

CURICULUM VITAE

Personal data

Johanna Mannergren Selimovic

Born: 10 september 1966

Languages: Swedish (mother tongue) English (fluent) French (fluent)

Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian (conversational)

Current Position

Senior Research Fellow, The Swedish Institute of International Affairs (UI), 2012-

Visiting Scholar, Vesalius College, Vrije Universiteit, Brussels 2016-2017

Education

Ph.D., School of Global Studies, (Peace and Development Research) University of Gothenburg, 31 May 2011 (Funded by Sida/Sarec grant)

M.A. in International Relations, School of Global Studies (Peace and Development Research), University of Gothenburg, 2005

B.A. in Journalism, University of Stockholm, Sweden, 1990

External Research Grants

Peace and the Memory of Politics (2017-2019)

Project funding

Funder: The Swedish Foundation for Humanities and Social Sciences (RF)

Amount: 6, 765 000 SEK

Main applicant: Johanna Mannergren Selimovic (UI)

Co-applicants: Annika Björkdahl (Lund University), Susanne Buckley-Zistel (Marburg University), Stefanie Kappler (Durham University)

The Cultural Heritage of Conflict (2017-2019)

Project funding

Funder: The Swedish Research Council (VR), Special call

Amount: 4, 800 000 SEK

Main applicant: Johanna Mannergren Selimovic (UI)

Co-applicants: Annika Björkdahl (Lund University), Susanne Buckley-Zistel (Marburg University), Stefanie Kappler (Durham University)

Vulnerable Cities. Conflict prevention in urban planning, urban generation and urban governance (2017-2021)

Project funding

Funder: FORMAS

Amount: 9,994 000 SEK

Main applicant: Annika Björkdahl (University of Lund)

Co-applicants: Johanna Mannergren Selimovic (UI), Kristine Höglund (Uppsala universitet), Ivan Gusic (University of Lund)

Feminist Peace Research Network (2016-2017)

Workshop support

Funder: The Swedish Research Council (VR)

Amount: 458 854 SEK

Main applicant: Tarja Väyrynen (Tampere University)

Co-applicants: Marjaana Jauhola (Helsingfors University), Annica Kronsell (Lund University), Gunhild Hoogensen Gjørnv (Tromsø University), Maria Stern (University of Gothenburg), Johanna Mannergren Selimovic (UI)

Precarious Peacebuilding – New Challenges for Peace Research (2013)

Research initiation support

Funder: The Swedish Foundation for Humanities and Social Sciences (RJ)

Amount: 130 000 SEK

Main applicant: Johanna Mannergren Selimovic (UI)

A Gender-Just Peace and Transitional Justice (2013-2017)

Project funding

Funder: The Swedish Research Council (VR)

Amount 3, 300 000 SEK

Main applicant: Johanna Mannergren Selimovic (UI)

Co-applicants: Kristine Höglund (Uppsala University) and Annika Björkdahl (Lund University)

Divided Cities: Challenges to Peacebuilding and Development (2013-2016)

Project funding

Funder: The Swedish Research Council (VR)

Amount: 4, 200 000 SEK

Main applicant Annika Björkdahl, Lund University

Co-applicants: Johanna Mannergren Selimovic (UI) and Kristine Höglund (Uppsala University).

Precarious Peacebuilding - All Good Things Do Not Go Together (2011-2015)

Project funding

Funder: VR

Amount: 3, 400 000 SEK

Main applicant: Joakim Öjendal

Co-applicants: Marita Eastmond (University of Gothenburg), Johanna Mannergren Selimovic (UI) Annika Björkdahl (Lund University) and Kristine Höglund (Uppsala University).

