French (good command)

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

2016 Grant to organize a series of workshops and establish a network of legal empirical studies (NoLesLaw), awarded by The Swedish Research Council for Independent Research

2013 *Sapere Aude* – research talent award by Danish Research Council for Independent Research

2013 Individual research grant, awarded by the Danish Research Council for Independent Research

2009 PhD Scholarship, The Danish Ministry for Science and Education, Faculty of Law, Copenhagen

RESPONSABILITIES / EVENTS

2016 – Constitutional pluralism, the European way: Dead or alive? (International seminar, iCourts Centre of Excellence, Copenhagen (convener)

2016 – The practice of interpretation of European courts: International workshop, iCourts Centre of Excellence, Copenhagen (convener)

2014 – Co-Editor of iCourts Working Paper series

2014 – Convener of Science Lab, the iCourts work in progress research seminar

2013 – 2014 Responsible for the organization of iCourts lunch seminar series and guest lectures

2013 European case-law methods in action: International workshop, iCourts Centre of Excellence, Copenhagen (convener, with Anne Lise Kjær)

2011 – 2012 Work in the PhD committee, Faculty of Law, Copenhagen

2010 Law and politics after Lisbon: International post-graduate conference, Faculty of Law Copenhagen (organizer)

TEACHING

Advanced EU constitutional law (MA level), Advanced EU constitutional law – essay class (MA level), EU litigation practice (BA level, Fall 2015), Empirical research methods in law (PhD course with individual feedback on PhD projects, convener, Fall 2015), supervision of BA and MA projects in EU law (general), and European Constitutional Law.