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Main research interests: Comparative Analysis of Political Systems, Comparative Democratization, Democratic and Autocratic Theory, Liberalism, Concept Building, Research Methodology

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Since 06/2019

WZB Berlin Social Science Center and Freie Universität Berlin

- Research Unit “Global Governance”: Research Fellow
- Cluster of Excellence “Contestations of the Liberal Script (SCRIPTS)”: Academic Coordinator of Theory Network

10/2018- 05/2019

Technical University Munich

TUM School of Governance, Chair of European and Global Governance
Lecturer

10/2016- 09/2018

Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

Department of Social Sciences, Chair of Comparative Analysis of Political Systems
Lecturer

- 02/2011- 09/2016 **WZB Berlin Social Science Center**
 Research Unit “Democracy and Democratization”
 Research Fellow (pre- and post-doc)
 02/2014-09/2016 Project Co-leader “Critical Junctures and the Survival of Dictatorships: Explaining the Stability of Autocratic Regimes” (funded by German Research Foundation)
- 08/2014- 12/2014 **Harvard University, USA**
 Weatherhead Center for International Affairs (WCFA)
 Fellow Transatlantic Program
- 10/2011- 12/2011 **University of Oxford, UK**
 Department of Politics and International Relations
 Visiting Doctoral Candidate
- 08/2007- 08/2008 **German Institute of Global and Area Studies (GIGA), Hamburg**
 Institute of Asian Studies
 Research Fellow
- Since 2011 **Berlin Summer School in Social Sciences**
 Joint Methodological Summer School of HU Berlin and WZB
 Founder of summer school in 2011, since then various roles as organizer, moderator, and lecturer
- Since 2014: Principal Investigator of German Research Network “External Democracy Promotion (EDP)”, funded by Senate of Leibniz Foundation.

EDUCATION

- 10/2008- 07/2014 **Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany**
 Berlin Graduate School of Social Sciences (BGSS)
 PhD; Dissertation on: “Stabilizing Autocratic Rule. Legitimation, Repression, and Cooptation in East Asia’s Autocracies”.
 Final grade: “summa cum laude”
- Recipient of *Gero-Erdmann-Prize for Comparative Area Studies*, awarded for best dissertation in 2013 and 2014 by Comparative Politics section of German Political Science Association and *Zeitschrift für Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft*.
 Nominated by WZB for Leibniz-Prize and by Department of Social Sciences for Humboldt-Prize for best dissertation (short-listed)
- 10/2001- 05/2008 **University of Passau, Germany**
 Master of International Cultural and Business Studies [“Diplom”]
 Final grade 1.4

10/2001- 06/2007 **University of Passau, Germany**
Master of Arts in Political Science, Philosophy and Economics
Final grade 1.0 (“with distinction”), honors for best grade of year

09/1991- 07/2000 **Theodor-Heuss-Gymnasium, Aalen, Germany (High School)**
Abitur (university entrance exam), final grade 1.3

Studies at Free University of Berlin, Germany (2006) and at Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea (2003);

Research assistant to Daniel Ziblatt (Harvard University) 2013-2015.

ECPR Summer School (2009), Ljubljana, on Multivariate Statistics and Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA); GESIS Summer School (2012), Cologne, on Multivariate Regression Techniques; ECPR Winter School (2016), Bamberg, on Quantitative Text Analysis.

PUBLICATIONS

Books and Edited Volumes:

(3) Gerschewski, Johannes, and Christoph Stefes, eds. 2018. “[Crisis in Autocratic Regimes](#)”. Boulder: Lynne Rienner.

(2a) Dukalskis, Alexander, and Johannes Gerschewski, eds. 2017. “[Legitimation in Autocracies](#)”, Special Issue of *Contemporary Politics*, 23, 3.

(2b) Reprint as: Dukalskis, Alexander, and Johannes Gerschewski, eds. 2018. *Justifying Dictatorships*. London: Routledge.

(1) Gerschewski, Johannes, 2014. “[Stabilizing Autocratic Rule. Legitimation, Repression, and Cooptation in East Asia’s Autocracies](#)”, Berlin: Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Dissertation, 483 pages.

