



PERSONAL PROFILE

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Gender: Male

EDUCATION

- 2001-2005 PhD in Social Sciences (Dr.rer.pol.), University of Erfurt, Faculty of State Sciences, Germany. Majors: Political Science, Law, Economics.
- 1999-2000 MA in European Studies (MA in European Political Cultures: EuroMasters Program), University of Bath (UK), Humboldt Universität zu Berlin (Germany). Majors: European Studies, Political Science.
- 1994-1998 BA in Sociology, Università "La Sapienza" di Roma, Facoltà di Sociologia.
- Majors : Sociology, Political Science.

EMPLOYMENT

- 01/06/2008 - 01/06/2011, **Research Associate**, IEP Paris, Institut d'Etudes Politiques, Sciences Po, Centre d'études européennes, 28 rue des Saints Pères, 75007 Paris, France.
- 17/01/2011 – 6/05/2011, **Professor (Professeur/Lecturer), Seminar:** International Relations. “The Construction of the European Union”, Southern Methodist University in Paris, Reid Hall, 4, Rue de Chevreuse, 75006 Paris, France.
- 1/12/2010-28/2/2011, **Expert Evaluator**, Evaluation FP7-Security Projects, Research Executive Agency (REA), European Commission, OV2, Place Rogier, 16, B-1210 - Saint-Josse-Ten-Noode, Belgium.,
- 1/9/2010-30/10/2010, **International Consultant**, Elaboration Social Protection Strategy. Field Research, UNICEF Office Nouakchott, Mauritania.
- 1/08/2009-28/2/2010, **International Consultant**, Study: The Political Economy to Reduce Child Poverty and Social Exclusion in the CEE-CIS Region, UNICEF CEECIS Regional Office, Geneva, Switzerland.
- 01/01/2009-31/05/2009, **Assistant Professor**, European Studies, Political Science, International Relations, American Graduate School of International Relations and Diplomacy, 101 boulevard Raspail, 75006 Paris, France.
- 01/01/2009-15/5/2009, **Professor (Professeur/Lecturer)**, Economics of Developing Countries, International Political Economy, Human Rights, Schiller International University, Paris Campus, 9 rue Yvart, 75015 Paris, France.
- 01/10/2006 – 13/07/2007, **Research Assistant**, Assistant Masters in European Studies (EUROMASTERS PROGRAMME), IEP Paris, Institut d'Etudes Politiques, Sciences Po, Centre d'études européennes, 28 rue des Saints Pères, 75007 Paris, France.
- 01/09/2005 – 31/08/2006, **Post-Doc Research Fellow**, IEP Paris, Institut d'Etudes Politiques, Sciences Po, Centre d'études européennes, 28 rue des Saints Pères, 75007 Paris, France.

TEACHING

- 17/01/2011 – 6/05/2011 International Relations. “The Construction of the European Union”, Southern Methodist University in Paris, France.
- 26/01/2009 – 15/05/2009, Course 1: Human Rights. “Human Rights”. Course 2: Development Economics, Schiller International University, Paris Campus, France.
- 26/01/2009 – -31/05/2009, International Relations. History, Politics and Diplomacy in Europe, American Graduate School of International Relations and Diplomacy (AGSIRD), Paris, France.
- 21/05/2008 – 31/05/2008, European Public Policy. Frank Ettrich and Alfio Cerami: “Europeanization and National Adaptations”, University of Erfurt, Germany.
- 01/04/2007 – 31/04/2007, Comparative Social Policy. Frank Ettrich and Alfio Cerami: “Individual Risks in Post-Industrial Societies”, State University of St. Petersburg, Centre for German and European Studies (University of Bielefeld and DAAD financed centre), Russia.
- 01/01/2006 – 31/01/2006, Social Policy and European Integration. Frank Ettrich and Alfio Cerami: “Sozialstaatsmodelle und Europäisierung” [Welfare State Models and Europeanization], University of Erfurt, Germany.
- 01/10/2005 – 30/11/2005, European Integration. Alfio Cerami: “European Integration”, IEP Paris, Institut d'Etudes Politiques, Sciences Po, Centre Asie Europe, Paris, France.
- 01/05/2005 – 31/05/2005, Comparative Social Policy. Frank Ettrich and Alfio Cerami: “Individual Risks in Western Welfare States”. Long-distance learning, State University of

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St. Petersburg, Centre for German and European Studies (University of Bielefeld and DAAD financed centre), Russia.

