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Qualifications

International Relations and European Studies, MA with Distinction, Central European University
1 Sept 2014 → 26 Jun 2015

Central and East European Studies & Russian and Polish languages, MA with Honours: First class, University of Glasgow
20 Sept 2009 → 23 Jun 2014

Employment

Political History
University of Helsinki
Finland
1 Jan 2017 → present

Publications

The COVID-19 pandemic and the performative state in Uzbekistan

Karshiev, M. & Silvan, K., 12 Sept 2023, *The Politics of the Pandemic in Eastern Europe and Eurasia: Blame Game and Governance*. Zavadskaya, M. (ed.). Taylor and Francis, p. 199-216 18 p.

From State to Society The Komsomol in Yeltsin's Russia

Silvan, K., 2022, In: *Kritika* (Bloomington). 23, 2, p. 289-314 27 p.

Legacies of the Komsomol : Afterlife of the Leninist Communist Youth League and Contemporary State-Affiliated Youth Activism in Post-Soviet Belarus and Russia

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Russian Youth Forums: Sites of Managed Youth Empowerment

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Russia's latest foreign agents law undermines EU's Russia policy

Laine, V. & Silvan, K., 24 Feb 2021, Friends of Europe.

"Foreign Agent" as an internal representative of "the West" in Russia's geopolitical discourses

Laine, V. & Silvan, K., 2021, *Remapping Security on Europe's Northern Borders*. Laine, J. P., Liikanen, I. & Scott, J. W. (eds.). Abingdon: Routledge, p. 62-81 20 p. (Routledge Borderlands Studies).

Uzbekistan's new Central Asia policy: The economic rationale and political implications of good neighbourliness

Silvan, K., 11 Nov 2020, 120 ed., Helsinki: Finnish Institute of International Affairs, 15 p. (FIIA Working Papers; no. 120).

From Komsomol to the Republican Youth Union: Building a Pro-presidential Mass Youth Organisation in Post-Soviet Belarus

Silvan, K. A., 13 Sept 2020, In: *Europe - Asia Studies*. 72, 8, p. 1305-1328 24 p.

Euraasian talousunioni koetuksella: talousunioni osoittaa merkityksettömyytensä koronakriisissä
Moshes, A., Nizhnikau, R. & Silvan, K., 4 May 2020, In: FIIA Comment. 12, 2 p.

Managed leadership succession in Kazakhstan: A model for gradual departure?
Silvan, K., Mar 2020, In: UPI briefing paper. 279, 8 p.

Lukashenka's regime: rooted in youth summer camps?
Silvan, K., 27 Nov 2019, In: ZOIS Spotlight.

Hallitun vallansiirron seuraukset voivat yllättää
Silvan, K., 24 Jun 2019, In: Helsingin Sanomat.

(Dis)Engaging Youth in Contemporary Belarus Through a Pro-Presidential Youth League
Silvan, K., 2019, In: Demokratizatsiya. 27, 3, p. 263-286 24 p.

Youth Policy Practice in Post-Soviet Russia and Belarus: Past and Present
Silvan, K., 2019, In: Mir Rossii : sociologiâ ètnologiâ kul'turologiâ = Мир России. Социология, этнология . 28, 1, p. 161-171 11 p.

Haastatteluja aika- ja kulttuurirajojen yli Valko-Venäjän kommunistisen järjestönuoruuden muistelukontekstissa
Silvan, K. A., 20 Dec 2018, In: Elore. 25, 2, p. 73-87 15 p.

The Long Hangover: Putin's New Russia and the Ghosts of the Past
Silvan, K. A., 26 Nov 2018, In: Europe - Asia Studies. 70, 10, p. 1712-1713 2 p.

Voitonpäivän tunnelmia Moskovassa
Silvan, K. A., 14 May 2018, In: Politiikasta.fi.

Mitä tehdä, kun iskulauseet vaimenevat?
Silvan, K. A. & Laine, V. S., 2 Mar 2018, In: Politiikasta.fi.

Miten paikallisvaaleissa kampanjoidaan "Euroopan viimeisessä diktatuurissa"?
Silvan, K. A., 14 Feb 2018, In: The Ulkopolitist.

Menneisyden toisintoa ja 2000-luvun hybridivaikuttamista Maailman nuorisofestivaaleilla
Silvan, K. A. & Koivunen, P., 11 Jan 2018, In: Politiikasta.fi.

