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Lublaňská 1/1299
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120 00**Education:**

2014–	PhD student Historical Anthropology (<i>Department of General Anthropology, Faculty of Humanities, Charles University in Prague</i>)	Dissertation: <i>“The Gypsy Scourge!” Creation and Implementation of Anti-Gypsy Measures in Czechoslovakia and After, 1918-1942</i> (Thesis submitted: May 2020)
2012–2014	Master’s degree Social History (<i>Institute of Economic and Social History, Faculty of Arts, Charles University in Prague</i>)	Diploma thesis: <i>The Transformation of Czech Society in the 1930s</i> (https://is.cuni.cz/webapps/zzp/detail/136291/?lang=en)
2007–2012	Bachelor’s degree History (<i>Faculty of Arts, Charles University in Prague</i>)	Bachelor’s thesis: <i>Česká stráž Journal (1890-1901) and Its Most Influential Editors</i> (https://is.cuni.cz/webapps/zzp/detail/73046/?lang=en)

Research Grants:

2016–2021	ERC Advanced Grant University of St. Andrews (<i>Consultant</i>)	Roma Civic Emancipation Between the Two World Wars (Principal Investigator)
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Professor Elena
Marushiakova)

2015–2018 **Charles University Grant Agency**
(Principal Researcher) No. 54216: “The Gypsy Scourge!” Creation and Implementation of Anti-Gypsy Measures in Czechoslovakia between 1918 and 1940

Scholarships and Fellowships:

September 2019–August 2020 **CEFRES, French Research Center in Humanities and Social Sciences – Prague**
(Associated PhD. Fellow)

September **2018**–August **2019** **CEFRES, French Research Center in Humanities and Social Sciences – Prague**
(PhD. Fellow)

October **2017**–July **2018** **Vienna Wiesenthal Institute for Holocaust Studies**
(Junior Fellow)

October **2016**–March **2017** **Institute of History of the Slovak Academy of Sciences**
(National Scholarship Programme of the Slovak Republic)

September **2016** **Department of Historical Sciences, Faculty of Arts and Humanities, Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf**
(DAAD)

Work Experience:

May **2020**– **Department of General Anthropology** Teaching position in historical anthropology
Faculty of Humanities,
Charles University, Prague
(Full-time)

September **2016**–June **2018** **Terežín Initiative Institute** Consultant of the project
(Part-time) *Database of the Roma Holocaust Victims in the Czech*

Lands

September 2015–June 2016 **Multicultural Center Prague** (Part-time) Project coordinator: *Prague Shared and Divided* (<http://praha.mkc.cz/en/praha>)

Publications:

Conference papers

BALOUN, Pavel: "Czechoslovak Civilizing Mission in the 'East of the Republic'". In: ASEEEES Annual Convention 2019, 23-26 November 2019, San Francisco (Davis Graduate Student Travel Grant)

BALOUN, Pavel: Between "Backwardness" and "Habitual Criminals". Invoking "Gypsiness" at Courts in Interwar Czechoslovakia. In: Workshop zur Kriminalitätsgeschichte Mitteleuropas, 20-21 June 2019, Prague

BALOUN, Pavel: Getting Rid of the "Gypsy Scourge": A Shift Towards the Repressive Assimilation of the "Gypsies" in the Czech Lands, 1938–1942. In: '1938' and the Politics of Homogenization. Protecting the Nation in Europe on the Eve of World War II, 10-12 October 2018, Prague

BALOUN, Pavel: "(Special) schools" and "(labour) camps": On the question of (dis-)continuities in Czechoslovak anti-Gypsy measures and their practice, 1918-1958. In: The Legacies of the Romani Genocide in Europe: Transnational and Comparative Perspectives, 17-18 May 2018, Paris

BALOUN, Pavel: „Civilizování dorostu kmene vyloučeného ze společenského řádu“: „výchova cikánů“ v Československu v letech 1918-1942. In: 11. sjezd českých historiků a historiček, 13-15 September 2017, Olomouc

BALOUN, Pavel: "Biology of Gypsies": Representations of "Gypsies" in Czechoslovak Criminology (1918-1940). In: BASEES Annual Conference 2017, 31 March–2 April 2017, Cambridge

