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Academic Positions

2003-present Assistant Professor
Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine

Faculty Affiliate
Center for the Study of Democracy, University of California, Irvine
Center for Organizational Research, University of California, Irvine
International Studies Program, University of California, Irvine

Education

- 2003 Ph.D., Princeton University, Department of Sociology
Dissertation: Embedded Economies: Foreign Direct Investment in Central and Eastern Europe
Winner of 2004 Seymour Martin Lipset Dissertation Award from the Society for Comparative Research
- 2000 M.A., Princeton University, Department of Sociology
- 1997 B.A. (*summa cum laude*), Augsburg College, Minneapolis
(Sociology, with honors, Communication, minor in Business Administration)
- 1993 International Baccalaureate (with distinction), Ljubljana, Slovenia

Areas of Research and Teaching Interest

Economic Sociology	Comparative Sociology
Culture	Social Networks
Organizations	Central and Eastern Europe
Globalization and Social Change	Political Economy
Research Design and Methods	

Publications

BOOKS

Under contract Research in Sociology of Work: Economic Sociology of Work. Guest Editor for Volume 19 scheduled for publication by JAI/Elsevier in March 2009.

Under contract Economy and State: A Sociological Perspective. Under contract with Polity Press. Expected publication in 2010.

2007 From Communists to Foreign Capitalists: The Social Foundations of Foreign Direct Investment in Postsocialist Europe. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press.

JOURNAL ARTICLES

Forthcoming Bandelj, Nina. "Emotions in Economic Action and Interaction." Theory and Society.

2006 Bandelj, Nina and Danica Purg. "Networks as Resources, Organizational Logic, and Change Mechanism: The Case of Private Business Schools in Postsocialism." Sociological Forum 21(4): 587-622.

2004 Bandelj, Nina. "Negotiating Global, Regional and National Forces: Foreign Investment in Slovenia." East European Politics and Societies 18(3): 455-480.

2003 Bandelj, Nina. "How Method Actors Create Character-Roles." Sociological Forum 18(3): 387-416.

Recognized as 2003 American Sociological Association Sociology of Emotions Section Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award Runner-Up

2003 Bandelj, Nina. "Particularizing the Global: Reception of Foreign Direct Investment in Slovenia." Current Sociology 51(3/4): 377-394.

2002 Bandelj, Nina. "Embedded Economies: Social Relations as Determinants of Foreign Direct Investment in Central and Eastern Europe." Social Forces 81 (2): 411-444.

Winner of 2002 DBH Foundation Prize for Best Graduate Student Paper in Sociology at Princeton University

Recognized as 2001 American Sociological Association Comparative and Historical Sociology Section Reinhard Bendix Graduate Student Paper Prize Finalist

Winner of 2000 Candace Rogers Award for Outstanding Graduate Student Paper by Eastern Sociological Society

BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2008 "Giving Mega Attention to Macro Research: How to Handle Challenges of Quantitative Cross-National Data Collection and Analysis." In Research Methods from the Trenches edited by Eszter Hargittai. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press (forthcoming).
- 2007 "Supraterritoriality, Embeddedness, or Both? Foreign Direct Investment in Central and Eastern Europe." Pp. 3-41 in Globalization and Its Impact on International Relations in Central Europe, edited by Katalin Fabian. London: Elsevier.
- 2007 "Negotiating Neo-liberalism: Economic Reform in Central and Eastern Europe." Pp. 46-74 in Transformations of Local Socio-Economic Practices and Globalization, edited by Ulrike Schuerkens. New York: Routledge.
- 2004 Bandelj, Nina. "Particularizing the Global: Reception of Foreign Direct Investment in Slovenia." Pp. 160-184 in Global Forces and Local Life-Worlds, edited by Ulrike Schuerkens. London: Sage Publications.

