JOHANNES MÜLLER GÓMEZ

Academic CV

RESEARCH INTERESTS

EU politics, Canadian politics, Multi-level systems, Comparative federalism, EU institutions, Democracy and legitimacy, Parliamentarism, German EU policy coordination

EDUCATION

since 2017  
**PhD Political Science** (cotutelle)  
Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Université de Montréal  
Faculty of Social Sciences, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München  
Part-time visiting student at McGill University (2018)  
Topic: Implementation of international agreements in multi-level systems  
Supervisors: Prof Dr Frédéric Merand & Prof Dr Berthold Rittberger

2014  
**Master of Arts Political Science**  
Faculty of Management, Economics and Social Sciences, University of Cologne  
Studies abroad: Université de Montréal (2013) and Higher School of Economics Moscow (2012)  
Supervisor: Prof Dr Wolfgang Wessels

2011  
**Bachelor of Arts Latin American Studies and Social Sciences**  
Faculty of Arts and Humanities, University of Cologne  
Studies abroad: Université de Liège (2009) and Universidad de Guadalajara (2009-2010)  
B.A. thesis: The EU as an External Democracy Promoter. Promoting Human Rights in Russia (1.0, German scale)  
Supervisor: Prof Dr Wolfgang Wessels

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

since 2018  
Jean Monnet Centre Montréal, McGill University & Université de Montréal  
Research assistant

since 2018  
Centre d’études et de recherches internationales (CÉRIUM), Université de Montréal  
Research assistant

since 2017  
Department of Political Science, Université de Montréal  
Doctoral researcher and graduate teaching assistant

2016-2017  
Center for Turkey and European Union Studies (CETEUS), University of Cologne  
Research associate (wissenschaftlicher Mitarbeiter)

2014-2016  
Jean Monnet Chair for European Politics, University of Cologne  
Research associate (wissenschaftlicher Mitarbeiter)

2012, 2013-2014  
Jean Monnet Chair for European Politics, University of Cologne  
Graduate research assistant (wissenschaftliche Hilfskraft)

PUBLICATIONS

Journal articles  


Monographs

Edited volumes

Book chapters


Working papers

Reports and studies


Further publications


(*peer-reviewed)

CONFERENCE PAPERS

EU politics in times of crises. Crisis management and integration dynamics, Northeastern Political Science Association, NPSA Annual Conference, Montréal, scheduled for: 8-10 November 2018

Still sui generis? The comparative turn in EU politics, COMOS, conference "The future of the European Union. Comparative experiences from federal systems", Montréal, scheduled for: 1 November 2018

Inter-institutional power struggle. The role of the European Parliament and the European Council in the EU’s institutional architecture, Jean Monnet project EUCOPAS, conference "Inter-institutional balance: towards a new institutional architecture?", Brussels, 5 June 2018
Diffusion of EU climate norms in Canada: A case study on the European Emissions Trading System and the Western Climate Initiative, European Community Studies Association Canada, ECSA-C Twelfth Biennial Conference, Toronto, 10 May 2018


How to reform the European Spitzenkandidaten system, Centro Studi sul Federalismo, Open Society European Policy Institute and Istituto Affari Internazionali, conference “How to make the EU more efficient and democratic”, Brussels, 16 June 2016

Refugees welcome? Contestation over a European distribution mechanism, European Community Studies Association Canada, ECSA-C Eleventh Biennial Conference, Halifax, 11 May 2016 (with Birte Windheuser)

The EU and the refugee crisis. Member States’ opposition to a European solution and implications for the EU’s actorness, Cambridge University, seminar “The European Union as a Credible Global Actor”, Cambridge, 5 April 2016 (with Birte Windheuser)

The Future of the Spitzenkandidaten Procedure, Centro Studi sul Federalismo and Istituto Affari Internazionali, seminar “Governing Europe”, Turin, 10 December 2015


PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

since 2018 Young researchers network of the European Community Studies Association Canada (ECSA-C)
Co-president

since 2017 Centre for Turkey and European Union Studies (CETEUS), University of Cologne
Research fellow

since 2016 Cologne Monnet Association for EU-Studies (COMOS)
Programme director and board member

since 2013 connosco e.V.
Advisory board member

2017-2018 University of Cologne
Consultant in bi-national education cooperation

2016-2017 Centre de recherches interdisciplinaires sur la France et la Francophonie (CIFRA)
Associate member

2016 Erasmus network PADEMIA (Parliamentary Democracy in Europe)
Article review for PADEMIA Research Award

2014 European Online Academy/Centre international de formation européenne (CIFE)
Development of learning material for EU studies programmes