Academic conferences, seminars, talks, roundtables, and workshops

13 February 2017, Talk; Memory and conflict resolution, Cecri, Université Catholique, Louvain-la-Neuve

1-3 December 2016, Panel organiser, discussant; Network Conference of the Historical Dialogue, Justice and Memory Network, Amsterdam

28 September 2016, Participant; Workshop, Exploring opportunities for enhanced EU-AU cooperation, The Egmont-Royal Institute of International Relations, Brussels

28-29 June 2016, Rapporteur; Feminist Peace Research Network workshop, Tampere University

20 June 2016, Participant; Workshop Critical Peacebuilding: Feminist Interventions, University of Manchester

23-24 May 2016, Talk; Gendering the everyday of the divided city, international conference on local democracy, ICLD (International Centre for Local Democracy), Visby

12 May 2016, Paper presentation; REPI Université Libre Bruxelles, Brussels

2009, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 paper presentation; ISA conferences (International Studies Association)

23-26 Sept 2015, paper presentation; The 10th Pan-European Conference (EISA), Catania

11-13 June, 2015, paper presentation, discussant; The 4th European Conference on Politics and Gender (ECPG), Uppsala university

7 May 2015, participant; roundtable at Symposium: The Past, Present and Future of Nordic IR Research – the 50th anniversary of Cooperation and Conflict, Lund university

4-6 December 2014, paper presentation; Fourth annual conference of the dialogues on historical justice and memory network, Lund university

10 Oct 2014, paper presentation; initiation meeting of a Nordic network for Bosnia research, UI

12 May 2014, paper presentation; seminar, Precarious Peacebuilding: Frictional encounters between ideas, actors and practices, CRIC, Copenhagen university

2013, 2014, paper presentation, discussant; IAPCS Annual Conference, Manchester University

1-2 Nov 2013, convenor, paper presentation; workshop: Precarious Peacebuilding. Exploring New Research Agendas, UI

17-19 June 2013, paper presentation; ACUNS Annual Meeting, Lund University

11-12 Oct 2012, co-convenor, paper presentation; Nordic seminar, Taking Women Beyond 1325, Lund university

5-6 May 2011, Convenor; PCDRNET (Swedish Network of Peace, Conflict and Development Research Network) Bi-Annual Conference

2008, 2010, 2012, paper presentations and discussant; national peace and conflict research conferences

24-27 March, 2010, paper presentation; Mediterranean Meeting, European University, Florens

5 July, 2006, paper presentation; Ninth International Seminar: Democracy and Human Rights in Multiethnic Societies, Konjic, Bosnia-Herzegovina

Academic Community Services

Reviewer for academic journals

Security Dialogue 2014 (once); International Journal of Transitional Justice 2015 (once); Cooperation and Conflict 2013, 2017 (twice); Political Psychology 2014, 2016 (twice); Third World Quarterly 2014 (once); Sociologisk Forskning, 2012, 2015 (twice); Peacebuilding 2015 (once)

Reviewer of research applications

The Research Foundation - Flanders (Fonds Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek - Vlaanderen, FWO) Belgium, 2016

The Research Council, Leuven University, Belgium, 2017

Academic Leadership and Administration

January-September 2015, The Swedish Institute of International Affairs, Head of Peace & Conflict Program

2013-2017, Head of research project Gender-Just Peace and Transitional Justice

2015, Member of UI leadership group

2013-2015, Staff representative in UI board 2013-2015

2012-2015, Administrative Coordinator, research project Precarious Peacebuilding

2010-2011, Coordinator, National Network for Peace, Conflict and Development Research (PCDRNET)

2006, Representative, PhD student's council at University of Gothenburg

Outreach Activities (in Swedish)

Popular publications

16 August 2016, Utrikesmagasinet: Filmfestival med djupa undertoner.

13 April 2016, DN Debatt: Haag-tribunalen viktig för försoning (Replik på Tamburrini & Tännjö)

26 October 2015, UI Blog International Voices: Global study shows the uneven struggle for gender equality

Nr 3, 2015, Internationella Studier: Temaredaktör 20 år efter Dayton

Nr 2, 2015, Internationella Studier: Talande tystnad

March 2015, Är försoning möjlig? Text till utställningskatalog för "Drina Valley Prospects", Centrum för fotografi

