

# Curriculum vitae

## Personal information

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## Key research interests and competencies:

- EU migration policies, EU border surveillance and humanitarian responses, refugee protection and Search and Rescue at sea
- Humanitarian communication, risk communication, media frames, new technologies, innovation & digitalization in the humanitarian sector
- Research leadership experience, serving 7 years as Research Director at PRIO (head of department) and 8 years as Director and then co-Director of the Norwegian Centre for Humanitarian Studies

## Education

<i>Year</i>	<i>Faculty/department – University/institution – Country</i>
2010	<b>PhD in International Relations and Political Science: ‘The Internationalization of the Sudanese conflicts: from South Sudan to Darfur. Agenda setting, mobilization and qualifications’.</b> Institut d’Etudes Politiques, SciencesPo Paris, France (Allocataire de recherche: stipend from the French Ministry of Higher Education and Research, obtained w/ highest mark).
2006	<b>Master in International Relations and Political Science (with MA thesis)</b> Institut d’Etudes Politiques, SciencesPo Paris, France
2002-2005	<b>International exchange program &amp; Master degree (Professional degree, focus in International Security)</b> Institut d’Etudes Politiques, SciencesPo Paris, France
2001-2002	<b>Undergraduate studies: Development studies</b> Oslo University College
2000-2001	<b>Undergraduate studies: Preparation for social science studies Ex. Phil &amp; ex.fac. and Sociology first year degree</b> University of Oslo, Norway

## Positions - current and previous



<i>Year</i>	<i>Job title – Employer – Country</i>
2011– present	Senior Researcher – <b>Peace Research Institute Oslo – Norway</b> <i>Permanent position since 2015</i>

2016–2023	Research Director – <b>Peace Research Institute Oslo – Norway</b> (Head of department, line manager for 20-25 staff, member of PRIO’s Leader Team)
2009–2011	Lecturer ( <i>ATER</i> ) – <b>SciencesPo Lille – France</b> (Courses on conflict resolution, media and conflicts, international mobilization)
2006–2010	Doctoral Researcher - Institut d’Etudes Politiques/ <b>SciencesPo Paris – France</b> - Including research stays and fieldwork in <b>Khartoum &amp; Juba</b> , Sudan and South Sudan (affiliated with CEDEJ), <b>New York</b> (visiting researcher at SIPA, Columbia, US), <b>Oslo</b> (guest researcher, Norwegian Institute of International Affairs, NUPI).
2005–2006	Assistant to permanent delegation – <b>Norwegian Delegation to UNESCO – France</b>
2004	Journalist/Intern, International Desk – <b>Al Ahram Weekly – Egypt</b>

### Career breaks

Year	Reason
2011	Parental leave – 5 months
2013-2014	Parental leave – 8 months
2018	Parental leave – 7 months

### Project management experience

Year	Project owner – Project – Role – Funder	
2019–2023	Norwegian Centre for Humanitarian Studies (NCHS) – <i>Research Network on Humanitarian Efforts</i> – <b>Project Leader</b> – Research Council of Norway (€ 0.7M)	
2017–2021	PRIO – <i>Humanitarianism, Borders, and the Governance of Mobility (HumbORDER)</i> – <b>Project Leader</b> – Research Council of Norway (€ 0.5M)	
2014–2018	PRIO – <i>Communicating Risk in the Digital Age’ (DIGICOM)</i> – <b>Project Leader</b> – Research Council of Norway (€ 0.6M)	
2014–2017	PRIO – <i>Brazil’s Rise to the Global Stage (BraGS)</i> – <b>Project Leader</b> – Research Council of Norway (€ 0.5M)	
2011–2015	INDRA – <i>Protection of European seas and borders through the intelligent use of surveillance (PERSEUS)</i> - <b>Work Package Leader</b> - Eur. Com. (FP7) (€ 0.4M)	

### Supervision of students & defence committees (total numbers)

Master & PhD	University/institution (Country)
Five MA thesis, and informal supervision	MA: SciencesPo Lille (France); University of Bergen (Norway); Norwegian University of Life Sciences (NMBU) (Norway), in addition to being PRIO contact person for 4 MA students admitted to the PRIO-University of Oslo MA programme since 2019. PhD: Informal supervision at Peace Research Institute Oslo (Norway) for one PhD, enrolled at VUB Brussels, throughout PhD programme, including serving on PhD committee, 2023 External assessor in PhD committee at Oslo Metropolitan University, 2019

## Other relevant professional experience & international mobility

2016–2023	Director (2016-21) & Co-Director (21-23), <b>Norwegian Centre for Humanitarian Studies (Norway)</b>
	<i>The Norwegian Centre for Humanitarian Studies (NCHS), a joint collaboration between three research institutes (CMI, NUPI and PRIO), created an innovative meeting place for Norwegian and international researchers working on humanitarian issues, and a key platform for exchanges between policy makers, practitioners and academics. Among its core focus areas: migration &amp; refugee protection, humanitarian technology and innovation, humanitarian negotiations. See: <a href="http://www.humanitarianstudies.no">www.humanitarianstudies.no</a></i>
2016–2018	Board member (Elected staff representative), Peace Research Institute Oslo (Norway)
2007, 2009	Guest Researcher, Centre d’Etudes et de Documentation Economiques, Juridiques et Sociales, CEDEJ, Khartoum (Sudan)
2008	Visiting Scholar, School of International and Public Affairs, SIPA, Columbia University (US)
2007	Guest researcher, Norwegian Institute for International Affairs (NUPI)