Journal Articles:

(18) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2021. “[Explanations of Institutional Change. Reflecting on a ‘Missing Diagonal’](#).” *American Political Science Review*, 115, 1, 218-233.

(17) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2021. “[Erosion or Decay? Conceptualizing Causes and Mechanisms of Democratic Regression](#).” *Democratization*, 28, 1, 43-62.

(16) Marcus Tannenber, Michael Bernhard, Johannes Gerschewski, Anna Lührmann, and Christian von Soest. 2021. “[Claiming the Right to Rule: Regime Legitimation Strategies from 1900 to 2019](#).” *European Political Science Review*, 13, 1, 77-94.

(15) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2020. “[Persistenz – Kontinuität – Adaptivität. Konzeptionen politischer Stabilität in der Vergleichenden Autokratieforschung](#).” *Leviathan. Berliner Zeitschrift für Sozialwissenschaft*. Sonderband 36, 21-38.

- (14) Neundorf, Anja, Johannes Gerschewski, and Roman-Gabriel Olar. 2020. "[How do Inclusionary and Exclusionary Autocracies Affect Ordinary Citizens?](#)" *Comparative Political Studies*, 53, 12, 1890-1925.
- (13) Frédéric Volpi and Johannes Gerschewski. 2020. "[Crises and Critical Junctures in Authoritarian Regimes: Addressing Uprisings' Temporalities and Discontinuities](#)" *Third World Quarterly*, 41, 6, 1030-1045.
- (12) Dukalskis, Alexander, and Johannes Gerschewski. 2020. "[Adapting or Freezing? Ideological Reactions of Communist Regimes in a Post-Communist World](#)" *Government & Opposition*, 55, 3, 511-532.
- (11) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2018. "[Legitimacy in Autocracies. Oxymoron or Essential Feature?](#)" *Perspectives on Politics*, 16, 3, 652-665.
- (10) Thyen, Kressen, and Johannes Gerschewski. 2018. "[Legitimacy and Protest under Authoritarianism. Explaining Student Mobilization in Egypt and Morocco during the Arab Uprisings](#)" *Democratization*, 25, 1, 38-57.
- (9) Dukalskis, Alexander, and Johannes Gerschewski. 2018. "[How the Internet Can Reinforce Autocratic Regimes](#)". In: *Georgetown Journal of International Affairs*, 19 (Fall 2018), 12-19.
- (8) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2017. "[Die drei Säulen der Stabilität und das Überleben elektoraler Autokratien. Eine Replik.](#)" *Zeitschrift für Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft*, 11, 2, 237-246.
- (7) Dukalskis, Alexander, and Johannes Gerschewski. 2017. "[What autocracies say \(and what citizens hear\). Proposing four mechanisms of autocratic legitimation.](#)" *Contemporary Politics*, 23, 3, 251-268.
- (6a) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2013. "[The Three Pillars of Stability: Legitimation, Repression, and Cooptation in Autocratic Regimes.](#)" *Democratization*, 20, 1, 13-38.
 [Recipient of the 2013 Frank Cass Prize for the Best Article by a Young Scholar;
 Most cited and one of most read articles (>20,000 downloads) of *Democratization* in last three [years](#)]
- (6b) Reprint in ed Croissant, Aurel, et al., 2014, *Comparing Autocracies in the Early Twenty-First Century*, London: Routledge, 58-83.
- (5) Gerschewski, Johannes, Wolfgang Merkel, Alexander Schmotz, Christoph H. Stefes, and Dag Tanneberg. 2013. "[Warum überleben Diktaturen?](#)" *Politische Vierteljahrschrift*, Sonderheft 47, 106-131.
- (4) Gerschewski, Johannes, and Patrick Köllner. 2011. "Überlebensstrategien des post-totalitären Regimes in Nordkorea." *ASIEN*, 119, 67-78.
- (3) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2010. "Zur Persistenz von Autokratien. Ein Literaturüberblick." *Berliner Debatte Initial*, 21, 3, 42-53.

(2) Beck, Martin, and Johannes Gerschewski. 2009. "On the Fringes of the International Community. The Making and Survival of 'Rogue States'." *Sicherheit + Frieden (Security and Peace)*, 27, 2, 84-90.