WORKING PAPERS

- 2006 Bandelj, Nina and Matthew C. Mahutga. "Social Foundations of Income Inequality in Postsocialist Europe." European University Institute -RSCAS Working Paper 2006/34 (peer-reviewed).
- 2006 Bandelj, Nina and Bogdan Radu. "Consolidation of Democracy in Postcommunist Europe." Center for the Study of Democracy. Paper 06-04.
- 2006 Bandelj, Nina. "Cultural Understandings of Economic Globalization: Discourse on Foreign Direct Investment in Slovenia." Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies. MPIfG Discussion Paper 06/1 (peer-reviewed).
- 2006 Bandelj, Nina. "Economic Transformations in Central and Eastern Europe: An Economic Sociology Perspective." Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, 2005-06 European Forum EUF/2005-6/16.
- 2004 Bandelj, Nina. "Institutional Foundations of Economic Transformations in Central and Eastern Europe (1990-2000)." Center for the Study of Democracy. Paper 04-14.
- Winner of 2003 Graduate Student Paper Award, Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics*

REVIEWS

- 2008 Bandelj, Nina. Book Review of *The New Old Economy*, by Josh Whitford. Social Forces. Forthcoming.

- 2006 Bandelj, Nina. Book Review of *Slovenia: From Yugoslavia to the European Union*, edited by Mojmir Mrak, Matija Rojec and Carlos Silva-Jáuregui. Europe-Asia Studies 58(1): 135-136.
- 2005 Bandelj, Nina. Book Review of *The Sociology of the Economy*, edited by Frank Dobbin. Contemporary Sociology 34(3): 261-262.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 2007 Bandelj, Nina. "Identities." Comparative and Historical Sociology 19(1): 21-22.
- 2005 Bandelj, Nina, Anthony J. McGann, and Carole J. Uhlaner. "Foreword -- Symposium: Democracy and its Development, 2005." Center for the Study of Democracy. Symposium: Democracy and Its Development. Paper G05-07.
- 2003 Bandelj, Nina. "Social Transformations and Development in Post-Socialism: A Case of Foreign Direct Investment in Central and Eastern Europe." Newsletter of the International Sociological Association Research Committee 09 on Social Transformation and Sociology of Development. Summer issue, pp. 8-11.
- 2001 Bandelj, Nina, Viviana A. Zelizer, and Ann Morning. Materials for the Study of Childhood. Princeton, NJ: Department of Sociology, Princeton University.
- 2001 Bandelj, Nina. "Dynamic Exchange on Cultural Dynamics at Princeton Conference." Newsletter of the Sociology of Culture Section of the American Sociological Association 15(3): 11-12.
- 1999 Bandelj, Nina. "To be Here or Nowhere: Globalization and Management Education." Manager 10: 33-34. (in Slovenian)
- 1999 Studen, Marko, Nina Bandelj, Markus Jatsch and Markus Meyer. "Framing a City." AB Architectural Bulletin 29 (143/144): 86-89.
- 1994 Bandelj, Nina. "Poisoning with Quality Management Education." Gospodarski Vestnik 33: 23. (in Slovenian)
- 1993 Bandelj, Nina. "Argumentation and Public Speaking." Pristop-Journal for Communication Management 4: 30. (in Slovenian)

Works Under Review or In Progress

- Under review "Global Economy as Instituted Process" Revise and Resubmit to American Sociological Review

- Under review “Taking Stock of Transformations in Central and Eastern Europe after 1989” Revise and Resubmit to East European Politics and Societies
- Under review “Foreign Investment and Inequality: The Natural Experiment of Central and Eastern Europe” (with Matthew Mahutga) Revise and Resubmit to International Journal for Comparative Sociology
- Under review “Economic Objects as Cultural Objects: Cultural Articulations and Contestations of Economic Globalization”
- In progress “Explaining Differences in Income Inequality in Central and Eastern Europe” (with Matthew C. Mahutga)
- In progress “Institutionalization of Democracy in Postcommunist Europe” (with Bogdan Radu)
- In progress “The Cultural Wealth of Nations” (with Frederick Wherry)
- In progress “Downsizing the State in Central and Eastern Europe”
- In progress “Market Transition ‘One MBA at a Time:’ Creation and Operation of Business Schools in Central and Eastern Europe
- In progress “Politicized Postsocialist Economies”
- In progress “National Identity and Economic Exchange”
- In progress “The Development of a Global Politico-Economic Network: The Case of Bilateral Investment Treaties” (with Matthew Mahutga)
- In progress Market Makers: Economic Actors in Postsocialism (edited book volume in progress)

Honors and Awards

- 2007 Faculty Career Development Award, University of California, Irvine
- 2006 Jean Monnet Fellow, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, Florence, Italy
- 2005 East and Central European Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Max Planck Institute for the Study of Society, Cologne, Germany
- 2004, 2005 Nominated for Campus Village Professor of the Month, University of California, Irvine
- 2004 Winner of Seymour Martin Lipset Dissertation Award, Society for Comparative Research
- 2003 Graduate Student Paper Award, Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics
- 2003 American Sociological Association Sociology of Emotions Section Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award Runner-Up