ACADEMIC PROJECTS

2019-2020 La politique climatique du Québec et de la Bavière au sein d’un système fédéral. Une perspective comparée (Quebec’s and Bavaria’s climate policies within a federal system. A comparative perspective), Researcher, funding: Ministry of International Relations and La Francophonie of Québec (cooperation Québec-Bavaria)

Project director, funding: European Commission

2018-2019 CJMM – Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence Montréal,
Project manager, funding: European Commission

2015-2020 Die deutsche Verwaltung und die Europäische Union (The German administration and the European Union), Researcher and project manager, funding: Federal Academy of Public Administration (BAkoeV) Federal Ministry of the Interior
2016-2017 Establishment of the B.A. programme Political Science and Public Administration at the Turkish German University, Programme director, funding: German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

2015-2017 SUMMIT – Studying the European Council: Mastering and Disseminating Knowledge about a Key Institution, Project manager, funding: European Commission

2014-2017 HOMER – From History to Memory Culture: Narratives of the European Council Summits, Project officer, funding: European Commission


2013-2014 THESEUS – Establishing a European Society, Project officer, funding: Fritz Thyssen Foundation

2011-2012 LISBOAN – Linking Interdisciplinary Integration Studies by Broadening the European Academic Network, Project management assistant, funding: European Commission

SUCCESSFUL GRANT APPLICATIONS

**Canadian funds**
La politique climatique du Québec et de la Bavière au sein d’un système fédéral. Une perspective comparée (2019-2020), Working group on the cooperation between Québec and Bavaria/ Ministry of International Relations and La Francophonie of Québec, under the supervision of Frédéric Merand, 4,000 CAD

**EU funds**
DAFEUS – Debating and Analysing the Future of the European Union as a federal System with Academia, Civil Society and Policy-Makers. Comparative experiences from multi-level systems (Jean Monnet Project 2018-2020), in cooperation with Alina Thieme, 60,000 EUR.

MONTEUS – Jean Monnet Chair for Turkey and European Union Studies, European Commission (Jean Monnet Chair 2016-2019), under the supervision of Wolfgang Wessels, 50,000.00 EUR.

SUMMIT – Studying the European Council: Mastering and Disseminating Knowledge about a Key Institution, European Commission (Jean Monnet Project 2015-2017), under the supervision of Wolfgang Wessels, 59,276.50 EUR.

**German funds**
Establishment of the BA programme Political Science and International Relations at the Turkish German University (2017-2020), German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)/ Federal Ministry of Education and Research, under the supervision of Wolfgang Wessels, 510,098.40 EUR

The role of the German administration in the European Union (2015-2020), Federal Academy of Public Administration, Federal Ministry of the Interior, under the supervision of Wolfgang Wessels, 41,920.00 EUR

Der Europäische Rat und die Kooperation mit der Türkei in der Flüchtlingspolitik, Ministry for Federal Affairs, Europe and the Media of North Rhine-Westphalia (Europawoche 2016), 1,470.67 EUR

Freihandel zwischen Lateinamerika und der Europäischen Union. Chancen. Risiken. Alternativen, Ministry for Federal Affairs, Europe and the Media of North Rhine-Westphalia (Europawoche 2015), 2,000.00 EUR


SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

since 2017 PhD scholarship, Faculty of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies, Université de Montréal

since 2017 PhD fellowship, Department of Political Science, Université de Montréal

2018 Travel grant Association étudiante des cycles supérieurs en science politique de l’UdeM

2018 Travel grant European Community Studies Association Canada (ECSA-C)

2017-2018 Gérard Boismenu grant for promising research in comparative politics

2017 Travel grant European Union Studies Association (EUSA)

2016 Teaching award of the Faculty of Management, Economics and Social Sciences of the University of Cologne

2016 Travel grant European Community Studies Association Canada (ECSA-C)

2015 Travel grant Erasmus network PADEMIA (Parliamentary Democracy in Europe)

2012 Scholarship German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

2009 Scholarship German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

2009 Erasmus scholarship

2006 Prix Apollinaire, Robert Bosch Foundation
TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND DISSERTATION SUPERVISION

Université de Montréal
Comparative environmental politics, winter term 2018 (as TA)
Research methods in political science, fall term 2017 (as TA)
Comparative politics, fall term 2017 (as TA)

