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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

International Relations Theory, Global Governance, International Organisations, Non-State Actors in World Politics, International Political Theory, Knowledge, Authority & Legitimacy, Migration, Asylum & Borders

## EDUCATION

2014 – 2019	<b>Cluster of Excellence “Normative Orders” / TU Darmstadt</b> PhD Candidate in Political Science
2012	<b>London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)</b> M.Sc. in International Relations Theory (awarded with distinction)
2011	<b>University of Bremen</b> B.A. in Political Science (awarded with distinction)
2010	<b>University of Geneva</b> Visiting Student, February – October

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Since 05/2018	<b>Zeppelin University Friedrichshafen</b> Research Associate at the Chair of International Relations
12/2017 – 04/2018	<b>Peace Research Institute Frankfurt (PRIF/HSFK)</b> Research Associate and Associate Researcher (05/2018-01/2019)
04/2015 – 04/2017	<b>TU Darmstadt</b> Lecturer ( <i>Lehrbeauftragte</i> ) at the Chair for Transnational Governance
04/2013 – 12/2013	<b>Centre for Global Cooperation Research</b> , University of Duisburg-Essen Research Assistant to the Managing Directors and in Research Unit 4 “Democracy and Democratisation”

### STUDENT POSITIONS

11/2010 – 08/2011	<b>Institute for Intercultural and International Studies (InIIS)</b> , University of Bremen Student Research Assistant with the DFG funded Emmy Noether Junior Research Group “Changing Norms of Global Governance”
11/2008 – 12/2009	<b>Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences (BIGSSS)</b> , University of Bremen Student Research Assistant
07/2010 – 10/2010	<b>UN Refugee Agency (UNHCR)</b> , Geneva Intern in the Middle East and North Africa Bureau
03/2009 – 04/2009	<b>Sorbonne University</b> , Paris Research Intern
08/2007 – 09/2007	<b>German Development Institute (GDI/DIE)</b> , Bonn Intern at the Managing Global Governance (MGG) Academy

## **PUBLICATIONS** (\*double blind peer reviewed – ‘peer reviewed)

### **EDITED VOLUMES**

2017 *'Borders and Democracy*. Frankfurt a. M./New York: Campus. Normative Orders Series (ed. with Marina Martinez Mateo)

### **BOOK CHAPTERS**

2018 *\*Participatory Governance in International Organizations* (with Jens Steffek). In: Heinelt, Hubert (ed.): *Edward Elgar Handbook on Participatory Governance*. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, p.203-224.

2017 *'Borders and Democracy. An Introduction* (with Marina Martinez Mateo). In: Kortendiek, Nele/Marina Martinez Mateo (eds.). *Borders and Democracy*, Frankfurt a. M./New York: Campus, p. 7-32.

### **WORKING PAPERS & REVIEWS**

2018 *\*International Organisations in the Field. Governing Mixed Migration in and through Practice*. EUI Robert Schumann Centre for Advanced Studies (RSCAS) Working Paper, 2018/33. <http://dx.doi.org/10.2139/ssrn.3195891>

2013 Justice Globalism – Ideology, Crises, Policy (by Manfred B. Steger, James Goodman, Erin K. Wilson), LSE Review of Books

<https://blogs.lse.ac.uk/lseviewofbooks/2013/05/25/book-review-justice-globalism-ideology-crises-policy/>

Habermas and European Integration – Social and Cultural Modernity beyond the Nation-State (by Shivdeep Grewal), LSE Review of Books

<https://blogs.lse.ac.uk/lseviewofbooks/2013/02/13/book-review-habermas-and-european-integration-social-and-cultural-modernity/>

## **FELLOWSHIPS**

2019 **Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin (WZB)**  
Visiting Fellow, Global Governance Unit

2016 **University of Oxford**  
Visiting Academic, Centre on Migration, Policy, and Society (COMPAS)

2009 – 2011 **College for the Social Sciences “Transformation of the State”**  
Fellow, German National Academic Foundation, Working Group: “Global Constitutionalism”

## **GRANTS**

2019 – 2022 DFG (German Research Foundation) Grant for research project “Open or Closed International Organisations? Reactions to Civil Society Contestation” (with Lisbeth Zimmermann)

2018 Travel Grant to attend ISA Annual Convention by German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

2016 Travel Grant to work at the University of Oxford by TU Darmstadt

2008 Travel Grant to conduct research in France by Heinz-Schwarzkopf Foundation “Young Europe”

## **SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS**

2017 Winner of the Best Graduate Paper Prize by the European International Studies Association (EISA)

2014 – 2017 PhD Scholarship & Travel Grants to conduct fieldwork (11 weeks) in Greece, Geneva, Warsaw, Brussels and Valletta by Cluster of Excellence “The Formation of Normative Orders”

2007 – 2012 Scholarship for Full Duration of Study & Study Abroad Scholarships to study in Geneva and London by German National Academic Foundation (German Scholarship Programme for Students with Excellent Academic Records)

## **WORKSHOP & ROUNDTABLE INVITATIONS**

- 2017 "Knowing and Learning in Global Crises", Workshop convened by Corinna Frey & Michael Barrett, Judge Business School, University of Cambridge
- 2015 "Consultants in World Politics", Workshop convened by Leonard Seabrooke & Ole Jacob Sending, Copenhagen Business School (CBS)

## **INVITED TALKS & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES**

- 2016 "Global Migration Governance at the European External Border", Lecture, 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference "Migration and Citizenship in a Time of Crisis", Cluster of Excellence "Normative Orders", Goethe-University Frankfurt a. M.
- 2016 "The Role of Civil Society in Global Governance", Workshop for Exchange Students from Africa, Asia & Latin America, World University Society, Bad Homburg
- 2016 "The Situation of Refugees in Europe, Germany and the Cities", Expert Panel, Europe Direct/Intercultural Academy North Rhine-Westphalia, Dortmund

