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### Education

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| 1989      | Habilitation in Modern History, University of Bielefeld  |
| 1982      | PhD, University of Bielefeld   |
| 1977      | First Degree, Humanities, University of Bielefeld  |
| 1971-1977 | History and Social Sciences studies, Universities of Bielefeld and Münster, London School of Economics and Political Science |
| 1971      | A Levels (Abitur)  |

### Career

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| 2008-     | Scientific Member of the Max Planck Society and Director at the Max Planck Institute for Human Development, Berlin |
| 2003-2007 | Professor of German History Yale University, USA   |
| 1997-2003 | Professor of History, University of Bielefeld  |
| 1992-1997 | Professor of Modern History, University of Konstanz  |
| 1991-1992 | Professor of Modern History, Free University Berlin  |

## Scholarships, Fellowships, Visiting Professorships, Honours & Awards

2018	Honorary doctorate, University of Tampere (Finland)
2016	The Order of Merit of the Federal Republic of Germany
2013	Corresponding Fellow of the British Academy for the Humanities and Social Sciences, London
2009	Member of the Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities
2008	Honorary professor, Free University Berlin
2004	Member of the German Academy of Sciences Leopoldina
2004-2005	Fellow, Wissenschaftskolleg Berlin
2003	Visiting Professor, Maison des Sciences de l' Homme, Paris
2003	Visiting Professor, Institute for Human Sciences, Vienna
2002	Visiting Professor, Dartmouth College, New Hampshire, USA
2000/2001	Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford, USA
1998	Leibniz Award, German Research Foundation
1997	Visiting Professor, Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel
1989-1990	Fellow, Wissenschaftskolleg Berlin
1989	Habilitation Scholarship, German Research Foundation
1979-1981	Doctoral Scholarship, German National Academic Foundation
1972-1978	Scholarship, German National Academic Foundation

## Academic Activities

### *Boards of Trustees*

2018-	Member of the Board of Trustees of the Van Leer Jerusalem Institute, Israel
2016-	Member of the Board of Trustees of the Körber Foundation
2015-	Member of the University Council Konstanz (since December 2016: Chair)
2013-2018	Member of the Board of Governors of the German-Israeli Foundation for Scientific Research and Development (GIF)
2013-2016	Member of the Advisory Board for 'Bildung und Kultur' (Education and Culture) of the Deutsche Bahn Foundation
2012-2017	Member of the Board of Trustees of the Deutsches Hygiene Museum, Dresden
2010-2014	Member of the Board of Trustees of the Humboldt-Viadrina School of Governance, Berlin
2007-2013	Member of the Board of Trustees of the Zentrum für Zeithistorische Forschung, Potsdam
2007-2012	Member of the Board of Governors, Jacobs University, Bremen
2000-2003	Member of the Board of Trustees of the German National Academic Foundation

### *Scientific Advisory Boards*

- 2017- Deputy Member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the Leopoldina Centre for Science Studies
- 2017-2019 Member of the Advisory Board of "Deutschlandjahr (Year of Germany) USA" 2018/2019 of the Federal Foreign Office, Goethe-Institut and BDI
- 2016 – Member of the Advisory Board Liberal Education/ Studium Individuale, Leuphana Lüneburg University
- 2012-2014 Member of the Advisory Board of the Centre Marc Bloch, Berlin
- 2011-2019 Member of the Advisory Board of the German Historical Institute, Washington DC (since November 2016: Chair)
- 2011-2017 Member of the Advisory Board of the Ludwig Boltzmann Institute for the History and Theory of Biography, Vienna
- 2009-2015 Member of the International Advisory Board of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation
- 2008- Member of the Board of Advisors of the Einstein Forum, Potsdam
- 2008-2013 Member of the Advisory Board of the Dahlem Konferenzen, Free University Berlin
- 2003- Member of the Advisory Board of the Institute for Human Sciences, Vienna
- 2000-2009 Member of the Advisory Board of the International Institute for Social History, Amsterdam
- 1999-2002 Member of the Baden-Württemberg Federal State Research Council
- 1998-2001 Member of the Advisory Board, Goethe Institute
- 1997-2009 Member of the Advisory Board, Centre for Interdisciplinary Research, University of Bielefeld

