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Date of birth: 13 August 1979
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Academic Vita

- February 2018 - Researcher, Collaborative Research Center 1342 “Global Dynamics of Social Policy”, InIIS, University of Bremen
- October 2016 - Academic Director, Institute for Intercultural and International Studies (InIIS), University of Bremen (on parental leave from January 2019 to December 2020)
- February 2016 Visiting Scholar, Social Policy Forum, Bogaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey
- September 2015 Visiting Scholar, Social Policy Forum, Bogaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey
- March 2011 - Researcher & Lecturer, Institute for Intercultural and
February 2018 International Studies (InIIS), University of Bremen
- December 2009 - Post-Doctoral Scholar, Max Planck Institute for the Study of
February 2011 Societies, Cologne
- September 2008 - Visiting Scholar, Roberta Buffet Center for International and
December 2008 Comparative Studies, Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.
- October 2006 - Ph.D. student at the Max Planck Institute for the Study Societies,
November 2009 Cologne
- October 1999 – Universities of Kiel (until March 2000) and Tübingen
March 2006 M.A. Student of Political Science and Islamic Studies

Research Interests

Historical Sociology, Political Sociology, Middle East Studies,
Comparative Politics, International Relations

Publications

(2010): *Political Capitalisms. Power, Elites and the Economy in Turkey and the Philippines*. Köln: IMPRS-SPCE.

http://pubman.mpdl.mpg.de/pubman/item/escidoc:1231882:10/component/escidoc:2260468/2010_IMPRSDiss_Karadag.pdf.

Editorships

With Wiebke Hohberger, Katharina Müller and Christoph Ramm (2018): *Grenzräume, Grenzgänge, Entgrenzungen. Junge Perspektiven der Türkeiforschung*. Berlin: Springer VS.

Special issues

With Klaus Schlichte (2016): Special Issue "Kriege in der Weltgesellschaft", *Politische Vierteljahresschrift* 57 (4).

Peer-Reviewed Articles

With Kressen Thyen (2021, forthcoming): Between Affordable Welfare and Affordable Food: Internationalized Food Subsidy Reforms in Egypt and Tunisia. In: *Social Policy & Administration*.

With Alex Veit and Klaus Schlichte (2017): The Social Question and State Formation in British Africa: Egypt, South Africa and Uganda in Comparison. In: *European Journal of Sociology* 58 (2), 237-264.

With Klaus Schlichte (2016): Die Verunsicherung der Welt: Aktuelle Gewaltkonflikte und globale Ordnung. In: *Politische Vierteljahresschrift* 57 (4), 534-559.

(2013): Für eine historische Soziologie kapitalistischer Spielarten. In: *Peripherie* 130/131, 243-263.

(2013): Where Does Turkey's New Capitalism Come From? Comment on Eren Duzgun. In: *European Journal of Sociology* 54 (1), 147-152.

With André Bank (2013): 'The Ankara Moment': The Politics of Turkey's Regional Power in the Middle East, 2007-2011. In: *Third World Quarterly* 34 (2), 287-304.

(2012): Islam und Politik in der neuen Türkei: Der machtpolitische Aufstieg der AKP aus historisch-institutionalistischer Perspektive. In: *Zeitschrift für Politik* 59 (3), 332-352.

Non peer-reviewed articles

(2017): Die Rolle der Türkei in der Region: (Un-)Ordnungsgarant in einem neuen Nahen Osten. In: *Aus Politik und Zeitgeschichte* 67 (9-10), 42-46.

(2016): Das Ende der türkischen Demokratie. In: *Südosteuropa-Mitteilungen* 56 (4), 16-29.

Working & Discussion Papers

With André Bank (2012): The Political Economy of Regional Power: Turkey under the AKP. GIGA Working Paper 204/2012. Hamburg: German Institute of Global and Area Studies.

(2011): Where Do Regimes Come From? Where Do They Go? Neopatrimonialism and Oligarchy in the Philippines. In IIS Working Paper 37/11. Bremen: Institute for Intercultural and International Studies.

