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## EDUCATION

- 1997-2001: BA and MA in Sociology at Ghent University, Ghent, Belgium
- 2001-2002: MA in Economy and Society, Lancaster University, Lancaster, UK
- 2002-2008: PhD in Sociology, January 2008, Lancaster University, Lancaster, UK (Dissertation title: "The political economy of regionalism in Flanders: imagining and institutionalising the Flemish regional economy", supervisor: Bob Jessop)

## ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

- 2010-now: Full Professor in Urban Sociology (2021-now), Associate Professor in Urban Sociology (January 2014 – 2021) and Assistant Professor in Urban Sociology (October 2010 – December 2013) at the University of Antwerp, Belgium
- 2021-now: Scientific Director of Hannah Arendt Institute on Diversity, Urbanity and Citizenship, Mechelen, Belgium
- 2015-now: Chair of the Antwerp Urban Studies Institute, University of Antwerp
- 2011-2014: Guest Professor in Political Geography (10%), University of Ghent, Department of Geography, Ghent, Belgium
- 2007-2010: Post-doctoral research associate at the University of Leuven, Department of Architecture and Spatial Planning, Leuven, Belgium
- 2006-2007: Post-doctoral research associate at Oxford University, School of Geography, Oxford, UK

## VISITING FELLOWSHIPS

- Visiting Fellow, Centre d'études Européennes & Urban School, Sciences Po, Paris, 1 January – 15 July 2022
- Visiting Professor, Dipartimento di Economia, Società, Politica, Università degli Studi di Urbino Carlo Bo, 1 October 2018 - 31 October 2019
- Visiting fellowship, Centre for the Analysis of Social Exclusion (CASE), London School of Economics, 14 April – 10 July 2015
- Visiting Fellowship, Department of Geography, Leeds University, 3 – 21 May 2011

- Visiting Fellowship, School of Architecture, Planning and Landscape, Newcastle University, 5 – 21 November 2007

### **(SELECTED) RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

- 2006-2007: Researcher in DEMOLOGOS (Development Models and Logics of Socioeconomic organization in Space), financed by EU-FP6, coordinator: Frank Moulaert
- 2009-2012: Principal Investigator in 'Belgian cities and globalisation: disadvantaged areas, models for social innovation and local development coalitions', financed by the Flemish Fund for Scientific Research
- 2010-2012: Researcher in 'Towards a post-neoliberal urban deal? Uneven local responses to the global recession', financed by Leverhulme Trust International Networking Grant (UK), coordinator: Sara Gonzalez – Leeds University
- 2013-2016: Consortium partner in 'Divercities', financed by EU-FP7, coordinator: Ronald Van Kempen, Utrecht University
- 2013-2016: Coordinator of DieGem (Diversity and Community Building), financed by the Flemish Innovation Agency (IWT)
- 2012-2015: Consortium partner in ImPRoVE, working on social innovation and poverty reduction, financed by EU FP7
- 2016-2019: Coordinator of CSI Flanders (Civil Society Innovation in Flanders), financed by the VLAIO
- 2019-2023: Partner in 'Solidarity and religion in a modernizing and post-secular urban context: an historical, politico-philosophical and sociological analysis, financed by UA-GOA
- 2021-2024: Coordinator of MSCA-International Training Network, financed by EU Horizon Europe

### **(SELECTED) PUBLICATIONS:**

de Olde, C. and S. Oosterlynck (2021) "The countryside starts here': How the urban-rural divide continues to matter in post-urban Flanders." *European Urban and Regional Studies*.

Swerts, T. and S. Oosterlynck (2021). "In search of recognition: the political ambiguities of undocumented migrants' active citizenship." *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 47(3): 668-685.