Ajankohta 2018 katsoo kohti mennyttä tulevaisuutta
Hakoniemi, E., Kärrylä, I. A., Silvan, K. A. & Taavetti, R. M., 2018, *Menneet tulevaisuudet: Ajankohta, poliittisen historian vuosikirja 2018*. Hakoniemi, E., Kärrylä, I., Silvan, K. & Taavetti, R. (eds.). Helsinki: Helsingin yliopisto & Turun yliopisto, p. 7-12 6 p. (Ajankohta : poliittisen historian vuosikirja; vol. 19).

An organisation for youth: the establishment and the development of the Russian youth union (1990–2018)
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BASEES-konferenssi Cambridgessa
Oivo, T. & Silvan, K. A., 2018, In: Idäntutkimus. 25, 2, p. 101–103 2 p.

Komsomolin menneet tulevaisuudet: taistelu selviytymisestä Valko-Venäjällä Neuvostoliiton romahdaessa
Silvan, K. A., 2018, *Menneet tulevaisuudet : Ajankohta: Poliittisen historian vuosikirja 2018*. Hakoniemi, E., Kärrylä, I., Silvan, K. & Taavetti, R. (eds.). Helsinki: Helsingin yliopisto & Turun yliopisto, p. 129-162 34 p. (Ajankohta : poliittisen historian vuosikirja; vol. 19).

Menneet tulevaisuudet: Ajankohta: Poliittisen historian vuosikirja 2018

Hakoniemi, E. (ed.), Kärrylä, I. A. (ed.), Silvan, K. A. (ed.) & Taavetti, R. M. (ed.), 2018, Helsinki: Helsingin yliopisto & Turun yliopisto. 324 p. (Ajankohta: Poliittisen historian vuosikirja; vol. 19)

Policy subjects or objects? Paradigm shift in the youth policy of Belarus

Silvan, K. A., 2018, In: Vesnik Grodzenskaga dzăržaūnaga universtiteta imâ Ânkî Kupaly. 8, 2, p. 218–235 16 p.

"Suuren voiton valo": Toisen maailmansodan muistipoliikkaa opiskelijoille

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Otteet Valko-Venäjällä ja Venäjällä voivat koventua: Kun autoritääriset valtiot rajoittavat kansalaisten näkemyksiä koskevaa tiedonkeruuta, vallanpitäjät menettävät kosketuksensa yhteiskunnan todellisuuteen

Laine, V. S. & Silvan, K. A., 1 Apr 2017, In: Helsingin Sanomat.

Socialist Fun

Silvan, K., 2017, In: Europe - Asia Studies. 69, 5, p. 844-845 2 p.

Russian-speaking Belarus: Language, identity and politics

Silvan, K. A., 10 Jul 2016, Predeli.

Venäjän rajoitettu internet vuonna 2015

Silvan, K. A., 2016, In: Idäntutkimus. 23, 1, p. 100-102 3 p.

Defining civil society in contemporary Russia: a case study from Youth Forum Seliger 2013

Silvan, K. A., 16 Feb 2015, In: Russian Journal of Communication . p. 53-64 12 p.

Group Cohesion and Minority Bargaining: the Case of Estonian and Latvian Russian-speakers After 2004

Silvan, K. A., 2015, Budapest: Central European University, Department of International Relations. 60 p.

Activities

Geopoliittinen EU? Unionin vaikutusvalta joutui naapurustossa koetteille

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker)

7 Dec 2020

Uzbekistan's new foreign policy: Open to all?

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker)

30 Nov 2020

Lukashenka's Repressions: Human Rights Violations in post-Soviet Belarus

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker)

24 Nov 2020

Constructing "the Daddy": Public image of Alyaksandr Lukashenka as Belarus's founding father

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker)

17 Nov 2020

Vallanvaihdokset Keski-Aasiassa

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker)

22 Oct 2020

Valko-Venäjän kansalaisyhteiskunnan ja ruohonjuuritason toiminta ja rooli

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker)

21 Oct 2020

Internal dynamics of Belarus crisis: Options for Lukashenko and the opposition and possible scenarios

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker)

16 Sept 2020

Belarusian Post-Election Protests 2020: Context, Responses, Future Scenarios

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker)

4 Sept 2020

From apathy to activism? Young people's mobilization in 2020

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker)

1 Sept 2020

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, USA

Kristiina Silvan (Visiting researcher)

1 Apr 2019 → 1 Oct 2019

XVII Annual Conference of Youth Studies 2018

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker: Presenter)