(2010): Neoliberal Restructuring in Turkey: From State to Oligarchic Capitalism. *MPIfG Discussion Paper Series 10/7*. Cologne: Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies.

Book Chapters

With André Bank (2014): Before the Arab Revolts and After: Turkey's Transformed Regional Power Status in the Middle East. In: Fürtig, Henner (ed.): *Regional Powers in the Middle East*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 103-121.

With André Bank (2014): Die Politische Ökonomie regionaler Macht: die Türkei unter der AKP. In: Nölke, Andreas/May, Christian/Claar, Simone (Hrsg.): *Der Aufstieg der großen Schwellenländer in der Weltwirtschaft*. Wiesbaden: Springer VS, 249-264.

(2007): Jenseits von Kultur und Ökonomie: Rivalisierende Erklärungsansätze zum Klientelismus und ihre Relevanz für die arabische Welt. In: Albrecht, Holger (ed.): *Politik, Wirtschaft und Gesellschaft im Vorderen Orient*. Baden-Baden: Nomos, 243-262.

With Oliver Schlumberger (2006): Demokratisierung und Transitionsforschung, in: Barrios, Harald & Christoph Stefes (eds.): *Einführung in die Comparative Politics*. München: Oldenbourg, 226-249.

Other

With André Bank (2005): Saudi-Arabien, in: Internationales Handbuch – Länder Aktuell, Munzinger-Archiv, Ravensburg.

Karadag, Roy (2004): Vereinigte Arabische Emirate, in: Internationales Handbuch - Länder Aktuell, Munzinger-Archiv, Ravensburg.

Teaching

International Political Economy (English)
War and Peace (English)
Oil and International Politics in the Twentieth Century
Transformations of the Turkish State
Nineteenth-Century Imperial Politics
Politics and Religion
Democracy Promotion: Ideas and Practices
The Power of States
The Kurds in the Modern Middle East (English)
The Israeli-Palestinian Conflict
Research seminar: Media and Corruption in Bremen
Social Theory and International Relations (English)
Nations and Nationalisms in World Society
Comparative Democratization: Theory & Contexts (English)
Modernity and Modernization
Varieties of Political Islam (English)
The Modern State and the Political Economy of Corruption
Turkey in the Middle East (English)
Regional Orders in the Middle East (English)
Sociological State Theories

Student Work Experience

April 2003-March 2005
Research Assistant, Institute of Political Science, University of Tübingen

Academic Presentations (Selection)

“Strangeness as asset vs. strangeness as obstacle: Challenges of writing and knowing African welfare”, Virtual Pre-EWIS Workshop “Strangeness as Asset: Self-reflexivity in Global Social and Development Policy”, July 2-3, 2020.

“Civil Wars and Regional Powers: Turkey’s War in Northern Syria”, Institute of Development Studies, University of Sussex, November 20, 2019.

“Theories of the Welfare State and What They Could Mean for the Middle East and North Africa”, 26. Internationaler DAVO/DMG-Kongress, University of Hamburg, October 3, 2019.

“Between Revolution and Restauration: Far-Right Populism in Turkey”, Workshop “Normalizing the Extreme Right”, Zentrum für Interdisziplinäre Forschung, Universität Bielefeld, June 27, 2019.

“Between Militarization and Democratization: The Politics of Welfare in Post-2010 Egypt and Tunisia”; University of Bremen, October 25, 2018.

“Twenty-Five Years after ‘The Clash of Civilizations?’ Was Huntington Right?”; Institut für Interkulturelle und Internationale Studien (InIIS), Universität Bremen, January 22, 2018.

“Regime and Political Economy: The Role of Oligarchs”, *The Political Regimes in Russia and Turkey: A Comparison*, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Osteuropakunde, Bonn, November 24, 2017.

“State Power and Double Movements: Authoritarian Neoliberal Dynamics in Turkey”, European International Studies Association (EISA), *11th Pan-European Conference on International Relations*, Barcelona, 15 September 2017.