### *Research Funding Agencies*

- 2016-2017 Luxemburg National Research Fund - PRIDE
- 2014-2017 Chair of the Scientific Council of the Max Planck Society
- 2012-2017 European Research Council, Panel Member
- 2012-2014 Deputy Chairperson of the Scientific Council of the Max Planck Society
- 2000-2006 Member of the Nomination Committee of the German Research Foundation for the Leibniz Prize Programme
- 1999-2003 Mentor, German National Academic Foundation
- 1998-2000 Member of the German-American Academic Council
- 1996-2000 Panel expert for Modern History at the German Research Foundation

### *Other Professional Activities*

- 2016- Member of the Council of the Society for the History of Emotions
- 2012- Spokesperson and Principal Investigator of the International Max Planck Research School for Moral Economies of Modern Societies
- 2009-2012 Member of the Selection committee of the American Academy in Berlin
- 2001-2003 Head of the DFG-funded research group „Politics as Communication in History“, University of Bielefeld
- 1996-1998 Member of the Executive Committee of the German Historians' Association
- 1990- Member of the Arbeitskreis für moderne Sozialgeschichte

### *Editorial Boards (Journals)*

Co-editor and Managing Director of "Geschichte und Gesellschaft"

### *Scientific Advisory Boards (Journals)*

- 2016- Sensibilités. Histoire, Critique & Sciences Sociales
- 2014- Historical Journal
- 2013-2019 Body Politics
- 2005- Journal of Modern History
- 2004 Journal of Contemporary History
- 2003- European Studies Review
- 2002-2020 International Review of Social History
- 1990- L'Homme. Zeitschrift für Feministische Geschichtswissenschaft
- 1990-1999 Genèses. Science Sociales et Histoire

### **Research Interests**

- Modern Social, Political and Cultural History,
- History of Emotions,
- Gender History

### **Selected literature (English only)**

- The politics of humiliation: A modern history. (A. Bresnahan, trans.). Oxford: Oxford University Press 2020.
- (2020). The emotional language of flowers. In D. Hillard, H. Lempa, & R. Spinney (Eds.), Feelings materialized: Emotions, bodies, and things in Germany, 1500-1950 (pp. 202-221). New York: Berghahn Books.
- (2020). Gender orders and disorders. In J. Breuilly (Ed.), Nineteenth-century Germany: Politics, culture and society 1780-1918 (2nd ed., pp. 279-304). London: Bloomsbury Academic.
- (2019). Diplomats: Kneeling and the protocol of humiliation. In B. Gammerl, P. Nielsen, & M. Pernau (Eds.), Encounters with emotions: Negotiating cultural differences since early modernity (pp. 133-159). New York: Berghahn.

