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CURRICULUM VITAE

CURRENT POSITION

Ph.D. Candidate

Since October 2016

Freie Universität Berlin

Joint Doctoral Programme 'Human Rights under Pressure'

Freie Universität Berlin, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Thesis supervisor: Prof. Dr. Thomas Risse, Galia Press-Barnathan, Ph.D.

EDUCATION

Degrees

M.A. International Relations

2013-2016

Freie Universität Berlin, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Universität Potsdam

B.A. Political Science

2009-2012

Technische Universität Chemnitz (Chemnitz University of Technology)

Fellowships

Visiting Ph.D. Student

Winter & Spring 2017/2018

Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Visiting M.A. Student

Winter 2014

Universitetet i Oslo

Visiting Research Fellow

Autumn 2012

Hebrew University of Jerusalem

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Conferences

(PG-paper giver; D-Disscuan; C-Chair, P-Participant)

2018

13th IR Junior Researcher Conference International Politics, 20-22 April 2018, Political Studies Academy Tutzingen. (PG, C)

2017

13th International Graduate Conference in Political Science, International Relations, and Public Policy, in Memory of the late Yitzhak Rabin, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 13-14 December 2017, Jerusalem. (PG)

Fifth Open Section Conference of the International Relations Section German Political Science Association (DVPW), University Bremen, 4-6 October 2017, Bremen. (PG)

ECPR General Conference, Universitetet i Oslo, 6-9 September 2017, Oslo. (PG)

International Workshop 'Micro-moves in International Institutions', Standing group Sociology of International Relations (AK SiB), DVPW, Universität Potsdam, 9-10 February 2017, Potsdam. (PG, D)

2016

3-Länder-Tagung "Regionalismus in einer entgrenzten Welt" German, Swiss, and Austrian Political Science Association, DVPW, SVPW, GPW, Universität Heidelberg, 29 September-1 October 2016. (P)

Academic Positions

Speaker IR Junior Researchers Since April 2018
German Political Science Association (DVPW), IR Section

Speaker Ph.D. Candidates Class 2016-2019 Since June 2017
Joint Doctoral Programme 'Human Rights under Pressure', Freie Universität Berlin

Teaching Experience

Human Rights Research in Political Science April 2018
Freie Universität Berlin, Law Faculty, MA-Level

Introduction to International Relations II Summer 2011, 2012
Technische Universität Chemnitz, Political Science Department, BA-Level

Introduction to International Relations I Winter 2010
Technische Universität Chemnitz, Political Science Department, BA-Level

PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

Research Internship Mar - Jun 2016
UNU-CRIS - United Nations University-Institute on Comparative Regional Integration Studies, Bruges

Student Research Assistant 2014 - 2016
Kolleg-Forschergruppe (KFG) 'The Transformative Power of Europe', Freie Universität Berlin

Member Editorial Board 2014 - 2016
IRreflect - Student Journal of International Relations
Student Peer Reviewed IR Journal, online and print

Student Research Assistant Nov 2013
Collaborative Research Center / SFB 700 'Governance in Areas of Limited Statehood: New Modes of Governance?', Freie Universität Berlin

Student Research Assistant 2010 - 2012
Technische Universität Chemnitz
Chair of International Politics

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Scholarships

Ph.D. Scholarship <i>Joint Doctoral Programme ‘Human Rights under Pressure’, Freie Universität Berlin, Hebrew University of Jerusalem</i>	Since October 2016
Mobility Grant <i>Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes (German National Academic Foundation)</i>	2016
E.ON Ruhrgas Mobility Grant <i>Forskningsrådet (Research Council of Norway), Stifterverband für die Deutsche Wissenschaft</i>	2014
Visiting Research Fellowship <i>Free State of Saxony, Hebrew University of Jerusalem</i>	2012
Study Scholarship <i>Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes (German National Academic Foundation)</i>	2012-2016

Awards

M.A. Distinction (equivalent), Best of Class 2015/16 <i>M.A. International Relations, Freie Universität Berlin, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Universität Potsdam</i>	2016
B.A. First-class honours (equivalent) <i>B.A. Political Science, Technische Universität Chemnitz</i>	2012

PUBLICATIONS (SELECTION)

Published

2017: Regional Parliamentary Institutions: Diffusion of a Global Parliamentary Organizational Design?, KFG Working Paper Series, No. 80, August 2017, Kolleg-Forschergruppe (KFG) "The Transformative Power of Europe", Freie Universität Berlin, Berlin.

2016: Analysing Regional Parliamentary Institutions as Organisations, or: What You are Is How You Organise, (Thesis), Freie Universität Berlin, Berlin.

Non-Published Conference Papers

2018: Organising Human Rights: The Design of Regional International Organisations and its Effects on Human Rights Instruments [Working Manuscript], Paper prepared for 13th IR Junior Researcher Conference International Politics, 20-22 April 2018, Political Studies Academy Tutzingen.

2017: Organising Human Rights: The Design of International Organisations and Interpretations of Human Rights [Working Manuscript], Paper prepared for 13th International Graduate Conference in Political Science, International Relations, and Public Policy, in Memory of the late Yitzhak Rabin, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 13-14 December 2017, Jerusalem.

2017: International Parliamentary Institutions: Patterns of International Parliamentary Organizing, Paper prepared for ECPR General Conference, Universitetet i Oslo, 6-9 September 2017, Oslo.

LANGUAGES

German	native
English	fluent
Dutch	passiv - very good
Norwegian	passiv - good
French	passiv - basic

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Data Software	Excel (very good), STATA (good), Gephi (basic)
Literature Management	Citavi (very good), EndNote (very good)
Text Management	MS-Word (very good), LaTeX (good)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- International and Regional Organizations, International Institutions
- Organization Theory and International Relations Theory
- Human Rights
- Parliamentary Organizations
- Comparative Regionalism