„Formations of the Social Question in British Africa: Egypt, South Africa and Uganda“, International Political Science Association, Poznan, 24 July 2016.

„State Power and Oligarchic Politics: Turkey and the Philippines in Comparative Perspective“, University of Tübingen, Institute for Political Science, 16 July 2016.

„The Failures of Turkish Democracy“, University of Tübingen, Institute for Political Science, 22 July 2015.

„The Political Dynamics of Turkish Corruption“, Fachhochschule des bfi Wien, Workshop “Political Risks and their Impact on the Business Environment of BSR Countries”, 28 August 2014.

„Genese und Transformationen von Staatlichkeit in der Türkei“, University of Göttingen, Institute of Sociology, 22 January 2014.

„The Rise and Persistence of the AKP within Neo-Kemalist Boundaries“; Workshop „Ten Years of Single-Party Rule in Turkey: A New Republic?“ InIIS, Universität Bremen, 13 July 2012.

“Ankara Consensus: the political economy of Turkey’s regional power under the AKP”; paper presented at the conference “Politik und Ökonomie in globaler Perspektive: Der (Wieder-)Aufstieg des globalen Südens”, University of Frankfurt, 5-7 March 2012.

“Zwischen Demokratie und Tyrannei der Mehrheit: das Dilemma politischer Ordnung in der Türkei und die Rolle der AKP“; University of Hamburg, Türkei-Europa-Zentrum, Workshop Junge Türkeiforschung, 2-3 March 2012.

“The West is not enough: The Historical Sociology of Global Capitalist Varieties”, paper presented at the conference “Comparison, Analysis, Critique”; Wiesbaden, 10-11 February 2012.

Organization and discussion of the panel “The Unstoppable Hegemony of the Moderate Islamists? State Restructuring and the Politics of Legitimation in Contemporary Turkey”, 6th ECRP General Conference in Reykjavik, Iceland, 27 August 2011.

„Political Capitalist Dynamics in Turkey“, Bogazici University, Department of Economics, 11 June 2011.

“Oligarchic Dynamics, Political Change, and the Struggle Against Corruption: Turkey and the Philippines”, presented at the Joint MPI Seminar, Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies, Cologne, 10 January 2011.

“The Breakdown of Oligarchy, the Neopatrimonial Interlude, and the Restoration of Oligarchy in the Philippines, 1965-1986”, presented at the Workshop Neopatrimonialism in Various World Regions, German Institute for Global and Area Studies, Hamburg, 23 August 2010.

“Oligarchische Dynamiken in der Türkei”, Türkei-Europa-Zentrum, Asien-Afrika-Institut der Universität Hamburg, 25-26 February 2010.

„Eastern Promises? Innenpolitische Determinanten des türkischen regionalpolitischen Wandels“, 16. Internationaler DAVO-Kongress, Universität Bonn, 8-10 October 2009.

"Political Capitalisms: Comparing Turkey and the Philippines", Roberta Buffet Center for International and Comparative Studies, Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., 21 November 2008.

"The Political Embeddedness of Economic Reforms in Turkey: Comparing the Impacts of Özal and Erdogan", paper presented at the IMPRS conference on "Institutional Change and Development", Northwestern University, Evanston, Il, 17-19 July 2008.

“Re-assessing economic restructuring measures in the MENA region from a political regime perspective – Turkey and Egypt”, presented at the WOCMES-2 in Amman, Jordan, 9-16 June 2006.

“A Comparative View to State-Business Relations during the Liberalization Process in Turkey”, presented at the 12th DAVO Congress, Hamburg, 25 -27 October 2005.

Public Talks (Selection)

„Der türkische Kapitalismus unter dem Regime der AKP: 2002-2019“, Studium Generale „Die Rückkehr des Sultans? Zur Politischen Ökonomie des Autoritarismus in der Türkei“, Universität Tübingen, 1. Juli 2019.

„Warum gibt es in der Türkei keine Demokratie?“, Maritime Woche, Haus der Wissenschaft, Bremen, 22. Oktober 2018.