Van Wymeersch, E., Vanoutrive, T. and Oosterlynck, S. (2020) 'Unravelling the Concept of Social Transformation in Planning: Inclusion, Power Changes, and Political Subjectification in the Oosterweel Link Road Conflict', *Planning Theory & Practice*, 200-217

Goossens, C., Oosterlynck, S. and Bradt, L. (2020). "Livable streets? Green gentrification and the displacement of longtime residents in Ghent, Belgium." *Urban Geography* 41(4): 550-572

- Van Loon, J., Oosterlynck, S. and Aalbers, M. (2019) 'Governing urban development in the Low Countries: From managerialism to entrepreneurialism and financialization', *European Urban and Regional Studies* 26(4): 400-418.
- Saeyns, A., Van Puymbroeck, N., Albeda, Y., Oosterlynck, S. and Verschraegen, G. (2019) 'From multicultural to diversity policies: Tracing the demise of group representation and recognition in a local urban context.' *European Urban and Regional Studies* 26(3): 239-253.
- Van Wymeersch, E., Oosterlynck, S. and Van Ostrive, T. (2019) 'The political ambivalences of participatory planning initiatives', *Planning Theory* 18(3): 359-381
- González, S., Oosterlynck, S., Ribera-Fumaz, R. and Rossi, U. (2018) 'Locating the global financial crisis: variegated neoliberalization in four European cities', *Territory, Politics, Governance*, 6(4): 468-488.
- Oosterlynck, S. (2018) 'Moving beyond normative philosophies and policy concerns: a sociological account of place-based solidarities in diversity', *Comparative Migration Studies*, 6:18, 1-9p
- Albeda, Y., Tersteeg, A., Oosterlynck, S. and Verschraegen, G. (2017) 'Symbolic boundary making in super-diverse deprived neighbourhoods', *Tijdschrift voor Economische en Sociale Geografie*.
- Depraetere, A. and S. Oosterlynck (2017) '“I finally found my place”: a political ethnography of the Maximiliaan refugee camp in Brussels', *Citizenship studies*, 21(6): 693-709. (2016 Impact Factor: 0,911)  
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- Cools, P., Leggio, D.V., Matras, Y. and Oosterlynck, S. (2017) '“Parity of participation” and the politics of needs interpretation: engagement with Roma migrants in Manchester', *Journal of Social Policy*, 47(2): 359-376
- Oosterlynck, S., Loopmans, M., Schuermans, N., Vandenabeele, J. and Zemni, S. (2016) 'Putting flesh to the bone. Looking for solidarity in diversity, here and now', *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, 39(5): 764-782
- Gonzalez, S. and Oosterlynck, S. (2014) 'Crisis and resilience in a finance-led city. Effects of the global financial crisis in Leeds', *Urban Studies*, 51 (15): 3164-3179
- Oosterlynck, S. and Gonzalez (2013) '“Don't waste a crisis”: opening up the city yet again for neoliberal experimentation, *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*, 37(3): 1075-1082
- Oosterlynck, S. and Swyngedouw, E. (2013) 'Brussels. A case of spatially disarticulated socio-economic development', p.85-105 in: Martinelli, F., Moulaert, F. and Novy, A. (eds.) *Urban and regional trajectories in contemporary capitalism*. London: Routledge

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Oosterlynck, S. and Swyngedouw, E. (2010) 'Noise reduction: The post-political quandary of night flights at Brussels airport', *Environment & Planning A*, 42(7): 1577-1594

Oosterlynck, S. (2010) 'Regulating uneven development and the politics of reconfiguring Belgian state space', *Antipode*, 42(5): 1151-1179

Jessop, B. and Oosterlynck, S. (2008) 'Cultural Political Economy: On Making the Cultural Turn without falling into Soft Economic Sociology', *Geoforum*, 39(3), p.1093-1516.

## **CONTRIBUTION TO RC 21**

- Member of International Sociological Association RC21 since 2009
- Main organiser of the RC21 Annual Conference in Antwerp (online) in 2021
- Organized sessions in Mexico-City (2016), Urbino (2015) and Amsterdam (2011)
- Paper presenter at conferences in New Delhi (2019), Leeds (2017), Mexico-City (2016), Urbino (2015), Amsterdam (2011) and Sao Paulo (2009)