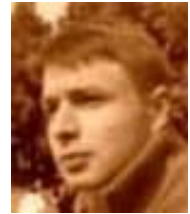


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### Education

September 2005 – December 2009	Ph.D. summa cum laude in Comparative History of Central, Southeastern and Eastern Europe at Central European University, Budapest. Thesis title: “Historians as Expert Witnesses in the Age of Extremes”
October 2003 – June 2006	M.Phil. in General Contemporary History at History Department of Faculty of Philosophy, Belgrade University. Thesis title: “The Creation of Yugoslav Middle Eastern Policy 1946-1956”
September 2004 - June 2005	M.A. in Central European History at History Department of Central European University, Budapest. (Rank/Class Size: 1/30) Thesis title: “Clio Takes the Stand: Historical Narratives in the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia” (Thesis awarded with a Hanak Prize for Outstanding MA Thesis)
September 1998 – May 2003	B.A. (Hons) in General Contemporary History at the Faculty of Philosophy, Belgrade University. GPA 9.55 (on a 6 to 10 scale). Title: “Pomp&Circumstances. Tito’s Visit to Great Britain 1953”
September 2001 – July 2002	Core Program of Advanced Interdisciplinary Undergraduate Studies at Belgrade Open School

### Professional Experience

December 2011 -	Postdoctoral researcher at NIOD Institute, Amsterdam
May 2003 -	Research associate, Institute for Contemporary History, Belgrade
August 2010 – July 2011	Analyst in the Serbian War Crimes Prosecutor’s Office
August 2008 – August 2010	Visiting Lecturer at the Legal Studies Department of the Central European University, Course title: “History as Context”
November 2006 – January 2010	Guest lecturer at Belgrade Open School
September 2007 – July 2008	Research internship at the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia and Serbian War Crimes Prosecutor’s Office
September 2006 – January 2009	Director of the Centre for Critical Thinking, Belgrade
October 2003 – October 2005	Teaching assistant at Belgrade Open School

## Professional Interests

- Historical narratives in contemporary international criminal law,
- Nonalignment and Cold War
- Globalization and Transitional Justice
- German Interwar History, Nazism and Communism

## Current Project Engagement

- *Transitional Justice Program*, NIOD Institute, Amsterdam
- *Ethnic Cleansing in the Balkans*, Centre for Critical Thinking
- *Serbia between Dictatorship and Democracy*, Institute for Contemporary History, Belgrade

## Professional Memberships

- Member of the *Association of Researchers in Humanities and Social Sciences of Serbia*
- Member of the Board of Directors of Humanitarian Law Center, Belgrade
- Member of the *Association of Historians "Stojan Novaković"*, Serbia
- Member of *International Network of Young Scientists dealing with Ethnic Reconciliation in the Western Balkans*
- Member of the *Atelier de Recherches Internationales*, Belgrade
- Member of the *Working Group on History of Racial Sciences and Biomedicine in Central and Southeast Europe*
- Member of the editorial board of journal *Forum for Transitional Justice*, published by Humanitarian Law Centre
- Member of the editorial board of journal *Hereticus*, published by Centre for Advancement of Legal Studies
- Member of the *Blue Bird Committee*
- Member of the National Committee of the Union of European Federalists in Serbia

## Lecturing Activities 2006-2010

- Central European University, Department of Legal Studies (LLM course entitled *History as Context*)
- Belgrade Open School (1. Europe is Integrating 1938-1956, 2. The Weimar Republic of Serbia, 3. The Importance of Opening the Archives, 4. USA and the European Postcolonialism)
- USA Embassy in Serbia (1. Tito, Stalin and the Yugoslav postwar foreign policy, 2. Patterns of Violence in the Balkans)
- Petnica Research Centre (1. The Counting of the Victims of the IIWW between Science and Politics, 2. The Ethnopolitics of Death)
- Research Institutes (1. Historians and Social Scientist as Expert Witnesses in the ICTY, 2. Concept of Dealing with the Past)
- Lecture series *History that matters*, USA Embassy in Serbia

## Organizational Experience 2010-11

- Coordination of the team of Serbian War Crimes Prosecutor over the role of media in incitement to commit war crimes (2011)
- Coordination of filling parts of Serbian EU Questionnaire (2011)
- Creation and coordination of major interactive educational project of Humanitarian Law Center displaying material dedicated to *The End of Yugoslavia* (2011)
- Coordination of the team working on documenting Yugoslav victims of Nazi medical experiments (2010)
- Creation and organization of movement Citizens' Block, currently merged with the Serbian Green Party (2010)
- Creation, organization and execution of school on Paths of overcoming the authoritarian past, Belgrade (2010)

## Publications

(in Serbian, otherwise noted):

### Monographs

- *Personal Diplomacy of Josip Broz Tito* (2010)
- *Gaining the Trust through Facing the Past* (2009 in English)
- *Yugoslavia Steps on the Middle East* (2006)