Panel Discussion „Türkei: Auf dem Weg aus dem Rechtsstaat“, 69. Deutscher Anwaltstag, Mannheim, 8. Juni 2018.

Panel Discussion „Rechtssystem in der Türkei am Tag des bedrohten Anwalts“; Deutscher Anwaltsverein & Amnesty International, Berlin, 24. Januar 2018.

„Die türkische Syrienpolitik“; Deutsche Politik in Nah- und Mittelost, Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung, Villa la Collina, Cadenabbia, 13 November 2017.

„Der Syrische Krieg und das Problem nicht endender Gewalt“; Solidaria, Bremen, 9 September 2017.

Podiumsdiskussion, „The Interests and Influence of Russia, Iran and Turkey in the Middle East“, USA-Israel-Germany Trialogue; Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, Berlin, 23 June 2017.

„Die Türkei nach dem Verfassungsreferendum“; Schulzentrum Rübekamp, Bremen, 19 June 2017.

„Die Türkei nach Putschversuch und Referendum“; Akademie für Politische Bildung, Tutzing, 9 May 2017.

Panel Discussion „Journalisten in Haft, Erdoğan an der Macht“; presse club bremen, Bremen, 6 April 2017.

„Die außenpolitischen Machtchancen der Türkei“; Akademie für Politische Bildung, Tutzing, 26 March 2017.

Panel Discussion „Despoten auf dem Vormarsch? Zur Krise der Demokratie in Südosteuropa“, Südosteuropa-Gesellschaft, Leipzig Book Fair, Leipzig, 23 March 2017.

Panel Discussion „Wie steht es um deutsch-türkische Wissenschaftsbeziehungen“, University of Bremen, Haus der Wissenschaft, Bremen, 22 March 2017.

„Es ist kompliziert: der europäisch-türkische Beziehungsstatus“; Junge Europäische Föderalisten, Leuphana University of Lüneburg, 18 January 2017.

Panel Discussion „Intellektuelle im Ausnahmezustand“, Literaturfestival *globale*, Europa-Punkt, Bremen, 9 November 2016.

„Territoriale Konflikte, Gewaltdynamiken und Friedensprozesse im Nahen Osten“; Festival contre le racisme, Bremen, 11 June 2016.

„Was hat der politische Islamismus mit dem Islam zu tun? Überlegungen zu einer schwierigen und ambivalenten Beziehung“; "Dialog über Grün: Zukunft der Demokratie", Bremen, 26 May 2016.

„Machtformen, Chancen und Risiken der türkischen Nahostpolitik“; Politisches Bildungsforum Sachsen-Anhalt, Halberstadt, 11 March 2016.

„Die türkische Kurdenfrage im Wandel“; Hochschule Bremen/ASTA Hochschule Bremen, 16 January 2016.

„Krieg und Frieden im Nahen Osten“; Alt-Hastedter Kirchengemeinde, 10 December 2015.

Panel Discussion „Politics of Life: Kultur- und politikwissenschaftliche Perspektiven auf eine Kritik des Humanitarismus“, University of Bremen, 29 November 2015.

„Dynamiken des radikalen Islamismus: der IS als regionale Herausforderung“; Offizierskameradschaft Rothenburg/Wümme, 17 March 2015.

Panel Discussion „Wie realistisch ist noch ein EU-Beitritt der Türkei?“, Türkei-Woche Bremen, EuropaPunkt, 13 November 2014.

„Das schnelle Ende regionaler Macht? Türkische Erfahrungen im Arabischen Frühling“, Schloss Eichholz, Wesseling, Konrad Adenauer Foundation, 24 May 2014.

„When Democracy Comes from Above: Processes of Liberalization and Deliberalization in Turkey; Bremen Türkeiwoche, University of Bremen, 23 October 2013.

„Frieden im Lande, Frieden in der Welt – Aussichten für einen Beitritt der Türkei zur Europäischen Union im Lichte aktueller Entwicklungen“; Akademie für Politische Bildung, Tutzing, 5 August 2013.

