




PERSONAL INFORMATION

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FIELD

Architect, Consultant, Researcher, Documentary Producer

WORK EXPERIENCE

2010 – Ongoing

Head of wonderland network

Wonderland - Platform for European Architecture – Vienna, Austria

- Project management, project development and funding, communications, training, co-creation workshops, publishing, moderation, consultancy, community, heritage and sustainability expert, network advisor and member relationships.
- Application of the wonderland formats around Europe, funding, PR including content management through various channels for the platform, conception and publication of the researches, knowledge transfer, trainings, participative workshops, team building and development, mentoring. Dissemination and capitalization of results.
- Spatial Justice
Develop a learning platform with lectures, films and games for capacity building in the field of spatial justice.
- PED-ACT
Co-create a database and AI matrix for the development of Positive Energy Districts.
- POSEIDON
Capacity building with stakeholders in future Positive Energy Districts and social program for empowerment of local actors.
- Fair Mobility
Merging the possibilities of tourism and needs for mobility and accessibility of vulnerable groups in the Salzkammergut (cultural capital 2024) region in Austria and Creil area in France.

2024 - 2025

Editor of Traces Atlas

Traces –Cost Action 20134 - Traces as Research Agenda for Climate Change, Technology Studies, and Social Justice

- Lead Partner: St. Andrew University / United Kingdom
- Editor for the international ATLAS with capacity building activities.

2023-2024

Scientific Board Member

Conference Dynamics of Placemaking – Pedagogical concepts in Placemaking

- Host: NOVA University of Lisbon
- Scientific Board Member for the conference papers.
- Conference & Workshop: participative methods and moderation.
- Conclusions and lessons learnt - publication

2018 – 2023

Director of Vienna Headquarters

Eutropian GmbH – Vienna, Austria

- PlaceCity: 2019-2021
PlaceCity - for creating better cities together by gathering placemaking tools and implement those

tools in the partners cities (JPI Urban Europe)

Austria, Norway, Netherlands

International project coordinator and communication manager of international project on public spaces and urban regeneration through placemaking named "PlaceCity" funded by JPI Urban Europe.

- HouseIN: 2021-2022

HouseIN – Housing and it's integration Nexus (JPI Urban Europe)

Germany, Austria, Sweden, Netherlands

Researcher and policy developer of international project on housing and it's integration capacity for migrants "HouseIN" funded by JPI Urban Europe.

- Open Heritage: 2018-2022

OpenHeritage: Organizing, Promoting and ENabling HEritage Reuse through Inclusion, Technology, Access, Governance and Empowerment (H2020)

Hungary, Austria, Germany, Netherlands, Portugal, Poland, Ukraine, Italy, United Kingdom, Spain, Researcher, communication and training advisor for the H2020 funded heritage project "Open Heritage".

- gE.CO: tools for generative commons

Researcher and knowledge transfer advisor for the H2020 funded commons project "Generative Commons".

- AGORA: urban voids to urban potentials

Project manager and communication manager for the international industrial heritage project "AGORA" funded by Interreg Danube.

- Consider:

Project manager and outgoing researcher for the intercontinental exchange project on heritage activation and management named "Consider" funded by H2020

2021-2025 Communication Working Group Manager, Management Committee

Traces – United Kingdom Cost Action 20134 - Traces as Research Agenda for Climate Change, Technology Studies, and Social Justice

- Lead Partner: St. Andrew University / United Kingdom

- Partner countries: Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, United Kingdom

- Management and international team managing on communication and dissemination of scientific results. International exchange and knowledge transfer.

Management Committee - representing Austria.

2023 Secondment to Uni Newcastle

Researching the cultural ecosystem in Newcastle.

- Host university: Uni Newcastle / United Kingdom

- Research and short-docu production with the actors of the cultural sector.

researcher – short film producer.

