

## Curriculum Vitae

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The lab "Work and Knowledge" examines the genesis, structural characteristics and polyvalences of work and knowledge in its consistency and change. Our process- and figurational perspective calls into question the traditional self-image of modern societies. Thereby in an extended focus ambivalent challenges in macro- as well as micro- and meso-sociological fields are analyzed extending classical industrial and management sociology as well as knowledge organizations and service work. Our studies of long-term socio- and psychogenetic aspects of social transformations deal in particular with interdependencies of structural transformations and individual processes of work and knowledge as well as their intersectional effects on inequality (i.e. Creative Economy, Self-Employment, Diversity)

## ACADEMIC STUDY

- 1998                      Doctorate in Sociology from the Department of Sociology University Hamburg about "*Geschlechterverhältnisse und Führungspositionen. Eine figurationssoziologische Analyse der Stereotypenkonstruktion*" [Gender Relations and Leadership. A figurational analysis of stereotype construction] advisor Hermann Korte. Dissertation committee: Ingrid Sommerkorn, Marianne Pieper, and Hermann Korte: *Summa cum laude*
- 1985-1992                Academic Studies of Sociology, History and Ethnology with focus on Social Theory, Gender Studies, Sociology of Work and Organisation, Social Research Methods at the Phillips-University Marburg, and Westphalian Wilhelms-University Münster: MA degree in June 1992 (1, 0 = with honors)

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2012-present            Westphalian Wilhelms-University Münster (WWU), Department of Educational and Social Sciences, Institute of Sociology: Professor of Sociology
- June 2012                Call for the Professorship Sociology of Economy and Management, University Hohenheim (refused)
- 2011-2012                Otto-von-Guericke University Magdeburg: Faculty of Human Sciences, Institute of Social Sciences/ Sociology: Stand-in Professor of Sociology
- 2005-2011                University Hamburg, School of Business, Economics and Social Sciences/ Department of Socioeconomics: Professor of Sociology
- 1999-2004                University of Applied Sciences Muenster: Project Manager for Organizational and Quality Development in Higher Education and Teaching Evaluation
- 1992-1998                Euregio Forum for Qualification and Technology, Ahaus: Project Assistant for Transnational Projects for business qualification (European Union: Interreg, Adapt), Research Assistant at the Institute of Sociology, University Münster: Deportation of the Transylvanian Saxonians, and at the Institute of Business- and Social Sciences: Cross-national Images of Management, University Hamburg, and at the Catholic University of Applied Sciences, Osnabrück: Evaluation of Christian Third-World-Groups/NGOs.

#### *Committees and Memberships since 2012*

- University Muenster:
- Director of the Institute of Sociology (2014-2018)
- Head of Graduate School Sociology (GRASS)/Speaker
- Member Faculty Council of Department of Educational and Social Sciences
- Member Centre for European Gender Studies (ZEUGS)
- Member Centre for Philosophy of Science (ZfW)
- Member Research Group BEMA
- Member PhD-Graduate School, Department Political and Social Sciences, University Florence
- Associated Fellow of Centre for Economic and Sociological Studies, University Hamburg
- Fellow of the Norbert Elias Foundation, Amsterdam, NL
- Advisory Committee for Diversity and Representative Participation, Hans BöcklerStiftung, Germany
- Editorial Board of CAMBIO. Ricerca sulle Trasformazioni Sociali, IT
- Editorial Board of Human Figurations. Long-term Perspectives on the Human Condition
- European Group for Organizational Studies, German Society of Sociology (DGS), Figurational Research Network of the Norbert Elias-Foundation

#### *Committees and Memberships: 2005-2020*

- Representative of the Equal Opportunity Commissioner
- Erasmus-Socrates-Commissioner of the Department of Socioeconomics
- Representative of the Academic Committee for Ethics and Science
- Member of Center for Economic and Sociological Studies
- Member of Berufsverband Deutscher SoziologInnen (BDS, until 2016)
- Member of German-Research Council-Initiative "Transnational Norm building-Networks": Diversity Management Promoting a Decentralized Workforce: The Case of Gender (2010-12)
- Member of EU-Research Network 'Innovation in Social Economy: Social Scoring- Evaluation of Qualifying Employment' (2007-2012)
- Member of Social Platform Metropolitan Region Hamburg: 'Cities and Social Cohesion' (2011)
- Member of EU-Consortium 'Measuring Tolerance in Contemporary Europe', Department for Equal Opportunities of the Italian Presidency of Council of Ministers (DPO) and ASDO, Roma.

#### **FELLOWSHIPS**

2009	Fellowship at Indiana University Bloomington, USA
1999	Postdoc-Fellow of German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD): Frauen in Wissenschaft und Forschung. Ein deutsch-niederländischer Vergleich (Women in the German and Dutch Sciences: A Comparison), Centre for Women's Studies, Catholic University Nijmegen, NL
2006-2007	SOCRATES/ERASMUS-Mobility Programme of the European Union: Pedagogic University Copenhagen, DK





