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Work Experience

Since 01/2021	Scientific employee at the chair of Sociology of Technology and member of the Science & Technology Studies group, European New School of Digital Studies (ENS), European University Viadrina Frankfurt (Oder)
2015-2020	Researcher at the Digital Media Lab, Munich Center for Technology in Society (MCTS), Technical University of Munich
2013-2014	Scholar at the "Sozialwissenschaftlichen Kolleg: Culture in Sociology of Religion", Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes
2011-2013	Scholar at the "Sozialwissenschaftliches Kolleg: Family and society - A family-economic analysis", Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes
2013	Tutor at the chair of Prof. Nassehi, Ludwig-Maximilians-University (LMU), Munich
2011-2012	Student assistant at the chair of Prof. Dr. Villa, General Sociology/Gender Studies, LMU

Education

Since 2015	Doctorate, Munich Center for Technology in Society (MCTS), Technical University of Munich with the research project: "Infrastructuring European Migration and Border Control. The Logistics of Moria Hotspot, Joint Operation Poseidon and Frontex Joint Operation Reporting Application"
2014	Master thesis: Body formations. An empirical study about (con)figurations of the body at receiving inspections (grade: 1.0)
2011-2014	M.A. in Sociology and Gender Studies at Ludwig-Maximilian-University Munich (final grade: 1.09)
2011	Bachelor Thesis: «It is somehow just the usual craziness.» A qualitative study about intra- and intergenerational negotiation process in family business (grade: 1.0)
2008-2011	B.A. in Cultural Studies at Leipzig University (grade: 1.0)
2006-2008	Composition at The Liszt Music School of Music Weimar (grade intermediate diploma: 1.2)
2008	Baccalaureate at Schule Schloss Salem, International Boarding School (grade: 1.5)

Academic Service

2012-13	Member of the DGS Dissertations-Award Commission
2013-14	Member of the DGS Dissertations-Award Commission

Awards/Scholarships

2019-2020	Brückenstipendium der Europa-Universität Viadrina Frankfurt Oder from October 2019 until March 2020
2011	Award for the best thesis 2011 at the Institute of Cultural studies, University of Leipzig
2009-14	Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes

Memberships

- European Group for Organizational Studies (EGOS)
- European Association for the Study of Science and Technology (EASST)
- Deutsche Gesellschaft für Soziologie
- Gesellschaft für Wissenschafts- und Technikforschung e.V. (GWTF)

Talks

2021	Pollozek, Silvan: Infrastructures beyond failure. Data circulation and the institutional (re)ordering of the Frontex Joint Operation Poseidon, online conference: STS-MICTEC online paper workshop, international conference, January 25-26.
2020	Pollozek, Silvan & Passoth, Jan-Hendrik: Templates, lists, switching points. Frontex Joint Operations and the coproduction of data infrastructures and governance beyond the nation state, conference: Making Europe through Infrastructures of In/security, University of Vienna, Austria, 12-13 November, 2020.
2020	Pollozek, Silvan: Counter-mapping Panoramas of European Border Control. Decomposing the Assemblage of the Moria Hotspot through Praxeographic Mapping, STS-MIGTEC Circle, 24 June 2020.
2020	Pollozek, Silvan: Territorializing migrants on a European, national and local level. The Registration and Identification Procedure at Moria Hotspot, conference: Krimmigration, Institute for Advanced Study ZIF, University of Bielefeld, Germany, 25-26 March 2020 [postponed by one year.]
2019	Pollozek, Silvan: Counter-mapping in institutional ecologies of European border control, EXCHANGE workshop: Care, Critique, Correction? Engaging with Migration & Crime Control Infrastructures, University of Minho, Braga, Portugal, 14 November 2019.
2019	Pollozek, Silvan: Turning unknown arrivals into processable subjects. Devices of truth assessment at Moria hotspot, conference: Diginauts. Border dissidence, digital resistance & the production of irregularized migrants, University of Copenhagen/IT University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, 24-25 October 2019.
2019	Pollozek, Silvan & Passoth, Jan-Hendrik: Infrastructuring European Border Control in Greece, lecture: Institutskolloquium „Mauern/überschreiten“. Daten, Grenzen, Verflechtungen: Infrastrukturen und Praktiken der Migrationsregulierung in mediterranen “Hot Spots” und auf See, Humboldt University Berlin, 22 October 2019.
2019	Pollozek, Silvan: Oligopticons, templates and plug-ins. Reassembling European border control, conference: Nordic Science and Technology Studies Conference 2019, University of Tampere, 14 June 2019.
2019	Pollozek, Silvan: Researching the Travel of Information within Institutional Ecologies of European Border Control, conference: A mobilities lens to the human mobility-environment nexus, Wageningen University, 6-7 June 2019.
2019	Pollozek, Silvan: Oligopticons, templates and plug-ins. Reassembling European border control, paper workshop: Infrastructuring Migration. Contributions and challenges for the study of technology and mobility, University of Linköping, 7-8 May.
2019	Pollozek, Silvan: Infrastructuring European Border Control in Greece, MCTS Doctoral Colloquium #mytopic.in.society, Munich, 22 February 2019.
2018	Pollozek, Silvan: Drawing things together at Moria Registration and Identification Center. On organizing and modes of infrastructures of European