- 01/09/2004 – 30/09/2004, Socio-Economic Research and Social Research Methods. Frank Ettrich and Alfio Cerami: “Methods and Statistics in Socio-Economic Research”, State University of St. Petersburg, Centre for German and European Studies (University of Bielefeld and DAAD financed centre), Russia.
- 01/09/2002 – 28/02/2003, Comparative Social Policy. Frank Ettrich and Alfio Cerami: “Social Policy in Central and Eastern Europe: A New European Model of Solidarity?” WS 2002-2003, University of Erfurt, Germany.

SKILLS

LANGUAGES/ INTERESTS

Mother Tongue: Italian

Fluent in English, German, French. Basic Knowledge of Spanish

Swimming. Seals and Pelicans Watching. Surfing.

IT

- Microsoft Office
- Web-Design, Joomla, GIMP, Photoshop
- Excellent command of statistical analysis software (SPSS, MATLAB, STATA, R, etc.)
- Data Science Platform ANACONDA (Python, NumPy, Rasterio, Jupiter, Spider, Matplotlib, Pandas, etc.)
- Excellent command of geographic information system (GIS) analysis software (QGIS, ArcGIS, GRASS, etc.).

SCHOLARSHIP & PREVIOUS FUNDING

Various competitive bursaries awarded by the University “La Sapienza” of Rome (exclusion from the payment of tuition fees 1994-1996), the Istituto Nazionale Previdenza Sociale, Italy (750€), the University of Bath (1000€), the Centre for European Studies of Sciences Po (post-doc research fellowship 15000€) and research grant (6500€) for the project *Political Systems, Quality of Democracy and Socio-Economic Security in Europe: Bringing Politics, Polities and Policies Back In (POL-DEM-SOC)*, Migration and Welfare in the New Europe (8000€), *The Political Economy to Reduce Child Poverty in the CEE-CIS Region* (UNICEF, 26750 \$), Elaboration of Social Protection Strategy in Mauritania (UNICEF, 10500 \$).

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- APSA American Political Science Association (to be renewed)

ACADEMIC REFEREE

Member of the Editorial Board of the Journal of Human Security (2010-2012).

<http://www.rmitpublishing.com.au/jhs.html>

I also act as academic referee for the Journal of Common Market Studies, Journal of

Income Distribution, Public Administration, Comparative Political Studies, European Sociological Review, Social Policy and Administration, Journal of European Social Policy, Journal of International and Comparative Social Policy, Nationalities Papers, Zeitschrift für Sozialreform, Croatian Journal of Social Policy, Sciences Sociales et Santé and African Studies.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Geographic Information System (GIS) Analysis
- Macro-Micro Econometrics
- European Studies
- Political Sociology
- Comparative Politics
- International Political Economy
- Development Economics
- Socio-Economic Development
- Democratization Theories
- Human and Socio-Economic Security

Other Areas of Expertise

- International trade
- Industry
- Global Development
- Geo-Strategic Spatial Analysis

INTERVIEWS/INVITED SPEECHES

- Expert Interview TV Channel Euronews (<http://www.euronews.net>). daily Program: Europeans. Title of Interview: "Difficult Relationship of French Citizens towards the European Union". Broadcasted in 145 countries from the 5th to the 7th of May 2006.
- Expert on European Social Model, European Youth Parliament, Paris: April 2006.
- Invited Speech, 'Social Change and Welfare State Developments in CEE and Russia' Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin für Sozialforschung, Berlin, Germany, May 16.
- Convenor Stream 18 "Social Policy Transformations in CEE Countries". ESPAnet Annual Conference, 20-22 September 2007, Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration, Austria.
- Invited Speech, 'Central Europe in Transition: Emerging Models of Welfare and Social Assistance'. Conference "Building Capacity, Improving Quality. Social Services in the New Member States", European Social Network (ESN), Ljubljana, Slovenia, May 19-20.
- Key Speaker "East-West Round Table: Learning from the Eastern Experience". ESPAnet Annual Conference, 18-20 September 2008, Finnish Centre for Pensions, Helsinki, Finland.
- UNICEF Expert Consultation "What Works in Reducing Child Poverty in Transition Countries, Geneva 29-30 January 2009.
- NOTRE EUROPE Expert Consultation "The European Renewed Social Agenda", Paris, 13th February and 25th March 2009.
- Panel Chair "Special Issues in Democracy". AGSIRD Annual Graduate Student

