

# Zona Zarić

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Doctor of Political and Moral Philosophy, École normale supérieure (Ulm), Paris  
Lecturer in the History and Politics Department of the American University of Paris  
Research Fellow at The Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory, University of Belgrade

## Curriculum vitae

### RESEARCH AREAS

Moral and Political Philosophy, Contemporary Political Thought, Ethics of Care, Phenomenology, History of the concepts of Empathy, Sympathy and Compassion, Feminism, Theories of Justice, Critical Theory, International Affairs.

### ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

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- July 2023-** Postdoctoral Fellow, Center for Critical Democracy Studies, The American University of Paris
- Aug.2022-** Lecturer, History and Politics Department, American University of Paris
- Mar.-Aug. 2022** Postdoctoral Fellow, Center for Advanced Studies, Southeast Europe, University of Rijeka, Croatia
- 2020-** Research Fellow, Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory, University of Belgrade, Serbia
- 2015-** Member of the Archives Husserl (UMR 8547), École normale supérieure (Ulm), Paris

### UNIVERSITY CURSUS

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- 2022** **Postdoctorate in Critical Theory**, Center for Advanced Studies, Southeast Europe, University of Rijeka, Croatia
- 2015–2021** **PhD in Philosophy**, École normale supérieure (Ulm), Paris  
PhD Thesis: ‘The Political Significance of Compassion’  
Under the direction of Marc Crépon and Cynthia Fleury  
**Jury:** Sandra Laugier, Philip Golub, Paul Audi, Marc Crépon, Cynthia Fleury  
**Mention:** The institution does not award honors. With the congratulations of the jury, unanimously.
- 2014–2015** **MA in International Affairs**, The American University of Paris, France  
Master thesis: ‘Phenomenology of a Politics of Compassion’  
Under the direction of Cynthia Fleury
- 2006–2013** **BA and MA in Law**, The Faculty of Law of the University in Belgrade, Serbia

## LANGUAGES

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### LIVING LANGUAGES

<b>Serbian</b> (Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin)	Native
<b>English</b>	CPE (Certificate of Proficiency in English)
<b>French</b>	C2 CEFR level
<b>Spanish</b>	C1 CEFR level

### ANCIENT LANGUAGES

<b>Latin</b>	Reading and scientific usage
<b>Greek</b>	Reading and scientific usage

## TEACHING AND MENTORING

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<b>2022-</b>	Lecturer in ‘Political Philosophy’, ‘Contemporary Political Thought’, and ‘Feminism and the Global Digital Public Sphere’, at The American University of Paris
<b>2023</b>	Visiting Professor École Normale Supérieure (Ulm), Programme de l’enseignement ENS-PSL sur ‘Les grands enjeux de la transition écologique et sociale’
<b>2023</b>	Lecturer in ‘Humanistic Management of Services and Facilities for the Elderly’ (Master 2) École d’ingénieur·e·s of the Conservatoire national des arts et métiers (Cnam), Paris
<b>2022-2023</b>	Adjunct Lecturer, ‘Introduction to Psychology’, Institut Catholique de Paris
<b>2022</b>	Interdisciplinary summer course, ‘Conflict & the Cosmopolitan Imagination’ [with Brian Schiff and Philip Golub], The George and Irina Schaeffer Center for the Study of Genocide, Human Rights and Conflict Prevention, American University of Paris
<b>2019–2020</b>	Lecturer in Philosophy and Humanities, École d’ingénieur·e·s of the Conservatoire national des arts et métiers (EICnam), Paris
<b>2017–2019</b>	Mentoring of undergraduate and graduate students from the American University of Paris
<b>2016</b>	Guest Lecturer, ‘Philosophical Foundations of Cosmopolitanism’, American University of Paris
<b>2016–2020</b>	Lecturer and Organizer of the seminar ‘Soin et compassion: le sujet, l’institution hospitalière et la Cité’ [with Pauline Bégué], Chaire de philosophie, Hôtel-Dieu, Paris, in collaboration with École normale supérieure, Paris
<b>2015–2018</b>	Research Associate at École normale supérieure, Archives Husserl, interdisciplinary doctoral school (ED540)
<b>2014–2015</b>	Research Assistant, ‘Human Rights and Digital Technologies’, American University of Paris
<b>2013–2014</b>	Women of Tomorrow Mentor and Scholarship Program, mentoring and guidance for at-risk young women in partnership with public school districts in Miami, FL, USA