30 October 2014, UI-bloggen: Bosnisk 'höst'?

29 October 2014, UI-bloggen: Östra Jerusalem: Osäker framtid för splittrad stad

24 June 2014, DN Kultur: Förlåtelse kan aldrig ges, bara tas

Nr 4, 2013, Internationella Studier: Staden som konfliktlösare. Fredsprocesser kan börja och sluta i städerna

10 October 2013, UI-bloggen: Vem har makt över freden?

13 April 2013, Metro: Cypern: delad semesterö blickar mot fred

Public talks and seminars (selected)

- 15 Nov 2016, convenor, speaker, public seminar UI, Krig och fred i delade städer
- 4 Dec 2015, convenor, moderator, conference, Stockholm, UI/Sida, Bosnia – 20 Years of Peace
- 19 May 2015, convenor, speaker, public seminar, UI, Memory Politics After Conflict
- 11 March 2015, Talk, försoning i Bosnien, Centrum för Fotografi, Stockholm
- 14 Nov 2014, MR-dagarna 2014 Umeå. Member of panel: Kulturens roll i fredsbyggande
- 2 Oct 2014, Gymnasiedag på UI. Talk. Efter kriget: Den svåra vägen till försoning
- 3 Sept 2014, Lärardag på UI. Talk. Efter kriget: Den svåra vägen till försoning
- 20-21 May 2014, UD, internationell workshop på temat "Combating Impunity for Sexual and Gender-based Crimes at the National Level"
- 5 May 2014, Workshop Uppsala Kvinna till Kvinnas samarbetsorganisationer på Södra Kaukasus. Talk, Theories of Nationalism
- 22 May 2013, panel participant, WIIS Sweden Spring Event: Panel on Women in/and Conflict, Stockholm
- 15 May 2013, Talk, Utrikespolitiska föreningen, Lunds universitet. "Kvinnor, makt och fredsprocesser"
- 14 March 2013, Talk, Women's participation in Transitional Justice and Peace Processes, "Hands across the Divide" NGO seminar, Nicosia (Cypern)
- 30 Sept 2013, Moderator på UI-seminarium Local Dimensions in Peacebuilding
- 7 Oct 2013, panel participant, seminar Syrien – vad händer sedan? FN-föreningen Huddinge, Södertörn Högskola
- 27 Nov 2013, Talk, "Millenniemalet och utvecklingsagendan post 2015: Kvinnor som nyckel till utveckling" UI på Umeå universitet
- Sept 2010, Talk, Gender and Nationalism, Istanbul, Kvinna till Kvinna regionalt nätverksmöte

Expert commentator in media (selected)

- 9 June 2016, expertkommentator i SVT Aktuellt om försoningsprocesser och minnespolitik i bl a Rwanda
- 14 November 2015, intervju med TT om Daytonavtalet i Bosnien
- January 2015, Intervju i Vetenskapsrådets vetenskapsblogg
- May 2014, Intervju i Godmorgon, Världen (P1) om minnespolitik efter konflikter
- 8 February 2014, intervju i SvD om politiska protester i Bosnien
- September 2013, Expertkommentator i SVT Aktuellt om försoning och transitionell rättvisa
- 17 June 2013, Intervju i Dagens Nyheter om demokratidemonstrationer i Bosnien
- 13 December 2012, Expertkommentator i SVT Aktuellt om fredsprocessen i Bosnien

Pedagogical experience

Academic Credits in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education

- Högskolepedagogik 1: Baskurs, 5 hp (HPE101) 2011
- Kompletteringskurs i högskolepedagogik, 2,5 hp (course given at SGS) 2011
- Handledning i forskarutbildning, 5hp (HPE 201) 2016
- Högskolepedagogik 2: Områdesspecifik pedagogik, 5 hp (HPE102) 2017

