I am an early career global historian of 20<sup>th</sup> century South-Eastern Europe. My research has focused on transition studies, labour and business history, development and global studies, and the history of Non-Alignment.

# EMPLOYMENT

September 2021 – August 2024	<b>REWIRE (Reinforcing Women In Research) Fellow,</b> Research Centre for the History of Transformations (RECET), University of Vienna
September 2020 – August 2021	Fellow, Imre Kertész Kolleg, University of Jena
November 2019 – July 2020	<b>EEGA Post-doctoral fellow and visiting lecturer</b> , Global and European Studies Institute, University of Leipzig
April 2019 – October 2019	<b>Post-doctoral research associate</b> , Chair of History of Eastern Europe, University of Konstanz
February 2019 – July 2019	<b>Research Trainee</b> , Regional Office for Europe and Central Asia International Labour Organisation – Geneva
March 2018 – July 2018	<b>Visiting research fellow,</b> Centre for Southeast European Studies, University of Graz

## **EDUCATION**

2014-2019	PhD in History, University of Exeter
2011-2012	MA in Slavonic and East European Studies, School of Slavonic and East European Studies, University College London
2008-2011	BA in History, Università di Bologna, Italy

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- 1. (forthcoming) "Promising The World? Non-Alignment, self-management and globalisation in a (post)socialist corporation." Under review with Indiana University Press
- 2. (forthcoming) "1989 and the Great Transformation", Routledge International Handbook Series, under contract with Routledge, co-edited with Philipp Ther and Jannis Panagiotidis
- 3. (forthcoming) "Global bridges, local ruins? Re-thinking socialist enterprises as portals of globalisation", in: *Rethinking Socialist Spaces*, Palgrave MacMillan-St Antony's Series (edited by Marcus Colla and Paul Betts)
- 4. (forthcoming) "Così vicini, eppure così lontani? La cooperazione allo sviluppo di Jugoslavia e Italia nel Sud Globale", in: L'Italia e il mondo post-coloniale.
  Politica, cooperazione e mobilità tra decolonizzazioni e Guerra Fredda, Mondadori/Le Monnier
- with Ljubica Spaskovska. "Reimagining the world: decolonisation and the promise of development". *Contemporary European History*. 30(4), 613-620. (2021) doi:10.1017/S0960777321000539
- 6. "Bosnia-Herzegovina: Workers' organisation at the root of the social uprising of 2014" in Dario Azzellini (eds.) *If Not Us, Who? Global workers against authoritarianism, fascism, and dictatorships*, Rosa Luxemburg Stiftung, Hamburg: Verlag (2021)
- 7. "Losing the global: (Re)building a Bosnian enterprise across transition". *Business History*, (2020). DOI: <u>10.1080/00076791.2020.1819242</u>
- with Ljubica Spaskovska. "A Nonaligned Business World: The Global Socialist Enterprise between Self-Management and Transnational Capitalism". *Nationalities Papers*, 1-15. (2020) DOI:10.1017/nps.2020.27
- 9. *Globalization Projects East and South: Spaces of Economic Interaction During the Cold War.* Oldenbourg: DeGruyter (2019). Edited with Anne Hartmetz, Bence Kocsev, James Mark and Jan Zofka
- 10. with Kathrin Jurkat. "I'm both a worker and a shareholder. Workers' narratives and property transformations: continuity and change in post-socialist Bosnia and Serbia". *Südosteuropa*, Vol.65, no.4, p.654-678 (2017).
- 11. "Salt and Socialism: A Deconstruction of Tuzla's Political Identity in the Context of the Bosnian Conflict". *Ethnopolitics Papers*, no.35, p.1-29 (2015).

