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**RESEARCH INTERESTS** Military & Society; Gender Relations; Ethnic Conflict; Quantitative & Qualitative Research Methods, Teaching Methods

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## EDUCATION

- 2024 **PhD in Political Science, Trinity College Dublin**
- Dissertation: *Essays on the Impact of Military Recruitment Policies on Gender and Ethnic Relations*, supervised by Dr. Jesse Dillon Savage; submitted in September 2024.
  - Training: research design, research ethics, qualitative methods, interviewing methods, quantitative methods, sociology of gender, political behavior, international conflict, politics in the Middle East, Hebrew (90 ECTS).
  - Funding: Provost PhD Award, TRiSS Research Fellowship (fieldwork grant) + external travel grants.
- 2019 **MA in International Relations, Charles University Prague**
- Thesis: *The Israeli Druze: Military Service as a Tool to Influence Domestic and Foreign Policy*, supervised by Dr. Tomáš Kučera; awarded the 2019 M. R. *Stefanik Prize* for contribution to Security Studies research by the Institute of Political Studies, Charles University Prague.
  - Final examination: International Law, IR Theories, EU Studies, thesis defense.
- 2016 **Visiting Student, University of Haifa**
- Funding: Scholarship for Foreign Students, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Israel.
- 2014 **BA in Political Science and EU Studies, Palacky University Olomouc**
- Thesis: *The Changes in Czech Foreign Policy towards Israel after Joining the EU*, supervised by Dr. Daniel Marek.
  - Final examination: Political Systems Analysis, EU Studies, Czech Politics, thesis defense.
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## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 07/2023-10/2023 **PhD Fieldwork in Israel/Palestine, as part of PhD at Trinity College Dublin**
- Data collection for the project *Overlooked Impact of Selective Conscription: Interview Evidence from Ethnic Minority Women in Israel*; involved securing research funding, preparing the research design, developing a sampling strategy, obtaining ethical approval, coordinating fieldwork logistics, networking with local stakeholders, recruiting participants, managing data, and conducting 33 interviews.
- 2020-present **Research Assistant, Trinity College Dublin**
- Research design and data collection for Dr. Jesse Dillon Savage's project on ethnic conflict, as a co-author.

- 06/2015-  
09/2015     **Interviewer, IPSOS**  
- Conducting and coding elite interviews for the WTO-EU Commission project *Tariff Measures in the Countries of the European Union*.
- 10/2012-  
10/2013     **Research Assistant, Palacky University Olomouc**  
- Conducting non-elite interviews and ethnographic observation for various research projects in the Department of Political Science.
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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 09/2020-  
present     **(Head) Teaching Assistant, Trinity College Dublin**  
- *Introduction to Political Science A and B* (Fall 2020, 2022, 2023, 2024; Spring 2021, 2023, 2024); *International Relations A and B* (Fall 2021; Spring 2022); *Politics and Irish Society A* (Fall 2024)  
- Awarded the *2023 Dermot McAleese Teaching Award*; nominated for the *2024 Postgraduate Teaching Award* by the School of Social Sciences and Philosophy, Trinity College Dublin.  
- **As Head TA (5 semesters):** Supervision of teaching teams of up to nine TAs to facilitate module delivery for over 460 students. Managed administrative tasks; contributed to syllabi development by suggesting specific topics, readings and assessment methods; and developed class materials for the teaching teams.  
- **As TA (9 semesters):** Tutorials development and delivery, essay/exam assessment, mentorship.
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## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 01/2022-  
present     **Event Assistant, International Society of Political Psychology**  
- Co-organization of the 3-day ISPP Summer Academy in Montreal, Canada (2023) and Santiago, Chile (2024), and the Virtual ISPP Academy (2024).  
- Managing communication with lecturers and applicants, applications management, program preparation, event handbook compilation, setting up technical aspects.
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## OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

- 02/2019-  
08/2020     **Text Manager, Volkswagen Group** (Mladá Boleslav, Czech Republic)  
- Overseeing language database development. Maintaining relationships with stakeholders.
- 07/2017-  
07/2018     **Team Leader, Cycurity** (Tel Aviv, Israel)  
- Supervising a team of six. Developing and implementing project strategies.
- 09/2015-  
11/2015     **Political Section Intern, Czech Embassy Tel Aviv** (Tel Aviv, Israel)  
- Planning and managing a high-level 3-day visit to Israel for 40 politicians, artists, and business leaders, including logistics, accommodation, budget calculations, and collaborating with stakeholders such as chambers of commerce, airports, and cultural organizations.

