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Maria received her LL.B. from the University of Athens and her LL.M. from the New York University School of Law, where she also researched the general principles of international economic law. During the course of her doctoral and post-doctoral work, she has held visiting scholar positions at Harvard Law School and the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy. She previously taught at York University and Osgoode Hall Law School and, was the Director of the International Law Summer Institute at the Balsillie School of International Affairs.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS AND EXPERIENCE

UNIVERSITY OF NEW BRUNSWICK, SCHOOL OF LAW, Fredericton, New Brunswick,
Assistant Professor (August 2019-current date)

CENTRE FOR INTERNATIONAL GOVERNANCE INNOVATION, Waterloo, Ontario,
Canada
Fellow, International Law Research Program, 2018-2020
Post-Doctoral Fellow, International Law Research Program, 2015-2017

**BALSILLIE SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, INTERNATIONAL LAW
SUMMER INSTITUTE, Waterloo ON, Director 2019, Co-Director (together with Neil Craik)
2018, Guest Faculty, June 2016-June 2017**

WILFRED LAURIER UNIVERSITY, Waterloo, ON
Affiliated Researcher, September 2015- September 2019

HARVARD UNIVERSITY, Cambridge, MA
Researcher, June 2012- June 2015

**THE FLETCHER SCHOOL OF LAW AND DIPLOMACY, TUFTS UNIVERSITY, Medford,
MA**
Visiting Scholar, January 2011 – June 2012

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, Cambridge, MA
Visiting Scholar, August 2009 - January 2011

YORK UNIVERSITY, OSGOODE HALL LAW SCHOOL, Toronto, Canada

- **York University, Osgoode Hall Law School, Toronto, Canada**
Graduate Teaching Assistant, September 2009 - June 2014
For the class “Ethical Lawyering in a Global Community”
- *Adjunct Professor*, September 2008 - June 2009
For the class “Economic Analysis of Law, Origins, Debates, Perspectives”
- **York University, Faculty of Arts, Toronto, Canada**
Teaching Assistant, September 2007 - May 2008
For the class “Law and Economics”

EDUCATION

OSGOODE HALL LAW SCHOOL, YORK UNIVERSITY, Toronto, Ontario, Canada
Ph.D. in Law (2015)
Dissertation: Through the Looking Glass: Transparency in the WTO

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, New York, NY
LL.M. in International Legal Studies (2006)
Thesis: General Principles of International Economic Law
W. C. Langley Scholar

National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Faculty of Law, Athens, Greece
LL.B. (“Ptyhion”) (2005)

PUBLICATIONS

Articles

Something Old, Something New, Something Borrowed, Something Green: Re-Evaluating Global Trade Governance Structures To Address Climate Change Maria Panezi, Council of Councils Global Governance Working Paper, Council on Foreign Relations (2019) available at <https://www.cfr.org/report/reevaluating-global-trade-governance-structures-address-climate-change>

Formulating a Transnational Framework for the Promotion of a Gender-Positive Trade Environment Geneva Global Policy Briefs (GGPB) Centre d'études juridiques européennes de l'Université de Genève Brief No 5/2019 available at https://www.ceje.ch/files/7615/5799/7467/University_of_Geneva_-_GGPB_N5-2019_-_M.Panezi.pdf

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The Two Noble Kinsmen: Internal and Legal Transparency in the WTO and their connection to Preferential and Regional Trade Agreements 5:2 BRITISH JOURNAL OF AMERICAN LEGAL STUDIES 539 <https://doi.org/10.1515/bjals-2016-0019> (2016)

The WTO and the Spaghetti Bowl of Free Trade Agreements: Four Proposals for Moving Forward- CIGI Policy Brief No. 87 https://www.cigionline.org/sites/default/files/pb_no.87.pdf (2016)

When CO2 Goes to Geneva: Taxing Carbon Across Borders- Without Violating WTO Obligations- CIGI Policy paper No 83 https://www.cigionline.org/sites/default/files/cigi_paper_no.83_web.pdf (2015)

Mapping the Territory: Contextual Jurisprudence, Legal Pluralism and WTO Law and Development, A response to William Twining's Internal Critique thesis from the point of transnational jurisprudence 4 TRANSNATIONAL LEGAL THEORY Issue 4, 574 <https://doi.org/10.5235/20414005.4.4.574> (2013)

Sources of Law in Transition: Re-visiting General Principles of International Law, ANCILLA IURIS 66, https://anci.ch/articles/ancilla2007_66_panezi.pdf (2007)

The 2005 Asylum Procedures Directive, Developing the European Asylum Law, 13 COLUMBIA JOURNAL OF EUROPEAN LAW 501 <http://cjel.law.columbia.edu/print/2016/leg-dev-the-2005-asylum-procedures-directive-developing-the-european-asylum-law/> (2007)

Sovereign Immunity and Violation of Jus Cogens Norms, 56 REVUE HELLÉNIQUE DE DROIT INTERNATIONAL 199 (2003)

**Cited by International Court of Justice Judge Antônio Augusto Cançado Trindade in his dissenting opinion on the case of Jurisdictional Immunities of the State (Germany v. Italy: Greece intervening) available at <http://www.icj-cij.org/docket/files/143/16891.pdf>*

