
EDUCATION	<p>UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SC 2010-Present PhD Candidate First Field: International Relations Second Field: Comparative Politics Expected graduation date is May 2019 Title: "Trust and Soft Power: The Role of Public Opinion Influencing Democratic Leaders Usage of Soft Power Instruments" Advisor: Dr. Robert Cox Committee Members: Dr. Tim Peterson, University of South Carolina Dr. Tobias Heinrich, University of South Carolina Dr. Andras Simonyi, George Washington University</p> <p>Teaching seminar: "Developing Fair Tests, Quizzes and Assessments" by the Center of Teaching Excellence at USC January 2018</p> <p>UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SC May 2015 Master of Arts: International Relations Studied and Researched the Connection between Culture and Soft Power Instrument Selection</p> <p>WINTHROP UNIVERSITY SC May 2006 Master of Liberal Arts: Diplomacy Studied the education and special skills of the diplomats of the 21st Century. Thesis research included interviews of Hungarian Ambassador to United States, as well as other embassy officers (Political Advisor and Deputy Chief of Mission).</p> <p>WINTHROP UNIVERSITY SC December 2002 Bachelor of Arts: Political Science Minor in History. Full scholarship in tennis.</p> <p>MIHÁLY VÖRÖSMARTY GYMNASIUM Budapest, Hungary 1998 High School Diploma</p>
PUBLICATIONS	<hr/> <p>Book Chapters</p> <p>Trunkos, Judit and Bob Heere. "A Primer on Using Sport for Diplomatic Purposes" in Craig Estherick, Bob Baker, Steve Jackson, Michael Sam (Eds.). <i>Case Studies in Sport Diplomacy</i>. West Virginia University Press. January 2017</p> <p>Simonyi, András and Judit Trunkos. "Spectral Power: Eliminating the Hard/Soft Power Dichotomy" in Aude Jehan and Andras Simonyi eds., <i>Smarter Power. The Key to a Strategic Transatlantic Partnership</i>. SAIS Publication. June 2015</p> <p>Commentary</p> <p>Simonyi, András and Judit Trunkos. December 18, 2017 "It is Wrong to Call Russian and Chinese Disruptive Efforts "Sharp Power" <i>Huffington Post</i></p> <p>Simonyi, András and Judit Trunkos. June 18, 2014 "How Putin Stole Our Smartpower" <i>Huffington Post</i>.</p>

WORKING
PAPERS

“Operationalizing Soft Power: Latent to Manifest”
with Prof. Phil Cerny

TEACHING

“Democratic Consolidation in Hungary and in Russia. The Cultural Approach”

University of South Carolina Columbia, SC **2018**
Instructor, Political Science (POLI 340)

Conduct and Formulation of U.S. Foreign Policy: lectured on how U.S. foreign policy is conducted via its institutions and its newest instruments including social media. The course also covered a brief history of U.S. foreign policy since the Cold War and looked into some of the institutional and environmental factors that influence today's policies. Selected textbooks, created syllabus and exams, designed major project.

Midlands Technical College Columbia, SC **2008-2010**
Adjunct Instructor, International Relations (PLSC 220)

Intro to International Relations: lectured on international relations with a focus on major factors influencing world affairs, including the role of the United States in the global community. Created syllabus and exams, designed major project.

ACADEMIC
POSITIONS

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia, SC **2017-2018**
Project Coordinator-Office of Sustainability

Organize USC's first regional Sustainability Across the Curriculum Faculty Workshop; in charge of all aspects of the event including finalizing the agenda, inviting speakers and implementing regional outreach to boost attendance.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia, SC **2011-2017**
Chair of the Curriculum Committee/Sustainability Graduate Fellowship

Manage the Curriculum Committee's projects including the annual sustainability workshop and fellowship program for USC faculty. Plan all projects and goals for following academic years. Work closely with faculty and administrators from various departments.

Center for Transatlantic Relations Washington D.C. **2013-2015**
SAIS-Johns Hopkins University

Member of Nordic Soft Power Research Team.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia, SC **2010-2011**
Graduate Assistant / Sustainable Carolina

Project Coordinator of the Curriculum, Marketing and Campus-Wide Awareness teams. Team member of the transportation and Green Team teams. Organize sustainability campus and community educational events, reform campus transportation. Responsible for organizing the annual sustainability in the curriculum workshop for faculty and granting the sustainability award.