- 2009–2010 Teaching Assistant, ‘Political and Legal Theories’, The Faculty of Law of the University in Belgrade, Serbia
- 2007–2008 Teaching Assistant, ‘History of Law’, The Faculty of Law of the University in Belgrade, Serbia

## PROJECTS

- 2023 OppAttune – ‘Countering Oppositional Political Extremism Through Attuned Dialogue : Track, Attune, Limit’ research project for Horizon Europe 2023, funded by the European Research Council.
- 2022 ‘What is Gender?’ Yearlong project in collaboration with Institut Français de Serbie, The Faculty of Media and Communications and The Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory, University of Belgrade.
- 2020 ‘Reframing dominant “crisis” narratives in terms of their underlying care challenge,’ *COST – Action Proposal OC-2020-1-24677*
- 2014 ‘Preparing Industry to Privacy-by-design by supporting its Application in Research’, Deliverable *D4.2* Initial Educational Material. Funded by the European Union’s Seventh Framework Program

## PUBLICATIONS

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### BOOKS

- 2024 **Forthcoming.** *La signification politique de la compassion* [PhD dissertation], Paris: Hermann.
- 2023 **Forthcoming.** *Nancy Fraser and Politics* [with Marjan Ivković], Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press.

### BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2023 ‘Critical sociology’ [with Ivica Mladenović and Dušanka Milosvaljević]. In: *Manuel of critics*, ed. Marjan Ivković and Željko Radinković. Belgrade: Akademska knjiga.
- 2023 ‘Critique of the Master – Slave Dialectic’ [with Adriana Zaharijević and George Hristov]. In: *Manuel of critics*, ed. Marjan Ivković and Željko Radinković. Belgrade: Akademska knjiga.
- 2023 ‘Epistemological and methodological foundations of *Distinction*’ [with Andrej Cvetić]. In: *Pierre Bourdieu, radical thought and praxis*, ed. Ivica Mladenović, Zona Zarić and Milan Urošević: 304–325. Belgrade: IFDT.
- 2023 ‘Pierre Bourdieu and Michel Foucault.’ In: *Pierre Bourdieu, radical thought and praxis*, ed. Ivica Mladenovic, Zona Zarić and Milan Urošević: 410–431. Belgrade: IFDT.
- 2021 ‘Rendre visible’ [with Pauline Bégué]. In: *Soin et compassion: Un nouveau paradigme pour la philosophie politique?*, ed. Zona Zarić and Pauline Bégué: 8–35. Paris: Hermann.

### ARTICLES IN JOURNALS

- 2022 ‘The Ethics and Politics of Care in Times of Crises’ [with Sarah Clark Miller, Estelle Ferrarese, Guillaum Le Blanc, Fiona Robinson, Marko Konjović]. *Philosophy and Society* 33 (4): 934–946.

- 2022 'Care in the Anthropocene: Acting with compassion' [with Pantović Ljiljana]. *Philosophy and Society* 33 (4): 881–894.
- 2021 'The Pandemic: A Breeding Ground for Authoritarian Power Grabs.' *Bulletin of the Institute of Ethnography SASA* LXIX (3): 609–623.
- 2021 'Pierre Bourdieu and Politics' [with Philip Golub, Frédéric Lebaron, Ivica Mladenović, Gisèle Sapiro and Franck Poupeau]. *Philosophy and Society* 32 (4): 567–586.
- 2020 'Human rights: Moral claims and the crisis of hospitality.' *Philosophy and Society* 31 (4): 649–660.
- 2018 'Le récit et la modernité numérique.' *La Revue du Cube* 14.
- 2017 'Pourquoi avons-nous besoin de compassion?' [with Pauline Bégué]. *iPhilo* [online: <http://iphilo.fr/2017/05/27/pourquoi-avons-nous-besoin-de-compassion-zona-zaric/>].
- 2017 'Agir avec compassion, penser un soin en commun.' *Soins* 814: 56–60.

