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## Education

### KU Leuven

PHD EU LAW AND POLITICS

Leuven, Belgium

2017-2020

### College of Europe

MA EU INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Bruges, Belgium

2015-2016

### University of Groningen

BA INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION

Groningen, Netherlands

2012-2015

### University of Groningen

LLB INTERNATIONAL AND EUROPEAN LAW

Groningen, Netherlands

2011-2015

## Employment

### European Parliament

ACCREDITED PARLIAMENTARY ASSISTANT

Brussels, Belgium

2019-present

### Centre for Empirical Jurisprudence, KU Leuven

RESEARCHER

Leuven, Belgium

2018-2019

### Leuven Centre for Global Governance Studies, KU Leuven

RESEARCHER

Leuven, Belgium

2016-2018

### European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights

TRAINEE

Vienna, Austria

August-November 2016

### Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs

TEMPORARY STAFF

Bratislava, Slovakia

June-August 2016

## Skills

**Coding** Programming in R (advanced) and Python (beginner), document formatting in LaTeX

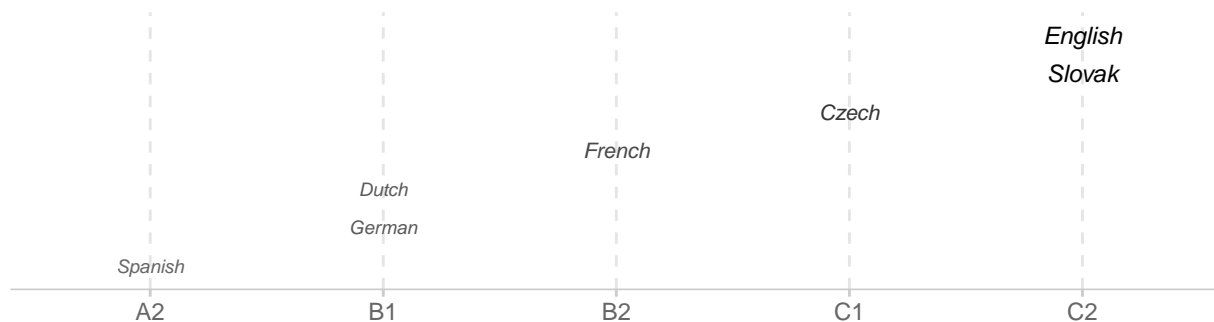
**Data** Data analysis and visualization, automated data collection

**Methods** Regression analysis, item-response theory, experimental design, networks

**Text** Quantitative text analysis: topic modelling, document similarity, sentiment analysis, pre-processing

**Law** Legal drafting, expert knowledge of EU law databases

## Language level (CEFR)



## Publications

1. Wouters, J and M Ovádek (2021). *The EU and Human Rights: Analysis, Cases, and Materials*. Oxford University Press.
2. Ovádek, M (2020). "Popular tribunes" and their agendas: topic modelling Slovak presidents' speeches 1993–2020. *East European Politics*, 1–25.
3. Ovádek, M (2020). Supranationalism, Constrained? Locating the Court of Justice on the EU Integration Dimension. *European Union Politics*.
4. Ovádek, M (2020). Procedural Politics Revisited: Institutional Incentives and Jurisdictional Ambiguity in EU Competence Disputes. *Accepted at Journal of Common Market Studies*.
5. Wouters, J and M Ovádek (2020). "What Political Role for the EU's Fundamental Rights Agency?" In: *Human Rights Law and Evidence-Based Policy: The Impact of the EU's Fundamental Rights Agency*. Ed. by R Byrne and H Entzinger. Routledge.
6. Dyeve, A and M Ovádek (2020). Experimental Legal Methods in the Classroom. *Utrecht Law Review* **16** (1), 1–12.
7. Wouters, J and M Ovádek (2020). "Bilateral cooperation between the European Union and Mediterranean countries: an introduction to the institutional framework and key issues". In: *Bilateral Relations in the Mediterranean: Prospects for Migration Issues*. Ed. by F Ippolito, G Borzoni, and F Casolari. Edward Elgar.
8. Ovádek, M, N Lampach, and A Dyeve (2020). What's the Talk in Brussels? Leveraging Daily News Coverage to Measure Issue Attention in the European Union. *European Union Politics* **21**(2), 204–232.
9. Ovádek, M, W Wijnvliet, and M Glavina (2020). Which Courts Matter Most? Measuring Importance in the EU Preliminary Reference System. *European Journal of Legal Studies* **12**, 1–34.
10. Ovádek, M (2019). The Curious Case of the Fundamental Rights Agency's Mandate: Legal Shrouding and Democratic Politics. *European Public Law* **25** (4), 517–534.
11. Ovádek, M (2019). The Apolitical Lawyer: Experimental Evidence of a Framing Effect. *European Journal of Law and Economics* **48** (3), 385–415.
12. Ovádek, M and I Willemyns (2019). International Law of Customs Unions: Conceptual Variety, Legal Ambiguity and Diverse Practice. *European Journal of International Law* **30** (2), 361–389.
13. Ovádek, M and A Raina (2019). The Evolution of EU Trade Law Through the Prism of Competence: A Quantitative, Longitudinal Perspective. *Journal of World Trade* **53** (3), 489–508.
14. Ovádek, M (2018). The rule of law in the EU: many ways forward but only one way to stand still? *Journal of European Integration* **40** (4), 495–503.
15. Ovádek, M (2017). Le champ d'application de la Charte des droits fondamentaux de l'Union européenne et les États membres : la malédiction du critère matériel. *Journal de droit européen* **2017** (10), 386–390.
16. Ovádek, M (2017). At Last! Reaching the Remedy for Delay after a Long Ride through the EU Judicial System, Case T 577/14 Gascogne Sack Deutschland and Gascogne v. European Union, EU:T:2017:1. *Maastricht Journal of European and Comparative Law* **24** (3), 438–447.
17. Ovádek, M (2017). "Un-Chartered Territory and Formal Links in EU Law: The Sudden Discovery of the Limits of the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights through Humanitarian Visa". In: *European Yearbook on Human Rights 2017*. Ed. by W Benedek, M Ketteman, R Klaushofer, K Lukas, and M Nowak. NWV, pp.213–222.
18. Ovádek, M (2016). External Judicial Review and Fundamental Rights in the EU: A Place in the Sun for the Court of Justice. *EU Diplomacy Papers* **2016** (2), 1–34.