

## EDUCATION

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- 2012                      PhD in Sociology. Institute of Philosophy and Sociology – Polish Academy of Science; Warsaw.
- PhD Dissertation "Transnational care and intergenerational relations in migrant cultures". Supervisor: Prof. Janusz Mucha, Reviewers: Prof. Krystyna Slany and Prof. Elżbieta Tarkowska.
- 2012 – 2014            Associate membership in the Research Training Group of the Collaborative Research Centre 882 "From Heterogeneities to Social Inequalities", Bielefeld University, Germany. Principal investigator: Prof. Thomas Faist.
- 2002 - 2007            AGH University of Science and Technology, Krakow, M.A. in sociology.

### *Other education and training*

- 2013                      Fundation for Polish Science; Program SKILLS:  
                              - Research Team Management  
                              - Writing Academic Papers
- 2012                      International summer school on "Intergenerational relationships in a globalized world" held at Collegio Carlo Alberto in Moncalieri (Turin, Italy), July 23-27.
- 2009                      Marie Curie Conferences and Training Courses; (MSCF-CT-2006 – 045799); Central European University, Budapest, Hungary.

## EMPLOYMENT

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- From 2013              Junior Professor at the Department of Sociology and Social Anthropology, AGH University of Science and Technology in Krakow, Poland.
- Courses taught: Contemporary Sociological Theories, Research Methods in Social Sciences, Qualitative Methods in Sociology, Fieldwork Training, Qualitative Data Analysis (with MAXQDA and Atlas.ti).
- 2007-2012              Research and Teaching assistant at the Department of Sociology and Social Anthropology, AGH University of Science and Technology in Krakow, Poland.
- Courses taught: Contemporary Sociological Theories, Research Methods in Social Sciences, Qualitative Methods in Social Science Research, Statistics.
- 2008-2010              Senior Researcher at the Regional Centre for Social Policy in Krakow, Poland.

## RESEARCH VISITS ABROAD

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- 2011                      EEA Financial Mechanism and the Norwegian Financial Mechanism; University of Iceland; Reykjavik, **Iceland** (1 month).
- 2011                      EEA Financial Mechanism and the Norwegian Financial Mechanism; University of Bergen; Bergen, **Norway** (1 month).
- 2010                      EEA Financial Mechanism and the Norwegian Financial Mechanism; University of Iceland; Reykjavik, **Iceland** (6 months).

## **Awards**

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2011	START Fellowship, Foundation for Polish Science
2012	START Fellowship, Foundation for Polish Science

## **Research Team Leader**

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2012-2014	<u>Too old to work, too young to retire. Young pensioners in Polish and Western European cultures of ageing.</u> Project financed by the Ministry of Science and Higher Education in Poland.
2010-2012	<u>Transnational caregiving and intergenerational relations in migrant cultures.</u> Project financed by EEA Financial Mechanism and the Norwegian Financial Mechanism. Fellowships: University of Iceland and University of Bergen. Research (quantitative and qualitative) in Austria and Poland financed by the Ministry of Science and Higher Education in Poland.

## **ORGANIZATION OF INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOPS and SESSIONS:**

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2013	<u>Polish Congress of Sociology, Session: <i>Migration and Social Security of Individuals and Families in Transnational Social Spaces. Practices and Discourses in Central and Eastern Europe</i></u> , Szczecin, September 11-14 (with Sylwia Urbańska).
2010	<u>Polish Congress of Sociology, Session: <i>Ageing in the life course during rapid social and cultural transformations</i></u> , Krakow, September 08-11 (with Janusz Mucha).
2009	<u>Mosaics of Transnational Social Spaces. Theories. Methods. Phenomenon</u> , Krakow, May 8-9 2009. The Faculty of Humanities, AGH University of Science and Technology, Krakow and Institute of Sociology, Warsaw University (with Sylwia Urbańska).

## **INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES, WITH PAPERS READ**

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2013	11 <sup>th</sup> ESA Conference: Crisis, Critique and Change; August 28-31, Torino, Italy Papert: <i>"Young Pensioners" in Poland. The New Images and the Old Social-Cultural Practices Related to Taking Retirement</i> (wraz z Wojciechem Kowalikiem)
2013	11 <sup>th</sup> ESA Conference: Crisis, Critique and Change; August 28-31, Torino, Italy Paper: <i>Social Security of the Transnational Family. Poles in Iceland and Austria and their Old Parents in Poland</i>
2012	International Relationships in a Globalized World July 23-27, Torino, Italy Paper: <i>Social security on the move. Poles in Iceland and Austria and their old parents in Poland</i>
2011	Migration in Nordic Societies: Recent perspectives 07 October, Bergen, Norway Paper: <i>Transnational exercise of care for the elderly. Polish case study</i>
2011	10 <sup>th</sup> ESA Conference, 07-10 September, Geneva, Switzerland Paper: <i>&lt;Included&gt; and &lt;Excluded&gt;. Polish migrants in Iceland entangled in the network of transnational intergenerational commitments.</i>

- 2010 XVII ISA World Congress of Sociology  
11-17 July, Gothenburg, Sweden.  
Paper: *Strategies of retirement in post-1989 Poland*
- 2009 Paths Towards Reflexive Sociology: Ethnography Matters,  
December 10-11, Porto, Portugal.  
Paper: *Co-creating of transnational social spaces. Researching migrations across time and space.*
- 2009 9th ESA Conference,  
September 02-05, Lisbon, Portugal.  
Paper: *Dynamics of Migrations Across Time and Space. Multi-Sited Ethnography, Grounded Theory and History in Transnational Studies.*
- 2009 Multi-disciplinary Approaches to Romany Studies - a Model for Europe,  
July 5, Budapest, Hungary.  
Paper: *The Roma Migration: Socio-Cultural Practices, Social Exclusion and State Control in Transnational Social Spaces.*
- 2008 38th World Congress of the International Institute of Sociology  
June 26-30, Budapest, Hungary  
Paper: *Historical Perspective of Transmigration. A Case Study of the Polish Community.*

## **FIELDS OF INTEREST**

Transnational Studies, Assistive Technology; Social Anthropology; Ethnic Relations; Social Policy; Qualitative Sociology; Biographical Research; Ageing in Europe.

## **MEMBERSHIPS**

From 2007	Polish Sociological Association
From 2009	European Sociological Association
From 2010	International Sociological Association