#### EDITED BOOKS

- 2023 *Refusing To Be Silent* [with Gazela Pudar-Draško]. Milano: Mimesis.
- 2023 *Pierre Bourdieu, Radical Thought and Praxis* [with Ivica Mladenović and Milan Urošević]. Belgrade: IFDT.
- 2022 *Engaged Conversations* [with Gazela Pudar-Draško]. Belgrade: IFDT.
- 2021 *Soin et compassion: Un nouveau paradigme pour la philosophie politique?* [with Pauline Bégué]. Paris: Hermann.

#### EDITED JOURNAL ISSUES

- 2022 'Global Ethics and Politics of Care: Tracing Gendered Vulnerabilities' [with Marko Konjović, Jelena Čeriman and Ljiljana Pantović]. *Philosophy and Society* 32 (4).
- 2021 'Pierre Bourdieu: Theory and Public Engagement' [with Ivica Mladenović]. *Philosophy and Society* 32 (4).

#### INTERVIEWS AND DICTIONARY ENTRIES

- 2022 'Intellectuals Should not Speak for Others, but with Them. Catherine Malabou.' In: *Refusing To Be Silent*, ed. Zona Zarić and Gazela Pudar-Draško: 21–31. Milano: Mimesis.
- 2022 'Cosmopolitanism and Populism. Seyla Benhabib.' In: *Refusing to Be Silent*, ed. Zona Zarić and Gazela Pudar-Draško: 55–69. Milano: Mimesis.
- 2022 'How to Overcome Resentment. Cynthia Fleury.' In: *Refusing to Be Silent*, ed. Zona Zarić and Gazela Pudar-Draško: 73–81. Milano: Mimesis.
- 2022 'The War on Migration as a Sequel to War on Terror. Étienne Balibar' [with Ivica Mladenović]. In: *Refusing to Be Silent*, ed. Zona Zarić and Gazela Pudar-Draško. Milano: Mimesis.
- 2022 'What is Ordinary Feminism? Fabienne Burger.' In: *Refusing to Be Silent*, ed. Zona Zarić and Gazela Pudar-Draško: 113–125. Milano: Mimesis.

- 2022 'Reducing Life to Biological Life. Guillaume Le Blanc.' In: *Refusing to Be Silent*, ed. Zona Zarić and Gazela Pudar-Dražko: 125–133. Milano: Mimesis.
- 2022 'Power, Profit and Prestige: On American and Chinese Imperialism. Philip Golub' [with Ivica Mladenović]. In: *Refusing to Be Silent*, ed. Zona Zarić and Gazela Pudar-Dražko: 149–161. Milano: Mimesis.
- 2022 'Cannibalistic Capitalism and The Meaning of Socialism in the 21st Century. Nancy Fraser' [with Marjan Ivkovic]. In: *Refusing to Be Silent*, ed. Zona Zarić and Gazela Pudar-Dražko: 133–149. Milano: Mimesis.
- 2021 'Disengagement.' In: *Dictionary of engagement*, ed. Igor Cvejić, Gazela Pudar-Dražko and Márk Loszonc: 33–34. Belgrade: IFDT.
- 2021 'Attention' [with Igor Cvejić]. In: *Dictionary of engagement*, ed. Igor Cvejić, Gazela Pudar-Dražko and Márk Loszonc: 56. Belgrade: IFDT.
- 2021 'Mobilisation.' In: *Dictionary of engagement*, ed. Igor Cvejić, Gazela Pudar-Dražko and Márk Loszonc: 50–51. Belgrade: IFDT.
- 2016 'Extending Rousseau's Social Contract.' In: *Human Rights and Digital Technology: Digital Tigh trope*, ed. Susan Perry and Claudia Roda: 144–146. London: Palgrave & Macmillan.
- 2016 'Scenario Three: What a Day!' In: *Human Rights and Digital Technology: Digital Tigh trope*, ed. Susan Perry and Claudia Roda: 146–147. London: Palgrave & Macmillan.

## TRANSLATION

- 2019 Marc Crépon, *Le Consentement meurtrier*, from French to Serbian [with Dušan Janić], under contract with Éditions du Cerf. Translation and foreword, 328 p.

