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Curriculum vitae

1. Qualifications

- 1993: PhD, linguistics, Institute of Polish Language, Polish Academy of Sciences.
Dissertation: "Place names of Kujawy. A study in ethnolinguistics."
- 1989: MA, ethnology, Institute of Social Anthropology, Jagiellonian University, Krakow. An Ethnolinguistic study of names in E. Redlinski's 'Konopielka'.
(qualification: very good).
- 1988: MA, linguistics, Institute of Polish Philology, Jagiellonian University, The lexical-semantic field 'OTHER'. (qualification: very good).
- 1985 -1989: Jagiellonian University, social anthropology.
- 1983 -1988: Jagiellonian University, Krakow: Polish philology (language and literature).

2. Employment

- 2010 to date: Reader in Discourse and Social Transformation, School of Law, Social Sciences and Communications, University of Wolverhampton.
- 2007-2010: Senior Research Fellow in European Studies, School of Law, Social Sciences and Communications, University of Wolverhampton.
- 2004 -2007: Research Fellow in European Studies, History and Governance Research Institute, University of Wolverhampton.

2003 - 2004: Honorary Research Fellow, History and Governance Research Institute, University of Wolverhampton.

2000 - 2003: Research Fellow in Discourse Analysis, University of Wolverhampton (project: Border discourse. Changing identities, changing nations, changing stories in European border communities. Funded under the 5th Framework Programme by the European Commission; Ref: HPSE-CT-1999-00003; www.borderidentities.com).

1993 – 2000: Assistant Professor, Institute of Polish Language, Polish Academy of Sciences (from 1993-2000, maternity leave).

1988 - 1993: Researcher, Institute of Polish Language, Polish Academy of Sciences.

3. Research interests

- Critical Discourse Analysis
- Narrative analysis
- Internet discourses
- Ethnography and discourse of borderlands
- Lived experience of post-communist transformation
- Polish post-enlargement migration

4. Academic activities

a. Teaching and guest lectures

2012: Southampton University. Invited guest lecture – Poles in the UK: 10 years on.

2011 and 2012: Sopot Summer School ‘Studies of Migration and Mobility in Europe (MOBILE)’ <http://www.mobile.swps.pl/> : courses ”Multimodality of Migrants’ Narratives” and “Post-accession Migration: Migration Grand Narratives vs. Migrants’ Small Stories”.

2010: Prague European Summer School ‘Cultural aspects of European Politics’: courses on European Identities and European Migration as well as Migrant’s Stories as European Narratives

- 2010 : University of Passau, invited Visiting Summer semester seminar : 'Narrating Polish transformation. From ideological and institutional to bottom-up and private discourses'.
- 2009 to date: University of Wolverhampton. Media, culture and society, Global media global culture, Key concepts in cultural studies, Research methods, Europe united.
- 2009 to date: University of Wolverhampton. Jean Monnet forum lecture - Poles in the UK. Grand narrative versus migrants' small stories.
- 2007 to date: University of Wolverhampton. Post-graduate program – Making most of your fieldwork.
- 2006 - 2011: University of Wolverhampton. Mentor - Language in translation module
- 2003 - 2004: University of Wolverhampton. Visiting lecturer (modules: 1. Introduction to Media, 2. Introduction to Research Methods, 3. Communication II, 4. Political Communication, 5. Fashion, Style and the Body).
- 2003: University of Bradford. Guest post-graduate lecture on constructions of identity in borderlands.
- 2002: University of Bradford. Guest post-graduate lecture on constructions of identity in borderlands.
- 2001: University of Wolverhampton. Visiting lecturer (module: Communication and Social Practice).

b. Research projects experience

- 2013-2015: Expert and leader of workstream 1 and 2. European Commission project Internet Tools for Research in Europe on New Drugs (I-TREND): interdisciplinary and integrated approaches to substance, users and markets. The project coordinator is the French Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (OFDT, France). Partners are: Centre for Addictology at the First Faculty of Medicine, Charles University (CUNI, Czech Republic, Co-beneficiary 1); University of Social Sciences and Humanities (SWSP, Poland, Co-beneficiary 2); Trimbos Institute (the Netherlands, Co-beneficiary 3); North West Public Health Observatory (NWPHO, UK, Co-beneficiary 4).

