

Curriculum Vitae

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Education:

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| 2005 | <i>Habilitation</i> , Department for Economics and Management,
Technical University of Berlin |
| 1996 | PhD (<i>summa cum laude</i>), Department for Social Sciences
Ruhr-University Bochum |
| 1992 | MA (equivalent), Economics
University of Mannheim |
| 1998 | BA (equivalent), Economics
BA (equivalent), Political Science
University of Mannheim |

Professional Positions (Current, Offered, Past):

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| 1/2012 – Present | Head of Department “Education and Family,” DIW Berlin |
| 6/2006 – Present | Professor for Family and Education Economics,
Freie Universität Berlin (full professor) |
| 2013-2017 | WZB Fellow (Social Science Centre Berlin, Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin) |
| 3/2009 – 12/2011 | Research Director, Education Policy, DIW Berlin |
| 2009, Summer | Visiting Scholar, Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology, University of
Washington (Seattle, Washington, USA) |

2007, Summer	Visiting Professor, Department of Policy Analysis and Management (PAM), Cornell University (Ithaca, New York, USA)
3/2000 – 2/2014	Research Associate, DIW Berlin, Socio-Economic Panel Study (SOEP), Berlin
9/1997 – 2/2000	Senior Project Manager, Prognos AG, Basel, Switzerland, and Berlin
2/1997 – 3/1997	Visiting Researcher, Center for Policy Research, Maxwell School, Syracuse University (New York State, USA)
7/1994 – 6/1995	Visiting Researcher, Center for Policy Research, Maxwell School, Syracuse University (New York, USA)
10/1993 – 8/1997	Research Associate, Institute for Public Finance and Social Policy, Ruhr-University Bochum
10/1993 – 12/1993	Researcher, Max-Planck-Institute for Human Development, Berlin
6/1993 – 9/1993	Junior Researcher, Institute for Macroeconomics and Economic Policy, University of Mannheim
2/1993 – 5/1993	Researcher, Institute for Regional Economics, Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam (The Netherlands)

Memberships

12/2017 – Present	Board of Trustees Member Leibniz Institute for Educational Trajectories, Bamberg.
1/2017 – Present	Executive Board Member (<i>erweiterter Vorstand</i>) <i>Verein für Socialpolitik</i> , Association of German-Speaking Economists
10/2016 – Present	Boardmember <i>Begleitgremium für das neue Rahmenprogramm Bildungsforschung</i>
12/2014 – Present	Scientific Advisory Board Member <i>Gemeinschaftsaufgabe: Feststellung der Leistungsfähigkeit des Bildungswesens</i> Joint Appointment by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) and the Standing Conference of the Ministers of Education and Cultural Affairs of the Länder (KMK).
2014 – 2017	Member, Expert Panel on the Demographic Issue Federal Ministry of the Interior (BMI)
2013 – 2017	Scientific Advisory Board Member Graduate School of Social Sciences (BAGGS) University of Bamberg
2012 – Present	Steering Committee Member Leibniz Education Research Network (LERN)

10/2012 – Present	Steering Committee Member College for Interdisciplinary Education Research (CIDER)
6/2011 – 10/2013	Member, Expert Group Neurobiological and psychological factors of socialisation – economical and educational consequences Leopoldina, German National Academy of Sciences
1/2011 – Present	Scientific Advisory Board Member “Little Scientists’ House” – Federal Education Project Federal Ministry for Education and Research (BMBF)
11/2010 – Present	Scientific Advisory Board Member German Institute for International Educational Research (DIPF)
6/2010 – 9/2012	Member, Expert Commission 14th national report on the situation of children and youth in Germany Appointment by the German Federal Government
4/2009 – 11/2011	Member, Expert Group Fertility and the Development of Societies Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities Leopoldina, German National Academy of Sciences
3/2009 – 2011	Member, Expert Group Early Education Federal Ministry for Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth (BMFSFJ)
6/2008 – 8/2009	Member, Expert Group Family Policy Federal Minister for Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth (BMFSFJ)
4/2008 – Present	Faculty Member DIW Graduate Center, DIW Berlin
12/2007 – Present	Faculty Member International Max Planck Research School LIFE
11/2007 – 9/2011	Scientific Advisory Board Member Senator for Education, Science and Research of the State Berlin
2007 – Present	Scientific Advisory Board Member Federal Ministry for Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth (BMFSFJ)
2007 – 2016	Scientific Advisory Board Member Institute for Labour Research (IAB Nuremberg)
2003 – 2007	Member, Expert Commission 7 th National Report on the Situation of Families in Germany Appointment by the German Federal Government

1999 – 2009 Member, Scholarship Committee (*Auswahlausschuss*)
Friedrich Ebert Foundation

Scholarships and Awards

2017 Prize for best *DIW Wochenbericht* in 2016, with Philipp Eisnecker et al.
Society of the Friends of the DIW Berlin

2015 Prize for best *DIW Wochenbericht* in 2014, with Katharina Wrohlich
Society of the Friends of the DIW Berlin

2006 Prize for best *DIW Wochenbericht* in 2005, with Katharina Wrohlich
Society of the Friends of the DIW Berlin

1999 Klaus–Marquardt-Prize
Prize for the PhD Thesis

10/1989 – 10/1993 Scholarship Recipient
Friedrich Ebert Foundation

Academic Administration

2012 – 2016 Spokesperson
Department Heads at DIW Berlin

5/2008 – 4/2011 Ombudsperson
Principles of Ethical Research Compliance, DIW Berlin