## COMMUNICATIONS (SELECTION)

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### ORGANIZATION OF CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

- 2022 'Reinventing/Reconstructing Cosmopolitanism in Contested Spaces and Post-conflict Zones,' international conference in Cres (Croatia), organized in partnership with The Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory (University of Belgrade), The Center for Advanced Studies Southeast Europe (University of Rijeka-Cres), the Centre de relations internationales (Sciences Po-CERI) and The Faculty of Media and Communications (Belgrade). Responsibilities: scientific and organizational committee.
- 2020 'Horizon of Engagement: Eternalizing Bourdieu,' international conference, organized in collaboration with the Institute of Philosophy and Social Theory of the University of Belgrade, the École Normale Supérieure in Paris, the Center for Advanced Studies in Southeast Europe and the University of Rijeka [with Ivica Mladenović et Milan Urošević].
- 2018 'Actualités de la non-violence: les cent ans de la fin de la Première Guerre mondiale,' one-day seminar, organized with Marc Crépon, director of the Philosophy Department of the École normale supérieure, Paris.
- 2017 'The Philosophical Foundations of International Relations,' co-organized with Professor Philip Golub, American University of Paris.

**2016–2018** ‘Soin et compassion: le sujet, l’institution hospitalière et la Cité,’ seminar, co-directed with Pauline Bégué within the Chair of Philosophy of the Hôtel-Dieu, Paris, AP-HP and ENS Paris.

#### **SYMPOSIUMS, CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS**

- 2023** ‘L’impossible concordance entre la subjectivité et le corps: une approche psychanalytique et philosophique.’ ‘De l’ascétisme: traditions croisées, nouvelles perspectives’, colloquium, École normale supérieure, Paris.
- 2022-2023** ‘Dalida, anankè d'une icône’, seminar, Espace analytique Association de formation psychanalytique et de recherches freudiennes, Paris.
- 2022** ‘Le “*care* de la relation” entre la pensée décoloniale et le féminisme matérialiste: de Frantz Fanon à Alenka Zupancic’ [with Alenka Ambrož]. ‘*Care(s)* matérialiste(s)’, symposium, LCSP (University of Paris) and CEVIPOF (Sciences Po, Paris).
- 2022** ‘Soin et compassion: soigner avec humanité,’ round table discussion. PhiloMonaco Week (June 7–12).
- 2022** ‘L’intime et la compassion: des armes pour la démocratie’ [with Laurence Joseph] and ‘The Crisis of Care.’ Night of Philosophy, Timisoara, Romania.
- 2020** ‘Epistemological and Methodological Foundations of Distinction’ and ‘Pierre Bourdieu and Michel Foucault.’ ‘Horizons of Engagement: Eternalizing Bourdieu,’ international conference, Belgrade, Serbia.
- 2019** ‘Faut-il compatir pour bien délibérer?’ [with Jean-François Richard]. ‘Bien délibérer ensemble, entre soin et politique,’ one-day seminar, Pôle recherche Soins palliatifs en société, Maison médicale Jeanne Garnier (MMJG), Paris.
- 2019** ‘La responsabilité écologique: comment notre rapport au vivant façonne-t-il notre société et nos organisations?’, conference, GRDF, Paris.
- 2018** ‘Ethics Across the Curriculum,’ conference, Georgetown Institute for the Study of Markets and Ethics, Washington DC, USA.
- 2018** ‘Cosmopolitanism and Compassion.’ ‘Words That Kill,’ symposium, The George and Irina Schaeffer Center for the Study of Genocide, Human Rights and Conflict Prevention at the American University of Paris.
- 2018** ‘Les paradoxes du soin et du secours,’ round table discussion. ‘Actualités de la non-violence: les cent ans de la fin de la Première Guerre mondiale,’ one-day seminar, École normale supérieure, Paris.
- 2018** ‘A Phenomenology of Compassion,’ annual lab meeting of the Archives Husserl, hosted by KU Leuven, Center for Subjectivity Research, University of Copenhagen and École normale supérieure, Paris.
- 2018** ‘Politics of Plasticity: On Solidarity and Mutual Aid’ [with Catherine Malabou]. Czech Academy of Sciences, Prague, Czech Republic.
- 2018** ‘Political Solitude: Between participation, marginalisation and indifference,’ interdisciplinary conference on social and political change, Political and Social Sciences Department of the University of Florence.
- 2017** ‘La compassion comme réponse à la vulnérabilité.’ ‘La relationnalité à l’aune de la vulnérabilité,’ international symposium, Université Paul Valéry Montpellier 3, France.

