# **ELA ROSSMILLER**

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#### PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY AND CORE STRENGTHS

Dr. Ela Rossmiller is an academic who enjoys helping international scholars publish their work in Englishlanguage North American journals and presses. She specializes in academic language services and research assistance in the areas of history, international relations, politics, and sociology. She studied Polish at the Jagiellonian University in Cracow and conducted research at the University of Warsaw.

Writing | Editing | Translation (Polish > English) | Transcription | Research | Analysis | Voice Recording and Audiobook Narration | Digital Content Development

#### **ACADEMIC TRANSLATION**

- 2018 In-house translator and research fellow for numerous digital publications of the Center for European Policy Analysis, Washington, D.C.
- 2016 Translator (ad hoc), Stan Rzeczy (remote)
  Sławomir Mandes. "Hubert Knoblauch and Communicative Constructivism: A Commentary,"
  translated by Ela Rossmiller. Stan Rzeczy 11 (2016).

# **ACADEMIC EDITING**

- Proofreader (ad hoc), Scholars at Risk (remote)
   Proofread and re-format academic CVs for Afghan scholars fleeing persecution and seeking refuge in universities abroad.
- 2022 Editor (ad hoc), Memory Studies Association Scholars at Risk (remote)
  Alla Marchenko. "Mutual Visibility: Ukraine and the POLIN Museum of the History of Polish Jews", edited by Ela Rossmiller. Memory Studies Association (January 18, 2022).
  <a href="https://www.memorystudiesassociation.org/alla-marchenko-msa-memory-scholars-at-risk-fellow/">https://www.memorystudiesassociation.org/alla-marchenko-msa-memory-scholars-at-risk-fellow/</a>
- 2014 Editor and Manuscript Reviewer, Journal of International Service, American University (remote)

### MANUSCRIPT AND PROPOSAL REVIEW

Reviewer (ad hoc), *International Journal of Transitional Justice*, Oxford University Press (2022 - present) Reviewer (ad hoc), *East European Politics, Societies, and Cultures*, Sage Journals (2023 – present) External Reviewer, National Science Centre (Narodowe Centrum Nauki), Poland (2014)

#### **DIGITAL CONTENT DEVELOPMENT**

Produced 51 recorded lectures using Panopto.

#### **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS**

# **Peer-Reviewed Publications**

- Ela Rossmiller. "Studying Slavic and East European Politics in the Context of European Politics," Canadian Slavonic Papers (November 2023) https://doi.org/10.1080/00085006.2023.2268975
- Ela Rossmiller. "Commemorating Martial Law as Treason," *East European Politics and Societies*. First published online October 11, 2021: https://doi.org/10.1177/08883254211049831

# **Professional Publications**

- Ela Rossmiller and Anaida Fahradyan. "Decolonizing the Comparative Politics of Central and Eastern Europe and Eurasia in the Undergraduate Curriculum." ASEEES NewsNet: News of the Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies 63, 4 (July 2023).
- 2020 Ela Rossmiller. "Using Puzzles to Teach Students How to Write Literature Reviews," *Political Science Educator 24*, 2 (2020).
- 2018 Ela Rossmiller. "Poland: Security and Foreign Policy Priorities." (Washington, D.C.: Center for European Policy Analysis, October 2018).

### **Book Reviews**

- The Past in the Present: The Construction of Polish History, by Robert Traba. (Frankfurt am Main: Peter Lang, 2015). Pol-Int (January 20, 2017).
- 2016 Modi memorandi. Leksykon kultury pamięci (Modi Memorandi: A Lexicon of the Culture of Memory), eds. Magdalena Saryusz-Wolska, Robert Traba, in collaboration with Joanna Kalicka (Warsaw: Wydawnictwo Naukowe Scholar, 2014).
- 2015 Polish vs. American Courtroom Discourse: Inquisitorial and Adversarial Procedures of Witness Examination in Criminal Trials, by Grażyna Anna Bednarek (New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2014). Pol-Int (October 16, 2015).
  - Evoking Polish Memory: State, Self and the Communist Past in Transition, by Anna Witeska Młynarczyk (Frankfurt am Main: Peter Lang Edition, 2014). Pol-Int (August 7, 2015).
- 2012 "Gender Politics in Post-Socialist East Central European States," *Review of European and Russian Affairs 7*, 1 (2012).
  - Becoming World Wise: A Guide to Global Learning, by Richard Slimbach (Sterling, VA: Stylus Publishers, 2010), Review of Global Studies Literature, 3 (2012).

# Other Publications

- 2016 Ela Rossmiller and Magdalena Wnuk. "Jak państwo pomaga represjonowanym w PRL?" (How is the State Helping Victims of Repression During the PRL?), *MamPrawoWiedziec.pl* (September 21, 2016).
- 2013 "Jaki jest amerikański model wychowania obywatelskiego?" (What is the American Model of Civic Education?) translated by Janusz Buszyński, *Edukacja i Dialog* (July/August 2013)

#### **PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS**

Ten papers were presented at conferences for the American Political Science Association (APSA); Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies; European Network for Remembrance and Solidarity; Havinghurst Center Annual Young Researchers Conference; Intercultural Communication Graduate Research Expo; International Studies Association (ISA); Michigan Association of International Education; and the Polish Institute for Arts and Sciences of America.

### **PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS**

| 2019 – Present | Assistant Professor (2021 – Present) Visiting Assistant Professor (2019 – 2021) Wilson College, Global Studies and Political Science |
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| 2018-2019      | Visiting Assistant Professor<br>Roanoke College, Political Science   |
| 2018           | Title VIII Area Studies Fellow (Central and Eastern Europe) Center for European Policy Analysis                                      |
| 2013 – 2017    | Instructor (2014-2017) Teaching Assistant (2013) American University, School of International Service                                |
| 2013           | Summer Intern US Embassy of Warsaw, Public Affairs Section   |

### **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

| 2018    | Title VIII CEE Area Studies Fellow, Center for European Policy Analysis, D.C. |
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| 2016    | Researcher / Political Analyst, MamPrawoWiedzieć in Warsaw, Poland            |
| 2014-16 | Visiting Scholar, Center for Research on Social Memory, University of Warsaw  |

### **SERVICE**

Finance Committee Member, Memory Studies Association, 2022 – present
Board Member, Polish Library of Washington, D.C., 2012 – 2014
American Cultural Ambassador, Nidzicka Fundacja Rozwoju NIDA (Polish-American Freedom Foundation), 2014

### **TECHNOLOGY SKILLS**

- Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- Remote Communication Tools (email, phone, Zoom, WhatsApp)
- Learning Management Systems and Educational Technology (Blackboard, Canvas, Panopto, and other tools for digital content development)
- File Sharing and Collaboration (Google Drive, Dropbox)

#### **EDUCATION**

# Diplomas

Ph.D. International Relations, School of International Service, American University

M.Ed. International Education, Graduate School of Education, Harvard University

B.A. French Language and Literature, University of Chicago

Dipl. School of Polish Language and Culture, Jagiellonian University (Level C1)

### Research and Study Abroad

Center for Research on Social Memory, University of Warsaw (two research trips of six months each) School of Polish Language and Culture, Jagiellonian University (two years) University of Paris X in Nanterre, France (one year)

# **Additional Training**

Essex Summer School in Social Data Analysis, University of Essex, UK, 2014 Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Syracuse University, NY, 2012 Joint Program in Survey Methodology, University of Maryland, 2011