- Conference, 2-3 June 2009, American Graduate School of International Relations and Diplomacy (AGSIRD), Paris, France.
- Guest Lecture “Pension Reforms and Demographic Challenges in CEE countries” Hertie School of Governance, 19 October 2009, Berlin, Germany.
 - Guest Lecture “The Impact of the Global Financial Crisis in CEE Countries” German Marshall Fund of the United States, International Workshop “Divided Europe: 20 Years After Lessons for Tomorrow, Paris, France
 - Expert Interview TV Channel France24 (<http://www.france24.com/en/>). Program: FOCUS: ‘The Trial of Nicolae Ceaucescu and the ‘Stolen Revolution’ in Romania’, 21st December 2009.
 - UNICEF Invited Seminar “The Political Economy to Reduce Child Poverty in the CEE-CIS Region”, UNICEF, Geneva, 4th February 2010.
 - Expert Interview TV Channel France24 (<http://www.france24.com/en/>). Program: FOCUS: ‘Moldova & Romania: a united future?’, 26 March 2010.
 - Expert Interview TV Channel France24 (<http://www.france24.com/en/>). Program TOP STORIES: European Union: Its Future at Stake?, 6 May 2010.
 - Expert Interview TV Channel France24 (<http://www.france24.com/en/>). Program FOCUS: What is the Future for Travelling People?, 5 August 2010.
 - Convenor Stream "Post-Socialist Welfare Systems". ESPAnet Annual Conference, 2-4 September 2010, ELTE University, Budapest, Hungary.
 - Expert Interview TV Channel France24 (<http://www.france24.com/en/>). Program The Debate: Europe Strikes: Is Austerity the Answer?, 29 September 2010.
 - Expert Interview TV Channel France24 (<http://www.france24.com/en/>). Program The Debate: Europe's Fear of Islam, 21 October 2010.
 - Invited Semi-Plenary Speaker ‘Human Capital Formation and the New Empowering Politics of the Welfare State: The Case of Post-Communist Countries’. Conference Theme ‘Social Relations in Turbulent Times’, European Sociological Association (ESA), 10th ESA International Congress, Geneva, 7-10 September 2011.
 - Invited participant, ‘Social Mechanisms in the Establishment of the European Economic and Monetary Union’, Workshop on Institutional Change ‘Potential Uses and Abuses of Evolutionary Theory in the Study of Institutional Change’ organized by Max-Planck-Institut fuer Gesellschaftsforschung, Cologne, Germany, 19-21 January 2012.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Abilitazione Nazionale Italiana Professore II Fascia (Italian national habilitation associate professor) (art.16 law 30.12.2010, n. 240). Settori (sectors): 14/C1 - Sociologia Generale, Giuridica e Politica (general sociology, Sociology of Law; Political Sociology) (Date: 29.11.2013-29.11.2019); 14/A2 - Scienza Politica (Political Science) (date: 29.11.2013-29.11.2019) (see evaluation reports Evaluation Reports Political Science <https://alfiocerami.files.wordpress.com/2019/02/cerami-giudizi50312-politicalscience.pdf> ; Evaluation Reports Sociology <https://alfiocerami.files.wordpress.com/2019/02/cerami-giudizi51496-sociology.pdf> ; Translation from English Evaluation Reports <https://alfiocerami.files.wordpress.com/2019/02/ceramitranslationsofhabilitation.pdf>).

