

Peter P. Schweitzer

a. Professional Preparation

University of Vienna, Austria	Social Anthropology	B.A. equivalent, 1983
	Social Anthropology	M.A. equivalent, 1985
	Social Anthropology	Ph.D., 1990
	Social Anthropology	Habilitation (post-doctoral thesis), 2002

b. Appointments

2016-2020	Director, Austrian Polar Research Institute
2013-	Professor Emeritus, Department of Anthropology, University of Alaska Fairbanks (UAF)
2012-	Professor, Department of Social and Cultural Anthropology, University of Vienna
2007-2012	Director, Alaska EPSCoR
2002-2012	Professor, Department of Anthropology, UAF
1997-2002	Associate Professor, Department of Anthropology, UAF
1992-1997	Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, UAF

c. Publications

i) Five most relevant

- S. Gartler, V. Kuklina, and **P. Schweitzer**. 2020. Culture and Sustainability. In *Arctic Sustainability, Key Methodologies and Knowledge Domains: A Synthesis of Knowledge I*. Jessica K. Graybill and Andrey N. Petrov, eds. Pp. 43-63. London: Routledge.
- P. Schweitzer** and O. Povoroznyuk. 2019. "A Right to Remoteness? A Missing Bridge and Articulations of Indigeneity along an East Siberian Railroad". *Social Anthropology* 27(2): 236-252.
- P. Schweitzer**, O. Povoroznyuk and S. Schiesser. 2017. "Beyond Wilderness: Toward an Anthropology of Infrastructure and the Built Environment in the Russian North". *The Polar Journal* 7(1): 58-85.
- A. Petrov, S. BurnSilver, F. Chapin III, G. Fondahl, J. Graybill, K. Keil, A. Nilsson, R. Riedlsperger, and **P. Schweitzer**. 2017. *Arctic Sustainability Research: Past, Present and Future*. London: Routledge.
- E. Marino, **P. Schweitzer**. 2016. "Speaking Again of Climate Change: An Analysis of Climate Change Discourses in Northwestern Alaska," in: *Anthropology and Climate Change: From Actions to Transformations*. Second edition. S.A. Crate and M. Nuttall, eds. Pp. 200-209. New York: Routledge.

ii) Five other significant publications

- P. Schweitzer**. 2017. „Der hohe Norden als Teil des globalen Südens? Koloniale und postkoloniale Entwicklungen in der Arktis und Subarktis vom 19. bis zum 21. Jahrhundert,“ in: *Arktis und Subarktis. Geschichte, Kultur, Gesellschaft*. G. Saxinger, P. Schweitzer, and S. Donecker, eds. Pp. 46-66. Wien: New Academic Press.
- P. Schweitzer**. 2017. "Polar Anthropology, or Why We Need to Study More than Humans in Order to Understand People". *The Polar Journal* 7(1): 1-8.
- P. Schweitzer**. 2015. "Arctic: Sociocultural Aspects," in: *International Encyclopedia of the Social & Behavioral Sciences*, James D. Wright, ed. 2nd edition, Vol. 1. Oxford: Elsevier: 927-932.
- P. Schweitzer**, P. Sköld, O. Ulturgasheva. 2014. "Cultures and Identities," in: *Arctic Human Development Report II: Regional Processes and Global Linkages*. J.N. Larsen, G. Fondahl, H. Rasmussen, Eds. Copenhagen: Nordic Council of Ministers: 105-150.

d. Synergistic Activities (recent)

- 2021-2025 Project Leader, “Building Arctic Futures: Transport Infrastructures and Sustainable Northern Communities”, European Research Council (ERC)
- 2017-2019 Scientific Advisory Board Member, Arctic Centre, University of Lapland
- 2015-2021 Project Leader, “Configurations of Remoteness: Entanglement of Humans and Transport Infrastructures”, Austrian Science Fund (FWF)
- 2015-2017 Speaker of the Working Group “History of Anthropology” of the German Anthropological Society
- 2014-Present Founding Board Member International Society for Hunter Gatherer Research