Lectures and Course leadership

Lecturer at master course *War and Peace in The Balkans*, Lund University, HT 2015, HT 2016

Lecturer at undergraduate course *Fredsbyggande, utveckling och demokratisering*, freds- och konfliktvetenskap, Lund University, HT 2015, HT 2016

Lecturer at master course *Gender Studies*, University of Cyprus, VT 2013

Head of and lecturer at undergraduate course *Causes of War and Prerequisites for Peace* (7.5 ECT Credits). School of Social Sciences, Södertörn University, 2012

Lecturer at graduate *Methods Course*, Swedish Defence University, VT 2012

Head of, and lecturer at, undergraduate course *Security and Conflict in a Changed World* (15 ECT Credits). School of Global Studies, University of Gothenburg, Sweden. 2009-2011

Lecturer at Magister Course *Journalism and International Conflicts*, (15 ECT Credits) School of Social Sciences, Södertörn University, 2010 – 2014

Lecturer at Magister Course *Media, Journalism and Global Studies* School of Global Studies and the Dept of Journalism, Media and Communication, University of Gothenburg, VT 2009

Lecturer at Master Course *Production of Knowledge*, Dept of Journalism, Media & Communication, University of Stockholm, 2008

Supervision

Theses at undergraduate (5) and master level (2) in International Relations, School of Global Studies, University of Gothenburg and Media and Communication studies, School of Social Sciences, Södertörn University.

Publications

Monograph

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2010. *Remembering and Forgetting after War. Narratives of Truth, Justice and Reconciliation in a Bosnian Town*, PhD Thesis, University of Gothenburg, ISBN 978-91-628-8212-9

Peer-reviewed Articles

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. Forthcoming. "Gender, Narrative, Affect: Top-down politics of commemoration in post-genocide Rwanda", *Memory Studies* (Accepted for publication 17 February 2017) (Impact factor 2015: 0.541, source Journal Citation Reports)

Björkdahl, Annika and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2015c. "A Tale of Three Bridges: Agency and Agonism in Peacebuilding". *Third World Quarterly* published online 23 dec 2015, doi 10.1080/01436597.2015.110882 (Impact Factor 2015: 1.434 source Journal Citation Reports)

Björkdahl, Annika and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2015b. "Translating UNSCR 1325 from the global to the national: protection, representation and participation in the National Action Plans of Bosnia-Herzegovina and Rwanda", *Conflict, Security & Development* 15 (4):

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2015. "Remembering and Forgetting after War. Narratives of Truth and Justice in a Bosnian town," *Political Psychology* 36 (2): 231-242 (Impact Factor 2015: 2.089, Ranking: 17/163 Political Science; 18/62 Psychology Social; ISI Journal Citation Reports)

Björkdahl, Annika and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2015a. "Gendering Agency in Transitional Justice", *Security Dialogue* 46 (2): 165-182 (Impact Factor 2015: 1.443, Ranking: 19/86; International Relations; Journal Citation Reports)

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna and Strömbom, Lisa. 2015. "Whose Place?: Emplaced narratives and the politics of belonging in East Jerusalem's contested neighbourhood of Silwan", *Space and Polity* 19 (2): 191-205

Björkdahl, Annika and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2013. "Gendered Justice Gaps in Bosnia-Herzegovina", *Human Rights Review* 15 (2): 201-218

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2013. "Making Peace, Making Memory. Peacebuilding and Politics of Remembrance at Memorials of Mass Atrocities in Bosnia and Rwanda", *Peacebuilding* 1 (3): 334-348 (Included in Thomson Reuters' Emerging Sources Citation Index, International Relations)

Eastmond, Marita and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2012. "Silence as Possibility in Post-War Everyday Life," *International Journal of Transitional Justice* 6 (3): 502-524. (Impact factor 2015: 1.250, Ranking International Relations 25/86, Law 45/147, Political Science 49/163.)