Publications

Books

- Cerami, A. (2006), *Social Policy in Central and Eastern Europe. The Emergence of a New European Welfare Regime*, Münster, Hamburg, Berlin, Vienna, London: LIT Verlag. Available in the following world libraries (near to you): <https://bit.ly/2UcCBPV>
- Cerami, A. (2013), *Permanent Emergency Welfare Regimes in Sub-Saharan Africa. The Exclusive Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy*, Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. Available in the following world libraries (near to you): <https://bit.ly/2YrrHWO>

Edited Books

- Cerami, A. and Vanhuysse, P. (eds) (2009), *Post-Communist Welfare Pathways. Theorizing Social Policy Transformations in Central and Eastern Europe*, Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. Available in the following world libraries (near to you): <https://bit.ly/2OwWYvO>

Collective Monographs

- Cerami, A. (2007). *Promoting Human Security: Ethical, Normative and Educational Frameworks in Western Europe*. Paris: UNESCO. (together with P. Burgess, A. Amicelle, E. Bartels, R. Bellanova, E. Eggum, G. Hoogensen, S. Kittelsen, K. Knibbe, M. de Koning, K. Koser, K. Krause and O. Salemink)

Chapters in Books

- Cerami, A. (2015), 'Wohlfahrtsregime', in R. Kollmorgen, W. Merkel and H-J Wagener (eds), *Handbuch Transformationsforschung*, Wiesbaden: VS-Verlag für Sozialwissenschaften, pp. 773-778.
- Cerami, A. (2015) 'Social Aspects of Transformation' in Wolchik, S. L. and Curry, J. L., eds., *Central and East European Politics From Communism to Democracy - Third Edition*, Washington DC: Rowman & Littlefield, pp. 99-120.
- Cerami, A. and Stubbs, P. (2013), *Post-Communist Welfare Capitalisms: Bringing Institutions and Political Agency Back In*, in Hill, M. (ed.), *Comparative Public Policy. Four-Volume Set. Volume II*, London: SAGE Publications, pp. 347-370.
- Cerami, A. and Wague, A. (2013), 'Africa', in Greve, B.(ed), *The Routledge Handbook of the Welfare State*, London: Routledge, pp. 252-259.
- Cerami, A. (2010), '*Permanent Emergency Welfare Regimes and Human Development in West Sub-Saharan Africa*', in Harrison, L. P. (ed.), *Social Policy:Challenges, Developments and Implications*, New York: Nova Science Publishers, pp. 1-26.
- Cerami, A. (2010), 'The Politics of Social Security Reforms in Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland and Slovakia', in Bruno Palier (ed.), *A Long-Good Bye to Bismarck? The Politics of Reforms in Continental Europe*, Amsterdam: Amsterdam University Press, pp. 233-254.
- Cerami, A. (2010), 'Happiness and Socio-Economic Transformations in the Russian

- Federation', in Greve, B. (ed), Happiness and Social Policy in Europe, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, pp.101-119.
- Cerami, A. and Vanhuyse, P. (2009), 'Introduction: Social Policy Pathways, Twenty Years After the Fall of the Berlin Wall', in Cerami, A. and Vanhuyse, P. (eds), PostCommunist Welfare Pathways. Theorizing Social Policy Transformations in Central and Eastern Europe, Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, pp.1-16.
 - Cerami, A. and Stanescu, S. (2009), 'Welfare State Transformations in Bulgaria and Romania', in Cerami, A. and Vanhuyse, P. (eds), Post-Communist Welfare Pathways. Theorizing Social Policy Transformations in Central and Eastern Europe, Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, pp. 112-128.
 - Cerami, A. (2009), 'Mechanisms of Institutional Change in Central and Eastern European Welfare State Restructuring', Cerami, A. and Vanhuyse, P. (eds), PostCommunist Welfare Pathways. Theorizing Social Policy Transformations in Central and Eastern Europe, Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, pp. 35-52.
 - Cerami, A. (2008), Europeanization and Social Policy in Central and Eastern Europe, in François Bafail and Timm Beichelt (eds.) Européanisation. D'Ouest en Est. Coll. Logiques Politiques, Paris : L'Harmattan, pp. 137-168.