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

### *Learning from the Crisis? Mixed Migration IOs at the European External Border*

EISA Pan-European Conference, Panel "Crisis, Contestation and Professional Networks in IOs" University of Sofia, 11-14 September 2019

### *Experiments in Global Migration Governance*

ECPR Joint Sessions of Workshops, "Formal and Informal IOs in Time: Explaining Transformations in Global Governance, Convenors: Eugénia da Conceição-Heldt & Duncan Snidal, UCL Mons, 8-12 April 2019

### *Open or Closed International Organisations? Reactions to Civil Society Contestation*

ECPR General Conference, Panel "State Power and Contestation in International Organisations", with Lisbeth Zimmermann, University of Hamburg, 22-25 August 2018

### *Beyond Implementation – How IOs and NGOs Shape Global Migration Governance in the Field*

ECPR General Conference, Panel "Great Expectations, Ambiguous Goals and Multi-level Governance – The Outcome Gap Re-visited", University of Hamburg, 22-25 August 2018

### *Informal Global Migration Governance*

ISA Annual Convention, Panel "The Power of Non-State Actors and Global Governance", San Francisco, 4-7 April 2018

### *Governing Mixed Migration in and through Practice*

EUI Migration Working Group Workshop Series, European University Institute (EUI), Florence, 30 January 2018

### *The Inter-Organisational Dynamics of Governing Migration*

DVPW IB-Sektionstagung, Panel "Inter-Organizational Relations: Theory and Practice", University of Bremen, 4-6 October 2017

### *Professions and Practical Knowledge in International Migration Organisations*

EWIS "The Politicisation of Expertise: Contentious Knowledge Politics in IOs", University of Cardiff, 7-10 June 2017

### *Practices of Interaction between Transnational NGOs and IGOs*

AGORA V Workshop "Beyond Pathologies: Changing Organisational Cultures in IOs and NGOs", University of Warwick, 7-8 October 2014

### *A Critical Approach to Transnational Justice and Democracy*

International Graduate Conference "Practices of Critique", Cluster of Excellence "Normative Orders"/Goethe-University Frankfurt a. M., 5-7 December 2013

### *Democratising Global Social Justice*

1<sup>st</sup> St Andrews Graduate Conference in International Political Theory, University of St Andrews, 10-12 June 2013

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### COURSES

- Spring 2019 **European and International Migration Politics** (taught in English)  
B.A. level, Zeppelin University Friedrichshafen
- Fall 2018 **International Organisations**  
B.A. level, Zeppelin University Friedrichshafen
- Winter 2016/17 **Governing Global Migration** (taught in English)  
M.A. level, TU Darmstadt/Goethe University Frankfurt a. M.
- Winter 2015/16 **Authority and Legitimacy in Global Governance**  
M.A. level, TU Darmstadt/Goethe University Frankfurt a. M.
- Summer 2015 **Introduction to Normative International Relations Theories**  
M.A. level, TU Darmstadt/Goethe University Frankfurt a. M.

### SUPERVISION

- 2019 2 B.A. Theses on Return Migration from UK to Somalia and on Religious NGOs in Global Migration Governance
- 2018 1 B.A. Thesis on Organisational Competition between EU and NATO
- 2018 – 2019 Academic Coach, Mentoring Programme Zeppelin University Friedrichshafen

### SERVICE

- Editing Millennium – Journal of International Studies  
Member of the Editorial Board (2011-2015)
- Reviewing LSE Review of Books  
Reviewer (2013-2014)
- Professional Services Service in several committees in the Department of Social Sciences, Zeppelin University Friedrichshafen (2018-2019)

### PANEL, WORKSHOP & CONFERENCE ORGANISATION

- 2019 “Translating International Relations”  
Annual Workshop, Working Group Sociology of International Relations (AK SiB), University of Göttingen, convened with Frank Gadinger and Janne Mende
- 2019 “Crisis, Contestation and Professional Networks in IOs”  
EISA Pan-European Conference, University of Sofia, convened with Lisbeth Zimmermann
- 2015 “Borders and Democracy – Practices of Closure and Transgression”  
Authors’ Workshop, Cluster of Excellence “Normative Orders” / Goethe-University Frankfurt a. M., convened with Marina Martinez Mateo
- 2014 “Borders and Social Order”,  
International Graduate Conference, Cluster of Excellence “Normative Orders”/ Goethe-University Frankfurt a. M., Member of the Organising Committee

### PANEL CHAIR & DISCUSSANT

- 2017 “Beyond Anarchy: Rule and Authority in the International System”, Authors’ Workshop organised by Nicole Deitelhoff & Christopher Daase, Cluster of Excellence “Normative Orders”/Goethe-University Frankfurt a. M., Discussant of David Lake’s Paper on Private Authority
- 2014 “Borders and Social Order”, International Graduate Conference, Cluster of Excellence “Normative Orders”/Goethe-University Frankfurt a. M., Discussant of the Panel “Democracy beyond the Nation-State”
- 2014 “Constitutionalism in Times of Global Crises”, Workshop, organised by GRAKOV, Humboldt University Berlin, Panel Chair
- 2013 “Global Environmental Justice”, International Workshop, organised by Klaus Dingwerth, University of Bremen, Panel Chair

## **MEMBERSHIPS**

German Political Science Association (DVPW):

*Working Group Migration Policy, Working Group Sociology of International Relations (AK SiB)*

Forced Migration Studies Network Germany (Netzwerk Fluchtforschung)

European International Studies Association (EISA)

International Studies Association (ISA)

## **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

German	Native Speaker
English	Proficient
French	Proficient
Spanish	Basic Knowledge