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Research Interests

Life course sociology with focus on employment and retirement, Welfare state and Social policy, Social inequality, Statistical methods with focus on longitudinal and multilevel analyses

Education

11/2013 Dr. rer. pol. at the University of Cologne, Faculty of Management, Economics and Social Sciences
Grade: Summa cum laude
Thesis topic: *Life course and socio-economic situation in later life: The impact of institutions and reforms of the welfare state. Empirical studies from a multilevel perspective.*

10/2009-09/2012 PhD studies, Research Training Group SOCLIFE, University of Cologne

10/2004-09/2009 Studies of Social Sciences at the Humboldt University of Berlin
Diploma (eq. M.A.), Grade: 1.3
Thesis topic: *Participation in private pension plans and perception of pension income security in Germany*

02/2004-07/2004 Semester abroad at the University of Wroclaw (Poland)

10/2001-11/2003 Studies of Social Sciences at the University of Koblenz-Landau
Vordiplom (eq. B.A.), Grade: 1.5

Research Positions and Professional Experience

Since 10/2015 Assistant Professor for Sociology of the Welfare State at the School of Social Sciences (Department of Sociology), University of Mannheim

Since 10/2015 Visiting researcher at the SOCIUM Research Center on Inequality and Social Policy, University of Bremen

06/2015 Visiting researcher at the ESRC Centre for Population Change, University of Southampton (UK)

08/2014-09/2015	Research associate at the SOCIUM Research Center on Inequality and Social Policy (team of Prof. Sonja Drobnič), University of Bremen
11/2014-09/2015	Affiliated postdoc fellow at the Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences (BIGSSS), University of Bremen
08/2013-07/2014	Postdoctoral research fellow at the Centre for Social Policy Research, University of Bremen and in the Collaborative Research Center 597 "Transformations of the State"
01-08/2013	Visiting researcher, Research Unit German Socio-Economic Panel Study (GSOEP) at German Institute for Economic Research (DIW Berlin)
04/2012-04/2013	Lecturer at the Department of Social Politics, University of Cologne
03-04/2012	Visiting researcher, Department of Sociology at Tilburg University (NL)
06/2011	Visiting researcher, Research Unit German Socio-Economic Panel Study (GSOEP) at the German Institute for Economic Research (DIW Berlin)
10/2009-03/2012	Research assistant of Prof. Ingo Rohlfing, Comparative Social Research at the Cologne Graduate School, University of Cologne
05/2006-09/2009	Student Research Assistant, Research Unit German Socio-Economic Panel Study at the German Institute for Economic Research (DIW Berlin)
07/2009	Short-term contract at University of Neubrandenburg in a project on poverty and health in North-Eastern Germany
02/2005-04/2006	Student Research Assistant, Research Unit Labour Market Policy and Employment at Social Science Research Center Berlin (WZB)
08/2004-12/2004	Short-term contract at Statistical Office of North Rhine-Westphalia
11/2003-02/2004	Internship at Statistical Office of North Rhine-Westphalia
11/2002-09/2003	Student Research Assistant and Tutor, Institute of Economics, University of Koblenz-Landau

Grants and Project Funding

01/2017-09/2017	Seed funding by the Mannheim Centre for European Social Research (MZES) for the project "Women's Late Careers in Europe and the USA – Employment Chances and Transitions Between Care-Giving and Retirement" (30,128 €)
06/2016	Research stay funding from the ESRC Centre for Population Change, University of Southampton (UK)
08/2013	DAAD scholarship to attend the "108th Meeting of the American Sociological Association", New York, USA, 10-13 August 2013
10/2012-07/2013	Doctoral scholarship of the Research Network on Pensions (FNA)
10/2009-09/2012	Doctoral scholarship of the German Research Foundation (DFG)
02/2004-07/2004	ERASMUS scholarship of the European Union