WINTHROP UNIVERSITY Rock Hill, SC **2004- 2006**
Graduate Assistant /Test Center

Proctored/scheduled examinations; facilitated communication between faculty and students.

HUNGARIAN EMBASSY Washington, DC **2001**
Intern

Direct assistant to Counsel of Foreign Affairs and Press Attaché. Conducted research on Hungarian politics and foreign affairs; translated and reported results to Press Attaché. Assisted with immigration issues. Fielded cultural inquiries from public. Provided assistance for political/diplomatic events.

CONFERENCE
PRESENTATIONS

“Operationalizing Soft Power. From Latent to Manifest” **September 2018**
with Prof. Phil Cerny
Annual Political Science Conference (APSA)
Boston, MA.

“A New Conceptual Framework of Soft Power” **September 2017**
Annual Political Science Association Conference (APSA).
San Francisco, CA.

**“Globalization Does Not Drive Soft Power:
an Examination of the Relationship between Globalization
and the United States’ Soft Power Budget.”** **October 2013**
International Security Studies (ISSS-ISAC) at George Washington University,
Washington D.C.

**“What is Soft Power Capability and
How does it Impact Foreign Policy”** **March 2013**
Midwest Political Science Conference (MPSA)
Chicago, IL

**“What is Soft Power Capability and How does it Impact
Foreign Policy”** **January 2013**
Institute for Cultural Diplomacy-Johns Hopkins University,
Washington D.C.

**“Democratic Consolidation in Hungary and in Russia.
The Cultural Approach”** **January 2013**
Southern Political Science Association (SPSA)
Orlando, FL

**“Democratic Consolidation in Hungary and in Russia.
The Cultural Approach”** **October 2012**
ISA-South
Atlanta, GA

**“Democratization in Hungary and in Russia.
The Cultural Approach”.** **April 2012**
South Carolina Political Science Association Annual Meeting (SCPSA)
Clinton, SC

“Changing Diplomacy Demands New Type of Diplomats” **January 2011**
Institute of Cultural Diplomacy (ICD),
Washington D.C

GUEST
SPEAKING
INVITATIONS

“What is Soft Power and How do Countries Compare in it” **March 2014**
CSCE 727-Information Warfare Class at USC
Columbia, SC

“Measuring Soft Power with the U.S. Budget” **November 2013**
Center for Transatlantic Relations/SAIS-Johns Hopkins University
Washington DC

“What is Soft Power and How do Countries Use it” **February 2013**
CSCE 727-Information Warfare Class at USC
Columbia, SC

GRANTS HONORS AWARDS	American Political Science Association (APSA) Travel Grant	2018
	Prestage-Cook Travel Award (SPSA)	2013
	Sustainability Graduate Fellowship	2011-2016
	Graduate Assistantship (USC Sustainable Carolina)	2010-2011, 2017-2018
	Graduate Assistantship (Winthrop Test Center)	2004-2006
	Full Athletic Scholarship (Winthrop Women's Tennis)	1999-2002
AFFILIATION	Member of the Academy of Political Science	2009-2018
	Alumni Member of Institute of Cultural Diplomacy	2010-2014
	Member of the American Political Science Association	2012-2018
	Member of International Studies Association	2012-2018
SERVICES	Member of the PR, Awards and Registration Sub-committees for Graduate Students Organization's First Annual Graduate Research Conference	2012
	Treasurer of the Political Science Graduate Student Organization	2012-2014
	Community Service: organizes Hungarian cultural and sporting events	2008-2018
SPECIAL SKILLS and Certificates	Grant Writing for Hungarian Cultural Initiatives	2018
	Preparing Future Faculty Teaching Certificate	2018
	Language Proficiency: Fluency in English and Hungarian.	
	Software Proficiency: MS Office (Word, Excel, PPT), Word Perfect, Amicus , TimeSlips, Newsletter Studio, Microsoft Publisher, Zotero, Stata, SharePoint	
	Professional Tennis Player: Women's Tennis Association / USTA Circuit	2002-2005