	Migration and Border Management, conference: How can Science and Technology Studies help to reflect on the political crisis associated with refugees and asylum seekers?, University of Coimbra, 27 September 2018.
2018	Pollozek, Silvan: Producing accessible data, reactualizing datasets and synchronizing data practices. Inscripting temporal and normative orderings into the information infrastructure Frontex Joint Operation Reporting Application, conference: On time. Temporal and normative ordering of mobilities, University of Siegen, 13 September 2018.
2018	Pollozek, Silvan: Technologies of Sensing and Sense Making. Frontex Screening and its socio-technical arrangement of truth assessment at Moria Hotspot, Greece, conference of the European Association for the Study of Science and Technology (EASST), Lancaster, 26 July 2018.
2018	Pollozek, Silvan: Situating framing, overflowing and surprise in organizational processes. On interplays of bodies, technologies and scripts, conference of the European Group for Organizational Studies (EGOS), Tallinn, 05 July 2018.
2018	Pollozek, Silvan: Information infrastructures of apodemics. Frontex Information System PeDRA and the production of knowledge of traveling and migration routes, conference of the Società Italiana di Studi su Scienza e Tecnologia (STS Italia), University of Bologna, 14 June 2018.
2017	Pollozek, Silvan: Reform to enable support. Frontex' interventions in Greece and their role on infrastructures of European border and migration management, 8th Tensions of Europe Conference, Athens, 08 September 2017.
2017	Pollozek, Silvan: Logistics of Migration. Governing people, flows and risks in European Migration Management, MCTS Doctoral Colloquium #mytopic.in.society, München, 27 July 2017.
2017	Pollozek, Silvan und Jan-Hendrik Passoth: Data Collection and the Logi(stic)s of Migration, conference: Peopling Europe through Data Practices, Tate Modern und Goldsmiths College, London, 17 March 2017.

Organized Workshops/Panels

2021	Pollozek, Silvan et al.: STS-MICTEC online paper workshop, international conference, January 25-26.
2020	Pollozek, Silvan; Mauch, Felix & Mora Gamez, Fredy: Logistical Power. Infrastructures and State Formation Beyond the Nation State, international workshop, Munich Center for Technology in Society, Technical University of Munich, Germany, November 27-28.
2020	Pollozek Silvan & Nina Amelung et al.: STS-MIGTEC Circle Online Series. 2020.
2020	Pollozek, Silvan & Jacopo Anderlini: EURODAC, hotspots, repatriation routes: (trans)formations of socio-technical assemblages of the European border regime, conference: Royal Geographical Society (with the Institute of British Geographers) Annual International Conference, 31 August to 3 September 2021 [postponed by one year].
2020	Amelung, Nina; Pollozek, Silvan (session organizer) & Dijstelbloem, Huub (discussant): Contesting the 'migration/border control machine': entanglements of information and surveillance infrastructures with the making of publics/'non-publics', conference EASST, 18-21 August, Praha.

Publications

2020	Pollozek, Silvan (2020) Mapping European Border Control: On Small Maps, Reflexive Inversion and Interference. In: Social Inclusion. Special Issue "Method
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	as Border: Articulating 'Inclusion/Exclusion' as an Academic Concern in Migration and Border Research in Europe". (open access)
2020	Pollozek, Silvan & Passoth, Jan-Hendrik (2020). "Templates, Lists, Switching Points. Frontex Joint Operations and the Coproduction of Data Infrastructures and Governance beyond the Nation State." In: Zeitschrift für Medienwissenschaft, Special Issue on Circulation. (open access)
2020	Pollozek, Silvan (2020) Turbulences of speeding up data circulation. Frontex and its crooked temporalities of 'real-time' border control. In: Mobilities, Special Issue on Time and Normativities. (open access)
2019	Pollozek, Silvan & Passoth, Jan-Hendrik (2019): Data Collection and the Logistics of Migration. In: Environment and Planning D: Society and Space, Special Issue on Data and Migration. (open access)
2013	Pollozek, Silvan (2013) Vom Abtasten und Durchleuchten – ethnographische Beobachtungen der Eingangskontrolle in einem Amtsgericht, in: Polar. Zeitschrift für politische Philosophie und Kultur. #15. S. 109-113.

Teaching

WS 2018/19	Europe by Design? Digital Infrastructures for an Interoperable Europe, TUM.
WS 2017/18	Technology and Security in Society: Contemporary Risks and Challenges, with Dr. Nina Witjes et al. at MCTS, TUM
WS 2017/18	Controlling Flows: Exploring the Past, Present, and Future of Logistics in TechnoSocieties, with Dr. Felix Mauch at MCTS, TUM
WS 2016/17	Making Mess with Methods, with Dr. Jan-Hendrik Passoth, Peter Müller at MCTS, TUM
SS 2016	Digital Infrastructures, Standards and Interoperability, with Mariya Dzhimova at MCTS, TUM
WS 2015/16	Von Tron zu TED Talks (Wissenschaft und Technik in den Medien), with Jan Passoth et al., TUM
WS 2013/14	Tutorial, "Einführung in die Soziologie" (Introduction of Sociology), with Peter Müller, LMU
SS 2013	Tutorial „Soziologische Theorien“ (Sociological Theory), with Peter Müller, LMU

Other

2010	Birth of my son Fridolin Pollozek
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