

# Livia Rohrbach

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## EMPLOYMENT

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September 2016 – September 2019	<p>Ph.D. fellow at the Department of Political Science, University of Copenhagen (KU).</p> <p>Project title (preliminary): Territorial Self-Governance in Multi-Ethnic States: How to Avoid Violent Conflict and Disintegration</p> <p>Affiliation with the research project “The genesis of consociational oligarchies”, where we study the emergence of inclusive regimes in non-democratic countries.</p> <p>Supervisor: Prof. Peter Thisted Dinesen</p> <p>Co-Supervisor: Daniel Bochsler</p>
March 2013 – June 2016	Managing Director at el fino GmbH, Olten
February – April 2014	Intern at Opportunity International Australia, Sydney
January 2011 – August 2013	Junior Project Accountant at Capgemini Schweiz AG, Zurich

## EDUCATION

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September 2014 – June 2016	<p>Master of Arts in Social Sciences, University of Zurich</p> <p>Major subject: Political Science (Democracy, Development and International Relations)</p> <p>MA-thesis: Formal and informal territorial power sharing arrangements – an impediment to peace?</p> <p>Minor subject: Law (International Public Law, International Humanitarian Law, International Human Rights Law)</p> <p>MA-thesis: “Targeted killing in the light of International Humanitarian Law and International Criminal Law”</p>
September 2015 – January 2016	Exchange semester in Master Program at Department of Political Science, Copenhagen University
September 2013 – December 2013	Language studies with EF Education First, Singapore and Australia
September 2010 – June 2013	<p>Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences, University of Zurich</p> <p>Major subject: Political Science</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> Minor subject: Law</p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> Minor subject: Philosophy</p>

## EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

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September 2014 – June 2015

Board member at young European swiss YES

## OTHER SKILLS

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Languages

German (native)  
English (excellent oral and written skills, C2)  
French (good oral and written skills, B2)  
Danish (basic oral skills A2)

IT skills

Statistical programming (R), MS Office, Mac, SAP (Global Financial System GFS), Database (Raiser's Edge)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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Fall 2017

Comparative Politics, BA

Fall 2017

Specialization in International Relations, Diplomacy and Conflict Studies, MA

Spring 2018

Supervision of Master theses and project reports

## SELECTED CONFERENCE PAPERS

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Rohrbach, Livia (2017): Territorial Self-Governance outside the Club of Well-Established Democracies: What Are the Prospects for Peace? Paper prepared for the IPSA Colloquium on Democratization and Constitutional Design in Divided Societies, University of Cyprus, Nicosia.

Rohrbach, Livia (2017): Explaining Divergent Outcomes of the Bargaining Process over Self-determination: The Significance of Strategic Interaction. Paper prepared for Danish Political Science Association Annual Meeting (DPSA), Vejle.

Rohrbach, Livia (2018): Shifting Strategies and Tactics – Bargaining Over Self-determination in Indonesia. Paper prepared for the 23rd Annual World Convention of the Association for the Study of Nationalities (ASN), Harriman Institute, Columbia University, New York.

## RESEARCH PROJECTS

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**The genesis of consociational oligarchies.** Why consociational regimes have spread to the non-democratic world. Swiss National Fund Project 166228 under the lead of Daniel Bochsler.

## PRIZES

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**ASN 2018 Best Doctoral Paper Award** (Section Nationalism/ Migration). Paper titled "Shifting Strategies and Tactics – Bargaining over Self-determination in Indonesia".