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University

2013–present	<i>University of Geneva</i> Postdoctoral researcher at the Paul Bairoch Institute of Economic History
2015	Fellow at the <i>DFG-Kolleg Postwachstumsgesellschaften</i> (DFG-Research Group 'Post-Growth Societies') at the University Jena
2013	PhD thesis "The hegemony of growth. The making and remaking of the economic growth paradigm and the OECD"
2009–2013	<i>European University Viadrina</i> , Frankfurt (Oder) PhD-program "Transformations in Global Governance. Europe and the World Order in Historical Perspective"
2005–2006	<i>University of California, Berkeley</i> Master studies in history, political science and economics
2003–2008	<i>Humboldt University Berlin</i> Magister Artium in history, political science and philosophy

Awards and Scholarships

2015	Nominated for the best dissertation prize of the <i>International Economic History Association</i> (IEHA)
2014	Kapp research prize of the <i>Vereinigung für Ökologische Ökonomie</i> for the dissertation
2009–2013	Scholarship of the <i>European University Viadrina</i> at the doctoral program "Transformations in Global Governance. Europe and the World Order in Historical Perspective"
2010–2013	Scholarship at the French-German doctoral program "Construire les différences: l'histoire comme objet et comme représentation", Paris and Berlin
2009–2012	Research fellowships at the <i>German Historical Institute</i> Washington, D.C., the <i>German Historical Institute</i> London, the <i>Institut Historique Allemand</i> Paris, and travel grants from the <i>European University Viadrina</i> Frankfurt (Oder) and the <i>DAAD</i>
2005–2006	Grant of the <i>Humboldt University Berlin</i> to study at the <i>University of California, Berkeley</i>
2005	Droysen award of the Department of History at the <i>Humboldt University Berlin</i> for the best research paper

Publications

Books

The hegemony of growth. The making and remaking of the economic growth paradigm and the OECD, 1948 to 2010. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press (forthcoming).

Postwachstum. Krise, ökologische Grenzen, soziale Rechte. Hamburg: VSA-Verlag, 2011 (with Alexis Passadakis).

Freiheit für Wechselkurse und Kapital. Die Ursprünge neoliberaler Währungspolitik und die Mont Pèlerin Society. Marburg: Metropolis-Verlag, 2010.

Peer reviewed articles

"Born in the corridors of the OECD': The forgotten origins of the Club of Rome and the unraveling of the postwar confidence in economic growth", revise and resubmit, *American Historical Review*.

"'How undergrowthed do you consider your economy?' Die OECD, ökonomische Experten und wie die Erwartung exponentiellen Wirtschaftswachstums sich durchsetzte", *Geschichte und Gesellschaft* (forthcoming).

"Marketing marketization: The power of neoliberal expert, consulting, and lobby networks", (with Dieter Plehwe, forthcoming).

"The Crisis before the Crisis: The 'Problems of Modern Society' and the OECD, 1968-1974", *European Review of History* 19 (6) 2012, 999-1020.

„Marketing morals, moralizing markets. Assessing the effectiveness of Fair Trade as a form of boycott“, *Management & Organizational History* 5 (2), May 2010, 221-250.

Edited books

Ausgewachsen. Ökologische Gerechtigkeit. Soziale Rechte. Gutes Leben, edited with Werner Rätz, Tanja von Egan-Krieger, Barbara Muraca, Alexis Passadakis, and Andrea Vetter. Hamburg: VSA-Verlag, 2011.

Book chapters

"A club of the rich to help the poor? The OECD, 'development', and the hegemony of donor countries", in *International Organizations and Development, 1945 to 1990*, edited by Marc Frey, Soenke Kunkel, and Corinna Unger, 171-195. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, 2014.

"The Crisis before the Crisis: The 'Problems of Modern Society' and the OECD, 1968-1974", in *Economic Crises and Global Politics in the 20th Century*, edited by Alexander Nützenadel and Cornelius Torp, 151–172. London: Routledge, 2013.

"Gutes Leben statt Wachstum: Degrowth, Klimagerechtigkeit, Subsistenz – eine Einführung in die Begriffe und Ansätze der Postwachstumsbewegung", in *Weniger wird mehr. Der Postwachstums-Atlas*, edited by Le Monde diplomatique and DFG-Kolleg Postwachstumsgesellschaften. Berlin: Le Monde diplomatique (forthcoming).

Journal articles and dictionary entries

“Organisierter Kapitalismus und US-Hegemonie: Das Währungssystem von Bretton Woods”, in *Zeitgeschichte-Online*, Juni 2014, URL: <http://www.zeitgeschichte-online.de/kommentar/organisierter-kapitalismus-und-us-hegemonie-das-waehrungssystem-von-bretton-woods>.

“Thorkil Kristensen”, in *Biographical Dictionary of Secretaries-General of International Organizations*, edited by Bob Reinalda and Kent Kille, www.ru.nl/fm/iobio, 2014 (will probably be published with Routledge).

Studies

Alternatives to the Casino? A synopsis of intergovernmental, private sector and civil society proposals to reform the international financial system. Berlin: Weed, April 2009.

Towards a New Bretton Woods? A critical analysis of current debates on building a new financial architecture. Berlin: Weed, Mai 2009.

In or Against the Market? Is Fair Trade a neoliberal solution to market failures or a practical challenge to neoliberal trade and the free market regime in general?, study published at www.dreigliederung.de and translated into German and Spanish, 2007.