University of Cologne
Co-supervision of B.A. and M.A. dissertation projects with Prof Dr W. Wessels and Dr Aleksandra Maatsch, 2014-2017
Democracy in multi-level systems. A comparison of the EU and Canada, winter term 2016, undergraduate course
The democratic deficit of the European Union and the role of the European Parliament, summer term 2016, undergraduate course
Democracy beyond the nation state? The role of parliaments in the EU's multi-level system, summer term 2015, undergraduate course (with C. Heffter)
Normative Power Europe? The EU's external promotion of democracy, winter term 2014, undergraduate course (with B. Windheuser)
The EU as a foreign policy actor: the promotion of democracy and human rights, summer term 2014, undergraduate course (with B. Windheuser)
Introduction to European politics: the political system of the EU, winter term 2013 (with B. Windheuser)
Introduction to European politics: the political system of the EU, summer term 2012

Turkish-German University & University of Cologne
The relations between Turkey, the EU and Germany: Current challenges, June-July 2016, summer school and study trip in Brussels, Cologne and Berlin

Volkshochschule Cologne
Europe Live, March 2015, study trip in Brussels

MEDIA CONTRIBUTIONS, INVITED TALKS AND EVENT PARTICIPATION

Les Canadiens (et les Québécois) et leur système de gouvernement (invited talk), Centre de recherche sur la France et la Francophonie, Cologne, 20 July 2017
The EU and the refugee crisis: Member states’ opposition to a permanent quota system (invited talk), conference "New political challenges for Germany, Turkey and the EU", Turkish-German University, Istanbul, 26 May 2017
New Dynamics or Disintegration in the EU? From Bratislava to Rome (panel chair), conference "Towards a Differentiated Europe", University of Oslo, Oslo, 18 May 2017
Bridge over troubled waters? A New Research and Teaching Agenda on the EU and Turkey-EU Relations (panel discussant), roundtable, University of Cologne, Cologne, 13 October 2016
History of EU-Turkey Relations – What kind of Master Narrative? (panel chair), workshop "Narratives and Perceptions on EU-Turkey Relations – A Differentiated Future?", University of Cologne, Cologne, 8 June 2017
Le système politique français, Centre de recherche sur la France et la Francophonie (invited talk), Cologne, 2 June 2016
Dynamics of decision-making inside the European Council: Surprising results under the rules of consensus (panel discussant), roundtable, Charles University, Prague 14 April 2016
Good Practice – Jean Monnet Actions (invited talk), Erasmus+-Workshop, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD), Research Centre Caesar, Bonn, 9 November 2015 (with Linda Dieke)
Demokratie und Menschenrechte – Werte in der Europäischen Außenpolitik? (invited talk), workshop "Bonner Gespräche zu Europa", Representation of the European Commission, Bonn, 15 November 2014 (with Birte Windheuser)
Nach der Europawahl: Personalien und Perspektiven (panellist), European Documentation Centre, Cologne, 24 June 2014
Europawahlen 2014: Wahlkampf und Wahlsystem (interview), CampusRadio, Cologne, 23 May 2014
Das Europäische Parlament: Aufbau und Funktionsweise (invited talk), University of Cologne, Cologne, 10 May 2014 (with Anita Bethig)
Das Europäische Parlament als Verteidiger von Demokratie und Menschenrechten in der Welt (invited talk), University of Cologne, Cologne, 6 May 2014 (with Birte Windheuser)
Die Europäische Union – Mehr als eine Handelsmacht? (invited talk), conference "EU calls Colombia. Das EU-Freihandelsabkommen mit Kolumbien auf dem Prüfstand", University of Cologne, Cologne, 15 November 2013 (with Birte Windheuser)

ORGANISED ACADEMIC CONFERENCES

2018 The future of the European Union. Comparative experiences from federal systems, Université de Montréal, scheduled for: 1-2 November 2018
2018 Crisis Management, Democracy and Differentiation in the European Union, Université de Montréal, scheduled for: 30-31 October 2018
2017 Towards a Differentiated Europe, University of Oslo, 18-19 May 2017
2017 The European Council. Spreading knowledge and fostering research on a key institution, European Academy Berlin, 16-17 January 2017
2015 Freihandel zwischen Lateinamerika und der EU. Chancen, Risiken,Alternativen (Free trade between Latin America and the EU. Chances, Risks, Alternatives), Cologne, 9 May 2015

FURTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

2010-2014 Internships and working experience at the German Embassy in Mexico City, Misereor e.V. (Aachen), Mexican Consulate General in Vancouver, Fairtrade Consulting Cooperative Ltd. & Co.KG (Bonn), connosco e.V. (Cologne)
2010 Member of the German delegation at the UN Climate Change Conference (COP 16) in Cancún

MEMBERSHIPS

Northeastern Political Science Association (NPSA)
European Union Studies Association (EUSA)
European Community Studies Association Canada (ECSA-C)
Cologne Monnet Association for EU-Studies (COMOS e.V.)

COMMUNICATION

German (mother tongue), Spanish (mother tongue), English (fluent), French (fluent)

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