## Languages

<b>Mother tongue</b>	Norwegian
<b>Bilingual level</b>	English, French
<b>Basic conversation</b>	Arabic (courses at SciencesPo, Paris and IFPO, Damascus, and semester in Cairo, between 2003 and 2007); notions & basic understanding of German

## Reviewing for international peer-reviewed journals

*SAGE Open – Intersections – International Migration – Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies – Third World Quarterly – Genocide Studies and Prevention: An International Journal – Security Dialogue – Journal of International Humanitarian Action – Stability: International Journal of Security and Development – St. Antony’s International Review (STAIR) - Journal of Intercultural Studies – Critical Studies on Security - Discover Global Society – Refugee Survey Quarterly – Disasters Journal*  
*In French: Negotiations – L’Espace Politique*

## Publications (selection)

A total of fifteen articles in peer-reviewed journal articles, ten book chapters and three edited volumes (Google Scholar citations: 300). Full list available at: [prio.org/staff/MariaJ](http://prio.org/staff/MariaJ)

## Journal articles

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**Jumbert, MG**, Sandvik, KB, Tjønn, MH (2023) If ‘it all breaks down’: The Norwegian refugee crisis as a geography of chaos. *Environment and Planning D: Society and Space*, 41:5, October 2023, 910-928.

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Martins, BO, Lidén, K, **Jumbert, MG** (2021) Border security and the digitalisation of sovereignty: insights from EU borderwork. *European Security*, 31 (3): 475-494.

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**Jumbert, MG** (2021) Making it “easy to help”: Norwegian volunteer initiatives for refugees. *International Migration*.

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Martins, BO & **Jumbert, MG** (2020) EU border technologies and the co-production of security ‘problems’ and ‘solutions’. *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*.

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Wilson, C & **Jumbert MG** (2018) The new informatics of pandemic response: humanitarian technology, efficiency, and the subtle retreat of national agency. *Journal of International Humanitarian Affairs*, 3(8): 1-13.

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**Jumbert, MG** (2018) Control or rescue at sea? Aims and limits of border surveillance technologies in the Mediterranean Sea. *Disasters*. doi: 10.1111/disa.12286.

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Gilboa, E, **Jumbert, MG**, Miklian, J & Robinson, P (2016) Moving Media and Conflict Studies Beyond the CNN Effect. *Review of International Studies*, 42(4): 645-672.

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Sandvik, KB, **Jumbert, MG**, Karlsrud, J & Kaufmann, M (2014) Humanitarian technology: a critical research agenda. *International Review of the Red Cross*, 96(893): 219-242.

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**Jumbert, MG** (2014) How Sudan’s ‘rogue’ state label shaped US responses to the Darfur conflict: what’s the problem and who’s in charge? *Third World Quarterly*, 35(2): 35-48.

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**Jumbert MG** (2013) Controlling the Mediterranean Space through Surveillance: The Politics and Discourse of Surveillance as an All-encompassing Solution to EU Maritime Border Management Issues. *Espace, Populations, Sociétés*, 2012(3): 35-48.

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**Jumbert, MG** & Lanz, D (2013) Globalised Rebellion: The Darfur insurgents and the world. *Modern African Studies*, 51(2): 193-217.

#### Edited volumes:

**Jumbert, MG** & Pascucci, E, eds (2021), *Citizen Humanitarianism at European Borders*, Oxon, New York: Routledge.

Esteves, P; **Jumbert, MG**; & Benjamin de Carvalho, eds, (2020) *Status and the Rise of Brazil: Global Ambitions, Humanitarian Engagement and International Challenges*. New York, NY: Palgrave Macmillan.

Sandvik, KB & **Jumbert, MG**, eds, (2016) *The Good Drone*, Oxon, New York: Routledge.

#### A selection of relevant popular dissemination & policy oriented publications:

For **MIGNEX publications**, see: [www.mignex.org](http://www.mignex.org)

**MG Jumbert**, [The AI Dilemma: Can Artificial Images of War and Suffering Stir Empathy?](#), *Global Policy*, 15 March 2024

**MG Jumbert**, [Morocco’s Response to French Aid After the Earthquake: Reverse Humanitarian Diplomacy?](#), *PRIO Blog*, 14 September 2023

KB Sandvik & **MG Jumbert**, [AI in aid: Framing conversations on humanitarian policy](#), *Global Policy*, 12 July 2023

P Tank, **MG Jumbert**, [Governance and Survival after the Earthquake: The Political Complexities of Humanitarian Assistance](#), *PRIO Blog*, 17 February 2023

MB Erdal, **MG Jumbert**, [Different Responses to Mobility at Europe’s Borders](#), *Border Criminologies*, 31 March 2023

**MG Jumbert**, [The “pull factor”: How it became a central premise in European discussions about cross-Mediterranean migration](#), *Border Criminologies*, 24 March 2020