- 2012-2014: Scientific adviser and researcher of ALTERAE International Project.
Wolverhampton bid 'Identity Discourse during the Opening and Closing Weeks of the London Olympics', led by Dr. Glyn Hambrook and Dr. Ben Colbert, in collaboration with UCM: Filología Inglesa I (English Language & Linguistics), Universidade da Coruña, Spain and University of Regensburg, Germany.
- 2010-2011: Supervisor and co-operator of Dr. Anna Horolets. Project: Leverhulme Trust UK Visiting Fellowship Grant for LSSC, The role of leisure travel in identity formation of post-2004 Polish migrants to the UK.
- 2000 - 2003: Research Fellow in Discourse Analysis, University of Wolverhampton
Project: Border discourse. Changing identities, changing nations, changing stories in European border communities. Funded under the 5th Framework Programme by the European Commission; (Ref: HPSE-CT-1999-00003; www.borderidentities.com).
- 2000: University of Wolverhampton. Coding of data. Research project: Middle age in late twentieth-century Britain: Press representations and individual perceptions in Birmingham and the Black Country, c. 1960-1995. Funded by The Leverhulme Trust (Ref. F/630/C).
- 1999: University of Bradford. Transcription of data, anthropological consultation.
Research project: Border discourse. Changing nations, changing identities, changing stories in Polish and German border communities. Funded by the Economic and Social Research Council (Ref.R000 22 2899).
- 1997: University of Wales, Cardiff, transcription of televised political debates.
- 1995-1996: (not continuous), University of Wolverhampton. Coding, translation, assisting with operationalising of the research. Research project: Following the West? The challenge of diversity. A comparative analysis of British and Polish press. Funded by the Soros Foundation (Research Support Scheme; contract RSS/HESP No. 598/1995).

c. Supervising experience

- 2007-2008: Research supervisors course, University of Wolverhampton, UK.
- 2005-2010: University of Wolverhampton. supervisor of HAGRI PhD student O. Kozłowska

2012 to date: University of Wolverhampton. Member of supervisory team (with L. Ugolini and M. Ponsonby) of Jenny Evans, Hodson shop collection PhD project, funded by AHRC.

5. Other professional activities

a. Memberships

Member of International Society of Ethnology and Folklore

Member of European Association of Social Anthropologists

b. Editorial board membership, referring for academic journals and funding bodies

Editorial Board Member, book series *Re-inventing Eastern Europe*, Cambridge Scholars Publishing

Editorial Board Member *Qualitative Sociology Review*, ISSN 1733-8077

Referee for *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, ISSN 1369-183X

Referee for *Sociology*, ISSN: 0038-0385

Referee for *British Journal of Sociology*, ISSN 0142-5692

Referee for *Narrative Inquiry*, ISSN 1387-6740.

Referee for *Ethnicities*, ISSN 1468-7968.

Referee for *Journal of Intercultural Studies*, ISSN 0725-6868.

Referee for *Field Methods*, ISSN 1525-822X.

Referee for *Migrations & Identities*, ISSN 1753-9021

Referee for *Nationalities Papers*, ISSN 0090-5992

Referee for *Qualitative Sociology Review*, ISSN 1733-8077

Referee for *Australian and New Zealand Journal of European Studies*

Referee for *Poznań Studies in Contemporary Linguistics*, ISSN 1897-7499

Referee for *Studia Humanistyczne AGH*, ISSN 2084-3364

Referee for *Seminar*

Referee for HERA Humanities in the European Research Area - Joint Research Programme (JRP) “Cultural Encounters”.

Referee for The Economic and Social Research Council Grant competition

Referee for The Arts and Humanities Research Council Grant competition

Referee for National Science Foundation USA, Cultural Anthropology Program

Referee for The Czech Science Foundation Grant competition

1991: Expert for the Commission for Polish geographic nomenclature at the government of the Republic of Poland.

6. Scholarships and awards

1990: Ukrainian Academy of Sciences scholarship

1989: "Primus inter pares": award from Poland's Secretary of State for Education.

