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CURRENT APPOINTMENT

16/02/2016 - Research Scholar, Las Casas Institute, Blackfriars Hall, University of Oxford

- Working on the book project *Prisons and Forced Labour on Japan's northern island of Hokkaido* (forthcoming with Routledge)
- Participation in a research project on Japan's ageing prison population (PI Prof Hafiz TA Khan, University of West London)
- General research interests: migration, education and the life course, prisons and society, "development" within a Japanese context, 17th century martyrs of Japan

PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS

- 12/10/2016-06/2017 Academic Visitor, Nissan Institute for Japanese Studies, University of Oxford: working on the book project *Prisons and Forced Labour on Japan's northern island of Hokkaido*
- 12/10/2013-03/2016 Stipendiary Research Fellow, Oxford Institute of Population Ageing,: research and publications on migration, education and intergenerational relations, chair of OIPA's Visitor Support Group to advice and counsel visiting graduated students and academics; contributing to the Collen Programme on Education, Fertility and the Environment through writing a Working Paper and teaching "Participatory Research Methods" to non-academic professionals at the Oxford Spring School in Demography
- 4/2010-6/2010 Tutor, Foreign Service Programme, Queen Elizabeth House, University of Oxford: supervising a graduate student whose work focused on coup d'état in Thailand
- 10/2008-6/2009 Research Assistant, Queen Elizabeth House, University of Oxford: coauthoring a working paper on *Conceptualising and Measuring Children's Time Use: A Technical Review for Young Lives*.
- 10/2006-11/2007 Research Assistant, Young Lives, Queen Elizabeth House, University of Oxford: co-authoring a working paper on *Early Childhood Transitions Research: A Review of Concepts, Theory, and Practice*
- 4/2006-8/2006 Consultant, United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, Geneva, Switzerland: assisting with the development of Refworld, the UNHCR's decision-support tool for country of origin research and refugee status decisions. (Line manager: Mr Oldrich Andrysek)

CURRICULUM VITAE

3/2003- 6/2003	Tutor, Institute of East Asian Studies, University of Vienna, Austria: teaching assistance with the core course on Japanese Society
EDUCATION	
10/2006 - 22/01/2011	Doctor of Philosophy (DPhil), Linacre College, Queen Elizabeth House, University of Oxford, United Kingdom, thesis title: <i>Translocal</i> <i>Identities. An Ethnographic Account of the Political Economy of</i> <i>Childhood Transitions in northern Thailand.</i> (Supervisor: Prof Jo Boyden)
10/2004 -06/2006	Diplôme d'études supérieurs spécialisées interdisciplinaire en études asiatiques (DESS), University of Geneva, Switzerland, thesis title : <i>Livelihood Strategies of Forced Migrant Youth at the Thai- Burma</i> <i>Border: An Ethnographic Study</i> . (Supervisor: Prof Philippe Régnier)
12/03/2004	Magistra der Philosophie (Mag.Phil.), Japanese Studies and Sociology, University of Vienna, Austria, thesis title: <i>Die vergessenen Pioniere</i> . <i>Gefängnisse und Zwangsarbeit auf der japanischen Nordinsel</i> <i>Hokkaido</i> . (Supervisor: Prof Sepp Linhart)
09/1990-06/1998	Sacré Coeur, Vienna, Austria

PUBLICATIONS

(n.b. my maiden name is "Vogler")

Books

- (forthcoming): co-edited with Thomas Bruce, title: *Southeast Asian Schools in Modern History: Education, Manipulation, and Contest.* Routledge.
- (forthcoming): Prisons and Forced Labour on Japan's northern island Hokkaido. Routledge.
- (2016) *Learning, Migration and Intergenerational Relations. The Karen and the Gift of Education.* London: Palgrave Macmillian.
- (2016) *Gefängnisse und Zwangsarbeit auf der japanischen Nordinsel Hokkaido*. Vienna: LIT Verlag.

Academic articles

• 2017 'Thomas Linacre – Humanist, Scholar, Physician and Priest' *Catholic Medical Quarterly* 67/3, 17-18.

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- 2017 'Karen youth transitions at the Thai-Myanmar border' *Journal of Youth Studies* http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/13676261.2017.1333581
- 2017 'Book Review- Researching the Lifecourse: Critical Reflections from the Social Sciences edited by Nancy Worth and Irene Hardill' *Journal of Population Ageing* 10/1, 101-104
- 2016 'Intergenerational relations and rural development among the Karen in Northern Thailand' *International Journal on Ageing in Developing Countries*, 1 / 2, 143-157
- 2016 'Night-time and refugees. Evidence from the Thai-Myanmar border' *Journal of Refugee Studies* 29/1, 1-18.
- 2007 'Into the jungle of bureaucracy: negotiating access to camps at the Thai-Burma border', *Refugee Survey Quarterly*, 26/3, 51-60.
- 2005 'Blurring the boundaries: prisons and settler society in Hokkaido', *International Institute of Asian Studies Newsletter* 39, 8.
- 2003 'Translating Academic Research to the Public', *Anthropology News* 44/3, 22-23. (co-author: Brigitte Steger)

Book chapters

- (forthcoming) 'Ageing and fertility: legal and ethical perspectives' in Thana Campus, Jonathan Herring and Andelka M. Phillips (eds) *The Philosophical Foundations of Medical Law*, Oxford: Oxford University Press. (co-author: William Jolliffe)
- 2008 'Sleeping as a Refuge? Embodied Vulnerability and Corporeal Security during Refugees' Sleep at the Thai-Burma Border', in Lodewijk Brunt and Brigitte Steger (eds) *Worlds of Sleep*, Berlin: Frank and Timme, 193- 210.

