

Curriculum vitae

Prof. Dr. Heike Trappe

Employment

- 2007 - Professor of Sociology and Family Demography, University of Rostock, Germany
2005 - 2006 Managing Director of the German Council for Social and Economic Data, Berlin, Germany
1997 - 2005 Senior Research Associate, Max Planck Institute (MPI) for Human Development, Center for Sociology and the Study of the Life Course, Berlin, Germany
2003 – 04 Fellow at the Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study at Harvard University
1995 – 96 Postdoctoral Fellow, Carolina Population Center at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
1991 – 94 Predoctoral Fellow, MPI for Human Development, Berlin, Germany
1990 Research Associate, Academy of Sciences of the GDR, Institute for Sociology and Social Policy, Berlin, Germany

Education

- 2006 Habilitation in sociology, Free University Berlin, Germany
1994 Ph.D. in sociology, Free University Berlin, Germany, Summa cum laude
1990 M.A. in sociology, Humboldt University Berlin, Germany, Magna cum laude

Teaching and Research Interests

Gender Stratification, Work and Occupations, Family, Sociology of the Life Course, Transitional Economies

Fellowships and Awards

- 2007 Research Professor, German Socio-Economic Panel Study, DIW Berlin, Germany
2003 – 04 Fellowship at the Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study at Harvard University “Gender Stratification after Reunification in East and West Germany”
1995 – 96 Postdoctoral Fellowship at the Carolina Population Center at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill “Life Courses in the Former GDR and the Former FRG”
1995 Otto Hahn Dissertation Prize of the Max Planck Society “Emancipation or Coercion? Women in the GDR between Employment, Family, and Social Policy”

Teaching Experience

- Introduction into Family Demography – undergraduate level – University of Rostock
- Theories of Social Inequality and Empirical Studies – graduate level – Free University Berlin

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- Family and Social Change – undergraduate level - Free University Berlin
- Gender and Social Inequality – graduate level – Humboldt University Berlin
- “Charles Tilly: Durable Inequality” – graduate level – Free University Berlin
- Family and Social Inequality – graduate level – Free University Berlin
- Dissertation advising: Anke Höhne, Alessandra Rusconi (Free University Berlin)
- Diploma theses advising: Uta Liebeskind, Andrea Knecht (University of Leipzig), Monika Mischke, Petra Böhnke, Ute Gerken (Free University Berlin)

Current International Collaboration

- with Annemette Sørensen (Harvard University): „Economic Relations between Women and their Partners: An East-West German Comparison after Reunification”
- with Rosemary Crompton (City University London, UK), Frances McGinnity (The Economic and Social Research Institute, Dublin, Ireland), Jacqueline O’Reilly (University of Sussex, UK): project proposal to the Anglo-German Foundation „Work-Life Balance in Germany and Britain: the Impact of Childbirth on the Distribution of Working Time in Couples”

Professional Service

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| 2005 - | Associate Editor for „Gender, Work and Organization“ |
| 2005 | Organization of the symposium „The Life Course and Social Inequality“, June 2005, MPI for Human Development, Berlin |
| 2004 - 05 | Scientific Staff Committee, MPI for Human Development, Berlin |
| 2001 - 03 | Committee on Scientific Documentation, MPI for Human Development, Berlin |
| 2000 – 03 | Commission on Ethics, MPI for Human Development, Berlin |
| 2002 | Award Committee “Rosabeth Moss Kanter Award for Excellence in Work - Family Research”, Center for Families at Purdue University and Center for Work and Family at Boston College |
| 2001 | Co-Organization of the conference „Changing Work and Life Patterns in Western Industrial Societies“, September 2001, WZB Berlin, Germany |
| 1997 - 01 | Commission „Reconciliation of Family and Employment“, MPI for Human Development, Berlin |

Reviewer for: American Sociological Review; European Sociological Review; Gender, Work and Organization; German History; International Journal of Comparative Sociology; Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis; Journal of Marriage and Family; Kölner Zeitschrift für Soziologie und Sozialpsychologie; Schmollers Jahrbuch; Zeitschrift für ArbeitsmarktForschung; Zeitschrift für Soziologie

Professional Memberships

- German Society for Sociology (sections on “Social Stratification” and “Social Indicators”)
- American Sociological Association
- Research Committee 28 (“Social Stratification and Mobility”) of the International Sociological Association
- Sociologists for Women in Society