7. External funding applications

2013: European Commission project Internet Tools for Research in Europe on New Drugs (I-TREND): interdisciplinary and integrated approaches to substance, users and markets. The project coordinator is the French Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (OFDT, France). Partners are: Centre for Addictology at the First Faculty of Medicine, Charles University (CUNI, Czech Republic, Co-beneficiary 1); University of Social Sciences and Humanities (SWSP, Poland, Co-beneficiary 2); Trimbos Institute (the Netherlands, Co-beneficiary 3); North West Public Health Observatory (NWPHO, UK, Co-beneficiary 4). (total **512777 Euros**)

2012 :ALTERAE International Project. Scientific adviser and researcher of Wolverhampton bid ‘Identity Discourse during the Opening and Closing Weeks of the London Olympics’, led by Dr. Glyn Hambrook and Dr. Ben Colbert, in

- collaboration with UCM: Filología Inglesa I (English Language & Linguistics), Universidade da Coruña, Spain and University of Regensburg, Germany, total **25000 Euros**)
- 2012: AHRC collaborative PhD studentship, member of supervisory team (In collaboration with Dr. Laura Ugolini, Dr. Margaret Ponsonby and Walsall Museum, total **£18000**)
- 2012: Erasmus Intensive Programmes "The Studies of Migration and Mobility in Europe", A Summer School bid. (In collaboration with Dr. Anna Horolets, Warsaw School of Social Sciences and Humanities (**40000Euros**))
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- 2010: Erasmus Intensive Programmes "The Studies of Migration and Mobility in Europe", A Summer School bid. (In collaboration with Dr. Anna Horolets, Warsaw School of Social Sciences and Humanities (**40000 Euros**))
- 2010: University of Passau, Germany, travel and maintenance grant for research a visit (**2000 Euros**)
- 2009: Leverhulme Trust UK Visiting Fellowship Grant for LSSC, The role of leisure travel in identity formation of post-2004 Polish migrants to the UK – securing Dr. Anna Horolets Visit (**£27, 270**)
- 2009: The Leverhulme Trust, UK, research project competition: 'Polish Migrants' Cultural Consumption and Leisure Activities in the Midlands.' (In collaboration with Dr. Kathy Burrell, £ 99, 256, final stage, unsuccessful)
- 2008: IPPR survey among Polish Nationals Living in England, applied research bid (In collaboration with Dr. Michal Garapich, CRONEM, University of Surrey/Roehampton, **£1300.**)
- 2007: The British Academy small grant competition: 'Patterns of cultural consumption and leisure activities among post-enlargement Polish migrants in the Midlands.' ('Alpha' rated, the highest rate, unsuccessful due to lack of funds)

8. Publications

a. Books

The post-communist condition. Public and private discourses of transformation.. (co-editor D. Galasiński) Amsterdam/Philadelphia: John Benjamins, DAPSAC series, **2010**. ISBN 978 90 272 0628 2. pp.260.

Discourse and Transformation in Central and Eastern Europe, (co-editor M. Krzyżanowski), Basingstoke, New York: Palgrave Macmillan. **2009**. ISBN 13: 978-0-230-52102-5. pp.243.

b. Articles in refereed journals

The (pro)long(ed) life of a “grand narrative”: The case of internet forum discussions on post-2004 Polish migration to the UK. (co-author A. Horolets). *TEXT and TALK* 32(2), pp.125-143,**2012**. ISSN 1860–7330/12/0032–0125. DOI 10.1515/text-2012-0007

Leavers and stayers discuss returning home. Internet discourses on migration in the context of the post-communist transformation. *Social Identities* 16(3), pp.309-324, **2010**. ISSN 1350-4630. DOI: 10.1080/13504630.2010.482416.

Gossiping in the Polish Club. An emotional coexistence of ‘old’ and ‘new’ migrants. *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 36 (5), pp. 939-951, **2010**, special issue On the move: Emotions and Human Mobility. ISSN 1369-183X. (doi:10.1080/13691831003643363).

Lost in communism, lost in migration: Narratives of post-1989 Polish migrant experience, (co-author D. Galasiński), *Journal of Multicultural Discourses*. 2 (1), pp.47-62, **2007**. ISSN 1744-7143.

Border Ethnography and Post-communist Discourses of Nationality in Poland, *Discourse & Society*, 17 (5), pp.609-626, **2006**. ISSN 0957-9265.

