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Nationality: Lithuanian

**Personal statement**

I am a senior researcher from the Lithuanian Institute of History. I recieved PhD degree from Heidelberg University in Germany in field of Archaeology in 2002. Since graduating, I have been working for the Lithuanian Institute of History from 2004 onwards. I have the skills and knowledge for Archaeology of contemporary Europe, Medditerranean region and Near East. My research centres on the Neolithic and Bronze Ages of Northern Eastern Europe and I am particularly interested in metallurgy and social development in the regions without natural ore sources, prehistoric warfare, archaeological method and theory and archaeology of cult and religion. I also paticipated at the archaeological excavations in Göbekli Tepe (Turkey) and Tiryns (Greece). I have published widely on the meaning and functions of Bronze Age metal weapons, society, deposition and metallurgy in Lithuanian, English, German and Polish. My former research project „Technology and social development in prehistory: A study of Bronze Age metal objects“ (2011-2014) was founded under the Global Grand. I am a member of Society of Lithuanian Archaeology and member of editorial board of peer-reviewed journal ”Archaeologia Baltica”. I have been member of executive board of European Association of Archaeologist from 2012 to 2015. I am currently seeking a new challenge as an international scholar with the Universities of Europe and USA where I can use my specific knowlegde and experience.

**Academic studies/school education**

**Carl-Ruprecht University of Heidelberg (Germany)**

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| 1998 – 2003  | PhD-Doctorate at the Institute of the Prehistory and Early History and Near Eastern Archaeology (Prof. Dr. Joseph Maran)  |
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|  | Titel of dissertation: *Bronzezeitliche Waffendeponierung im nördlichen Mitteleuropa: Versuch der Deutung ihrer Funktion* |
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| 1995 - 1997 | Magister Artium at the Institute of the Prehistory and Early History and Near Eastern Archaeology (Prof. Dr. Harald Hauptmann) Titel of thesis: *Spätbronzezeitliche Vollgriffschwerter in den neuen Bundesländern und Polen* |
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|  | Fields of study: Prehistoric Archaeology, Classical Archaeology, Archaeology of Near East |
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**University of Vilnius (Lithuania)**

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| 1990 - 1994 | Bachelor  |

**Promotion/Scholarships**

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| 1994-1995 | Katholischer Akademischer Austauschdienst (KAAD), Germany |
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| 1995-1997 | Konrad Adenauer Stiftung (KAS), Germany |
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| 1998-2001 | Gerda Henkel Stiftung, Germany |

**Projects and Grants**

Coordinator of the project *Technology and social development in prehistory: A study of Bronze Age metal objects*  VP1-3.1-ŠMM-07-V-01-101 (2011-2014) [www.istorija.lt/html/projektai\_acivilyte.html](http://www.istorija.lt/html/projektai_acivilyte.html)

OPERATIONAL PROGRAMME FOR HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT FOR 2007–13

Priority 3 Strengthening Capacities of Researchers

VP1-3.1-ŠMM-07-V Support to Research of Scientists and Other Researchers **(Global Grant)**

**Commitees**

Evaluation of the Archaeology at the Vilnius University 2008; External evaluation to the Estonian Research Council 2012; Evaluation of Landscape Archaeology Study programme at Klaipėda university 2013;

PhD dissertation at the Klaipėda University (member of commitee) 2012.

**Membership**

Executive Board Member of European Association of Archaeologist (2012 – 2015) ; Member of Lithuanian Society of Archaeologist.