BALOUN, Pavel: Inclusion through Exclusion: Discourses on "Gypsies" in Interwar Czechoslovakia and the Case of Anti-Gypsy Violence in Pobeďim 1928. In: Community and Exclusion. Collective Violence in the Multiethnic (East) Central European Societies before and after the Holocaust (1848-1948), 25-27 September 2016, Prague (Czech Republic)

BALOUN, Pavel: "Civilizing the Gypsy Child": "Gypsy School" as a Colonial Practice in Interwar Czechoslovakia (1918-1938). In: Beyond East and West. Decolonizing Modernization. Telciu Summer Conferences, 24-25 July 2015, Telciu

Articles

BALOUN, Pavel: "We beg you not to equate the names of Gypsies and knife-grinders with honest traders." Racialization of "Gypsies" in Czech Lands Between 1918 and 1938. In: S:I.M.O.N. Shoah: Intervention. Methods. Documentation, No. 1 (2019), pp. 44-54.

BALOUN, Pavel: Von der „Landplage“ zur „fremden Rasse“. Die Repräsentation der Zigeuner in der tschechoslowakischen Kriminalistik (1918-1939). In: Bohemia. A Journal of History and Civilisation in East Central Europe, No. 1 (2019), pp. 50-76.

BALOUN, Pavel: Československá civilizační mise. Asimilační praktiky vůči „cikánským“ dětem v letech 1918–1942. In: Dějiny-Teorie-Kritika, No. 2 (2018), pp. 175-202.

BALOUN, Pavel: "Let's Slaughter the Gypsies!" Anti-Roma Pogrom in Pobodim in 1928. In: Střed/Centre. Journal for Interdisciplinary Studies of Central Europe in the 19th and 20th Centuries, No. 1 (2017), pp. 55-88.

BALOUN, Pavel – STROBACH, Vít: Likvidace nezaměstnanosti. Pracovní tábory mezi liberálními demokraciemi a diktaturou. In: Dějiny a současnost, No. 9 (2016), pp. 38-42

BALOUN, Pavel – GRUBER, Jan, – MAREŠ, Jan, – STROBACH, Vít: O výuce historie za kapitalismu a o mluvících hlavách. In: Dějiny – Teorie – Kritika, No. 1 (2012), pp. 121-144

Reviews, Conference Reports and Discussion

BALOUN, Pavel – LUDLOVÁ, Nikola: Tagungsbericht: Tracing the Legacies of the Roma Genocide. Families as Transmitters of Experience and Memory, 20-21 September 2017, Prague. In: H-Soz-Kult, 17 April 2018, <https://www.hsozkult.de/conferencereport/id/tagungsberichte-7655>

BALOUN, Pavel: Raz Segal: Genocide in the Carpathians. War, Social Breakdown and Mass Violence 1914-1945. In: Journal for Interdisciplinary Studies of Central Europe in the 19th and 20th Centuries, No.1 (2018), pp. 142-146.

BALOUN, Pavel: Josef Serinek – Jan Tesař: Česká cikánská rapsodie. In: Střed/Centre. Journal for Interdisciplinary Studies of Central Europe in the 19th and 20th Centuries, No. 2 (2017), pp. 88-94.

BALOUN, Pavel: Roger Griffin: Modernismus a fašismus: pocit začátku za Mussoliniho a Hitlera. In: Střed/Centre. Journal for Interdisciplinary Studies of Central Europe in the 19th and 20th Centuries, No. 2 (2016), pp. 127-132.

BALOUN, Pavel: Tagungsbericht: Community and Exclusion. Collective Violence in the Multiethnic (East) Central European Societies before and after the Holocaust (1848-1948), 25-27 September 2016, Prague. In: H-Soz-Kult, 30 November 2016, www.hsozkult.de/conferencereport/id/tagungsberichte-6853

BALOUN, Pavel: Historie jako společenská kritika: Dynamická normalizace. In: Biograf: Časopis pro kvalitativní výzkum, No. 57 (2012/2013), pp. 113-119.

BALOUN, Pavel: Neschopnost rozpoznat situaci? Nad knihou Jaroslava Meda. In: Soudobé dějiny, No. 2 (2012), pp. 298-307.

Public Presentations

Vienna Wiesenthal Institute invites to Pavel Baloun: "Slaughter Them All!" Collective Violence and the Dynamic of Anti-Gypsy Measures in Czechoslovakia and After, 1918-1942, 24 October 2017, VWI; commented by Mag. Dr. Gerhard Baumgartner (Dokumentationsarchiv des österreichischen Widerstandes)