Shopping for new identity: Changing constructions of the Polish-German border in a Polish border community. (co-author D. Galasiński), *Ethnicities*, 5 (4), pp. 510-529, **2005**. ISSN 1468-7968.

Untold stories and the construction of identity in narratives of ethnic conflict on the Polish-German border, (co-author D. Galasiński), *Multilingua*, 24 (1-2), pp. 101-120, **2005**. ISSN 0167-8507.

The upper bridge, the lower bridge, and the one which is not there at all. Cross-border cooperation in Goerlitz and Zgorzelec, *Revue Géographique de l'Est*, 53 (4), pp.161-169, **2003**. ISSN 035-3213.

Temporal shifts in photo-elicited narratives in a Polish border town, *Narrative Inquiry*, 13 (2), pp. 393-411, **2003**. ISSN 1387-6740.

Discursive strategies for coping with sensitive topics of the Other, (co-author D. Galasiński), *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 29 (5), pp.849-863, **2003**. ISSN 1369-183X.

Names in "Konopielka" by E. Redlinski. An ethnolinguistic approach. *Onomastica XXXVI*, **1991**, 203-223. ISSN 0078-4648.

Names of dating agencies. *Onomastica XXXV*, **1990**, 103-111. (co-author D. Galasiński). ISSN 0078-4648.

Lexico-semantic field "OTHER" in E. Redlinski's "Konopielka". An ethnolinguistic analysis. *Polonica XIV*, **1989**, 121-141. ISSN 0137-9712.

c. Chapters in edited collections

Gossiping in the Polish Club. An emotional coexistence of 'old' and 'new' migrants. In M. Svasek (ed.) *Emotions and Human Mobility. Ethnographies of movement*. Routledge, **2012**.

Narrating migration, narrating transformation. In D. Uffelmann and J. Rostek (eds) *Contemporary Polish Migrant Culture in Germany, Ireland, and the UK*, p.225-243. Frankfurt am Main: Peter Lang, **2010**. ISBN 978-3-631-58773-7.

A two-way street? Discourses of post-communism and their sources. (co-author D. Galasiński). In R. de Cillia, H. Gruber, M. Krzyżanowski & F. Menz (eds) *Diskurs-Politik-Identität / Discourse-Politics-Identity. Essays for Ruth Wodak on Her 60th Birthday*, pp.343-353. Tübingen: Stauffenburg Verlag, **2010**. ISBN 978-3-86057-669-4.

Migracja jako wielka narracja w zderzeniu z „opowieściami emigranckimi”: przypadek dyskusji o emigracji do Wielkiej Brytanii na forum internetowym.

(co-author A. Horolets). In H. Grzymała-Moszczyńska, A. Kwiatkowska and J. Roszak (eds), *Drogi i bezdroża. Migracje Polaków w Unii Europejskiej po 1 maja 2004 roku. Analiza psychologiczno-socjologiczna*, pp.55-69. Kraków: Nomos, **2010**. ISBN 978-83-7688-016-7.

Introduction. Living between history and the present. Polish post-communist condition. (co-author D. Galasiński). In A. Galasińska and D. Galasiński (eds), *The post-communist condition. Public and private discourses of transformation*. pp. 1-20. Amsterdam/Philadelphia: John Benjamins, DAPSAC series, **2010**. ISBN 978 90 272 0628 2.

It's all about work. In A. Galasińska and D. Galasiński (eds), *The post-communist condition. Public and private discourses of transformation*. pp. 191-209. Amsterdam/Philadelphia: John Benjamins, DAPSAC series, **2010**. ISBN 978 90 272 0628 2.

'Either' and 'Both' – the changing concept of living space among Polish post-communist immigrants to the United Kingdom. (co-author O. Kozłowska). In M. Baynham, J. Collins and S. Slembrouck, (eds) *Globalization and Language in Contact: Scale, Migration, and Communicative Practices*, pp.170-188. London: Continuum, Advances in Applied Linguistics series, **2009**, ISBN 0826497985.

Discourses on a 'normal life' among post-accession migrants from Poland to Britain. (co-author O. Kozłowska). In K. Burrell (ed.) *Polish Migration to the UK in the 'New' European Union: After 2004*, pp.87-106 Aldershot: Ashgate, **2009**. ISBN 978-0-7546-7387-3.