(1) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2007. "Sanktionen gegen Nordkorea. Effektives Instrument oder reine Schaupolitik?" *Journal of Current Japanese Affairs*, 15, 6, 37-52.

Book Chapters and Handbook Entries:

(10) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2020. "[Governing Markets in Autocratic Regimes](#)" In: ed. Abbott, Kenneth, Philipp Genschel, Duncan Snidal, and Bernhard Zangl, *The Governor's Dilemma*, Oxford: Oxford University Press. 239-256.

(9) Merkel, Wolfgang, and Johannes Gerschewski. 2019. "[Democratic Transformation after the Second World War](#)." In: ed. Kollmorgen, Raj, Wolfgang Merkel, and Hans-Jürgen Wagener. *The Handbook of Political, Social, and Economic Transformation*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 280-292.

(8) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2018. "[Analyzing Crises in Autocracies](#)". In ed Gerschewski, Johannes, and Christoph Stefes. *Crisis in Autocratic Regimes*. Boulder: Lynne Rienner, 1-20.

(7) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2016. "[Pfadabhängigkeit in der Vergleichenden Politikwissenschaft](#)". In ed Kneuer, Marianne, Hans-Joachim Lauth, and Gert Pickel, *Handbuch Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft*. Wiesbaden: VS Springer, 235-246.

(6) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2016. "[Do Ideocracies Constitute a Distinct Subtype of Autocratic Regimes?](#)". In ed Backes, Uwe, and Steffen Kailitz, *Ideocracies in Comparison*, London: Routledge, 88-105.

(5) Gerschewski, Johannes, and Wolfgang Merkel. 2014. "[Stabilität autokratischer Herrschaft](#)." In ed Braml, Josef, Wolfgang Merkel, and Eberhard Sandschneider. *Außenpolitik mit Autokratien. DGAP-Jahrbuch Internationale Politik*. Munich: Oldenbourg, 43-56.

(4) Merkel, Wolfgang, and Johannes Gerschewski 2014. "[Demokratische Transformationen nach dem Zweiten Weltkrieg](#)." In ed Kollmorgen, Raj, Wolfgang Merkel, and Hans-Jürgen Wagener. *Handbuch der Transformationsforschung*. Wiesbaden: VS Springer, 339-354 [peer-reviewed].

(3) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2013. "Ideokratien als autokratischer Subtypus?" In ed Steffen Kailitz, and Uwe Backes. *Ideokratien im Vergleich*, Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht, 95-112.

(2) Gerschewski, Johannes, and Patrick Köllner. 2009. "Nordkorea und kein Ende? Zum Wandel innenpolitischer Legitimation und externer Stützung der DVRK." In ed Hanns W. Maull, and Martin Wagener. *Prekäre Macht, fragiler Wohlstand? Globalisierung und Politik in Ostasien*, Baden-Baden: Nomos, 167-189.

(1) Gerschewski, Johannes, and Hanns Günther Hilpert. 2009. "Südkorea – auf dem Weg zu einer nordostasiatischen Mittelmachtrolle und auf der Suche nach außenpolitischer Eigenständigkeit", In ed. Günther Maihold and Stefan Mair. *Führungsmächte als Partner deutscher Außenpolitik*, Baden-Baden: Nomos, 122-140.

Miscellaneous:

Book Review:

(1) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2015: Guillermo Trejo, *Popular Movements in Autocracies: Religion, Repression and Indigenous Collective Action in Mexico*, New York, Cambridge University Press, 2012, in: *Perspectives on Politics*, 13, 2, 584-585.

Policy Papers and Working Papers:

(9) Zürn, Michael, and Johannes Gerschewski. In press. "Sketching the Liberal Script – A Target of Contestations", SCRIPTS Working Paper No. 9, Berlin: Cluster of Excellence 2055 "Contestations of the Liberal Script – SCRIPTS".

(8) Tannenberg, Marcus, Michael Bernhard, Johannes Gerschewski, Anna Lührmann, and Christian von Soest. 2019. "[Regime Legitimation Strategies \(RLS\), 1900 to 2018](#)", University of Gothenburg, Varieties of Democracy Institute: Working Paper No. 86, April 2019.