- 2002 Recognition for Outstanding Participation in the Theory and Research in Comparative Sociology Junior Scholar Program, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
- 2002 DBH Foundation Prize for Best Graduate Student Paper in Sociology at Princeton University
- 2001 American Sociological Association Comparative and Historical Sociology Section Reinhard Bendix Graduate Student Paper Prize Finalist
- 2001-2002 Center of International Studies MacArthur Dissertation Fellowship, Princeton University Prize Fellowship
- 2000 Candace Rogers Award for Outstanding Graduate Student Paper by Eastern Sociological Society
- 1999-2001 Noah Cotsen Junior Teaching Fellowship, Princeton University Prize Fellowship
- 1997-1999 University Fellowship to Princeton University

Grants

- 2007 Center for Organizational Research Small Grant, University of California, Irvine (\$1,000)
- 2007 Academic Senate Council on Research, Computing and Library Resources, University of California, Irvine, Cultural Diversity Grant (\$2,000)
- 2007 Faculty Desktop Computing Initiative Award, University of California, Irvine (\$2,024)
- 2006 Seed Grant, Center for the Study of Democracy, University of California, Irvine (\$997)
- 2006 European University Institute, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies (\$14,000)
- 2005 Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies (\$10,500)
- 2005 Summer Seed Grant, Center for the Study of Democracy, University of California, Irvine (\$1,574)
- 2004 Seed Research Grant, Center for the Study of Democracy, University of California, Irvine (\$2,080)
- 2002 National Science Foundation Dissertation Improvement Grant (\$7,500) (PI: Bruce Western, Co-PI: Nina Bandelj)
- 2002 Center for Migration and Development Research Grant, Princeton University (\$3,000)
- 2001-2002 European Political Economy Infrastructure Consortium Junior Doctoral Researcher Scholarship, European Commission, Fifth Framework Program (\$5,000)
- 2001 American Sociological Association Teaching Enhancement Grant (\$1,000) (with Wendy Cadge and Eszter Hargittai)
- 2001 Summer Fellowship Grant, The Graduate School, Princeton University (\$3,000)
- 2000 Grant from the Ministry of Science of the Republic of Slovenia (PI: Danica Purg, Co-PI: Nina Bandelj) (\$70,000)

1999 Center of International Studies Pre-dissertation Research Grant,
Princeton University (\$4,000)

Invited Presentations

2008 ISA RC02 Economy and Society Midterm Conference, Keynote,
University of Neuchatel, Switzerland

2008 Department of Sociology, University of California, San Diego

2007 Anderson School of Management, University of California, Los Angeles

2007 "Polities: Politicized Economies and Marketized Parties in Network
Perspective," Invited Conference at Columbia University

2006 "Research Network 1989," Invited Plenary at the European University
Institute, Florence, Italy

2006 "Foreign Direct Investment in Comparative Perspective" Workshop,
Duke University

2006 Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University
Institute, Florence, Italy

2005 Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies, Cologne, Germany

2005 Faculty of Economics, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia

2005 "Cultural Politics of Globalization and Community in East Central
Europe" Workshop, funded by the National Science Foundation, at
Collegium Budapest, Hungary

2003 West Point Military Academy, Department of Social Sciences

2002 Yale University, Center for International Studies

2002 University of Iowa, Department of Sociology

2002 Ohio State University, Department of Sociology

2002 University of Minnesota, Department of Sociology

2002 University of Utah, Department of Sociology

2001 Cultural Dynamics Conference, Princeton University

2000 Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia

Presentations at Professional Meetings

2008 "How Neoliberal? Varieties of Socio-Economic Reform in Postsocialist
Europe." Accepted for presentation at the Council for European
Studies Conference, Chicago.

2007 "Cultural Articulations and Contestations of Economic Globalization."
Presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meetings,
New York.

2007 "The Cultural Wealth of Nations." (Nina Bandelj and Frederick
Wherry). Presented at the Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics
Annual Meetings, Copenhagen, Denmark.

- 2007 “Downsizing the State in Central and Eastern Europe.” Presented at the Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Annual Meeting, Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 2007 “Economic Objects as Cultural Objects: Discourse on Foreign Direct Investment in Slovenia.” Presented at the Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Annual Meeting, Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 2006 “Emotions in Economic Action and Interaction.” Presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, Montreal, Canada.
- 2006 “Consolidation of Democracy in Postcommunist Europe.” (Nina Bandelj and Bogdan Radu). Presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, Montreal, Canada.
- 2006 “Social, Political and Economic Development in Central and Eastern Europe after 1989.” Presented at the International Sociological Association World Congress, Durban, South Africa.
- 2006 “The Changing Patterns of Income Inequality in Postsocialist Europe.” (Nina Bandelj and Matthew Mahutga). Presented at the International Sociological Association World Congress, Durban, South Africa.
- 2006 “National Identity and Economic Exchange.” Presented at the Council for European Studies Fifteenth International Conference, Chicago.
- 2005 “Income Inequality Reconsidered: Evidence from Post-Socialist Countries.” (Nina Bandelj and Matthew Mahutga). American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia.
- 2005 “Networks as Structural and Cultural Features of Organizations: The Case of Private Business Schools in Post-socialist Europe” (Nina Bandelj and Danica Purg). American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia.
- 2005 “Globalization and Income Inequality in Post-Socialist Europe (1989-2001)” (Nina Bandelj and Matthew Mahutga). Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Annual Meeting, Budapest, Hungary.
- 2005 “Networks, Culture or Politics? Sociological Approaches to Markets.” XXV International Sunbelt Social Networks Conference, Redondo Beach, California.
- 2004 “The Practice of Economic Action: Foreign Direct Investment Attempts in Central and Eastern Europe.” Annual Meetings of American Sociological Association, San Francisco.
- 2004 “Networks as Resource and Modus Operandi: The Case of Private Business Schools in Central and Eastern Europe” (Nina Bandelj, David Gedlicka and Danica Purg). XXIV International Sunbelt Social Networks Conference, Portoroz, Slovenia.

- 2003 “The Practice of Economic Action.” Working Group in Organizational Research Seminar, University of California, Irvine.
- 2003 “Determinants of Foreign Direct Investment Trajectories in Central and Eastern Europe (1990-2000).” Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Annual Meeting, Aix-en-Provence, France.
- 2003 “Varieties of Capitalism in Central and Eastern Europe.” Society for Comparative Research Graduate Student Retreat, Princeton University.
- 2003 “Social Embeddedness of Foreign Investment Attempts: Evidence from Eastern Europe.” Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meetings, Philadelphia.
- 2002 “Disembeddedness? Economies in Post-Socialist Europe.” European Political Economy Infrastructure Consortium Workshop in Florence, Italy.
- 2002 “From State-Socialism to State-Capitalism: National Trajectories of Foreign Direct Investment in Central and Eastern Europe.” Annual Meetings of American Sociological Association, Chicago
- 2002 “Creation of Foreign Direct Investment Markets in Central and Eastern Europe.” Society for Comparative Research Graduate Student Retreat, Budapest, Hungary
- 2002 “Creation of Foreign Direct Investment Markets in Central and Eastern Europe.” European Political Economy Infrastructure Consortium Workshop in Florence, Italy.
- 2002 “Invested Transactions: Foreign Direct Investment Attempts into Central and Eastern Europe.” Embedded Enterprise in Comparative Perspective, Joint Princeton-Northwestern Junior Scholars’ Workshop, Princeton University.
- 2001 “National Trajectories of Foreign Direct Investment in Central and Eastern Europe.” Center of International Studies Fellows Seminar, Princeton University.
- 2001 “Enacting Culture: How Actors Create Character Roles.” Annual Meetings of American Sociological Association, Anaheim.
- 2001 “Particularizing the Global: Reception of Foreign Direct Investment in Slovenia.” 35th World Congress of International Institute for Sociology, Krakow, Poland.
- 2001 “Dealing with Globalization: A Case Study of Foreign Investment Reception.” Society for Comparative Research Graduate Student Retreat, Yale University.

- 2001 “National Identity Encounters Globalization: How Culture Constrains and Enables Foreign Investment in Slovenia.” Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meetings, Philadelphia.
- 2000 “Foreign Investment Policy in Central and Eastern Europe.” National Identity and Public Policy in Comparative Perspective, Joint Princeton-Columbia Graduate Student Workshop, Princeton University.
- 2000 “Embedded Economies: Determinants of Foreign Direct Investment in Central and Eastern Europe.” Annual Meetings of American Sociological Association, Washington, D.C.
- 2000 “Determinants of Foreign Direct Investment in Central and Eastern Europe.” Society for Comparative Research Graduate Student Retreat, Yale University.
- 1998 “Cross Cultural Analysis of Car Advertisements in American, French and German Magazines: Testing with Hofstede’s Typology.” Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Philadelphia.

Teaching Experience

Assistant Professor, University of California, Irvine (2003 – present)

Undergraduate courses

Introduction to Sociology (2003, 2004)
 Money, Work and Social Life (2004, 2006)

Graduate courses

Research Design (2004, 2005)
 Post-Communist Societies (2005, 2007)
 Economic Sociology (2006)
 Reading Group on Class (2007)

Graduate Student Advising -Doctoral

Matthew C. Mahutga (Dissertation Committee Member, ongoing)
 Helena Kovacic (Dissertation Committee Member, ongoing)
 Bogdan Radu (Dissertation Committee Member, defended 2007)

Graduate Student Advising -Masters

Lidija Drobez (Master Thesis Chair, ongoing)
 Tatjana Spes (Master Thesis Chair, ongoing)
 Scott Byrd (Master Thesis Committee Member, completed 2007)
 Matthew Cardinale (Master Thesis Committee Member, completed 2005)
 Kelly Ramsey (Master Thesis Committee Member, completed 2005)
 Catherine Corrigan-Brown (Master Thesis Committee Member, completed 2004)

Graduate Student Advising – Comprehensive Exams

Alaka Rao (Comprehensive Examination Outside Committee Member, taken 2007)
 Bogdan Radu (Comprehensive Exams Committee Member, taken 2004)

Undergraduate Student Advising

David Calderone (2004-05 Undergraduate Honors Thesis Advisor)

- Recipient of 2004-05 Robin M. Williams, Jr. Undergraduate Paper Award Honorable Mention

Visiting Professor. IEDC-Bled School of Management, Slovenia (2003 - present)

Lecturer and Preceptor. Princeton University (1999 – 2003)

University Service

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, IRVINE

2006-2007 *Conference Chair.* Third Annual Graduate Student Conference. Center for the Study of Democracy

2006-2007 *Junior and Senior Faculty Search Committee Member.* Department of Sociology

2005, 2007 *Faculty Appointment Committee Member.* Department of Sociology

2004-present *Executive Committee Member.* Center for Organizational Research

2004-2005 *Organizer.* “1990-2005: Democracy and Its Development,” Graduate Student Conference, Center for the Study of Democracy

2004-2005 *By-laws Committee Member.* Department of Sociology

2003-2004 *Junior Faculty Search Committee Member,* Center for the Study of Democracy

2003-2004 *Undergraduate Committee Member.* Department of Sociology

2003, 2004, 2006 *Merit Review Committee Member,* Department of Sociology

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY

2000-2002 *Co-founder and Co-organizer.* Teaching Initiative for Princeton Sociology Graduate Students

2000-2001 *Graduate Student Representative.* Department of Sociology Junior Faculty Recruitment Committee

1999-2000 *Cohort Representative.* Department of Sociology Graduate Student Advisory Council

1998-2000 *Graduate Fellow.* Wilson Residential College

Professional Activities

ELECTED POSITIONS

- 2006-2010 *Co-Chair*. Research Committee 09, Social Transformations and Sociology of Development, International Sociological Association
- 2003-2006 *Secretary/Treasurer*. Research Committee 09, Social Transformations and Sociology of Development, International Sociological Association

EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

- 2007-present *Advisory Editorial Board Member*. Družboslovne Razprave
- 2002-present *Editorial Board Member*. European Political Economy Review
- 2006-2007 *Editor*. European Economic Sociology Newsletter
- 2003-2006 *Newsletter Editor*. Research Committee 09, Social Transformations and Sociology of Development, International Sociological Association

PROGRAM AND SESSION ORGANIZATION

- 2008 *Session Organizer*. "How International Actors Shape Postsocialist Transformations." Council for European Studies Conference, Chicago, March 6-8.
- 2008 *Session Co-organizer*. "Cultural Wealth of Nations" (with Frederick Wherry). First World Sociology Congress, RC09 Sessions, Barcelona, September 5-8, 2008.
- 2008 *Session Organizer*. "Understanding Postsocialist Transformations: The Role of New Actors and New Institutions." First World Sociology Congress, RC09 Sessions, Barcelona, September 5-8, 2008.
- 2007-2008 *Program Co-organizer*. First World Sociology Congress, RC09 Sessions, Barcelona, September 5-8, 2008.
- 2006-present *Coordinator*. Research Network 1989, Working Group on Economy and Society
- 2006 *Invited Program Organizer*. Regular Sessions on Economic Sociology (six sessions), American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada.
- 2006 *Session Organizer*. "Social Transformations in Central and Eastern Europe: Taking Stock of Developments After 1989." XVI International Sociological Association, World Congress of Sociology, Durban, South Africa.
- 2006 *Session Co-Organizer*. "Changing Patterns of Inequality and Development." (with Hanno Scholtz and Salvatore Babones). XVI

International Sociological Association, World Congress of Sociology, Durban, South Africa.

- 2005-2006 *Program Co-Organizer* (with Willfried Spohn). Research Committee 09 Conference Program (thirteen sessions). XVI International Sociological Association, World Congress of Sociology, Durban, South Africa.
- 2002 *Invited Program Co-organizer*. Economic Sociology Section Roundtables at American Sociological Association Meetings, Chicago

SELECTION COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES

- 2003-2004 *Award Committee Member*. American Sociological Association Economic Sociology Section Graduate Student Paper Award

DISCUSSION

- 2008 *Discussant*. "How International Actors Shape Postsocialist Transformations." Council for European Studies Conference, Chicago.
- 2004, 2006 *Discussant*. Center for Organizational Research Working Seminar, University of California, Irvine.
- 2004 *Faculty Discussant*. Society for Comparative Research Graduate Student Retreat. University of California, San Diego.
- 1999 *Panelist*. "Management Education for Non-Profit Organizations." Open Society Institute Workshop, Budapest, Hungary
- 1999 *Guest Critic*. "Triestine Typographies: Workshop on Re-vitalization of Trieste, Italy." Technische Universitaet Berlin, Germany

SESSION CHAIR

- 2008 *Chair*. "EU Enlargement." Session at the Council for European Studies Conference. Chicago.
- 2007 *Moderator*. "Economics, Cultures, Discourses." Session at the Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Annual Meeting, Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 2006 *Co-Chair*. "Global Governance, Multiple Modernities and Local Politics - Perspectives from Europe." (with Willfried Spohn). XVI International Sociological Association, World Congress of Sociology, Durban, South Africa.
- 2006 *Co-Chair*. "Changing Patterns of Inequality and Development." (with Hanno Scholtz). XVI International Sociological Association, World Congress of Sociology, Durban, South Africa.
- 2006 *Chair*. "Social Transformations in Central and Eastern Europe: Taking Stock of Developments After 1989." XVI International Sociological Association, World Congress of Sociology, Durban, South Africa.

- 2005 *Presider.* Organizations, Occupations and Work Roundtable Session, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia.
- 2005 *Chair.* Labor Market Issues in the Global Economy Session, Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics Annual Meeting, Budapest, Hungary.
- 2005 *Chair.* Networks and Economics Session. XXV International Sunbelt Social Networks Conference, Redondo Beach, California.
- 2004 *Presider.* Economic Sociology Section Roundtables, American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, San Francisco.

WEBSITE MAINTENANCE

- 2003-2007 International Sociological Association, Research Committee 09: Social Transformations and Sociology of Development Website
- 2000-present Materials for the Study of Childhood, Princeton University, Website Design and Maintenance

MANUSCRIPT REVIEWER

American Journal of Sociology
American Sociological Review
British Journal of Sociology
European Political Economy Review
International Journal of Comparative Sociology
International Sociology
Management International Review
Organization Studies
Social Forces
Sociological Forum
Symbolic Interaction
 Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies
 Princeton University Press
 W.W. Norton

Professional Memberships

American Sociological Association (Economic Sociology; Culture; Organizations, Occupations and Work; Comparative and Historical Sociology Sections)
 Council for European Studies
 International Sociological Association
 International Institute of Sociology
 International Networks Archive
 Research Network 1989
 Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics

Eastern Sociological Society (1997-2003)
Midwest Sociological Society (1996-1998)

Language Skills

Slovenian, English (native fluency)
Croatian, Serbian (working knowledge)
German, French (basic)
Italian (rudimentary)

References

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