Discourses of Social and Political Transformation in the 'New Europe'. (co-author M. Krzyżanowski) In A. Galasińska & M. Krzyżanowski (eds), *Discourse and Transformation in Central and Eastern Europe*, Basingstoke, New York: Palgrave Macmillan. **2009**, pp.1-16. ISBN 13: 978-0-230-52102-5.

Small stories fight back. Narratives of Polish economic migration on an internet forum. In A. Galasińska & M. Krzyżanowski (eds), *Discourse and Transformation in Central and Eastern Europe*, Basingstoke, New York: Palgrave Macmillan, **2009**, pp.188-203. ISBN 13: 978-0-230-52102-5.

Rejecting an Identity. Discourses of Europe in Polish border communities. (co-author D. Galasiński). In S. Millar and J. Wilson (eds) *The Discourse of Europe: Talk*

and Text in Everyday Life. John Benjamins, DAPSAC series, **2007**, pp.95-111. ISBN 978 90 272 2717 1.

Discourses of ethnicity in a Polish border town. In M. Buchowski & A. Brenz (eds) *Poland - Germany. Cultural and ethnic border*. Wroclaw-Poznan: Polish Ethnological Society, **2005**, pp.107-118. ISBN 83-87266-16-7.

Urban space and the construction of identity on the German-Polish border. (co-authors C. Rollo & U. H. Meinhof). In U. H. Meinhof (ed.). *Living (with) Borders*. London: Ashgate, **2002**, pp.119-139. ISBN 0 7546 0943 X.

d. Reviews and reports

Book review of “Wodak, R., de Cillia, R., Reisigl, M. & Liebhart, K. (2010) *The Discursive Construction of National Identity*. Second Edition. Transl. by Angelika Hirsch, Richard Mitten and J. W. Unger. Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press. *Applied Linguistics* 31(1), pp. 166- 168 (doi:10.1093/applin/amp052).

Book review of “Baynham, M. & De Fina, A. (eds) (2005) *Dislocation/Relocation. Narratives of Displacement*. Manchester, UK & Northampton, MA: St. Jerome Publishing, and Thornborrow, J. & Coates, J. (eds) (2005) *The sociolinguistics of narrative: Theory, context and culture in oral story-telling*. Amsterdam/Philadelphia: John Benjamins.” *Multilingua*, 26 (2/3), pp, 304-306. ISSN 0167-8507.

Book review of “Androutsopoulos, J. K. and Georgakopoulou, A. (eds) (2003) *Discourse Constructions of Youth Identities*. Amsterdam/Philadelphia: John Benjamins”. *Multilingua*, 23 (4), pp. 457-459, 2004. ISSN 0167-8507.

German-Polish Border Goerltiz/Zgorzelec, Guben/Gubin. EU Policy Makers Report. (co-author C. Rollo). In Policy Makers Reports by EC 5th Framework Border Discourse Consortium. Brussels 2000.

Polish-German Border Community Field Report: Zgorzelec/Goerlitz. (co-author C. Rollo). In Community Field Reports by EC 5th Framework Border Discourse Consortium. Brussels 2000.

e. Dictionary entries

Nazwy miejscowe Polski. Historia pochodzenie zmiany. ('Polish place names. History, origins, changes'). Co-authors: U. Bijak, E. Borysiak, J. Chludzynska, B. Czopek-Kopciuch, A. Galasińska, W. Makula-Kosek, I. Nobis, R. Przybytek, K. Rymut (General Editor), U. Wojcik, Z. Zierhoffer. vol. 7 (Ma-N), Krakow, Polish Academy of Sciences Press, 2007. ISBN 83-85579-29-X.

Nazwy miejscowe Polski. Historia pochodzenie zmiany. ('Polish place names. History, origins, changes'). Co-authors: U. Bijak, E. Borysiak, J. Chludzynska, B. Czopek-Kopciuch, A. Galasińska, W. Makula-Kosek, I. Nobis, R. Przybytek, K. Rymut (General Editor), U. Wojcik, Z. Zierhoffer. vol. 6 (L-Ma), Krakow, Polish Academy of Sciences Press, 2005. ISBN 83-85579-29-X.