(7) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2018. "[Autocratization and Democratic Backsliding. Taking Stock of a Recent Debate](#)". In ed. EDP Network. *Democracy Promotion in Times of Uncertainty. Trends and Challenges*. (=PRIF Reports 13/ 2018) Frankfurt: Peace Research Institute Frankfurt, 5-9.

(6) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2015. "[Zum Umgang mit autokratischen Regimen](#)". In ed Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung. *Vom Umgang mit autoritären Regimen. Reader zur Außenpolitischen Jahrestagung 2015*. Berlin: Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung, 7-11.

(5) Merkel, Wolfgang, and Johannes Gerschewski. 2011. "Autokratien am Scheideweg. Ein Modell zur Erforschung diktatorischer Regime". *WZB-Mitteilungen* 133, 21-24.

(4) Gerschewski, Johannes, and Patrick Köllner. 2010. *Artillerieangriff und zweites Nuklearprogramm: Nordkorea dreht an der Konfliktspirale*, GIGA Focus Asien 11/2010, Hamburg: GIGA.

(3) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2008. *Weltweites Ende oder Renaissance des Totalitarismus?* GIGA Focus Global, 4/2008, Hamburg: GIGA.

(2) Gerschewski, Johannes. 2007. *Von der 'Sonnenscheinpolitik' zur 'Politik für Frieden und Wohlstand'. Wandel durch Annäherung auf der koreanischen Halbinsel?* SWP-Diskussionspapier, Berlin: Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik, 2007.

(1) Köllner, Patrick, and Johannes Gerschewski. 2006. *Nach dem Atomtest: Der externe Druck auf Nordkorea nimmt zu*, GIGA Focus Asien, 11/2006, Hamburg: GIGA.

Work in progress:

Book Manuscripts:

(3) “The Two Logics of Autocratic Regimes” Book manuscript. Revise and resubmit at *Cambridge University Press*, 330 pages, plus 160 pages online appendix.

(2) With Wolfgang Merkel, Alexander Schmotz, Christoph Stefes, and Dag Tanneberg. “Critical Junctures and the Survival of Dictatorships.” Book manuscript. 280 pages. To be submitted to *Palgrave Macmillan*.

(1) With Tanja A. Börzel and Michael Zürn (eds.), “The Liberal Script at the Beginning of the 21st Century.” To be submitted to *Oxford University Press*.

Articles:

(9) With Constantine Boussalis, and Alexander Dukalskis, “Why it matters what autocrats say.” Under review.

(8) With Ksenia Northmore-Ball, Anja Neundorf, and Katerina Tertychnaya, “Autocrats and their Citizens. A Research Framework.” Final version.

(7) “How Does an Ideology Spread? Archival Evidence from an Extreme Case” Final version.

(6) With Alexander Schmotz, “The Sartorian Dilemma: Contrary and Contradictory Relationships between Democracy and Autocracy.” Revised conference manuscript (ECPR 2011, Aarhus 2014, various colloquia).

(5) “Chemical Causation.” Completely revised conference manuscript (ECPR 2012, DVPW 2016).

(4) “Heterocracy”. First version (short letter format).

(3) “The Fourth Wave of Autocracy Studies.” First version.

(2) With Ksenia Northmore-Ball, Anja Neundorf, Katerina Tertychnaya, and Aykut Öztürk, “A Loyal Base? Support for Turkey’s AKP Rule in Times of Crisis” (data collection, experimental field phase in May 2021, to be presented at EPSA 2021).

(1) With John Gerring, Daniel Weitzel, and Daniel Ziblatt, “Inequality and the State.” Extensive data collection phase completed (2012-2017), first empirical analyses.

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PRESENTATIONS (SELECTION)

Conference and Workshop Presentations:

“Erosion or Decay? Causes of democratic backsliding in Asia.” Workshop *Democratic Backsliding in Asia*, University of Heidelberg, 08.12.2019.

“Why it matters what autocrats say: Evidence from a least likely case.” Workshop *Inequality in Autocracies*, University of Konstanz, 05.12.2019.

