

## **Curriculum Vitae**

**Iva Šmídová,**

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### **Employment:**

Masaryk University (MU), Faculty of Social Studies (FSS), Sociology Department (Gender Studies Division), Joštova 10, 602 00 Brno, Czech Republic

Current position: assistant professor

2004 – present: assistant professor at the Sociology Dpt. FSS MU

2005 – 2011 part time researcher at the Institute for Research on Social Reproduction and Integration - IVRIS at FSS MU

2005 – 2009 head of Gender Studies Division, Sociology Dpt. FSS MU

2001-2004 assistant at the Sociology Dpt. FSS MU

1996 - 1997 researcher at the School of Social Studies, Faculty of Arts MU

### **Research interests:**

sociological analysis of the Czech reproductive medicine, strategies of negotiation of family roles within the context of gendered structure of society with accented attention to changing patterns of fatherhood in the Czech society, and choices of education and aspirations on the labour market from a gender perspective. Her long term research orientation concentrates in the area of critical studies on men and masculinities: alternative life courses of men, men on parental leave, men at childbirth etc.

### **Fieldwork/Selected research projects:**

"Study on the Role of Men in Gender Equality." The European Commission, No.VC/2010/0592 (2 years 12/2010 – cca 11/2012), National Expert (1 of 30 countries) a Advisory Board Member (5 experts in the project)

"Childbirth, assisted reproduction, and embryo manipulation. A sociological analysis of current reproductive medicine in the CZ." Czech Science Foundation Grant, 2011-2014, principal investigator

„Choice of Education and Anticipations of Chances at the Labour Market from a Gender Perspective“; Czech Science Foundation Grant, 2006-2008, principal investigator

„Fatherhood Beyond Childbirth“ at IVRIS – FSS MU; 2006-7, principal investigator

„Nurturing Fatherhoods – Family Strategies“, internal grant MLADĚRO at FSS MU, 2003-2004, principal investigator

„Co-ordination Action on Human Rights Violations“ (CAHRV): Sub-Network 2: The roots of interpersonal violence: gendered practices, social exclusion and violation, EU Framework 6 Project, 2004-2007, Czech national team co-ordinator

„The Social Problem and Societal Problematisation of Men and Masculinities“ (CROME): EU Framework 5 Thematic Network, 2002-2003, associate member

### **Academic degrees and selected scholarships/fellowships**

2004 doctoral degrees PhDr. and Ph.D. at the FSS MU (thesis title: The Different Men: Alternative Life Strategies of Men in the Czech Republic)

07/1999: Democracy and Diversity Summer Institute, New School for Social Research (NYC, USA), Krakov (Polsko), 3 weeks

08/1997 – 06/1998: Visiting Fellowship, ECEP – TCDS (East Central Europe program – Transregional Center for Democracy Studies), Graduate Faculty, New School for Social Research, New York (USA), full academic year

1997 master degree in Sociology and English Language and Literature, Faculty of Arts MU (diploma thesis title: New Masculinities)

### **Postdoctoral Fellowships**

03/2013: IASH (Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities), University of Edinburgh, Great Britain

03/2012: GEXcel – Center of Gender Excellence, Linköping University, Sweden

07-09/2007: Andrew Mellon Research Fellowship; University of Edinburgh, The Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities (IASH), Edinburgh (GB), 3 months (cooperation with CRFR – Centre for Research on Families and Relationships initiated)

### **Other professional experiences and recognition**

Open Scholar Position: Center of Gender Excellence, Linköping University, Sweden, since 2012, <http://www.genderexcel.org/?q=node/348>

[The Government Council for Equal Opportunities for Women and Men](#), member since 2011; Vice-Chair of the Working Group on Men and Gender Equality, 2012

Academic Senate of FSS MU 03/2008 – 10/2013 member; 12/2009- 10/2011 Vice-Chair; 10/2011 - 10/2013 Chair

Editorial board member of a peer-reviewed journal *Gender, rovné příležitosti, výzkum* (published by the Institute of Sociology Czech Academy of Sciences, Praha), since 01/2008

International editorial advisory board member of a peer-reviewed journal *NORMA*, the Nordic Journal for Masculinity Studies, since 2006

Masaryk Czech Sociological Association (MČSS), section on Families; member since 2008; Chair of the section on Sociology of medicine since 09/2012

### **Languages**

Czech, English – fluent

Russian – (10 years of school classes; I can get back to it)

### **Selected bibliography**

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a Conceptual Inspiration for Czech Sociology of Medicine) *Sociologický časopis/ Czech Sociological Review*, Praha: Sociologický ústav AV ČR, 48, 1, od s. 85-106, 22 s. ISSN 0038-0288. 2012.

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**Šmídová Iva** (2011) Do the Right Thing! Do Fathers at Childbirth Bring Diversity to Gender Relations? In Rašticová, M. et al. (eds.) *Diversity is Reality: Effective Leadership of Diverse Teams in a Global Environment*. Brno: Akademické nakladatelství CERM - English Books, s. 164-173. ISBN 978-80-7204-775-8).

Jarkovská, Lucie, Kateřina Lišková a **Iva Šmídová**: *S genderem na trh. Rozhodování o dalším vzdělání patnáctiletých. (With gender to the market: Decision making process concerning education of Czech 15 year olds)*. SLON Praha (monograph).

**Šmídová, Iva** (2009). Genderovaná volba práce: statusové šance a vzdělávací rozhodovací strategie. (Gendered choices of work: status chances and educational strategies.) *Sociologický časopis/Czech Sociological review*. Vol. 45(4): 707 - 726.

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**Šmídová, Iva** (2008). Muži na okraji? Marginalizovaní mladí muži bez vzdělání. (Men on the Margins? Marginalized men with low education.) *Gender, Rovné příležitosti, Výzkum*. SoÚ AV ČR, 9, 2. ISSN 1213-0028. s. 22-28.

**Šmídová, Iva** (2008). Otcovství u porodu: re-konstrukce genderových vztahů v rodině. (Fatherhood at childbirth: reconstruction of gender relations within the family) *Sociální Studia* 1/2008. FSS MU. Brno. ISSN 1214-813X. s. 11-34.

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