e. Collaborators

Collaborators and Co-Editors: Michael Bravo (U Cambridge); Shauna Burnsilver (U Arizona); Terry Chapin (UAF); Susie Crate (George Mason U); Gail Fondahl (U Northern British Columbia); Andre Gingrich (Austrian Academy of Sciences); Evgeniy Golovko (European U St. Petersburg); Jessica Graybill (Colgate U); Louwrens Hacquebord (U Groningen); Timothy Heleniak (Nordregio); Lawrence Kaplan (UAF); Kathrin Keil (Advanced Sustainability Studies, Potsdam); Andrew Kliskey (U Idaho); Igor Krupnik (Smithsonian); Joan Nymand Larsen (Stefansson Arctic Institute); Elizabeth Marino (Oregon State U); Annika E. Nilsson (Stockholm Environment Institute; Sweden); Herta Nöbauer (U Vienna); James Overland (NOOA); Andrey Petrov (U Northern Iowa); Elena Khlinovskaya Rockhill (U of Alberta); Rudy Riedlsperger (Memorial U, St. John’s); Gertraud Seiser (U Vienna); Peter Sköld (Umea U, Sweden); Florian Stammler (U Lapland); Olga Ulturgasheva (U Manchester); Nikolai Vakhtin (European U St. Petersburg); Piers Vitebsky (U Cambridge); Dan White (UAF).

Graduate Advisors: Walter Dostal (deceased), Christian Feest (Frankfurt).

Thesis Advisor: UAF: Esther Antohin (M.A., 2005); Cori Bender (M.A., 2012); Judith Brakel (M.A., 1999); Ellen Carrlee (Ph.D., 2020; Alaska State Museum); Medeia Csoba DeHass (Ph.D., 2009; University of Northern Iowa); Davin Holen (Ph.D., 2017; UAF faculty); Tobias Holzlehner (Ph.D., 2006; Halle U); Michael Koskey (Ph.D., 2003; UAF faculty); Stefan Krist (Ph.D., 2015; Inner Mongolia U faculty); Lars Krutak (M.A., 1999; Smithsonian); Elizabeth Marino (Ph.D., 2012, Oregon State U faculty); Stacie McIntosh (M.A., 1999; BLM); Beth Mikow (M.A., 2010, AKDF&G); Andrea Neighbors (M.A., 2008); Kenneth Pratt (Ph.D., 2009; BIA); Feng Qu (Ph.D. co-advisor, 2013; Liaocheng U); Julie Raymond-Yakoubian (Ph.D., 2019; Kawerak); Martin Robards (Ph.D. co-advisor, 2008; Wildlife Conversation Society); James Simon (Ph.D., 1998; Jim Simon Consulting); Josh Wisniewski (Ph.D., 2010); Sveta Yamin-Pasternak (Ph.D., 2007; UAF faculty); Oksana Yashchenko (M.A., 2013; Regional government, Chukotka).

University of Vienna: Eva Ackermann (M.A., 2003); Ria-Maria Adams (M.A., 2017); Ingrid Arztmann (M.A., 2008); Alice Beck (M.A., 2020); Georg Bergthaler (M.A., 2018); Helga Bruckner (M.A., 2016); Claudia Carpanese (M.A., 2020); Doris Danzinger-Hauer (M.A., 2003); Luka De Bruyckere (M.A., 2016); Gertrude Eilmsteiner-Saxinger (M.A., 2004; Ph.D., 2013); Riem El-Amad (M.A., 2017); Clemens Elmecker (M.A., 2019); Ashley Engquist (M.A., 2015); Alicia Sophie Gutting (M.A., 2019); Alexander Haudum (M.A., 2017); Markus Hirsperger (M.A., 2003; PhD., 2017); Agnes Hohensinner (M.A., 2011); Monika Hunjadi (M.A., 2015); Danai Kaplanidi (M.A., 2018); Freidis Kohlweiss (M.A., 2020); Cornelia Koller (M.A., 2009); Barbara Kreil (M.A., 2004); Sabrina Kopf (Ph.D., 2017); Christian Lasser (M.A., 2016); Olivia Lasser (M.A., 2010); Alexandra Meyer (M.A., 2015; Ph.D.); Patrick Muigg (M.A., 2016); Claudia Neulinger (M.A., 2015); Monica Pascanu (M.A., 2017); Andra Sonia Petrutiu (M.A., 2020); Margarita Postnikova (M.A., 2020); Agnes Reiter (M.A., 2012); Victoria Reitter (M.A., 2017); Sylvia Schleindl (M.A., 2017); Bridget Scholz (M.A., 2015); Alina Sklenicka (M.A., 2016); Anna Spitaler (M.A., 2018); David Steinacker (M.A., 2018); Julia Stollenwerk (M.A., 2017); Tessa van der Staak (M.A., 2019); Julia Würzelberger (M.A., 2018); Asia Zaitseva (M.A., 2019); Andreea-Bianca Zelinka (M.A., 2018); Janine Zettl (M.A., 2016; Jewish Museum Vienna).