Nazwy miejscowe Polski. Historia pochodzenie zmiany. ('Polish place names. History, origins, changes'). Co-authors: U. Bijak, E. Borysiak, J. Chludzynska, B. Czopek-Kopciuch, W. Makula-Kosek, I. Nobis, R. Przybytek, K. Rymut (General Editor), U. Wojcik, Z. Zierhoffer. vol. 5 (Ko-Ky), Krakow, Polish Academy of Sciences Press, 2003. ISBN 83-85579-29-X.

Nazwy miejscowe Polski. Historia pochodzenie zmiany. ('Polish place names. History, origins, changes'). Co-authors: U. Bijak, B. Czopek-Kopciuch, W. Makula-Kosek, R. Przybytek, K. Rymut (General Editor), U. Wojcik, Z. Zierhoffer. vol. 4 (J-Kn), Krakow, Polish Academy of Sciences Press, 2001. ISBN 83-85579-29-X.

Nazwy miejscowe Polski. Historia pochodzenie zmiany. ('Polish place names. History, origins, changes'). Co-authors: U. Bijak, B. Czopek-Kopciuch, W. Makula-Kosek, R. Przybytek, K. Rymut (General Editor), U. Wojcik, Z. Zierhoffer. vol. 3 (E-I), Krakow, Polish Academy of Sciences Press, 1999. ISBN 83-85579-29-X.

Nazwy miejscowe Polski. Historia pochodzenie zmiany. ('Polish place names. History, origins, changes'). Co-authors: U. Bijak, B. Czopek-Kopciuch, W. Makula-Kosek, R. Przybytek, K. Rymut (General Editor), U. Wojcik, Z. Zierhoffer. vol. 2 (C-D), Krakow, Polish Academy of Sciences Press, 1997. ISBN 83-85579-29-X.

Nazwy miejscowe Polski. Historia pochodzenie zmiany. ('Polish place names. History, origins, changes'). Co-authors: U. Bijak, B. Czopek-Kopciuch, W. Makula-Kosek, R. Przybytek, K. Rymut (General Editor), U. Wojcik, Z. Zierhoffer. vol. 1 (A-B), Krakow: Polish Academy of Sciences Press, 1996. ISBN 83-85579-29-X.

9. Conference papers

Leisure is not a pleasure.. but it is not a hard work either. 10th SIEF Congress: Lisbon, 17-21 April 2011.

Quarter of the century in the block of flats...Homemaking, common space and transformation in narratives of inhabitants of a typical Polish housing estate. Urban Transitions. Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznan, Poland, 21-22 October, 2010. **(keynote address)**

Exploring European Margins at Work Back Home. Anthropology of Europe: what is it and how it should be practiced? Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznan, Poland, 15-16 September, 2009.

Migrants narratives versus internet discourses on migration from post-communist Poland. The Ghosts of the Past: everyday life 20 years after the fall of Communism. University of East London, 11-12 June 2009.

Grand narrative of migration vs. migrants' "small" stories: the case of an internet forum discussion on post-2004 Polish migration to the UK. (co-author A. Horolets). Contemporary Polish Migrant Culture in Germany, Ireland, and the UK. Passau University, Germany, 15-18 January 2009

Every migrant counts. Migracje z Polski po 2004 roku. Polska Akademia Umiejetnosci, Krakow, 4-7 September 2008.

Leavers and stayers discuss returning home. EASA Bi-annual conference, University of Ljubliana, 26-30 August 2008.

Migracja jako wielka narracja w zderzeniu z „opowieściami emigranckimi”: przypadek dyskusji o emigracji do Wielkiej Brytanii na forum internetowym. (co-author A. Horolets). Migracje po wejściu Polski do UE - perspektywa psychologiczna i socjologiczna, SWPS, Warsaw, 29-30 May 2008.

Pictures, stories and memories. Oral history – The Art of dialogue, Jagiellonian University, Krakow, 8-10 November 2007.

Small stories fight back. Narratives of Polish economic migration on an internet forum. Political linguistics conference, Warsaw University, Warsaw, 13-15 September 2007.

The failed quest for normality. Nationalistic discourses of young migrants from Poland to the UK, (co-author O. Kozłowska), Slavonic symposium, University of East London, 27 April 2007.