### Edited volumes

- *From Peace to War. Documents of the Yugoslav Presidency* (2011)
- *Serbian Political Elites and Vance-Owen Plan I-II* (2010/2011)
- *Slobodan Milosevic: Road to Power* (coed. 2008 in English)
- *Repression in Yugoslav Society* (coed. 2007)
- *Aspects of Globalization* (coed. 2003)

### Chapters in books

- *European identity and religions in the Balkans*, in : Milan Sitarski, *Awaiting the European Union*, Beograd 2011, 145-159
- *Havana 1979*, in: *Perspectives on Tito*, Beograd 2010, 412-40.
- *Les historiens comme témoins experts au Tribunal Pénal International pour l'ex Yougoslavie*, in: Isabelle Delpla, Magali Bessone, Peined de guerre. La justice pénale internationale et l'ex-Yougoslavie, Paris 2010, 119-134 (in French)
- *The Eight Session on Trial*, in: Slobodan Milosevic: Road to Power, Belgrade 2008, 289-301. (in English)
- *The Extremisation of Yugoslav Political Discourse from the death of Tito until the Eight Session*, in: Slobodan Milosevic: Road to Power, Beograd 2008, 80-97.
- *From Revisionism to "Revisionism": Legal Limits of Historical Interpretation*, in: Michal Kopecek (ed.), *Historical Revisionism in Europe*, CEU Press, Budapest 2008, 17-37 (in English)
- *Alternative Reading of Serbian History of Simeon Njegovan*, in: *Moral and Democracy*, Belgrade 2008, 292-303.
- *"The Honest Broker": Yugoslavia between New and the Old Allies*, in: *New Foreign Policy of Socialist Yugoslavia*, Belgrade 2008
- *Juridical Memory making and the Transformation of Historical Expert Witnessing: Contextualizing the Eichmann case and the Frankfurt Auschwitz trial*, in: *European Forum of Young Legal Historians*, Frankfurt 2007, 337-358 (in English)
- *Guerilla Warfare and Ethnic Cleansing. Terminological and Conceptual Remarks*, in: *Guerilla in the Balkans*, Belgrade 2007, 219-44 (in English)
- *(Un)legitimate revisionism*, in: *Revisionism in Yugoslavia*, Sarajevo 2007, 21-42
- *The Project of Facing the Past as a Blank Spot of Contemporary Historiography: An Attempt to Bridge a Gap*, in: Olga Manojlović Pintar (ed.), *History and Memory*, Belgrade 2006, 253-266.
- *Hantington's Stepchildren: Religion and Causes of the Yugoslav Wars*, in: *Faith, Knowledge, Peace*, Belgrade 2005, 118-123.
- *Globalization in Serbia? The Reception of a Discourse*, in: Jovica Trkulja (ed.), *The Temptations of Globalization*, Kikinda 2004, 289-307.
- *Globalization and Future*, in: Vladimir Petrovic et alia (ed.), *Aspects of Globalization*, Belgrade 2003, 265-302.
- *The Shadow of Mephisto; National Socialism and German Intellectuals*, in: *Collection of essays of BOS*, 2003, 121-140.

## Articles

- Serbian Political Elites and the Vance-Owen Peace Plan, *Istorija 20.veka* 2011/2, 122-136
- Creation of Contemporary Serbian Historiography, *Istorija 20.veka* 2010/2, 44-62
- Compensation of Yugoslav victims of Nazi medical experiments, *Hereticus* 2009/4, 106-116
- Witnessing a Troubled Century: Historians as Expert Witnesses in French Courtrooms 1898-1998, *Istorija 20.veka* 2009/1, 173-188 (in English)
- Lustration in Serbia: Form without Content, *Politička misla*, 2009/3, 27-33. (English)
- Historians facing the challenge of overcoming the past, *Hereticus* 2009/1-2, 19-34
- Fight against Discrimination between Law and Social Science: Brow vs. Board of Education in the United States Supreme Court 1952-4, *Hereticus* 3-4/2008
- Biopolitical aspects of Yugoslav (un)finished modernization, *History of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century*, 2/2008, Belgrade
- Social Scientists as Expert Witnesses in the Hague Tribunal and Elsewhere, in: *Philosophy and Society* 3/2007, 103-116.
- Models of Public Memory Protection: Combating the Denial, in: *Forum for Transitional Justice* 1/2007, 131-139,165-174 (in English and Serbian)
- The Role of Expert Witnesses in the first Holocaust related trials, in: *History of the 20<sup>th</sup> century*, 1/2007, 129-145 (in English)
- Ethnicisation of Cleansing: Scholarly Legitimization of Repression, in: *Hereticus* 1/2007, 11-36.
- Weltgericht ohne Weltgeschichte: Historians as Expert Witnesses in the ICTY, in: *Ab Imperio* 2/2007, 195-217. (in English)
- The Emergence of Yugoslav relations with Egypt, *History of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century*, 2/2005, Belgrade 2005, 111-130.
- The Attempt to Reach Anglo-Yugoslav Agreement and Stalin's Death, *History of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century*, 1/2004, Belgrade 2004, 65-80.
- The School of Good Manners, *Annual of Social History*, 1-3/2002, Belgrade 2004, 179-196.