5 Nov 2018 → 6 Nov 2018

18th Annual Aleksanteri Conference

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker: Presenter)

24 Oct 2018 → 26 Oct 2018

Finnish Master's Programme Summer School / Valtakunnallisen Venäjän ja itäisen Euroopan tutkimuksen (VIExpert) maisterikoulun kesäkoulu

Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)

26 Aug 2018

FRRESH Graduate Student Summer School

Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)

21 Aug 2018 → 25 Aug 2018

Third Annual Tartu Conference on Russian and East European Studies

Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)

10 Jun 2018 → 12 Jun 2018

British Association for Slavonic and East European Studies

Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)

12 Apr 2018 → 16 Apr 2018

European Social Science History Conference

Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)

4 Apr 2018 → 7 Apr 2018

Eastern Neighbourhood

Katalin Miklóssy (Chair of organizing committee), Anna Lowry (Speaker: Presenter), Arseniy Svytnarenko (Speaker: Presenter), Kristiina Annikki Silvan (Speaker: Presenter), Emma Sofia Hakala (Speaker: Presenter), Dragana Cvetanovic (Speaker: Presenter), Marina Vulovic (Speaker: Presenter), Toni Aleksi Alaranta (Speaker: Presenter) & Katalin Miklossy (Speaker: Presenter)

26 Mar 2018 → 7 May 2018

The 3rd Annual 'Belarusian Studies in the 21st Century' Conference
Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
23 Mar 2018

Moscow Higher School of Economics
Kristiina Silvan (Visiting researcher)
4 Mar 2018 → 5 Jul 2018

HCAS WINTER SCHOOL 2018
Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
30 Jan 2018 → 2 Feb 2018

FRRESH Autumn Seminar 2017
Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
24 Nov 2017

Geopolitics: actors, practices and realities
Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
22 Nov 2017

Nuorisotutkimuspäivät 2017
Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
3 Nov 2017

Aleksanteri Conference
Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
25 Oct 2017 → 27 Oct 2017

"Bey-ond Truth and Fals-ity?" The So-cial Sci-ences in an Age of Un-certainty. The 4th Annual Conference for the Doctoral Programme in Political, Societal and Regional Change and the Doctoral Programme in Social Sciences, University of Helsinki.
Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
24 Oct 2017

Mogilev State University
Kristiina Silvan (Visiting researcher)
17 Sept 2017 → 30 Sept 2017

International Congress of Belarusian Studies
Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
15 Sept 2017 → 17 Sept 2017

Doctoral Programme in Political, Societal and Regional Change (Organisational unit)
Kristiina Silvan (Member)
1 Sept 2017 → 1 Jan 2019

GLASE Tiedekahvila
Veera Laine (Speaker: Presenter) & Kristiina Annikki Silvan (Speaker: Presenter)
31 Aug 2017

Belarusian State University, Department of History
Kristiina Silvan (Visiting researcher)
15 Mar 2017 → 1 Jun 2017

FRRESH Spring Seminar at the European University at St. Petersburg (Finnish-Russian network in Russian and Eurasian studies in the field of social sciences and humanities)

Kristiina Silvan (Attendee) & Mark Joseph Teramae (Attendee)
13 Mar 2017 → 15 Mar 2017

Echo of the Komsomol? Development of Belarusian youth organisations in the post-Soviet era

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker)
25 Feb 2017 → 27 Feb 2017

Berliini-ekskursio

Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
19 Dec 2016 → 22 Dec 2016

St. Petersburg State University

Kristiina Silvan (Visiting researcher)
11 Nov 2016 → 19 Nov 2016

FRRESH Autumn Seminar

Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
31 Oct 2016

16th Annual International Aleksanteri Conference

Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
28 Oct 2016

The 3rd Annual Conference for the Doctoral Programme in Political, Societal and Regional Change and the Doctoral Programme in Social Sciences

Kristiina Silvan (Speaker: Presenter)
28 Oct 2016

The 3rd Annual Conference for the Doctoral Programme in Political, Societal and Regional Change and the Doctoral Programme in Social Sciences, University of Helsinki

Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
28 Oct 2016

FRRESH Summer School for Doctoral Students

Kristiina Silvan (Attendee)
26 Aug 2016 → 30 Aug 2016

Belarusian State University, Department of History

Kristiina Silvan (Visiting researcher)
5 Jun 2016 → 21 Jun 2016

Yanka Kupala State University of Grodno, Department of Sociology

Kristiina Silvan (Visiting researcher)
22 May 2016 → 5 Jun 2016