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Short presentation

I am an anthropologist working across media anthropology, political theory, and postcolonial studies, with a particular focus on the aftermaths of the 2010-11 Arab Revolutions. I received my doctorate from Columbia University's Department of Anthropology, Institute for Comparative Literature and Society, and Center for Comparative Media where my thesis was titled "Struggling with Images: Revolution, War and Media in Syria". In October 2022, I was admitted as an Early-Career Research Fellow at Corpus Christi College, University of Cambridge, where I'm affiliated with the department of Social Anthropology. Since March 2023, I've also been a postdoctoral researcher on the 'Views of Violence' project at the University of Copenhagen.

My postdoctoral research, funded by the 'Views of Violence' project, is an analysis of the potentials and limitations of User Generated Content for the construction of legally felicitous evidence in international criminal courts. Taking Syria as a case study, my research looks at the technical, legal, political, and theoretical hurdles that must be overcome for constructing evidence from user-generated content through digital forensic methods.

Employment

Postdoc

Department of Cross-Cultural and Regional Studies
København S, Denmark
1 Mar 2023 → nu

Postdoc

Department of Cross-Cultural and Regional Studies
København S, Denmark
1 Mar 2023 → 28 Feb 2023

Early-Career Research Fellow, Corpus Christi College

University of Cambridge
Cambridge, United Kingdom
1 Oct 2022 → 30 Sep 2026

Qualifications

Sociocultural Anthropology, PhD, Columbia University
1 Sep 2015 → 1 Jun 2022
Award Date: 1 Oct 2022

Middle East Studies, BA, University of Oxford
1 Oct 2006 → 1 Jul 2010
Award Date: 1 Jul 2010

Institute of Comparative Literature and Society, Certificate, Columbia University
1 Sep 2015 → 1 Jun 2022