



Curriculum Vitae



Personal Information

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Expert on Human Rights and Democracy in Foreign-, Security and Development policy

Work Experience

PERIOD	September 2022 – January 2023
POSITION	Foreign Policy Advisor
ORGANISATION	German Parliament (Bundestag), MP Lamyia Kaddor
RESPONSIBILITIES	Political advisor on Foreign and Security Policy
PERIOD	May 2019 – September 2021
POSITION	Research Fellow
ORGANISATION	Global Public Policy Institute (GPPi)
RESPONSIBILITIES	Democracy and Rule of Law promotion, measuring and strengthening Academic Freedom, PR strategy, project management, outreach to civil society, donor relations
PERIOD	January 2018 – May 2019
POSITION	Middle East and North Africa Coordinator
ORGANISATION	Amnesty International Germany
RESPONSIBILITIES	Strategy & advocacy on ongoing Human Rights issues, cooperation with civil other society actors, PR strategy
PERIOD	January 2013 – March 2022
POSITION	Research Fellow
ORGANISATION	WZB Berlin Social Science Center, research unit: Democracy and Democratisation
RESPONSIBILITIES	Research on PhD project on the effects of the Arab Spring in Morocco, Egypt and Tunisia, Editor in chief and producer of the WZB Democracy Blog and Podcast



Lebenslauf

PERIOD	July - October 2012 & October - December 2015
POSITION	Research Assistant
ORGANISATION	Center for Security Studies, Zürich
RESPONSIBILITIES	Study on securitization of the public sphere
INTERNSHIPS	SWP - German Institute for International and Security Affairs in Berlin with the unit on security policy IFSH - Institute for Peace Research and Security Policy at the university of Hamburg
VOLUNTEERING	Member of the European Coordination Committee for Academic Freedom Advocacy at Scholars At Risk Election observer for the OSCE mission in Belarus 2019, Chairmen of Netzwerk Europa e.V., Mentor at Academics in Solidarity, Tutor at Morus 14
REFERENCES	Mr Thorsten Benner, Global Public Policy Institute Ms Ruth Jüttner, Amnesty International Germany Mr Wolfgang Merkel, WZB Berlin Social Science Center Mr Jonas Hagmann, CSS Center for Security Studies

Education

PERIOD	October 2013 - December 2022 (expected)
QUALIFICATION	PhD in political science
THESIS	Authoritarian Learning in Crises: Tunisia, Egypt & Morocco during the Arab Uprisings
INSTITUTION	Humboldt University Berlin Research stays at Oxford University (UK), European University Institute (Italy), American University in Cairo, Ecole Gouvernance et d'Economie de Rabat (Morocco)
PERIOD	2011 - 2013
QUALIFICATION	Master in comparative and international studies
THESIS	Authoritarian Resilience: Morocco in the Arab Spring
INSTITUTION	ETH Zürich & University of Zürich, Switzerland



Lebenslauf

PERIOD 2007 - 2011

QUALIFICATION **Bachelor in political science**

INSTITUTION University of Hamburg
Erasmus at University of Gothenburg

PERIOD 1998 - 2005

QUALIFICATION Abitur (German A levels)

INSTITUTION Emilie-Wüstenfeld-Gymnasium (Hamburg-Eimsbüttel)

Expertise

LANGUAGES German (native), English (business fluent), French (C1)
Arabic (B1), Dutch (B2), Spanish (A2)

SKILLS In depth knowledge of political processes and stakeholders in Germany, the EU and the United Nations, experience in democracy and human rights promotion and advocacy, project management skills, donor relations, funding acquisition, team leadership, broad network in politics, civil society, and research

ADDITIONAL TRAINING Multiple trainings in facilitation, presentation and rhetoric, project and team management, negotiations, public relations and media appearances, qualitative interview techniques and survey methods

COMPUTER LITERACY Comprehensive knowledge in all standard windows office applications, content management and statistical analyses software, as well as excellent understanding of social media and visualisation tools

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION Scholarship recipient of the national German Academic foundation (Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes) during graduate studies and PhD, Bucerius Fellow at the Zeit Stiftung, Recipient of an APSA MENA and a DAAD grant for fieldwork missions to Tunisia, Egypt and Morocco, competitive waterpolo player