- (2019). In public: Emotional politics. In S. Bromhall, J. W. Davidson, A. Lynch (Series Eds.), & S. J. Matt (Vol. Ed.), *A cultural history of the emotions: Vol. 5. A cultural history of the emotions in the age of romanticism, revolution and empire (1780-1920)* (pp. 157-174). London: Bloomsbury.
- (2019). (Ed.), *Moral economies (Geschichte und Gesellschaft: Sonderheft No. 26)*. 239 p. Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht.
- (2019). *Moral economies, present and past: Social practices and intellectual controversies*. In U. Frevert (Ed.), *Moral economies (Geschichte und Gesellschaft: Sonderheft No. 26)* (pp. 13-43). Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht.
- (2019). 'Hans in Luck' or the moral economy of happiness in the modern age. *History of European Ideas*, 45, 2019, 363-376. doi:10.1080/01916599.2018.1534448.
- (2019). Comment: History of emotions. In M. Tamm & P. Burke, *Debating new approaches to history* (pp. 202-207). London: Bloomsbury Academic.
- (2018). *Historicizing emotions*. *Emotion Researcher: ISRE's Sourcebook for Research on Emotion and Affect*. Retrieved March 14, 2018, from <http://emotionresearcher.com/historicizing-emotions/>
- (2016). *The history of emotions*. In L. Feldman Barrett, M. Lewis, & J. M. Haviland-Jones (Eds.), *Handbook of emotions* (4th ed., pp. 49-65). New York: Guilford Press.
- (2016). *Empathy in the theatre of horror, or civilizing the human heart*. In A. Assmann & I. Detmers (Eds.), *Empathy and its limits* (pp. 79-99). Houndmills: Palgrave Macmillan.
- (2015). *Faith, love, hate: The national socialist politics of emotions*, pp. 479-486, 588-589, by W. Nerdinger & H.-G. Hockerts, eds., Munich: Beck.
- (2015). *The history of a European Nation*. In S. Colvin & M. Taplin (Eds.), *The Routledge Handbook of German politics & culture* (pp. 3-19). Abingdon: Routledge.
- (2014) et al. *Learning how to feel: Children's literature and emotional socialization, 1870-1970*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- (2014). et al. *Emotional lexicons: Continuity and change in the vocabulary of feeling 1700-2000*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- (2014). *Passions, preferences, and animal spirits: How does Homo Oeconomicus cope with emotions?* In F. Biess & D. M. Gross (Eds.), *Science and emotions after 1945: A transatlantic perspective* (pp. 300-317). Chicago: University of Chicago Press.
- (2014). *Honour and /or /as Passion: Historical trajectories of legal defenses*. *Rechtsgeschichte - Legal History*, 22, 245-255.
- (2014). *The modern history of emotions: A research center in Berlin*. *Cuadernos de Historia Contemporánea*, 36, 31-55. doi:10.5209/rev\_CHCO.2014.v36.46681
- (2014). *Wartime emotions: Honour, shame, and the ecstasy of sacrifice*. In U. Daniel et al., (Eds.), *1914-1918-online: International Encyclopedia of the First World War*. Berlin: Freie Universität Berlin. doi:10.15463/ie1418.10409
- (2011). *Emotions in history - Lost and found*. Budapest: Central European University Press.
- (2011). *Jewish hearts and minds? Feelings of belonging and political choices among East German intellectuals*. *Leo Baeck Institute Yearbook*, 56, 353-384.

- (2010). Trust as work. In J. Kocka (Ed.), *Work in a modern society: The German historical experience in comparative perspective* (pp. 93–108). New York: Berghahn.
- (2010). Conflicting memories and emotions: Germany West, East and united. In W. Petritsch & V. Dzihic (Eds.), *Conflict and memory: Bridging past and future in [South East] Europe* (pp. 99–110). Baden-Baden: Nomos-Verlags-Gesellschaft.
- (2009). German conceptions of war, masculinity, and femininity in the long nineteenth century. In S. Colvin & H. Watanabe O'Kelly (Eds.), *Women and death: Vol. 2. Warlike women in the German literary and cultural imagination since 1500* (pp. 169–185). Rochester, NY: Camden House.
- (2009). Does trust have a history? (Max Weber Programme: Lectures Series No. 2009–01). San Domenico di Fiesole (FI): European University Institute.
- (2007). Honor and Gender in the Outbreak of WWI. In H. Afflerbach, & D. Stevenson (Eds.), *An Improbable War? The Outbreak of World War I and European Political Culture before 1914*. New York.
- (2004). *A nation in barracks: Modern Germany, military conscription and civil society*. Oxford: Berg.
- (1995). *Men of honour: A social and cultural history of the duel*. Cambridge: Polity Press.
- (1988). *Women in German history: From Bourgeois emancipation to sexual liberation*. Oxford: Berg.