# **GRANTS AND FUNDING:**

<u>REWIRE</u> – Reinforcing Women In Research, University of Vienna – Marie Curie COFUND (Duration: 3 years)

<u>YU-ZAM</u>: A Socialist Workplace in Postcolonial Africa - FWF-Funded project, as co-author with PI Goran Musić (Duration: 3 years)

*Leibniz Science Campus EEGA Post-doctoral Fellowship*, University of Leipzig, Germany, January 2020 (Duration: 6 months)

Austrian OEAD "Ernst Mach" Fellowship, March 2018 (Duration: 4 months)

Economic History Society Research Fund for Graduate Students, March 2015

*Leverhulme Trust Doctoral Scholarship* as part of the research project"1989 after 1989: Re-thinking the fall of state socialism in global perspective", funded by the Leverhulme Trust, February 2014 (Duration: 3 years)

### ADDITIONAL RESEARCH ACHIEVEMENTS

#### 1. Affiliation with research projects

<u>DePOT</u>: Deindustrialisation and the Politics of Our Time, Concordia University. Principal Investigator: Professor Steven High

<u>1989 after 1989</u>: Rethinking the fall of state socialism in global perspective, University of Exeter. Principal Investigator: Professor James Mark (2014-2019)

### 2. Reviewer for:

University of Padova's funding programme 'Supporting TAlents in ReSearch@University of Padua' (STARS Grants)

Labour History Review (Peer reviewed Journal)

Rivista Italiana di Storia Internazionale (Peer reviewed Journal)

### 3. Invited international talks:

"Development, de-colonisation, de-industrialisation: Global History between East and South" Intellectual History in East Central Europe Summer School, Ljubljana, July 2021

"Corporate cultures, contested development and de-globalisation in a (post)Yugoslav enterprise", *SSEES Seminars, UCL*, London, November 2019;

"Market reforms in Yugoslavia. Economists between Trasnationalism and Insularity", International Workshop "Historical Perspectives on Neoliberalism: Political Economy and Social History since 1970" at *MaxPo, SciencesPo*, Paris, May 2018.

### 4. Organiser:

International Workshop "Labour history of socialist globalisation: a view from the shop-floor", 10-12 October 2019, University of Konstanz, Germany;

International Roundtable on Oral History at the *Association for the Study of Nationalities (ASN)* annual conference, 04-07 July 2018, University of Graz, Austria

#### 5. Selected conference contributions:

"Yugoslav multilateral economic cooperation in the Non-Aligned Movement", *Paneuropean Economic Spaces During the Cold War*, University of Geneva, 09-11 June 2022

"So close, yet so far? Yugoslav and Italian development in the Global South", *Italy and the Post-colonial world: Cooperation and mobility between decolonization and the Cold-War (1960-1989)*, Università di Palermo, Palermo 17-18 November 2021

"Global bridges, local ruins? Re-thinking socialist enterprises as portals of globalisation", *Rethinking Socialist Spaces*, University of Oxford, June 2021 (online)

"Cigar socialism. Diplomatic frictions and economic pragmatism in Yugoslav-Cuban relations", *The Balkans and The Postcolonial World*, University of Vienna, June 2021 (online)

"To the South! Soft power, tripartite cooperation and joint ventures in the Non-Aligned world: a view from Yugoslavia", *ENIUGH conference*, June 2021 (online)

"Beyond a histor(iograph)y of doom? Global Eastern Europe after the end of history", *British Association for Slavonic and East European Studies (BASEES)*, 21-24 April 2021, University of Leipzig (online)

"Radnici da, Ratnici ne: workers, veterans and the ethnicisation of workplaces in Bosnia and Herzegovina". *British Association for Slavonic and East European Studies (BASEES)*, 13-15 April 2018, Fitzwilliam College, Cambridge;

"Paint it Red: an oral history of the last Yugoslav government. Countering narratives of neoliberal triumphalism", The 11th annual Graduate Conference in European History (GRACEH), 27–29 April 2017, European University Institute (EUI, Florence);

### 6. Teaching Activities:

*Guest Lecturer*, MA Global History and Global Studies Masters, course "Theory and Methods of Global History", University of Vienna (Winter semester 2021/22)

*Lecturer*, MA course "History and Politics of Non-Alignment", University of Leipzig, Germany (Summersemester 2020);

Assistant Lecturer, MA course "Political Economy in South-Eastern Europe", University of Graz, Austria (Sommersemester 2018);

*Post-graduate Teaching Assistant*, BA Year 1 courses "Making History" and "Approaches to History", University of Exeter, United Kingdom (Academic Years 2015 and 2016)

#### LANGUAGES

Italian (Native)

English (Fluent, C2)

Serbian/Croatian/Bosnian (Fluent, C1)

German (Intermediate, B1)