- 01/2014-09/2016      **Marketing Assistant, Bohemian Ventures** (Prague, Czech Republic)  
 - Organizing workshops, webinars, and conferences. Developing social media strategies. Creating content, including copywriting, graphics, and newsletters.
- 08/2013-09/2013      **Party Management Intern, TOP09** (Prague, Czech Republic)  
 - Conducting research and daily media monitoring on topics relating to domestic and international politics.
- 06/2013-07/2013      **European Section Intern, Ministry of Foreign Affairs** (Prague, Czech Republic)  
 - Conducting research and daily media monitoring on EU-related topics. Preparing policy briefs and materials for diplomatic staff.

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## PUBLICATIONS

**Odlová, M.** *The Impact of Gendered and Ethnicized Conscriptio on Ethnic Minority Women: Interview Evidence from Israel* (under review/revisions)

**Odlová, M.** *Ethnic Military Recruitment Dataset: Introducing a New Dataset and Its Use* (under review/revisions)

**Odlová, M.** *The Israeli Druze: Military Service as a Tool to Influence Domestic and Foreign Policy* (working paper)

**Odlová, M.** *Equality in Uniform? Women's Military Roles and Gender Stereotypes Among the Public* (working paper)

**Savage, J. D., Odlová, M., Zhang, T.** *Intrastate Ethnic Repression and Conflict Dynamics* (work in progress)

**Odlová, M.** (2019). *Zákon o národním státu: Konec izraelsko-drúžského přátelství?* [The Nation State Law: End of Israeli-Druze Friendship?]. *International Politics*, Institute of International Relations Prague.

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## AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND GRANTS

- 2024      Young Scholar Support Award, Network of European Peace Scientists (€125)  
 2024      Postgraduate Teaching Award, Trinity College Dublin (nominee)  
 2024      TRiSS Travel Bursary, Trinity College Dublin (€750)  
 2023      Dermot McAleese Teaching Award, Trinity College Dublin (winner)  
 2023      Early Career Travel Funding Scheme, Political Studies Association of Ireland (€800)  
 2022      TRiSS Research Fellowship, Trinity College Dublin (€1,428)  
 2020      Provost PhD Award, Trinity College Dublin (€80,000 + tuition fees)  
 2019      M. R. Stefanik Prize, Charles University Prague (winner)  
 2016      Scholarship for Foreign Students, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Israel (\$14,500)

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## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- 06/2024      Feminist and Queer Methodologies Workshop by Sandra Russell (Dublin, Ireland)  
 02/2024      Graduate Mentoring Program, Association for Middle East Women's Studies (remote)  
 07/2023      Field Research Mini-Course, Advancing Research on Conflict (London, UK)  
 08/2021      Hertie Data Science Summer School (remote)

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## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 12/2024\*\*      Political Studies Association of Ireland: Postgraduate Conference (Dublin, Ireland)

10/2024 Political Studies Association of Ireland: Annual Conference (Dublin, Ireland)  
08/2024 En-Gender (remote)  
07/2024 European Conference on Politics and Gender: Annual Conference (Ghent, Belgium)  
06/2024 British International Studies Association: Annual Conference (Birmingham, UK)  
06/2024 Jan Tinbergen European Peace Science Conference (Dublin, Ireland)  
06/2024 Women in Research Ireland: Women's Day Research Showcase (Dublin, Ireland)  
03/2024 University of Kansas Druze Studies Symposium: Past, Present, And Future (remote)  
11/2023 Political Studies Association of Ireland: Annual Conference (Belfast, UK)  
12/2022 European University Institute: Interdisciplinary Workshop on Palestine (Florence, Italy)  
06/2021 Association for Israel Studies: Pluralistic Israel (remote)

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## SKILLS

**Software:** RStudio, RMarkdown, LaTeX, SPSS, NVivo, Qualtrics, EndNote, Qualtrics, Canva, Adobe Photoshop, Microsoft Office

**Languages:** Czech (native), English (C2), Hebrew and Italian (B1), French (B2 lapsed)

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## REFEREES

upon request

\*\* upcoming events