## Essays, Debates, Reviews

- Futile Nonalignment Initiatives in Contemporary Serbia, *Borba*, 2011.
- The Dynamics of War Crime Trials in Serbia, *Hereticus* 2008/1, 191-
- War Crimes and their Denial, *Justice in Transition*, 2008/2,
- Kill thy leader, *Helsinki povelja* March-April 2008
- Cultural Model which is reproducing itself. *Helsinki povelja* January-February 2008, 21-22
- That dark object of desire, *Helsinki povelja*, march-april 2008
- The Book of Civic Courage, *Helsinki povelja*, March – April 2008.
- Cooperation with the Hague Tribunal as Condition of Conditions of European integrations, *Danas*, 24.4.2008.
- Why following the process to Vojislav Seselj, *Danas*, 7.11.2007.
- Vojislav Seselj: Hiding behind history, *Danas*, 15.11.2007.
- Inflammatory speeches that deepened the Yugoslav Crisis, *Danas*, 1.10.2007.
- Archives of the Communist Period: Iron Bars, *NIN*, no.2911, 2006.
- Towards Historiography without surveillance, *NIN*, no.2914, 2006
- Gaddis's Landscape of History, *Social History* 3/2004 192-196.

## Educational Material and Translations

- Etnopolitics of Death : Sreten Vukosavljevic and Hungarian Minority in Yugoslavia, *Hereticus* 2009/3, 87-95
- Vasa Cubrilovic, "Minority problem in New Yugoslavia", *Hereticus* 1/2007, 377-391
- Edvard Kardelj, "O takozvanom ograničenju sloboda i prava u našoj samoupravnoj demokratskoj zajednici", *Hereticus*, 1/2007, 392-397.
- Reviews of scholarly literature on: [www.ece.ceu.hu](http://www.ece.ceu.hu), 2005. (in English)
  - Reviews of scholarly literature in *History of the 20<sup>th</sup> century*, 2004-6.
  - Bibliography on War&Nationalism, <http://www.scopes.cas.bg> (in English)
  - Europe is Integrating 1947-1958, [www.bos.org.yu/evropa](http://www.bos.org.yu/evropa), 2003.
  - Politics and religion in Balkans, [http://veraznanjemir.bos.org.yu/tolerancija/tema9/Politika\\_i\\_religija\\_na\\_Balkanu.pdf](http://veraznanjemir.bos.org.yu/tolerancija/tema9/Politika_i_religija_na_Balkanu.pdf), 2006.
  - Religions and EU Identity, [http://veraznanjemir.bos.org.yu/tolerancija2/srp/textovi/8\\_evropski/relevantna.html](http://veraznanjemir.bos.org.yu/tolerancija2/srp/textovi/8_evropski/relevantna.html)
  - Translation of Diana Orentlicher, *ICTY's and Serbia; CIA on Yugoslavia*
  - Translated texts in *Justice in transition* and *History of the 20th century*
  - Reader *History as Context* for Legal Studies of CEU
  - Reader *Paths towards overcoming of authoritarian past* for Belgrade open school

## Conferences and Seminars

- *Intellectuals and Totalitarian Temptation*, Washington (2011)
- *Debating the End of Yugoslavia*, Graz (2011)
- *Remembrance, History, and Justice: Coming to Terms with Traumatic Pasts in Democratic Societies*, Washington DC (2010)
- *Negotiating Modernity*, Belgrade (2009)
- *Eight Session in Historical Perspective*, Belgrade (2008)
- *New Histories of Politics*, Budapest (2007)
- *Erinnern und Vergessen*, Europaeisches Forum junger Rechthistoriker, Max Plank Institut fuer europaeische Rechtsgeschichte, Frankfurt a.M (2006)
- *Héritage philosophique, contingence historique et universalité morale: La réception du Tribunal Pénal International en ex-Yougoslavie*, Paris (2006)
- *Transitional justice in Serbia: Facing the past.*, Belgrade Circle, Belgrade (2005)
- *Regional School for Transitional Justice*, Fund for Humanitarian Law, Kopaonik (2005)
- Research on Nonalignment in London hosted by Dr Robert Anderson Fund (2003)

## Computer Skills

MS Office, CaseMap, E-court (Ringtail and Lexnotes), ZYfind

## Languages

Serbian and South Slavonic languages (native)  
English (fluent)  
German (good)  
Russian (passive)  
French (passive)  
Latin and Old Slavonic (rusty)