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Education

1990 Columbia University. Ph.D. in Sociology
1980 University of Sussex. M.A. in Social and Political Thought
1979 Harvard University. B.A. in Social Studies, summa cum laude

Honors, Awards, and Fellowships

2016-17 Fellow, Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin
2011 Appointed to UCLA Foundation Chair
2009 Elected Member of American Academy of Arts and Sciences
1999-2000 Guggenheim Fellowship
1995-96 Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences
1994-99 MacArthur Fellowship
1994-99 National Science Foundation Young Investigator Award
1988-1991 Junior Fellow, Society of Fellows, Harvard University

Books

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Nationalist Politics and Everyday Ethnicity in a Transylvanian Town. With Margit Feischmidt, Jon Fox, and Liana Grancea. Princeton University Press, 2006. (Translated into Hungarian and Romanian)

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“Transborder Membership Politics in Germany and Korea.” With Jaeeun Kim. *Archives européennes de sociologie/European Journal of Sociology* 52, no. 1 (2011) : 21-75.

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Current Anthropology, Anthropological Quarterly, Theory Culture & Society, Contention, Political Theory, American Political Science Review, Comparative Politics, Comparative Political Studies, Perspectives on Politics, Citizenship Studies, Studies in Law, Politics, and Society, European Union Politics, European Journal of International Relations, International Politics, Government and Opposition, Polity, Problems of Post-Communism, International Migration Review, Ethnic and Racial Studies, Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies, Nations and Nationalism, Nationalism and Ethnic Politics, Ethnicities, National Identities, Social Identities, Religions, East European Politics and Society, Russian Review, and Slavic Review.

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