2022 Jury for affordability and viability

Solar Decathlon Europe 2022 in Wuppertal

- Host: TU Wuppertal

- 16 participating universities: Thailand, Sweden, Turkey, Germany, France, Romania, Czech Hungary, Netherlands, Spain,

- Evaluating all 16 contributions with respect to affordability and viability.

jury.

2021 Moderator and Producer

Underground Heritage dialogues – online

Moderation of “Underground Heritage dialogues” episodes with universities, researcher, NGO’s, stakeholders, bottom up initiatives, urban administrations, decision makers, policy experts and EU institutes.

2021 Virtual Networking Manager

- Organisation, managing and facilitating virtual activities – Europewide
- Cost Action 18204 - Dynamics of placemaking and digitalization in Europe’s cities
- Lead Partner: Humboldt University of Berlin/Germany
Partner: for this work, the participants/collaborators come from ITC countries (Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Croatia, Hungary, Lithuania, Latvia, Luxembourg, Malta, Montenegro, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovenia, Slovakia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Republic of Serbia and Turkey)

2021 Moderator and Producer

Cooperative Urban Futures – online

Moderation of “Cooperative Urban Futures” episodes as a collaboration of Cooperative City and EUKN with universities, researcher, NGO’s, stakeholders, bottom up initiatives, urban administrations, decision makers, policy experts and EU institutes.

2021 – ongoing Ad-hoc Urbact expert

- RiConnect, URBACT III Transfer Network <https://urbact.eu/riconnect>
- Lead Partner: Barcelona/Spain
- Partner: Thessaloniki/Greece, Paris/France, Krakow/Poland, Gdansk/Poland, Porto/Portugal, Manchester/United Kingdom
- Action Planning of mobility infrastructures in 8 metropolises in order to reconnect people, neighbourhoods, cities and natural spaces. Ad-hoc expert for local economy, social cohesion and gender equality

2010 – Ongoing Project expert

- EYAE – Education for youth’s capacity building through agricultural economies
- Erasmus+ Exchange program
- Collaboration between Albania, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, North Macedonia, Montenegro and Serbia)
- Developing an education manual with adopting agricultural entrepreneurship to develop urban-periphery areas and creation of sustainable youth capacities. Best cases research. Author for the digital publication

2021 Virtual Networking Manager

- Organisation, managing and facilitating virtual activities – Europewide
- Cost Action 18110 – Underground Built Heritage as catalyser for Community Valorisation
- Lead Partner: ISMed-CNR/Italy
- Partner: for this work, the participants/collaborators come from ITC countries (Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Croatia, Hungary, Lithuania, Latvia, Luxembourg, Malta, Montenegro, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovenia, Slovakia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Republic of Serbia and Turkey)

2021 Ad-hoc Urbact expert

- Ad-hoc Urbact expert
- ACTive NGOs, URBACT III Transfer Network <https://urbact.eu/active-ngos>
- Lead Partner: Riga/Latvia
- Partner: Siracusa/Italy, Brighton/United Kingdom, Dubrovnik/Croatia, Santa Pola/Spain, Espoo/Finland
- Design and implementation of digital transnational exchange: games “dynamics of neighbourhoods”

2020 – 2023 Story Telling, Management Committee

Underground4Value – Napoli, Italy

- Cost Action 18110 – Underground Built Heritage as catalyser for Community Valorisation.
- Lead Partner: ISMed-CNR/Italy
- Partner countries: Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Finland, France, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Lithuania, Malta, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom
- Promoting through story telling “Underground Built Heritage” as a valuable resource to celebrate and preserve and, when sustainable, to re-use and valorise, realising its full potential to support local communities’ development. The action develops Case Studies in 16 countries. Supporting of the community activities with story telling techniques for NGO’s, public administration and scientific community.
- Management Committee - representing Austria.

2019 - 2020 Guest Lecturer

- lecturer for the master class “adaptive re-use of heritage”.
- Central European University – Vienna, Austria

2020 Moderator

- Forum Urban Agenda for the EU – Culture and Cultural Heritage – Berlin, Germany
- Advisory and facilitation of Action Working Group within the EU Urban Agenda Partnership on Culture and Cultural Heritage within the “Digital Forum Urban Agenda for the EU – Culture and Cultural Heritage in Europe” conference.

