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**EDUCATION**

2005-2012	University of Vienna, Austria: Ph.D. studies in Sociology. Completed with "Dr. phil." in 11/2012.
1998-2003	University of Münster, Germany: Graduate studies in Sociology (major), Psychology, and Social Anthropology (minors); Graduation as Magister Artium (M.A.) in 02/2003
1997-1998	Mount Union College (Alliance, OH, USA): Exchange year (scholarship by the University of Passau and ECC Colleges Ohio)
1995-1997	University of Passau, Germany: Undergraduate studies in Sociology, Psychology, and Economics/Business Administration (completion of intermediate exams)

**ACADEMIC CAREER**

Since 10/2003	Senior Researcher at the Austrian Institute for Family Studies (ÖIF) at the University of Vienna
Since 03/2020	Lecturer at the FH Campus Wien (Qualitative research methods)
2001-2002	Teaching assistant at the Sociology department, University of Münster, Germany (Classes: Introduction to Sociology; Qualitative methods)
1999-2002	Research assistant at the Sociology department, University of Münster, Germany

**TEACHING**

Since 2020	Advanced Qualitative Methods (FH Campus Wien, Master studies in Clinical Social Work)
2016	Sociology of the family: Theories and methods (University of Salzburg, Austria)
2013	"Sociology of the European Family" (Summer School at the University of International Business and Economics (UIBE) in Beijing, China)
2001-2002	"Introduction to Sociology" and "Qualitative methods" (University of Münster, Germany)

**RESEARCH FOCUS**

Life Course, Biography and Individualization (especially young adults and women), Female Migration, Social History of the Family in Austria and Germany, Methodology of Qualitative Research.

**ACADEMIC NETWORKS**

Austrian Association for Sociology (Österreichische Gesellschaft für Soziologie, ÖGS), Section Family Research

Peer Reviews / Evaluations for

- *Journal of Adolescent Research (JAR)*
- *International Journal of Sociology and Anthropology (IJS)*
- *Men and Masculinities (JMM)*
- *Marietta Blau Stipendium (Ph D scholarship, Austria)*
- *Wirtschaftspolitische Blätter*