

## **Professional Curriculum Vitae**

doc. PhDr. Matúš Šucha, Ph. D.

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Matúš Šucha

### ***Areas of scientific interest***

- 1. The human factor in traffic and traffic safety**
- 2. Traffic psychology**
- 3. The issues related to vulnerable road users, especially pedestrians**
- 4. Urban mobility**
- 5. Mode of transport choice and sustainable traffic**
- 6. Autonomous mobility and e-mobility**

### ***Education***

**2018**

Charles University, Prague, Faculty of Arts

**Associate professorship in Work and Organisational Psychology**

Degree acquired: associate professor (“docent”)

Habilitation thesis title: The Human Factor in Traffic – Human Behaviour and the Possible Ways of Influencing It

**2015**

**Rehabilitation Programmes for Risky Drivers, a course for trainers**

150 lessons, Palacky University, Olomouc

**2012 – 2015**

**Studies in traffic psychology**

Prof. Ralf Risser – Factum Vienna, Lund University, Sweden

**2013**

**Europsy – mentor in traffic psychology**

**2012**

**Traffic psychologist**

Accredited by the Ministry of Transport of the Czech Republic

**2010–2012**

***Psyché* – PhDr. Jitka Lakomá, Prof. Stanislav Kratochvíl**

Group supervision (200 training lessons, accredited by the Czech Ministry of Education)

**2011**

**Accredited external professional coach – *Koučink centrum, s. r. o.***

Certificate of accreditation (120 training lessons, accredited by the Czech Ministry of Education)

**2006–2010, March**

*Psyché*– PhDr. Jitka Lakomá, Prof. Stanislav Kratochvíl

**Training in integrative group psychotherapy – self-experiential therapeutic training (550 training lessons, accredited by the Czech Ministry of Education)**

Level of qualification acquired: **Certificate of completion**

**2006–2008, June**

Department of Psychology, Philosophical Faculty, Palacky University, Olomouc, CZ

**Postgraduate studies in traffic psychology**

Level of qualification acquired: Traffic psychologist

**2004–2008, March**

Department of Psychology, Philosophical Faculty, Palacky University, Olomouc, CZ

**Full-time doctoral studies, educational psychology**

Degree acquired: **Ph.D.**

**2006, April**

Department of Psychology, Philosophical Faculty, Palacky University, Olomouc, CZ

Defence of doctoral thesis

Degree acquired: **PhDr.**

**1998–2004, January**

Department of Psychology, Philosophical Faculty, Palacky University, Olomouc, CZ

**(Single major) master's programme in psychology**

Degree acquired: **Mgr. (M.A.)**

**1994–1998**

*Mercury*, a private grammar school, specialisation in management, marketing, and banking, Bratislava

***Professional experience***

**2019-present**

Forensic expert in Education and Culture, sphere of Psychology, specialisation in Traffic Psychology.

**2019**

External member of a doctoral committee, Hasselt University, Belgium. Dr. Enoch Frederick Sam's doctoral thesis.

**2019-present**

External teacher, Charles University, Faculty of Arts, Department of Psychology, Prague

**2018-present**

Faculty of Arts, Palacky University Olomouc  
Member of the Scientific Board

**2018-2019**

MDPI

Guest editor of "Public Transport and Social Psychology", a special issue of the Social Sciences journal

**2017-2018**

VIAS Institute (Belgian Road Safety Institute)

Project: Possibilities for training, education and therapy as a reaction to traffic offences

**October 2017-present**

International Cooperation on Theories and Concepts in Traffic Safety (ICTCT)

Member of the Steering Committee

**January 2017-present**

Transactions on Transport Sciences (TOTS)

Executive Editor

**2016, January-present**

A representative of the Czech Republic in the EFPA SC Traffic Psychology

**January 2015-present**

Traffic Psychology International (TPI)

Member of the Steering Committee

**April 2014-present**

Philosophical Faculty, Palacky University, Olomouc, CZ

Member of the Dean's advisory board

**January 2012-present**

Department of Psychology, Philosophical Faculty, Palacky University, Olomouc, CZ

Head of the Department

**2007-present**

Department of Psychology, Philosophical Faculty, Palacky University, Olomouc, CZ

Researcher, lecturer

**2005-2011**

Centre for Addictology, Psychiatric Clinic, First Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, Prague

Part-time lecturer

**2008-2010**

Traffic Education Institute

Supervision and methodological support for traffic psychologists at Czech Railways

**2004-2008**

Traffic Research Centre, Prague

External researcher

**2004-2005**

Deloitte CZ, Prague

Consultant, Human Capital Advisory Services

## ***Involvement in projects and contracts***

Palacky University, Olomouc, Faculty of Arts, Department of Psychology (main beneficiary), Hella, s.r.o. (partner)

Project supported by the Technology Agency of the Czech Republic, Eta 2 Programme (2018-2020): *“Humans and Traffic Safety in Relation to the Development of Lighting Technology”*.

Project manager

Palacky University, Olomouc, Faculty of Arts, Department of Psychology  
*Erasmus+ community programme project: “ILab Plus – new training method for adults”, 2018-2020, (2018-1-PL01-KA204-050810)*

Project manager for Palacky University Olomouc as one of the partners.