“Why and How Should We Study Legitimacy in Autocracies?” Congress of German Political Science Association, Frankfurt am Main, 25.9.2018

“Governing the Autocratic Market.” Annual Meeting of APSA, Boston, 31.8.2018.

“Ordinary Citizens in Autocracies.” Workshop *Varieties of Autocracy (V-Aut)*, Nottingham, 7.6.2018.

“The Governor’s Dilemma in Autocracies.” Workshop *The Governor’s Dilemma*, European University Institute (EUI), Florence, 15.05.2018.

“Politische Stabilität” Annual Conference of Political Theory Section of German Political Science Association, Bonn, 14.3.2018.

“Measuring Indoctrination and Socialization.” Workshop *Conceptualization and Measuring Varieties of Autocracy (V-Aut)*, V-Dem Institute Gothenburg, 31.05.2017.

With Anja Neundorff, “The Legacy of Authoritarian Regimes on Democratic Citizenship.” ECPR Joint Sessions 2017, Nottingham, 26.04.2017; and at Workshop *The New Politics of Authoritarianism*, Nuffield College, University of Oxford, 15.03.2017.

“Legitimität in Nicht-Demokratien.” Annual Meeting of DVPW-Research Group *Democracy Research*, German Development Institute, 03.11.2016.

“Complementarity and the Study of Autocratic Regimes.” Joint Congress of German, Austrian, and Swiss Political Science Association, Heidelberg, 30.09.2016.

With Alexander Dukalskis, “Communist Regimes in a Post-Communist World. Comparing China, Vietnam, North Korea, and Cuba.” ECPR Joint Sessions of Workshops 2016, 24.-28.04.2016, Pisa [workshop organizer and paper giver]

With Alexander Dukalskis, “Legitimation in Communist Regimes.” Annual Meeting of APSA, San Francisco, 03.09.2015 [panel organizer and paper giver]

“Institutionalizing Autocratic Rule” and “Complementarities and the Study of Autocratic Rule.” Annual Meeting of APSA, Washington, D.C, 28.9. and 30.9.2014.

“International Sanctions against Autocratic Regimes.” ECPR Joint Sessions of Workshops, Mainz, 12.03.2013.

“Causation and Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA).” ECPR Joint Sessions of Workshops, Antwerp, 11.04.2012.

With Alexander Schmotz. “Contrary or Contradictory. Autocracies and Democracies between Dichotomy and Gradation.” ECPR General Conference, Reykjavik, 25.08.2011 [panel organizer and paper giver].

“Mapping Autocratic Regimes” ECPR-IPSA Joint Conference, Sao Paulo, 17.02.2011 [panel organizer and paper giver].

“The Three Pillars of Stability. Towards an Explanation for the Durability of Autocratic Regimes in East Asia.” Annual Meeting of APSA, Washington D.C, 03.09.2010; and ECPR Joint Sessions of Workshops, 23.03.2010.

With Patrick Köllner. “Hyper-Presidentialism Meets Parties Hypo-Institutionalization. A Dilemma for the South Korean Democratic Consolidation.” 24th Biennial Conference of Association of Korean Scholars in Europe (AKSE), Leiden, 20.06.2009.

“Denuclearizing - or Destabilizing North Korea? On the Effects and Limits of External Pressure on North Korea.” Annual Convention of the ISA, New York, 16.02.2009

Invited Talks:

“Sketching the Liberal Script – A Target of Contestation”, WZB Center of Global Constitutionalism, 21.04.2021.

“Explaining Institutional Change.” Lecture Series “New Frontiers in Comparative Politics”, City University London, 24.03.2021.

“A Typology of Institutional Change.” 9th Berlin Summer School in Social Sciences, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 24.7.2019.

“Organized Certainty? The Two Worlds of Autocratic Regimes.” Department of Politics, Princeton University, 09.03.2019.

“Why and How Should We Study Legitimacy in Autocracies?” Tuesday Seminar, ZDEMO, Leuphana University Lüneburg, 22.01.2019.

“Why Concept-Building of More than a ‘Prelude to Serious Research.’” 8th Berlin Summer School in Social Sciences, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 22.7.2018

“Legitimacy as a Key Concept in Comparative Politics.” Department of Politics and International Relations Seminar, University of Reading, 16.1.2018.

