

Dr. Ariane Sadjed – curriculum vitae

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Education

- 10/1012 Ph.D. in Cultural Studies, Humboldt University of Berlin. Dissertation: “Shopping for Freedom in the Islamic Republic. Resistance and Conformity in the Consumption Behavior of the Iranian Middle Class”.
- 2008–2009 Interdisciplinary Ph.D. Program in Near and Middle Eastern Studies, University of Washington, Seattle.
- 1998–2005 MA in Psychology and Anthropology, University of Vienna
- 1997 Student of Psychology at Goldsmiths University, London

Employment

- Since 10/2018 Post-doctoral Researcher at the Institute for Iranian Studies, Austrian Academy of Sciences
- 03/2017–10/2018 Organizational Management at Wohnprojekt Wien – Verein für nachhaltiges Leben and Lecturer for Intercultural Communication, Religion and Diversity (self-employed)
- 09/2015–03/2017 Parental leave
- 03/2014–09/2016 Lecturer at the Institute of European Ethnology, University of Vienna and Alice Salomon Hochschule for Applied Sciences, Berlin. Courses: Secular and Islamic Perspectives on Gender; Western and Islamic Feminism; Islamophobia and Antisemitism.
- 07/2014–02/2015 Post-doctoral Fellow at Käte Hamburger Kolleg / Centre for Global Cooperation Research, University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany.
- 06/2012–05/2014 Researcher at the Austrian Society for Political Education, Vienna: ESF (European Social Fund)-project directed by Dr. Hakan Gürses: “Skilled Migrants in the Field of Continuing Education”.
- 06/2011–05/2012 Parental leave
- 2006–2008 Researcher at International Centre for Migration Policy Development, Vienna, Austria: NODE (New Orientations for Democracy in Europe)-project directed by Prof. Eleonore Kofman: “Civic Stratification, Gender and Family Migration Policies in Europe”.

- 2005–2007 Researcher at maiz – Education and Counseling for Migrant Women, Linz, Austria: ESF-project directed by Rubia Salgado: “Migrant Self-Organization and Labor”.
- 2005 Research assistant at Berlin Institute for Comparative Social Sciences/European Center for Migration Research, Berlin.

Awards

- 2015 Austrian Federal Award for Adult Education
- 2014 Post-doctoral Fellowship at Käte Hamburger Kolleg/Centre for Global Cooperation Research, University of Duisburg-Essen.
- 2008–2009 Fulbright Scholarship

Memberships

Association for Iranian Studies (AIS); Middle East Studies Association; DAVO – Deutsche Arbeitsgemeinschaft Vorderer Orient (German Middle East Studies Association); Middle East Studies Association (MESA).

Lectures/Presentations (selected)

- 10/2017 *Jewish-Muslim Relations in Pre-Revolutionary Iran: Pluralism Within a Hierarchical Social Order*. Conference “Jews in Muslim Majority Countries”, Jewish Museum Berlin.
- 05/2017 *The History of Iraqi and Syrian Jews in the 20th Century*. Colloquium of the Institute for Political and Historical Education of the Federal Ministry of Education - erinnern.at, Vienna.
- 04/2015 Workshop-organization with Prof. David Carment (Carleton Univ., Canada): *Diaspora as Agents of Global Cooperation*, Käte Hamburger Kolleg, Duisburg. Title of presentation: “Narrating (Non-)Iranianness. The Politics of Ethnic and Religious Identification among Iranians in Germany”.
- 10/2013 *Consumer Culture and the Design of a Modern Self in Iran. A Discourse Analysis of Iranian Lifestyle-Magazines*. Annual Meeting of the Middle Eastern Studies Association (MESA), New Orleans.
- 05/2013 *Consumption Patterns of the Iranian Middle Class: Mediating Demands of the State and the Market*. Middle East History and Theory conference, University of Chicago.
- 06/2010 *Shopping for Freedom? Religion and Consumption in the Islamic Republic of Iran*. Colloquium “Israel and the Middle East in the Modern Era“, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 04/2008 *Civic Stratification, Gender and Family Migration Policies in Europe*. Conference on “Diaspora and Transnationalism: New Discourses, New Agents, New Institutions?”, European University Florence, Italy.
- 09/2007 *Iranian Modernity*: University of Antwerpen Summer School “Religion, Culture and Society“, Antwerp, Belgium.