Articles in Journals

- Cerami, A. (2015), Social Protection and The Politics of Anger in the Middle East and North Africa, *Social Policies (Politiche Sociali)*, 1, pp. 115-135.
- Cerami, A. (2011) Ageing and the Politics of Pension Reforms in Central Europe, South-Eastern Europe and the Baltic States . *International Journal of Social Welfare*, vol. 20, no. 4, pp. 331-343.
- Cerami, A. (2011), Social Mechanisms in the Establishment of the European Economic and Monetary Union. *Politics & Policy* , vol. 39, no. 3, pp. 345-372.
- Cerami, A. (2010). Human Security in the Russian Federation. *Journal of Human Security*, vol. 6, no. 2., pp. 7-27. 24. Cerami, A. (2009). Socio-Economic Transformations in Post-Communist Countries: Central and Eastern Europe and Russia Compared. *Romanian Journal of Political Science*, vol. 9., no. 2, pp. 25-41.
- Cerami, A. (2009), Változó Közép-Európa: a jólét és a szociális segélyezés kialakuló modelljei [Central Europe in Transition: Emerging Models of Welfare and Social Assistance], *Hungarian Social Policy Review ESÉLY*, no. 1, 28-50. English version available.
- Cerami, A. (2009), Welfare State Developments in the Russian Federation: Oil-Led Social Policy and the 'Russian Miracle'. *Social Policy & Administration*, vol. 43, no. 2, 105-120.
- Cerami, A. (2008), New Social Risks in Central and Eastern Europe: The Need for a New Empowering Politics of the Welfare State. *Czech Sociological Review*, 44 (6), 1089-1110.

Presentations

- Cerami, A. (2019), The Respectables. Les Entrepreneurs et les Entrepreneuses du Déshonneur: An Offer You Can't Refuse! White-Collar Crime: A Guide for Law Enforcement Authorities, Judicial Authorities, Policy- and Decision-Makers & (A Possible Movie Script), presentation available in ENGLISH (<https://bit.ly/30grKV7>), FRENCH (<https://bit.ly/2NeP027>) and SPANISH (<https://bit.ly/2zcfvjl>).

Working/Discussion Papers

- Cerami, A. (2019), Complexity Theory, Democratic Transition and Public Policy Choices in Iraq, MPRA Paper No. 92382, University Library of Munich, Germany. https://mpra.ub.uni-muenchen.de/92382/1/MPRA_paper_92382.pdf
- Cerami, A. (2018), The Night Lights of North Korea. Prosperity Shining and Public Policy Governance. MPRA Paper No. 87281, University Library of Munich, Germany. https://mpra.ub.uni-muenchen.de/87281/1/MPRA_paper_87281.pdf
- Cerami, A. (2018), The Lights of Iraq: Electricity Usage and the Iraqi War-fare Regime, MPRA Paper No. 88264, University Library of Munich, Germany. https://mpra.ub.uni-muenchen.de/88264/1/MPRA_paper_88264.pdf
- Cerami, A. and Stubbs, P. (2011), Post-Communist Welfare Capitalisms: Bringing Institutions and Political Agency Back In, EIZ Working Papers EIZ-WP-1103. Zagreb: EIZG. http://www.eizg.hr/UserDocsImages/publikacije/serijske-publikacije/radni-materijali/Post-communist_Welfare_Capitalisms-Bringing_Institutions_and_Political_Agency_Back_In.pdf
- Cerami, A. (2009), Social Mechanisms in the Establishment of the European Economic and Monetary Union, Cahier européen n° 03/2009 Paris: Centre d'études européennes, Sciences Po.
- Cerami, A. (2007), Europeanization, Enlargement and Social Policy in Central and Eastern Europe, Cahier européen n° 01/2007 Paris: Centre d'études européennes, Sciences Po.
- Cerami, A. (2006), Poverty and Social Structure in Russia: An Analysis of the First Decade of Transition, Luxembourg Income Study Working Paper no. 445, Luxembourg: Luxembourg Income Study. <http://www.lisproject.org/publications/liswps/445.pdf>
- Cerami, A. (2006), Why Should Central and Eastern European Societies still be Considered as Democracies at Risk: An Analysis of Labour Structure and Preferences for One-Party System, Cahier européen n° 01/2006, Paris: Centre d'études européennes, Sciences Po.
- Cerami, A. (2004), Germany after the Unification: The Exclusive Society?, Staatswissenschaftliche Fakultät Discussion Paper no.: 2004-001SC. Erfurt: University of Erfurt. <http://www.innovationsoekonomie.de/discussion-paper/socialsciences/2004-001SC.pdf>
- Cerami, A. (2003), The Impact of Social Transfers in Central and Eastern Europe, Luxembourg Income Study Working Paper no. 356. Luxembourg: Luxembourg Income Study. <http://www.lisproject.org/publications/liswps/356.pdf>.

