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Academic Positions:

2014 – 2018 – Head of the Program in Media Communications at Ukrainian Catholic University

2014 – 2018 – Associate professor, lecturer at Media & Communications Department of Ukrainian Catholic University

2012–2014 – Assistant Professor of Media Communications at V. N. Karazin Kharkiv National University

Education:

In 2009 she defended her PhD thesis «Performance in the space of culture: archaic prototypes and contemporary representations»

In 2005 she graduated from the Faculty of Cultural Studies at Kharkiv State Academy of Culture, in Theory and history of culture.

Courses Taught:

Visual communications, New Media, Documentary, Media analysis, Verification of information

Publishing projects:

2015–2016: Director of the publishing project – Ukrainian translation of Alberto Cairo book *The Functional Art: An introduction to information graphics and*

2014–2015: Director of the publishing project – Ukrainian translation of Peter Pomerantsev book *Nothing Is True and Everything Is Possible. The Surreal Heart of the New Russia*

Related Professional Experience:

2018-2019 Project Manager at "Learn to Discern (L2D) " – media literacy course development program (jointly with IREX, AUP)

2018: Key organizer of V International Conference “MEDIA AND IDENTITY: HUMAN TRANSFORMATION IN THE DIGITAL AGE”

2016: Project Leader at "Laboratory of Media Analytics" (with the support of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Denmark)

2015: Co-organizer of International School of Multimedia Journalism in cooperation with the University FHVienna

2014–2015: Project Leader "Media literacy for teachers of Ukrainian schools"

2015–2016: Project Leader of Media and Identity Conference with the support of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Denmark

2015–2016: Project Leader of International Student Media Symposium-
2015 "Rethinking Media and Debunking Propaganda" with the support of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Denmark

2014 – 2015 present: Founder of the School for Civic Activists/Journalists jointly with DW Akademie

2013: Organizer of a series of workshops "Media Intensive" of leading Ukrainian media experts within the project "Media Education in Eastern Ukraine: innovative model" (Media Development Fund, USA).

2013: Organizer of a series of workshops "Media Activity" with the leading Ukrainian media experts within the project "Media Education in Eastern Ukraine: innovative model" (Media Development Fund, USA).

2012–2013: Member of the educational project DMU «Digital Media for Universities» (Training of trainers curriculum development program in digital journalism) initiated by Foundation for «Development of Ukraine» and implemented jointly with the National University of «Kyiv-Mohyla Academy»

2012: Member of the educational project "Technologies of Distance Education at

University" at V. N. Karazin Kharkiv National University

2007: Member of the National Union of Journalists of Ukraine.
Since 2002 she has worked as a journalist

Conferences and Speaking Engagements:

March 27-28, 2019 – Documentary Cinema as a Tool for Media Education in Human Rights, IV National Conference Kyiv, Ukraine (Docudays UA)

February 13, 2019 – Disinformation in the media and social networks: ways to detect and counteract, Conference, Kyiv, Ukraine

January 24, 2019 – Disinformation as Propaganda Tool: Regional Trends and Impact International Conference in Chisinau, Moldova

January 15, 2019 – Antibot: How to expose information manipulation? (Internews-Ukraine)

August 20-24, 2018 – Practical Workshop on Information Verification, Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan

October 31, 2018 – Academic Journalism Education and Medialiteracy in Kazakhstan, International Conference in Almaty, Kazakhstan

June 27–29, 2018: The MAG Convention 2018 (The International Association for the Humanities – MAG), Lviv, Ukraine

April 20–21, 2018: International Conference "National Dialogue: Development of Media Literacy in Ukraine", Kyiv, Ukraine

March 26–30, 2018: School of Media Education and Media Literacy (Calmar, Sweden)

September 6–15, 2017: Open World Program, managed by the Open World Leadership Center at the Library of Congress and administered by American Councils for International Education

April 10–11, 2017: NATO Public Diplomacy Forum (Tbilisi, Georgia)

April 12–13, 2017: Anti-democratic propaganda and fact-checking: training for young politicians from Georgia, Armenia, Azerbaijan (Tbilisi, Georgia – trainer)

January 27, 2017: Propaganda promoting illiberal public discourse: how to tackle it? (Riga, Working meeting, speaker)

June 13–15, 2016: Deutsche Welle (DW) Global Media Forum (Bonn, participant)

June 9–10, 2016: International forum on crisis communications (Military Institute of Taras Shevchenko National University, Kyiv, speaker)

May 27 –28 , 2016: Lviv Media Forum (Lviv, Ukraine - participant)

May 20 –21 , 2016: Media and Identity Conference (Ukrainian Catholic University, Lviv, Ukraine, moderator of panels)

March 31, 2016: III International Student Media Symposium "Conflicts through Media: Challenge and Changes" (Ukrainian Catholic University, Lviv, Ukraine - jury member, round table participant)

February 12, 2016: Propaganda for war and hatred and freedom of the media (Expert meeting, OSCE, Vienna, speaker)

December 3–4, 2015: Citizen journalism in contemporary media environment (The international conference, Ukrainian Catholic University, Lviv, Ukraine, speaker)

November 26–28, 2015: Problems in training of media educators to teach media literacy (The international conference, Moldova, Chisinau, speaker)

May 14–15, 2015: Media and Identity Conference (Ukrainian Catholic University, Lviv, Ukraine, moderator of panels)

April 16-17, 2015: Conference "Historical, sociological, political science, history, current state and prospects for research."(Kherson State University, Ukraine)

March 26–27, 2015: II International Student Media Symposium "Rethinking Media and Debunking Propaganda" (Ukrainian Catholic University, Lviv, Ukraine - jury member, round table participant)

December 12, 2014: Round Table at the School of Civic Activism MediaStream "Civic and professional journalist: challenges and responsibilities" (moderator)

November 14, 2014: Lviv Media Forum(Lviv, Ukraine - panelist)

November 13, 2014: Round Table at the School for Civic Activists/Journalists MediaStream "Empowering civic journalists: form of interaction"(moderator)

September 15, 2014: Round Table at the School for Civic Activists/Journalists MediaStream "Digital media and social tools work for journalist" (moderator)

March 21–22, 2014: First International Media Symposium TRANSMEDIA (Lviv, Ukraine – presenter, panel discussion participant, discutant)

May 16-17, 2014: International Conference "Media and Identity" (Lviv, Ukraine – panel discussion participant)

September 28, 2013: International Media Conference "Global village: children, television and cinema" at V. N. Karazin Kharkiv National University

September 18, 2013: Round Table "Alternative thinking: Network projects and virtual worlds Michael Epstein" at V. N. Karazin Kharkiv National University

April 2013: Ukrainian national conference "Journalism as Profession" (Kyiv, panel discussion participant)