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## Work Experience

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- May 12 – now                      **Research Assistant**, University of Kassel, Germany  
Coordinates the Research Network for Domestic Worker Rights  
Supports research on domestic work  
Pursues a PhD on Roma interest representation and organizing
- Mar. 11 – May 12                      **Researcher**, Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity,  
Göttingen, Germany  
Conducted interviews with migrant politicians in Germany, for the project “Vielfalt sucht Rat,” funded  
by the Heinrich-Böll-Foundation  
Evaluated results of the interviews and the survey
- Dec. 10 - Jan. 11                      **Researcher**, Field Work Scholarship, ICDD, University of Kassel, Germany  
Researched the domestic work sector in the Czech Republic  
Conducting interviews with domestic workers, unions, and NGOs
- Oct. 08 – Nov. 10                      Student **Assistant**, University of Kassel, Germany  
Conducted interviews with domestic workers and experts in Germany for the EU study “Fundamental  
Rights Situation of Irregular Migrants in the EU,” literature overview, gaining significant insight in  
externally financed research for an international organization  
Organized the 2009 Interpretative Policy Analysis Conference with 180 participants, proving my  
coordinating and organizational skills

## Education

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- Jul. 11 – now                      **Pursuing a PhD in Political Science**, University of Kassel, Germany  
Topic: Interest representation and Organizing of Roma in the EU
- Oct. 07 – Apr. 10                      **Global Political Economy, M.A. (A)**, University of Kassel, Germany  
MA thesis “Cooperation or Confrontation? A Look at Migrant Political Participation in Essen and  
Newark,” migration and integration research, EU policies, Globalization, Governance of World Markets
- Jan. 08 – May 08 Global Affairs, DAAD-ISAP, Semester Abroad, Rutgers University, Newark, NJ, USA  
Urban Politics, Anthropology of War, Economics for Global Affairs
- Oct. 03 – Jul. 06                      **European Studies, B.A. (A)**, Chemnitz University of Technology, Germany  
Major: Social Studies. Minor: Economics; EU politics and EU law

## Publications

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Three Different Things - Having, Knowing, and Claiming Rights: Undocumented Migrant Domestic Workers in Germany, in: Anna Triandafyllidou(ed.), *Irregular Migrant Domestic Workers in Europe: Who Cares?*, Aldershot: Ashgate (forthcoming in 2012, together with Helen Schwenken).

Review: Susanne Jörg, „Gehen Sie freiwillig oder sollen wir Sie abschieben?“ Eine Ethnographie der Duldung. Saarbrücken: VDM, 2010 (139pp), in: *Austausch*, Vol. 1, No. 1 (April 2011), [http://www.austauschjournal.net./Issue1/Review\\_Heimeshoff.pdf](http://www.austauschjournal.net./Issue1/Review_Heimeshoff.pdf).

Cooperation or Confrontation? Migrant Political Participation in Essen and Newark, Working Paper New Research in GPE 2011, Kassel.

Domestic Workers Worldwide, Geneva: International Union Federation 2010 (together with Helen Schwenken)  
Internet: [http://www.domesticworkerrights.org/sites/default/files/Statistical%20Data\\_ENGLISH%20HR\\_0.pdf](http://www.domesticworkerrights.org/sites/default/files/Statistical%20Data_ENGLISH%20HR_0.pdf).

Beistands- und Solidaritätsklausel im Vertrag über eine Verfassung für Europa, in: Matthias Niedobitek/ Simone Ruth (Eds.), *Die neue Union*, Berlin: Duncker & Humblot 2007, 75-93.