**Work experience abroad**

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| 1997 | Excavation at Göbekli Tepe (South-East Turkey) Prof. Dr. Claus Schmidt |
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| 2000 - 2001 | Excavation at Tiryns (Greece, Pelopones) Prof. Dr. Joseph Maran |
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**Additional qualification**

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| Languages | **Lithuanian**: mother language |
|  | **German**: fluent in writing and speech |
|  | **English:** fluent in writing and speech |
|  | **Russian:** fluent in writing and speech |
|  | **Polish:** solid basics |

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| **Research Interests** | European Bronze Age, Technology and Social Development in Prehistory, Social theories, Prehistoric Warfare, Memory in Archaeology, Cultural Relations and Identity in Prehistory |

**Publications (after 2003/after doctor):**

Monographs

Čivilyė A. Wahl der Waffen. Studien zur Deutung der bronzezeitlichen Waffendeponierung im nördlichen Mitteleuropa/Selection of Weapons. Interpretative study on the deposition of weapons in Northern Central Europe. Universitätsforschungen zur prähistorischen Archäologie 167, 2 parts, 622 pgs. Verlag Dr. Rufolf Habelt, Bonn 2009. ISBN 3-7749-3619-6

Čivilytė A. Žmogus ir metalas priešistorėje: Žvigančios bronzos trauka. Diemedis, Vilnius 2014. ISBN 978-9986-23-188-2.

**Papers published in peer-reviewed scientific or scholarly publications (periodical, serial or one-off publications) after 2003:**

1. Čivilytė A., Pagaminti tam, kad panaudotum? Keletas nežinomos bronzinės liejimo formos (Dovilai, Klaipėdos raj.) reikšmių./To produce for use? Several meanings of unknown bronze casting mould (Dovilai, Klaipėda district). In: Lietuvos archeologija, 25, 2004, 221-232. ISSN 0207-8694; ISBN 9986-23-116-7.

2. Čivilytė A., Sulaužytas kalavijas: tarp karybos ir ritualo/ Broken Swords: Between warfare and ritual. In: Kultūros paminklai, 11, 2004, 96-113. ISBN 9986-420-58-X; ISSN 1392-155X.

3. Čivilytė A., Zur Seltenheit metallener Waffen der Bronzezeit im Ostbaltikum/Some Remarks on the Rarity of weapons in the East Baltic region. In: Archäologisches Korrespondenzblatt, Bd. 35, H. 3, 2005, 329-344. ISSN: 0342-734X.

4. Čivilytė A., Jonas Puzinas – Heidelbergo universiteto daktaras: archeologijos profesionalumo link/Jonas Puzinas (Dr., Heidelberg University): Towards a professional archaeology. In: Lietuvos archeologija, 29, 2005, 39-48. ISSN 0207-8694; ISBN 9986-23-124-8.

5. Čivilytė A., Kvizikevičius L., Sarcevičius S., Die Pfeifenwerkstatt des 17./18. Jahrhunderts in Vilnius/The pipe-workshop from the 17th-18th centuries in Vilnius. In: Knasterkopf. Fachzeitschrift für Tonpfeifen und historischen Tabakengenuss, Bd. 18, 2005, 63-66. ISSN 0937-0609.

6. Čivilytė A., Kvizikevičius L., Sarcevičius S., Pypkių gamybos centras Vilniuje/The centre of the pipe-production in Vilnius. In: Kultūros paminklai, 12, 2005, 26-41. ISBN 9986-420-67-9; ISSN 1392-155X.

7. Čivilytė A., Is a Warrior without a Weapon not a Warrior? Some Ideas about Bronze Age Warfare in the Eastern Baltic Region. In: Archaeologia Baltica 8, 2007, 37-47. ISSN 1392-5520.

8. Čivilytė A., Archeologija tarp legendos ir tikrovės – grįžtant prie Šernų statulėlės (Klaipėdos raj.) problemos/Archaeology between legend and reality – coming back to the problem of the Šernai (Klaipėda district) statuette. In: Lietuvos archeologija, 31, 2007, 91-108. ISSN 0207-8694; ISBN 978-9986-23-138-7.

9. Čivilytė A., Bronze-und Eisenzeit – archäologische Fiktion oder Realität? Zur Bedeutung der Metalle in den ostbaltischen Gesellschaften/Bronze- and Iron Age – Archaeological Fiction or Reality? The importance of metal in the societies of the East Baltic region. In: Langfristige Erscheinungen und Brüche von der Bronze-zur Eisenzeit. Beiträge zur Ur-und Frühgeschichte Mitteleuropas 51, 2008, 7-12. ISBN 978-3-941171-07-7.