Book reviews

Book review: *David A. Gantz, Liberalizing International Trade after Doha: Multilateral, Plurilateral, Regional, and Unilateral Initiatives (Cambridge University Press 2013)* 17 JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW Issue 2, 479 <https://doi.org/10.1093/jiel/jgu022> (2014)

Review Essay: *Of Tortoises and Hares Exploring the role of international administrations and tribunals in the development of international law (review of Ingo Venzke, How Interpretation Makes International Law: On Semantic Change and Normative Twists (Oxford University Press, 2012)* 4 TRANSNATIONAL LEGAL THEORY Issue 2, 283 <https://doi.org/10.5235/20414005.4.2.283> (2013)

Book chapters

How to Design Border Carbon Adjustments, (co-authored with Susanne Droege) in *Handbook on Trade Policy and Climate Change* (Michael Jakob ed. Forthcoming February 2022, Edward Elgar Publishing)

Special and Differential Treatment: The relationship between Environment, Development and Trade in *Encyclopedia on Trade and the Environment* (Panos Delimatsis, Leonie Reins eds. Forthcoming 2021, Edward Elgar Publishing)

The Complex Landscape of Canadian Indigenous Procurement, in *Indigenous Peoples and International Trade- Building Equitable and Inclusive International Trade and Investment*

Agreements (John Borrows, Risa Schwartz Eds. Cambridge University Press, 2020) (pp. 217-247).
<https://doi.org/10.1017/9781108675321.011>

The Climate Change Tent and the Trade Cathedral: Assessing The Relationship Between Environmental Regulations and WTO Law after the Paris Agreement, in *Global Environmental Change and Innovation in International Law* (Craik, N., Jefferies, C., Seck, S., & Stephens, T. Eds. Cambridge University Press, 2018) (pp. 249-269) <https://doi.org/10.1017/9781108526081> .

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Newspaper and online articles, blogs, policy memos and research guides

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<https://business.financialpost.com/commodities/energy/why-ontario-businesses-should-be-objecting-to-doug-fords-exit-from-the-carbon-pricing-program>

The Case for Developing a Model Chapter on Gender and Trade and editor of the series: *Reshaping Trade through Women's Economic Empowerment* April 5, 2018
<https://www.cigionline.org/articles/case-developing-model-chapter-gender-and-trade>

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Canadian carbon policy should not be an either/or proposition, THE GLOBE AND MAIL, Tuesday, Aug. 23, 2016, <http://www.theglobeandmail.com/report-on-business/rob-commentary/canadian-carbon-policy-should-not-be-an-eitheror-proposition/article31516554/>

How a national carbon policy would benefit Canadians and send the world a message: Canada's provincial leaders must consider carbon pricing — a trade-savvy approach that shows global leadership in tackling emissions while advancing Canada's green economy available at <https://www.opencanada.org/features/how-national-carbon-policy-would-benefit-canadians-and-send-world-message/> (March 2, 2016)

A description of the Structure of the Hellenic Republic, the Greek Legal System, and Legal Research, <http://www.nyulawglobal.org/Globalex/Greece1.htm> (2017) (Previous versions 2006, 2008, 2013) Forthcoming update 2021

Interviews to media and videos

Interview with the Washington Post, *The Energy 202: Advocates want Biden to use trade deals to combat climate change*, <https://www.washingtonpost.com/politics/2021/01/20/energy-202-advocates-want-biden-use-trade-deals-combat-climate-change/>, January 20, 2021

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Interview with the National Post, *Liberals' hopes stymied for Indigenous and gender-rights chapters in renegotiated NAFTA*, <https://nationalpost.com/news/politics/liberals-hopes-stymied-for-indigenous-and-gender-rights-chapters-in-renegotiated-nafta>, October 1, 2018

Interview with the Globe and Mail, *Back and forth over the border - what will change?* <https://www.theglobeandmail.com/business/article-back-and-forth-over-the-border-what-will-change/> April 12, 2018

Interview with U.S. National Public Radio (NPR) *Planet Money* on US Antidumping measures entitled *More Band For Your Buck* <https://www.npr.org/templates/transcript/transcript.php?storyId=589594679>

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Member, Gender and Trade Advisory Group (GTAG), and Gender Based Analysis Plus (GBA +) subcommittee Global Affairs Canada

National Rapporteur , IACL Project: "New Specialised Commercial Courts and Their Role in Cross-Border Litigation" International Academy of Comparative Law XXI GENERAL CONGRESS (January 2022)

American Society of International Law (ASIL), Co-Chair, 2016-2018 International Organizations Interest Group, Co-Vice-Chair, 2019-2021 International Economic Law Interest Group, Member

Canadian Council on International Law (CCIL), Member

Customs and International Trade Bar Association (CITBA), Member

European Society of International Law (ESIL), Chair, Feminism and International Law Interest Group, Member

Trade Expertes, Member

Society of International Economic Law (SIEL), Member

2007-2008: Ian Green Award for Teaching Excellence, Faculty of Arts, York University

ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND

Languages: Greek (native), English (fluent), French (proficient)