Polish migration to the UK: Did the experience change? (co-author O. Kozłowska), Three years on: post-enlargement migration symposium, De Montfort University, Leicester, 20-21 April 2007.

Once upon a time on the river Nisse... Temporal indexicality in family narratives from a divided town on the Polish-German border. Polish-German post-memory: aesthetics, ethics, politics conference, University of Indiana, 19-21 April 2007.

Gossiping in the Polish Club. An emotional coexistence of ‘old’ and ‘new’ migrants. AHRC workshop on Emotional interaction: migrants and local communities, Queens University Belfast, 17-18 November 2006.

Stories of suitcases and rucksacks. Changing values of material objects in the narratives of Polish post-communist immigrants to the United Kingdom. EASA Bi-annual conference, University of Bristol, 18-21 September 2006.

Discourses of Social and Political Transformations: Post-communism and beyond, (co-author Michał Krzyżanowski), Panel at: Sociolinguistics Symposium 16, New Perspectives on Sociolinguistic Change, Conflict and Accommodation, University of Limerick, 6 – 8 July 2006.

“A Pole can do it!” (co-author O. Kozłowska), Sociolinguistics Symposium 16, New Perspectives on Sociolinguistic Change, Conflict and Accommodation, University of Limerick, 6 – 8 July 2006.

‘Either’ or ‘Both’ – the changing concept of living space among Polish post-communist immigrants to the United Kingdom. (co-author O. Kozłowska), BAAL seminar on language and migration, University of Leeds, 16-17 June 2006.

- Symbolizing Transition. Gendered modes of discourse in post-communist Poland. -3rd Łódź Symposium “New Developments in Linguistic Pragmatics”, University of Łódź, Poland, 11-14 May 2006.
- Social isolation and (un)employment. Self- reflexivity in narratives of post-communist Poland. (co-author O. Kozłowska), 9th International Pragmatics Conference, Riva del Garda, Italy, 10-15 July 2005.
- The ambiguous discourse of work in post-communist Poland. (co-author O. Kozłowska), Dilemmas of the Post-Communist Condition. An interdisciplinary conference on discourse and politics of societies in transition, Wolverhampton, 23-24 June 2005.
- Two Faces of Alienation in Poland at the Start of the Twenty First Century: Quantitative and Qualitative Approaches to the “Post Communist Condition”, (co-author M. Haynes), Dilemmas of the Post-Communist Condition. An interdisciplinary conference on discourse and politics of societies in transition, Wolverhampton, 23-24 June 2005.
- Lost in communism, lost in migration. (co-author D. Galasiński), 37th BAAL conference, London, 9-11 September 2004.
- Discourses of an ethnicity in a Polish border town. Sociolinguistic Symposium 15, Newcastle, 1-5 April 2004.
- Scientific preliminaries for identifying attitudes and identities of the inhabitants of the border town Zgorzelec, (co-author D. Galasiński), Scenario Conference, Zgorzelec, 26-27 November 2002.
- ‘One needs to grow up for Europe!’ Discourses of Europe in a Polish border community. International Conference on Globalisation: English and Language Change in Europe, Warsaw-Falenty, 19-21 September 2002.
- Untold stories of advantage. Narratives of ethnic conflict on the Polish-German border, (co-author D. Galasiński), 8th ICLASP, Hong Kong 10-15 July 2002.
- ‘Those in power have large families.’ Media and authorities in narratives of responsibility in a Polish border town. Sociolinguistic Symposium 14, Ghent 4-6 April 2002.
- ‘Such a little wing, such leftovers’ Discursive constructions of a Polish border town. International conference on ‘Language, migration and the city’. University of Bayreuth, 22-24 November, 2001.

Shopping for new identity: Changing constructions of the Polish-German border in a Polish border community. (co-author D. Galasiński), 35th International Institute of Sociology Congress, Krakow, 11-16 July 2001.

10. Conference/seminar organization

Leisure experience of migrants: shaping free time, shaping identities, 10th SIEF Congress: Lisbon, 17-21 April 2011 (co-organizer Anna Horolets).

Crossing European Borders, Exploring European Margins. Panel at: Anthropology of Europe: what is it and how it should be practiced? Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznan, Poland, 15-16 September, 2009. (co-organizer Anna Horolets).

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