10. Čivilyte A., Einige Aspekte der bronzezeitlichen Metallurgie in den Baltischen Ländern/Some Aspects of Bronze Age Metallurgy in the Baltic Countries. In: Mogielnicka-Urban (Ed.) Opera ex aere. Studia z epoki brązu i wczesnej epoki żelaza poświęcone Profesorowi Janowi Dąbrowskiemu, 2008, 151-158. ISBN 978-83-89499-49-3.

11. Čivilytė A., Das Neolithikum in der Bronzezeit? Zur wirtschaftlichen Situation im Ostbaltikum/ Neolithic in the Bronze Age? The economic situation in the East Baltic region. In: M. Bartelheim, H. Stäuble (Ed.) Die wirtschaftlichen Grundlagen der Bronzezeit. The economic foundation of European Bronze Age. Forschungen zur Archäometrie und Altertumswissenschaft 4, 2009, 105-117. ISBN-13: 978-3-89646-874-1.

12. Čivilytė A., Mödlinger M., Bronzos amžiaus metalurgija: atkraštinių kirvių gamybos technologijos ir funkcijos klausimu/The Bronze Age metallurgy: New research to the question of technology and functionality of the flanged axes. In: Lietuvos archeologija, 36, 2010, 121-151. (coauthor Marianne Mödlinger). ISSN 0207-8694.

13. Čivilytė A., Problemy używania brązowych siekierek w archeologii krajów bałtyjskich: Najnowsze aspekty badań/The question of the using of the Bronze Axes in the researches of the Baltic countries. In: U. Srankiewicz, A. Wawrusiewicz (Ed.), Na rubieży kultur. Badania nad okresem neolitu i wczesną epoką brązu, Białystok 2011, 371-383. ISBN 978-83-87026-05-9.

14. Čivilytė A., Duberow W., Pernicka E., Skvortzov K., The new Late Bronze Age hoard find from Kobbelbude (former Eastern Prussia, district Fischhausen) and the first results of its archaeometallurgical investigations. Archaological and Anthropological Science 2015, published online 16.11.2015.

15. Čivilytė A., How were amber artefacts produced and used during the Bronze Age in the east Baltic?. Atti del 1° Convegno Internazionale sulla Viabilità Antica “ Le Vie dell’Ambra. MILENNI. Studi di archeologia prehistorica 7, 2016, p. 45-55. ISBN 978-88-6086.

**International Conferences and Congresses (last 3 years)**

1. EAA meeting in Glasgow (UK). **Paper** „The periodisation of Bronze Age in the Eastern Baltic region: historiographical review of turning points and their significance for the cultural and social development“
2. 13th Symposium of Bronze Age in Gøteborg (Sweden). **Paper** „ The Bronze Age Baltic Sea: bridge and boundary between cultural traditions“

13th Symposium of Bronze Age in Gøteborg (Sweden). **Paper** „“The Bronze figurine from Šernai (Lithuania) in the light of the Bronze Age connection between Northern Europe and Mediterranean”

1. International conference *"The amber routes"* San Marino. **Paper** “**„**How were amber artefacts produced and used during the Bronze Age in the east Baltic?”
2. 8thcongress of German Archaeologists Berlin (Germany). **Paper** “Metallurgie als rituelle Tätigkeit in der metallarmen Region – Nachweise eines paneuropäischen Glaubenssystems“
3. EAA annual meeting Plsen (Czech Republic).**Paper** „Amber in the Bronze Age Societies in the East Baltic region“
4. International conference *„People at the crossroads of space and time (Footmarks of Societies in Ancient Europe)“* Klaipėda (Lithuania). **Paper** „Lost in Theory: What to do in Recognising Bronze Age Society in the Baltic Countries?“
5. 7thcongress of German Archaeologists Bremen (Germany). **Paper** „Eine seltene Gussform aus Bronze in der metallarmen Landschaft: Ein Zeichen der ansässigen Metallurgie oder ein Symbol aus der Fremde?“