Palacky University, Olomouc, Faculty of Arts, Department of Psychology  
*Execution of a public contract, “Methodology for Safety Culture Self-Assessment in the Temelín and Dukovany Nuclear Power Plants” for ČEZ, a.s. – contractual research*  
Project manager

Brno University of Technology (main beneficiary) and Palacky University, Olomouc, Faculty of Arts, Department of Psychology (partner)

Project supported by the Technology Agency of the Czech Republic, Eta Programme (2018-2020): *“Comprehensive Physiological Monitoring of Drivers for Psychological Factors Influencing Driving Behaviour.”*

Project manager for Palacky University, Olomouc as the partner organisation

Palacky University, Olomouc, Faculty of Arts, Department of Psychology  
*Execution of a public contract, “The Development of a Psychodiagnostic Battery to Assess Psychological Fitness to Work for the SZDC”, for the Czech Railway Infrastructure Administration – contractual research.*

Project manager

Czech Technical University (CTU) Prague, Faculty of Transportation Sciences  
Czech Ministry of Transport public contract: The Effects of Roadside Advertising on Traffic Safety

Project team member

*Kolečko* Endowment Fund

“Live to See Your 20<sup>th</sup> Birthday” project, Norway Grants and the Czech Ministry of Health

Project team member

Palacky University, Olomouc, Philosophical Faculty, Department of Psychology

Project supported by the Technology Agency of the Czech Republic, Omega Programme (2015-2017): "Drivers' Adaptation to Onboard Driver Assistance Systems"

Project leader

Palacky University, Olomouc, Philosophical Faculty, Department of Psychology

*Erasmus+* community programme project: "Innovation laboratories in the development of competences of special pedagogy teachers and people with special educational needs"

Project manager for Palacky University, Olomouc as one of the partners

Palacky University, Olomouc, Philosophical Faculty, Department of Psychology

*EU COST TU 1105 project: "NVH analysis techniques for design and optimisation of hybrid and electric vehicles"*

Project manager for Palacky University, Olomouc as one of the partners

Palacky University, Olomouc, Philosophical Faculty, Department of Psychology

*Execution of a public contract, "Assessment of operation sites – psychological demands on the work of controllers and dispatchers", for the Czech Railway Infrastructure Administration.*

Project manager

Palacky University, Olomouc, Philosophical Faculty, Department of Psychology

*Project of the Czech Ministry of the Interior (Research on Safety): Psychosocial analysis of drivers who have accumulated 12 points in the demerit system and the development of a methodology for the assessment of psychological aptness to drive*

Project manager

Palacky University, Olomouc, Philosophical Faculty, Department of Psychology

*Project of the Science Support Fund of Palacky University, Olomouc: Czech-German-English Explanatory Dictionary of Traffic Psychology Terminology*

Project manager

Palacky University, Olomouc, Philosophical Faculty, Department of Psychology

*EU COST TU 1103 project - Operation and Safety of Tramways in Interaction with Public Space*

Expert team member

Palacky University, Olomouc, Philosophical Faculty, Department of Psychology

Project of the Czech Ministry of Transport (research incentives): Update of the Methodology for Assessment in Terms of Traffic Psychology (lead investigator, Traffic Research Centre, Brno)

Project manager for Palacky University, Olomouc as one of the partners

Centre for Addictology, Psychiatric Clinic, General University Hospital and First Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, Prague

Czech Health Ministry's Internal Grant Agency project: 2007 Social Cost of the Use of Tobacco, Alcohol, and Illicit Drugs in the Czech Republic

Researcher

Centre for Addictology, Psychiatric Clinic, General University Hospital and First Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, Prague

EEA project: Addictive Substance Use in Children and Adolescents from Ethnic Minorities

Researcher

Centre for Addictology, Psychiatric Clinic, First Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, Prague

Evaluation of the "*Domluvme se*" project – the Czech equivalent of the *Designated Driver* campaign

Researcher, lead investigator

Palacky University, Olomouc

EU project: EQUAL Initiative – Outplacement for Big Companies

Lead investigator for Palacky University, Olomouc as one of the partners – chair of evaluation panel

Traffic Research Centre, Prague

Project of the Czech Ministry of Transport: "Information Overload of Transport Systems and Mental Capacity of Drivers" IZAMK04

Project team member



## ***Teaching appointments***

### **2019-present**

Charles University, Faculty of Arts, Department of Psychology, Prague  
*Traffic Psychology*

### **2004-present**

Palacky University, Olomouc, Philosophical Faculty, Department of Psychology  
Traffic Psychology, Managerial Psychology, Economic Psychology, Work and  
Organisational Psychology, Coaching, Introduction to Studies in Psychology

### **2004-present**

Implementation of a postgraduate training programme in traffic psychology (200 lessons), "Traffic Psychologist", at the Department of Psychology, Philosophical Faculty of Palacky University, Olomouc – guarantor of the course.

Implementation of a further education course concerning rehabilitation programmes for drivers (150 lessons) at the Department of Psychology, Philosophical Faculty of Palacky University, Olomouc – guarantor of the course.

### **2005–2011**

Centre for Addictology, Psychiatric Clinic, First Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, Prague  
Addictive Substances and Road Users, Teamwork, Human Resources Management, Project Management

## ***Affiliations with Professional Associations***

ICTCT – International Cooperation on Theories and Concepts in Traffic Safety (a member of the Steering Committee)

ICADTS – The International Council on Alcohol, Drugs and Traffic Safety

TPI – Traffic Psychology International (a member of the Steering Committee)

DGVP – Deutsche Gesellschaft für Verkehrspsychologie

NTSA – Nordic Traffic Safety Academy

***Miscellaneous:***

**1995–1996**

British Council – University of Cambridge - First Certificate in English (FCE)

**1995**

Fulbright Commission – American Embassy – TOEFL Test

English language, TOEFL 540, TWE 5.0