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Education

- 09/2016 – present **MSc Comparative Social Policy**
University of Oxford
- 08/2011 – 07/2015 **BA Political Science and Modern History (5.4/6)**
Universität Zürich/Freie Universität Berlin
BA Thesis (5.5/6):
Case study in the creation of European Regulatory Networks:
The European Regulators Group for Audiovisual Media Services
- 08/2005 – 06/2010 **Eidgenössische Maturität (Latin and Greek focus)**
Gymnasium am Münsterplatz, Basel

Work Experience

- 3/2016 – 7/2016 **Intern Berlin Programming**
German Marshall Fund of the United States
Research into startup policy in Europe and the US elections as well as press reviews and event management support for discussion events with high-level guests.
- 8/2015 – 11/2015 **Intern Global Incentives Advisory, EMEIA**
Ernst & Young, Berlin
Conceptual and administrative support with project management and grant applications for research and innovation projects, in particular EU grants in healthcare and education
- 05/2013 - present **Translator and proofreader**
Librum Publishers & Editors, Basel
German – English translation and proofreading of academic publications, primarily in history, for a specialist publisher
- June 2012 – June 2014 **Office Support/Personal Assistant**
Rasha Swiss Invest GmbH, Zürich
Administrative tasks and general support to the director (e.g. calendar management and correspondence) part-time next to studies.

Volunteering

- 1/2014 – present **Chair of the Governing Body**
European Youth Parliament
Elected member of the international strategic board of the European Youth Parliament, a European political education programme involving 28,000 people each year.

- 4/2012 – 4/2013 **Co-ordinator of the Board of National Committees,**
European Youth Parliament
Chair of the assembly of all national chapters of the European Youth Parliament, responsible for chairing two annual meetings and coordinating decision-making between forty national organisations.
- 1/2010 – 1/2013 **Vice-President of the Board**
European Youth Parliament Switzerland
Responsible for fundraising, planning and execution of political education events for students across Switzerland.

Prizes & Awards

- 4/2015 **Semester Prize**
University of Zurich
Awarded to 30 students (student body 25 000) each semester for outstanding papers. Awarded for “Ill-fated tapes: Oral History and the Boston College Subpoena”.
- 9/2016-9/2017 **Bakala Scholar**
Fondation Zdenek et Michaela Bakala
Full academic scholarship awarded to Swiss students in the US and UK based on academic merit and social engagement.

Further interests

Student theatre
Debating
Swing dance