Participation in Research Projects

11/2014-09/2015	Project leader of the alumni survey, Collaborative Research Center 597
08/2013-08/2014	Project member "Welfare State Transformation in Small Open Economies: Social Effects and Political Reactions", Collaborative Research Center 597
05/2008-09/2009	Project member "SOEPlong" (restructuring of the GSOEP database), internal project at DIW Berlin
08/2007-03/2008	Project member "Financial Disparities and Employment in Old Age in East and West Germany" at DIW Berlin, funded by the Research Network on Pensions
02/2005-04/2006	Project member "Qualification Needs in OECD Countries - Identification, Analysis and Implementation" at Social Science Research Center Berlin, funded by the German Federal Ministry of Education and Research

Teaching

University of Mannheim

Summer term 2017	Lecture "Europäische Gesellschaften im Vergleich" (BA-level) Seminar "Life course and social policy" (MA-level)
Winter term 2016	Seminar "Einführung in die Lebenslaufsoziologie" (BA-level) Seminar "Wohlfahrtsstaat und soziale Ungleichheit" (BA-level)
Summer term 2016	Seminar "Sozialpolitik und Gesellschaft im internationalen Vergleich" (BA-level) Scientific exercise "Arbeit, Alter(n) und Wohlbefinden in Europa: Analysen mit dem European Social Survey" (BA-level)
Winter term 2015	Seminar "Einführung in die Lebenslaufsoziologie" (BA-level) Seminar "Wohlfahrtsstaat und soziale Ungleichheit" (BA-level)

University of Bremen

Summer term 2015	Compact Seminar "Logic and methods of comparative analysis using international survey data" (MA- and PhD-level, in English) Tutorial "Theorie und Empirie sozialstrukturellen Wandels" (BA-level)
Winter term 2014/15	Seminar "Übergänge im Lebenslauf: Aktuelle Studien und Befunde der Lebenslaufsoziologie" (BA-level) Tutorial "Einführung in die Sozialstruktur Deutschlands" (BA-level)
Summer term 2014	Seminar "Comparative research using quantitative data: Methodology, methods, and data sources" (MA-level, in English)
Winter term 2013/14	Seminar "Der deutsche Wohlfahrtsstaat im internationalen Vergleich" (BA-level)

University of Cologne

Winter term 2012/13	Lecture "Sozialpolitik I", together with F. Schulz-Nieswandt (BA-level)
Summer term 2012	Lecture "Sozialstaat und Sozialversicherung" (BA-level) Tutorial "Sozialpolitik I" (BA-level)

University of Koblenz-Landau

Winter term 2002/03 Tutorial “Mathematik für Sozialwissenschaftler” (BA-level)

Invited Workshop

“(Multilevel) Regression Techniques for Comparative Analyses” at the University of Tartu (EE), Institute of Sociology and Social Policy, November 2013 ” (MA- and PhD-level, in English)

Academic Services

Ad hoc Reviewer for *Ageing & Society*, *European Journal of Ageing*, *European Sociological Review*, *WSI Mitteilungen*, *Zeitschrift für Soziologie*, *Zeitschrift für Sozialreform*

Advisory Board Member, *Zeitschrift für Sozialreform*, since 2015

Project Reviewer for the German Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs and the German-Israeli Foundation for Scientific Research and Development (GIF)

Representative of the academic staff in the founding commission of the SOCIUM Research Center on Inequality and Social Policy, University of Bremen, 2014-15

Member of the organising committee of the 1st and 2nd BIGSSS International Conferences on Social Stratification and Social Policy, Bremen (DE), June 2014 and September 2015

Organisation of the Stream “New perspectives on pensions and retirement” at the 11th Annual ESPAnet Conference, September 2013, Poznań (PL), together with D. Hofäcker

Memberships

Member of Sektionen Methoden der empirischen Sozialforschung, Alter(n) und Gesellschaft, Sozialpolitik, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Soziologie

Member of the Research Committee on Social Stratification and Mobility (RC28), International Sociology Association (ISA)

Language and Professional Skills

IT Skills Statistical software: STATA (programming), R, SPSS
Office: LaTeX, MS Office, Citavi, EndNote, Zotero

Languages German (native), English (fluent), Polish (basic)

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