STORY MAPS: Geo-Spatial Analysis

- Geo-Spatial Analysis Iraq. Available at ArcGIS online. <https://arcg.is/1uWXrz>
- Geo-Spatial Analysis Libya. Available at ArcGIS online. <https://arcg.is/0n8vL1>
- Geo-Spatial Analysis North Korea (DPRK). Available at ArcGIS online. <https://arcg.is/0vrrje>
- Geo-Spatial Analysis Syria. Available at ArcGIS online. <https://arcg.is/1rDiiO>
- Global Financial Crisis in the USA. <https://arcg.is/WXbi8>
- Machu Picchu, Peru. <https://alfiocerami.wordpress.com/2018/04/30/machu-picchu-peru/>
- Macro-Economic Developments and Investment Dynamics in France. Available at ArcGIS online. <https://arcg.is/1KW1GD>

- Macro-Economic Developments and Investment Dynamics in Spain. Available at ArcGIS online. <https://arcg.is/1PSDT4>
- Nile's Night Lights. <https://arcg.is/190SCC>
- Prosperity Shining in The Bahamas (2012-2018) . Available at ArcGIS online. <https://arcg.is/1Oueav>
- Stephen Hawking's Elective Affinities. Space-Time Singularities Model. Available at ArcGIS online. <https://arcg.is/aanna>
- Suez Canal. Available at ArcGIS online. <https://arcg.is/05KO9r>
- See also GEO-SPATIAL ANALYSIS GENERAL SECTION AND UPDATES in my blog (Afghanistan, Iraq, Libya, North Korea, etc.) available at: <https://alfiocerami.wordpress.com/category/geo-spatial-analysis/>

E-journals, Journalistic Pieces, and Op-Ed Pieces

- Cerami, A. (2017), 'European Banking Union as a Self-Fulfilling Prophecy', Euro Crisis in the Press blog, LSE, 25 October. Available on-line at: <http://blogs.lse.ac.uk/eurocrisispress/2017/10/24/european-banking-union-as-a-self-fulfilling-prophecy/>
- Cerami, A. (2014), 'Socio-Economic Security, Transnational Solidarity and the Legitimation Crisis of the European Union', Euro Crisis in the Press blog, LSE, 22 September. Available on-line at: <http://blogs.lse.ac.uk/eurocrisispress/2014/09/22/socio-economic-securitytransnational-solidarity-and-the-legitimation-crisis-of-the-european-union/>
- Cerami, A. (2014), 'Coordinating Europe's social policies: not there yet', Blogactiv, 12 September 2014. Available on-line at <https://guests.blogactiv.eu/2014/09/11/coordinating-social-policy-across-europe-not-there-yet/>
- Cerami, A. (2013) '[Development Institutions: Adopt a Holistic Approach](#)', The Guardian Global Professionals Development Network, 23 April 2013. Available on-line at: http://www.guardian.co.uk/global-development-professionals-network/2013/apr/23/development-economics-social-protection?CMP=twt_gu
- Cerami, A. (2011), Consolidating Emerging MENA Democracies, *openDemocracy*, published on-line on 5 April 2011. Document available at: <http://www.opendemocracy.net/alfio-cerami/consolidating-emerging-menademocracies>