2020 Project Manager

Community-led Heritage Development, Austrian Development Agency BACID program – Kosovo
Project leader for wonderland in the expertise transfer program for the region of Peja with 6 municipalities and tangible, intangible heritage. Development of a concept for community-led development for built and natural heritage while responding to the climate goals and considering many SDG goals. Co-creation with Kosovo partners and Austrian experts. Creation of webinars and publication for knowledge capitalisation.

2020 - 2021 Project Manager

- UCELAB Urban Civic Education Lab – Vienna, Austria
- Erasmus+ Exchange program
- Collaboration between Austria, Italy and Germany
Developing an education manual with adopting placemaking methods to empower young citizens to improve urban environment. Mentoring youth coming from Austria, Italy and Germany. Development of manual for UCELAB training. Editor for the digital publication.

2020 - 2023 Mentoring Manager, Management Committee

- Rural NEET Youth Network – Portugal Cost Action 18213 - Rural NEET Youth Network: Modelling the risks underlying rural NEETs social exclusion.
- Lead Partner: Instituto Universitario de Lisboa/Portugal
- Partner countries: Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, United Kingdom
- Management and international team mentoring program for PhD students and early career investigators. Stakeholder inclusion in research. National research, international exchange and knowledge transfer, capacity building and policy development. Research on best practices of youth empowerment. Extracting models from best cases and developing a manual for policy makers and experts.
- Management Committee - representing Austria.

2020 Project Manager

- Community developed heritage - Kosovo
- Austrian Development Agency BACID program

- Project leader for wonderland in the expertise transfer program for heritage and tourism fields in the city of Peja in Kosovo. Development of a roadmap in co-creation with Kosovorian partners and Austrian experts. Creating a scheme for a community development for Peja and surrounding rural areas which bring people, heritage and tourism closer. Creation of webinars and publication for knowledge capitalisation.

2019 - 2021 **Project Coordinator**

- CEED – circular economy through eco-design
- Erasmus+ Exchange program
- Collaboration between Austria, Italy, Albania, Kosovo, North Macedonia, Montenegro
- Developing an education manual on how to combine circular economy and eco-design for the education and capacity building with youth. Research of best practices and preparation of packages to inspire (webinars, training, leaflets, handbook). Mentoring youth coming from Austria, Italy, Albania, Kosovo, North Macedonia, Montenegro. Development of a manual for CEED publication as the lead partner. Author and editor of the digital publication.

2020 – ongoing **Validated Urbact Expert**

- Continuous collaboration with Urbact programs as guest speaker or ad-hoc expert
- <https://urbact.eu/nasya>

2019 **Project Manager**

Revitalising Lezha - Albania

- Austrian Development Agency BACID program
- Project leader for wonderland in the expertise transfer program for vacant spaces in the city of Lezha. Development of a roadmap in co-creation with Albanian partners and Austrian experts. Creating a scheme for a vacancy agency à la model “kreative Räume Wien”. Creation of webinars and publication for knowledge capitalisation.

2019 **Project Leader**

Let's Get Rural – Malta

- Erasmus+ Youth exchange program
- Project leader for wonderland in the exchange program. Mentoring youth coming from Austria in development of skills for potentials activation in rural areas.

2019 - 2024 **Knowledge Transfer, Management Committee**

- Dynamics of Placemaking – Germany
- Lead Partner: Humboldt University of Berlin/Germany
- Partner countries: Albania, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Israel, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Netherlands, North Macedonia, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom
- Cost Action 18204 - Dynamics of placemaking and digitalization in Europe's cities
- Working on networks and knowledge transfers with academic partners and professional networks. Assessment of activation tools and inclusion measures. Digitalisation and barrier free access for communities. Europe-wide exchange and network.
- Management Committee - representing Austria.