Scientific Associations and International Research Networks

Research Committee “Social Policy” of the *Verein für Socialpolitik (Ausschuß für Sozialpolitik)* – Research Committee “Population Economics” of the *Verein für Socialpolitik (Ausschuß für Bevölkerungsökonomie)* – Research Committee “Economics of Education” of the *Verein für Socialpolitik (Ausschuß für Bildungsökonomie)* – *Verein für Socialpolitik – Gesellschaft für Empirische Bildungsforschung (GEBFF)*

Journal Editorial Activities (for single edited volumes and books see publications)

2004 – 2015 Scientific Advisory Board Member
Zeitschrift für Sozialreform

2002 – 2008 Member, Editorial Board
Vierteljahrshefte zur Wirtschaftsforschung

Journal Referee Activities

Advances in Life Course Research - Ageing and Society – American Economic Review – American Journal of Sociology – Applied Economics – Economics of Education Review – Economics and Human Biology – Empirical Research in Vocational Education and Training – Feminist Economics – Frühe Bildung –

Finanzarchiv – Economic Inquiry – Empirical Economics – Health and Place –
Kyklos – International Journal of Time Use Research (eIJTUR) – Jahrbücher für
Nationalökonomie und Statistik – Journal of Economic Psychology – Journal of
European Social Policy – Journal of Health Economics – Journal of Marriage and
the Family – Journal of Population Economics – Journal of Social Policy – Kyklos –
Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics – Population Research and Policy
Review – Raumforschung und Raumordnung – Schmollers Jahrbuch – Socio-
Economic Review – Sozialer Fortschritt – The B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis
and Policy – The Economics of Transition – The Journal of Comparative Policy
Analysis – Vierteljahrshefte zur Wirtschaftsforschung – Zeitschrift für
Betriebswirtschaft – Journal of Family Research – Zeitschrift für
Erziehungswissenschaft – Zeitschrift für Sozialreform

Advisor (Foundations & Other Organizations)

Anglo-German Foundation – Friedrich-Ebert-Foundation – German Science
Foundation (DFG) - London School of Economics and Political Science – Hans-
Böckler Foundation – Jubiläumsfonds der Österreichischen Nationalbank –
National Science Foundation (USA) – Schweizer Nationalfond – Studienstiftung
des deutschen Volkes – Verein für Socialpolitik

Selected Mentoring Activities

“Profil. Hochschulübergreifendes Programm für Wissenschaftlerinnen auf dem
Weg zur Professur” (Universities of Berlin) – via:mento (Christian-Albrechts-
Universität zu Kiel) – Mentoring Programm of the Ruhr Graduate School –
Forschungskolleg der Robert-Bosch-Stiftung “Frühe Bildung”

Academic Supervision/ Doctoral Students

- First Advisor -

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| 2018 | Mathias Hübener
Essays on the Impact of Education and Family Policies on the Formation of
Human Capital
Freie Universität Berlin |
| 2017 | Vaishali Zambre-Rehbein
Determinants of College Enrollment. Three Empirical Essays in the Economics of
Education
Freie Universität Berlin |
| 2016 | Sarah C. Dahmann
Three Essays on Human Capital Returns to Education
Freie Universität Berlin |
| 2016 | Adrian Hille
Developing skills through non-formal learning activities: four essays in the |

- economics of education
Freie Universität Berlin
- 2016 Elisabeth Bügelmayer
Experimental and Survey Evidence on the Development of Preferences and Skills
Freie Universität Berlin
- 2012 Frauke Peter
Essays on Children's Non-Cognitive skills and Health
Freie Universität Berlin
- 2011 Eva Berger
Maternal Employment, Life Satisfaction, and Child Developmental Outcomes
Freie Universität Berlin
- Other Advisees -*
- 2018 Saikat Ghosh
Unequal Opportunities in Early Childhood Education in India: A Demand Side
Perspective
Otto-Friedrich-Universität Bamberg
- 2017 Juliane Stahl
Socio-economic and regional inequalities in early care and education:
Consequences for mothers' work-family life and children's educational
opportunities
Universität Tübingen
- 2015 Verena Lauber
Essays in Empirical Family Economics: Investment in Children and Work-Life
Balance of Parents
Universität Konstanz
- 2015 Franziska Wilke
Betreuungsbiographien von Kindern im Vorschulalter. Eine Analyse des Sozio-
oekonomischen Panels (SOEP)
Freie Universität Berlin
- 2014 Clemens Hetschko
On the Relationship of Unemployment and Well-being
Freie Universität Berlin
- 2012 Franziska Ziegelmeyer
Elterliche Stellvertreterentscheidungen
Georg-August-Universität Göttingen

- 2011 Anna Fräßdorf
The Relation between Divorce and Wealth
Otto-Friedrich-Universität Bamberg
- 2011 Martin Schlotter
Educational Production in Preschools and Schools - Microeconomic Evidence
from Germany
Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München