„Die Türkei als ewiges Beitrittsland“; Jahrestreffen Cusanuswerk, Schloss Eringerfeld, 25 May 2013.

„Revolution, und dann...“; Amnesty International Hochschulgruppe, Villa Ichon, Bremen, 15 May 2012.

„Die Arabellion aus türkischer Sicht“; Bundesakademie für Sicherheitspolitik, Berlin, 27 April 2012.

„Islam and democracy before and after the Arab Spring“, IAPSS, University of Bremen, 25 April 2012.

„Kommt jetzt ein arabischer Sommer“; Ludwig-Windhorst-Haus, Katholisch-Soziale Akademie, Lingen, 21 April 2012.

„Zehn Jahre AKP-Herrschaft: die Türkei auf dem Weg in die Vierte Republik“; Network Turkey, Haus der Sozialwissenschaften, Humboldt-Universität, Berlin, 1 August 2012.

„Revolution und dann? Demokratie und Menschenrechte nach dem Arabischen Frühling“; public talk held at the University of Cologne / Amnesty International, 18 November 2011.

„Die Türkei im Neuen Nahen Osten: Demokratische Emanzipation oder Tyrannei der Mehrheit?“, University of Kiel, 5 July 2011.

Media Appearances

Deutschlandfunk, DeutschlandradioKultur, Tagesschau, heute journal, NDR2, BR, MDR, SR2 Kultur, HR2 Kultur, buten un binnen, Bremen 2, Nordwestradio, cosmo, Radio Hamburg, Eins Live, dpa, dpa audio, taz, taz.gazete, Deutsche Welle Türkçe, Birgün, Zeit Online, Kölner Stadtanzeiger, Weserkurier, Wirtschaftswoche, Libération, Carnegie Europe, SGI News, Huffington Post, Tages-Anzeiger, Zenith online, 20 Minuten online, morgenweb, USA Today, Folha de S. Paulo.

Reviewing Activities

Economy & Society, Review of International Political Economy, European Journal of Sociology, Democratization, European Journal of International Security, International Theory, Identities, Contemporary Politics, Cambridge Review of International Affairs, Perspectives, European Policy Analysis, Third World Quarterly, Mediterranean Politics, Journal of Balkan and Near Eastern Studies.

Counseling activities and Membership in Advisory Councils

Regional Coordinator for the Eastern Mediterranean,
Bertelsmann Sustainable Governance Indicators 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020.

Membership in the Advisory Council of the research project “How “social” is Turkey? Turkey’s social security system in a European context“; Prof. Lutz Leisering, University of Bielefeld, financed by the *Mercator Foundation*.

Membership in the Advisory Council of the research project “Signals from the Majority“; Dr. Kerem Öktem, University of Oxford, and Dr. Bastian Vollmer, University of Oxford, financed by the *Open Society Foundation*.

Memberships

European International Studies Association (EISA)
German Political Science Association (DVPW)
German Middle Eastern Studies Association (DAVO)
Society for Turcology, Ottoman Studies and Turkey Studies (GTOT)

Language Skills

German (native), English (fluent), French (good), Arabic (good), Turkish (intermediate), Farsi (basics), Swedish (basics).

Internships

- February – April 2005 German Development Institute (*Good Governance in the MENA region*)
- May – July 2004 Internship at the Bundestag Administration (*Parliamentary Affairs – Secretariat of Parliamentary Groups*)
- February – March 2003 Friedrich Ebert Foundation in Beirut, Lebanon

Grants and Scholarships

DAAD grant for the participation at the 6th ECPR General Conference in Reykjavik, Iceland (25-27 August 2011).

Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies, Post-Doctoral scholarship (December 2009 – February 2011)

International Max Planck Research School – Ph.D. scholarship (October 2006 – November 2009).

Grant of the *Hugo-Rupf Foundation* for the participation at the Second World Congress for Middle Eastern Studies (WOCMES-II) in Amman, Jordan (9-16 June 2006).

References

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