2018 - Ongoing **Placemaking Europe Leader**

European Placemaking Network – Netherlands

- Working group management and involvement
- Child friendly cities.
- Tool development for inclusion Housing and Placemaking Films and Cities
- Sustainable cities

2015 – 2016 **PR and Marketing Manager**

POS Sustainable Architecture – Vienna, Austria

Creation of communication and promotion strategy. Redesign Cooperate Identity and web appearance. Promotion of sustainable architecture on various channels, as well as working on research projects about sustainability in architecture

2013 Researcher

Landluft – Vienna, Austria

Research on urban sprawl and development of rural (vacant) centres. Conception of a rural development academy

2013 – 2014 Editor and project manager

Publications – Vienna, Austria

Conceptualizing and co-editing of the magazine “Represent & Reflect”. Assistance for the publication “Manual for emerging architects”. Conceptualizing and co-editing of magazines for wonderland. Project manager for the touring Urban Living Lab “wonderlab” in Vienna, Kiev and Berlin.

2012 Documentary Maker

The Sea in Me - Turkey

Documentary about the coastal transition in the Black Sea Region selected by Satellietgroep and DCR Guest studio as artist in residency to complete the documentary and premiere it in The Hague.

2011 Researcher

Zeiningen Architekten – Vienna, Austria

Conducted a research and assisted the creation of various scenarios for the reuse of abandoned city districts and heritage sites.

2010 Architect

Mojo (Association for Development of Underprivileged Communities in Africa) – South Africa

Full-scale building of a school class unit with the focus on ecological gardening in Mzamba, South Africa. Developed a master plan for a school ground for pre-, primary and secondary school in Mzamba, South Africa. Fundraising and PR for the project.

2010 Real Estate Evaluator

Barbara Preglei – Vienna, Austria

Real estate evaluation.

2008 Architect

Architekten Zoerr & Lotz – Vienna, Austria

Development of concepts of reuse and uplifting of heritage buildings. Prepared construction of reactivation.

2007 Architect

OEBB Immobilien GmbH – Vienna, Austria

Assessment and creation of vacant building plans for OEBB, preparing them for display on the web portal, creating versions for use by the valorisation and development departments.

2007 English Correspondent

Architekten Soyka/Silber/Soyka

Assisted the communication between constructor in Russia and architecture office in Austria, as well as technical translations from German to English and vice versa.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- 2019 **Writing for Business**
Writers Studio – Vienna, Austria
- Storytelling for business, public relations, web texts, essays and publications.
- 2019 **Digital Marketing**
BFI – Vienna, Austria
- Web analytics, SEO, Social Media, Content development, Digital Communication Strategies, digital publications.
- 2011 - 2019 **Research: Vernacular Architecture in the Alps and in the Pontus**
Vienna University of Technology – Vienna, Austria
- Comparative research and publication as master thesis.
 - Research of lifestyles, economic possibilities and development strategies.
- 2009 - 2011 **MSC in Architecture**
Vienna University of Technology – Vienna, Austria
- Master study on reuse and redevelopment of vacant buildings, sustainable buildings and universal design.
- 2008 - 2009 **Erasmus Mobility Programme: Architecture Study**
ETSAV Barcelona – Barcelona, Spain
- Erasmus mobility program. Master study in architecture.
- 2004 - 2008 **BSC in Architecture**
Vienna University of Technology – Vienna, Austria
- Elementary architecture program with design studios and research.
- 1999 - 2002 **BA in Psychology and Sociology**
Fernuni Hagen – Hagen, Germany
- Distanced learning for bachelor in psychology and sociology.
- 1992 - 1997 **Industrial Management Specialised Studies**
HTL Dornbirn (polytechnic school) – Vienna, Austria
- Specialised management education and training for producing industries (like textile industry).

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) German and Turkish

Other language(s)

UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C2	C2	C2
French	B1	B1	B1	B1
Spanish	B1	B1	B1	B1

Levels: A1/2: Basic user - B1/2: Independent user - C1/2 Proficient user
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages