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Previous Experience (Organization, Position, Title, Dates):

1. Institute of Sociology, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, Junior Researcher, PhD, September 2007 ~ present
2. Institute for International Cooperation at the Association of the German Popular Universities, Executive Researcher, MICROCON („A Micro Level Analysis of Violent Conflict“) funded by the European Commission, July 2007 ~ present
3. Sofia University, Department of Cultural Studies, Part-time Lecturer, October 2007 ~ present
4. Sofia University, Department of Sociology, Part-time Lecturer, February 2007 ~ present
5. Liberal Politological Institute, Political Researcher, 2004-2007

Education:

Sofia University „St. Kliment Ohridsky“, Bulgaria, PhD in Philosophy, 2005
Sofia University „St. Kliment Ohridsky“, Bulgaria, M.A. in Cultural Studies and History, 1998

International Experience:

Germany, Institute of European History, Mainz, 2003 / 2004
Germany, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität (LMU) Munich, 2002 / 2003

Major Fields of Scientific Research (Keywords):

Theory of Religion, Ethnicity and Belonging, Biographical Researches and Oral History

Selected Publications:

- *Participation of Women in the Political Life of Bulgaria* (coauthor), Published by the Liberal Politological Institute, Sofia 2006.
- „Ernst Troeltsch and Max Weber: viewpoints on the role of Protestantism on the formation of the modern sociality“, in cooperation with Prof. Kolyo Koev, in: E. Troeltsch, M. Weber, *Protestant culture and the modern era*, Prosveta, Sofia, 2006, p. 7-38.
- „The Islam in Europe: Is „European Islam“ Possible?“, in: *2007 – journal for politics, economics and development of civil society*, 1/2006.
- „The Significance of Protestantism on the Genesis of the Modern World: Friendship and Scientific Cooperation between Ernst Troeltsch and Max Weber at the University of Heidelberg“, in: *Sociological Problems*, Sofia 1-2/2004, p. 334-353.
- „Zum geschichtsphilosophischen Programm des späten Ernst Troeltsch in seinem Buch ‘Der Historismus und seine Probleme’ (1922)“, in: *Philotheos, International Journal for Philosophy and Theology* Bd. 3, Beograd-Nikšić-Trebinje 2003, p. 264-273.

Foreign Languages (Level of Proficiency, scale from 1 to 5):

Language	Reading	Speaking	Writing
German	5	5	5
English	3	2	2
Russian	5	5	4