Policy briefs

- 2016 'Myanmar's political transition and educational aspirations of refugees in Thailand' *NORRAG News* 53, 120-121.
- 2016 'Integration of Syrian asylum seekers and refugees in Austria: the role of education and skills' *NORRAG News 53*, 147-148.

Working papers

- 2017 'Partizipative Forschungsmethoden mit Karen Kindern und Jugendlichen im Hochland von Chiang Mai – ein Forschungsbericht' *Der Wiener Psychoanalytiker* https://www.derwienerpsychoanalytiker.at/ (22 March 2017)
- 2017 'Participatory research methods with children and adolescents of the Karen people in the highlands of Chiang Mai a research report' *The Vienna Psychoanalyst* https://www.theviennapsychoanalyst.at/ (22 March 2017)

CURRICULUM VITAE

- 2009 Conceptualising and Measuring Children's Time Use: A Technical Review for Young Lives, Young Lives Technical Note 14, Oxford: Young Lives. (co-authors: Virginia Morrow and Martin Woodhead)
- 2008 Early Childhood Transitions Research: A Review of Concepts, Theory, and *Practice*, Working Papers in Early Childhood Development 48, The Netherlands: Bernard van Leer Foundation. (co-authors: Gina Crivello and Martin Woodhead)
- 2006 *In the absence of the humanitarian gaze: refugee camps after dark*, New Issues in Refugee Research, Policy Development and Evaluation Service, Geneva: UNHCR (Research Paper; 137)

Letter to the editor

• 2016 'College Coats of Arms' Oxford Today. The University Magazine 28/2, 6.

Interview

• 2017 'A Conversation With Mikael Gravers: Research Among the Karen, Past and Present' *Tea Circle*, https://teacircleoxford.com/2017/07/05/a-conversation-with-mikael-gravers-research-among-the-karen-past-and-present-part-1/

RECENT PRESENTATIONS

- Religion and Society Conference 2017, Heythrop College, 20 September 2017: "Visualizing pupils' voices: Participatory research methods with Karen refugees in Thailand"
- Development Studies Association Conference 2017, University of Bradford, 6 September 2017: "Intergenerational responsibility in the light of Catholic Social Teaching – a study among the Karen in northern Thailand"
- European Association for Southeast Asian Studies Conference, University of Oxford, 16 August 2017: "The Catholic Church, rural development and Karen education in Thailand"
- Akademischer Arbeitskreis Japan, University of Vienna, 8 June 2017: "Gefängnisse und Zwangsarbeit auf der japanischen Nordinsel Hokkaido"
- Las Casas Institute, Blackfriars Hall, University of Oxford, 17 February 2017: "Child Migrants, the Vulnerable and the Voiceless: Reflections on Pope Francis' Message for the 2017 World Day for Migrants and Refugees"
- Austrian Academy of Sciences, Institute for Social Anthropology, 27 January 2017: "Syrian identities according to Austrian aid workers: debating identity/alterity"
- Austrian Academy of Sciences, Institute for Social Anthropology, 26 January 2017: "The 'Gift of Education' and intergenerational relations among the Karen"

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- Nissan Seminar Series, St Antony's College, University of Oxford, 21 October 2016: "At the Periphery of the Nation's Memory: Prisons and forced labour on Japan's northern island of Hokkaido"
- LANGUAGES: English, German (mother tongue), Spanish, French, Italian, Japanese, Latin, Thai (spoken), Hebrew (written and a little spoken)
- **MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES:** Development Studies Association (Council Member), Refugee Outreach & Research Network (Austrian Academy of Sciences Institute for Social Anthropology), European Association for Southeast Asian Studies, Japanese Anthropology Workshop (JAWS), British Association for Japanese Studies, Akademischer Arbeitskreis Japan (AAJ) and Vereinigung für sozialwissenschaftliche Japanforschung (VSJF)

DISTINCTIONS

- 2015 Austrian Research Association grant for publication of the monograph *Gefängnisse und Zwangsarbeit auf der japanischen Nordinsel Hokkaido* (Prisons and Forced Labour on Japan's northern island Hokkaido), Vienna: LIT.
- 2015 Programme on Modern Burmese Studies Travel and Research Grant (St Antony's College, University of Oxford) for presentation of an academic paper at the 8th European Association for Southeast Asian Studies Conference, 11-14 August 2015, University of Vienna, Austria.
- 2006-2007 Scholarship of the Fürst Dietrichstein'sche Stiftung for DPhil studies at Queen Elizabeth House, University of Oxford
- 2005 Scholarship of the Geneva Asia Society for fieldwork in refugee camps at the Thai-Burma border
- 2004-2005 Scholarship for Foreign Students of the Swiss Confederation for postgraduate studies at the University of Geneva
- 17.12. 2004 Award of the Austrian Ministry for Education, Science and Culture for extraordinary performance throughout graduate studies (Würdigungspreis der Bundesministerin 2004)
- 1999-2000 Joint-Study-Scholarship of the University of Vienna for exchange-studies at the Yokohama City University (Japan)

Oxford, September 2017

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