Conference Papers

- Cerami, A. (2008), 'Mechanisms of Institutional Change in Central and Eastern European Welfare State Restructuring, paper presented at the conference "CrossBorder Influences in Social Policy", ESPAnet Conference 2008, 18-20 September 2008, Finnish Centre for Pension, Helsinki, Finland.
- Cerami, A. 2008, 'Central Europe in Transition: Emerging Models of Welfare and Social Assistance', paper presented at the conference "Building Capacity, Improving Quality. Social Services in the New Member States", European Social Network (ESN), Ljubljana, Slovenia, May 19-20.
- Cerami, A. (2006/2007), The Politics of Reforms in Bismarckian Welfare Systems: The Cases of Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland and Slovakia, paper presented at the project conference "A long good bye to Bismarck? The politics of welfare reforms in Continental Europe", June 16-18, 2006, The Minda de Gunzburg Center for European

- Studies at Harvard University, USA. Revised versions also presented at: Connex workshop “The Europeanization of the reforms of welfare systems” 8-10 March 2007, CEVIPOF, Paris, France; ESPAnet Annual Conference, 20-22 September 2007, Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration, Austria.
- Cerami, A. (2006), New Social Policy Ideas in the Making: The Case of Central and Eastern Europe, paper presented at the Fourth Annual ESPAnet Conference “Transformation of the Welfare State: Political Regulation and Social Inequality” September 21-23, University of Bremen, Germany.
 - Cerami, A. (2006), Europeanization, Enlargement and Social Policy in Central and Eastern Europe, paper prepared for the FP6 CONNEX (Connecting Excellence on European Governance) workshop, Paris, 30th May 2006.
 - Cerami, A. (2006), The Reform Challenges of the Central and Eastern European Welfare Regime, paper presented at the international conference “Transformation of Social Policy in Europe: Patterns, Issues and Challenges for the EU-25 and Candidate Countries”, April 13-15, 2006, Department of Political Science and Public Administration – METU, Ankara, Turkey.
 - Cerami, A. (2005), Social Policy in Central and Eastern Europe. The Emergence of a New European Model of Solidarity?, paper presented at the Third Annual ESPAnet Conference “Making Social Policy in the Postindustrial Age” September 22-24, University of Fribourg, Switzerland.
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Invited Papers at Seminars

- Cerami, A. (2007), Social Change and Welfare State Developments in CEE and Russia, invited paper and lecture at Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin für Sozialforschung, Berlin 16.5.2007.
- Cerami, A. (2007), From Electoral to Policy Representation: A Comparison of 34 Democracies, invited paper and lecture at seminar ECOPOL, Sciences Po, Paris.

Book Reviews

- Cerami, A. (2004). Book Review: Ferrera, M. & Gualmini, E. (2004), Rescued by Europe? Social and Labour Market Reforms in Italy from Maastricht to Berlusconi, 2004, *Journal of Income Distribution*, volume 13, number 1-2 (Spring-Summer), pp.147-149.
- Cerami, A. (2006), Book Review: Schludi, M. (2005), The Reform of Bismarckian Pension Systems: A Comparison of Pension Politics in Austria, France, Germany, Italy and Sweden, Amsterdam, Amsterdam University Press. *Journal of European Social Policy*, 16 (4), pp. 403-404.
- Cerami, A. (2008). Book Review: Clasen, J. & Siegel, N.A. (eds.) (2007), Investigating Welfare State Change. The ‘Dependent Variable Problem’ in Comparative Analysis, Cheltenham, Edward Elgar. *Journal of European Social Policy*, 18 (4), pp. 410-411.
- Cerami, A. (2008). Book Review: Vanhuysse, P., Divide and Pacify. Strategic Social Policies and Political Protests in Post-Communist Democracies, CEU Press, Budapest. *Acta Politica.*, 43 (4), 508-509.
- Cerami, A. (2011). Book Review: Frye, Timothy (2010), Building States and Markets after Communism. The Perils of Polarized Democracy, New York: Cambridge University Press. *Revue Française de Science Politique*, 61(4), 782-784.