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2010. "Victims and Perpetrators. Local Responses to the ICTY in Bosnia-Herzegovina," *Focaal, European Journal of Anthropology* (57): 50-61

Peer-reviewed Book Chapters

Björkdahl, Annika and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. Forthcoming 2017b. "Feminist Ethnographic Research: Excavating Narratives of Wartime Rape" in *Ethnographic Peace Research: Strengths, Challenges, and Ethics*, edited by Gearoid Millar, Abingdon: Routledge

Björkdahl, Annika and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2017a. "Gender and Transitional Justice" in *Understanding Transitional Justice*, edited by Olivera Simić, Abingdon: Routledge

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2016. "Frictional Commemoration. Local agency and cosmopolitan politics at memorial sites in Bosnia-Herzegovina and Rwanda" in *Friction and Peacebuilding*, London: SAGE

Björkdahl, Annika and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2016. "Gender: the Missing Piece in the Peace Puzzle", in *Dimensions of Peace: Disciplinary and Regional Approaches*, edited by Oliver P. Richmond et als, Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2014. "Narrative Constructions of Conflict and Coexistence: The Case of Bosnia-Herzegovina" in *Political Psychology in Europe and the World*, edited by Paul Nesbitt-Larking, Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. 2011. "Individual Justice and Collective Innocence: the role of the ICTY in a Bosnian town", in *Building Peace, Creating Conflict? Conflictual Dimensions of Local and International Peacebuilding*, edited by Hanne Fjelde et al, Lund: Nordic Academic Press

Review Articles

Book review: Sex and International Tribunals: The Erasure of Gender from the War Narrative. *Cooperation and Conflict*. 2015. 50(4):551-552 (**Impact Factor**: 1.000
2015 Ranking: 65/163 in Political Science | 32/86 in International Relations, Journal Citations Report)

Film Review: We Women Warriors". *Peacebuilding*. 2014. 1 (3): 358-359. (Included in Thomson Reuters' Emerging Sources Citation Index, International Relations.)

Policy Reports

Kammars Larsson, Disa and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna, October 2014. *Gender and Transition in Libya*, UI Paper no 8, The Swedish Institute of International Affairs (33 p)

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna and Nyquist Brandt, Åsa and Söderberg Jacobson, Agneta, October 2012. *Equal Power, Lasting Peace. Obstacles to Women's Participation in Peace Processes*, Kvinna till Kvinna (189 p)

Conference Contributions (selected)

Björkdahl Annika, and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. "Gender: the Missing Piece in the Peace Puzzle". Presented at ISA Annual Convention, Atlanta, March 2016

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna, "Violence in the Divided City: Mapping the "extraordinary ordinary" everyday life in East Jerusalem. Presented at EISA Conference, Catania 23-26 September 2015

Björkdahl Annika and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna, "The Gendered Logic of Forgotten Places", Presented at EISA Conference, Catania 23-26 September 2015

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna, 2015, "Reading Gendered Power and Plurality in Peacebuilding: Towards an Arendtian Agenda". Presented at ECPG Conference, Uppsala, 11-13 June, 2015

Björkdahl Annika, and Mannergren Selimovic. "Translating UNSCR 1325 from the Global to the National. Protection, representation and participation in the National Action Plans of Bosnia-Herzegovina and Rwanda". Presented at ISA Annual Convention, New Orleans, February 2015

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna and Strömbom, Lisa. "Whose Place? Emplaced narratives and the politics of belonging in East Jerusalem's contested neighbourhood of Silwan". Presented at IAPCS Conference, Manchester 2014

Björkdahl, Annika and Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna. "A Tale of Three Bridges: Agency and Agonism in Peacebuilding". Presented at IAPCS Conference, Manchester 2013

Mannergren Selimovic, Johanna, 2013, "Hidden Power. Exploring Informal Obstacles to Women's Formal Participation in Peace Processes". Presented at ISA Conference, San Fransisco 2013