“Legitimacy in Autocracies: Oxymoron or Essential Feature?” Department of Social and Political Science, SPS Key Speakers Seminar, University of Milan, 12.12.2017.

“Democratic Satisfaction in Post-Authoritarian Countries.” School of Politics and International Relations Seminar Series, University College Dublin, 5.4.20217.

“Legitimacy, Support, Trust, and Loyalty. How the Concepts We Choose Affect the Outcome We Get.” 7th Berlin Summer School in Social Sciences, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 24.07.2017.

“Was stabilisiert Autokratien? Ein weltweiter Vergleich.“ Lecture Series of Forum Internationale Wissenschaft (FIW), Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-Universität Bonn, 28.6.2017.

“Concepts as Building Blocks for Theories.” 6th Berlin Summer School of Social Sciences, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 26.07.2016.

“The Future of Global Order and Challenges for Democratic Countries.” 7th International Symposium of the Institute of International Relations (IIIR), Prague, 24.9.2015.

“The Two Worlds of Autocratic Regimes.” Joint Seminar Series of Nottingham Interdisciplinary Centre for Economic and Political Research and Institute of Asia and Pacific Studies, University of Nottingham, 14.05.2015

“With Wolfgang Merkel, “ Außenpolitik gegenüber Autokratien“ Deutsche Gesellschaft für Auswärtige Politik (DGAP), Berlin, 16.4.2015.

“Institutionalisierung autokratischer Herrschaft. Kim Il Sung and Kim Jong-il im Vergleich.“ Tübingen Korean Studies Lecture Series, Universität Tübingen, 7.1.2015.

“Stabilizing Autocratic Rule in East Asia.” Chair of Political Theory and Empirical Democracy Research, Universität Stuttgart, 14.1.2014.

With Alexander Schmotz: “The Sartorian Dilemma.” University of Aarhus, 12.12.2011.

Public talks and roundtables at:

Bundeszentrale für Politische Bildung
Landeszentralen für Politische Bildung (Berlin and Brandenburg)
Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung
Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung
Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung
Akademie für Politische Bildung, Tutzing
GIGA Forum
Deutsche Welle Global Media Forum
Lange Nacht der Wissenschaften, Berlin
Junge Akademie

Conference and workshop organization:

“Comparative Authoritarianism”, workshop at Technical University Munich, TUM School of Governance, 01.03.2019.

With Anja Neundorf, et al., “Ordinary Citizens under Autocratic Rule”, workshop in collaboration with V-Dem Institute Gothenburg, Nottingham, 7.-8.6.2018.

With Alexander Dukalskis, “Legitimation in Non-Democracies”, ECPR Joint Sessions of Workshops, Pisa, 24.-28.4.2016.

“Crisis in Autocratic Regimes”, Follow-up author’s workshop, Berlin, 4.-6.6.2015.

With Ina Kubbe, “Workshop for Young Researchers; Comparative Politics Section of German Political Science Association”, Berlin, 3.-4.12.2015.

“Crisis in Autocratic Regimes”, First author’s workshop, Berlin, 1.-3.8.2014.

“Berlin Summer School in Social Sciences”, lead organizer in 2011, 2012, and 2013; co-organizer in 2014, since then various roles as moderator and lecturer.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Undergraduate Level:

2018	“Case Study Research” Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Evaluation: Course Design 3,4/4; Performance of Lecturer 3,9/4 ¹)
2017/2018	“Introduction to Comparative Politics and International Relations” Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Evaluation: Course Design 3,1/4; Performance of Lecturer 3,8/4) “Introductory Week for Incoming Students of Political Science” Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Evaluation: Course Design: 1,8; Performance of Lecturer: 1,4)
2017	“Research Design in Comparative Politics” Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Evaluation: Course Design: 1,3; Performance of Lecturer: 1,3)
2016/2017	“Comparative Political Research” (methodological introduction) (Evaluation: Course Design 1,0; Performance of Lecturer: 1,0) “Key Institutions in Democracies and Autocracies” (Evaluation: Course Design: 1,7; Performance of Lecturer: 1,6) Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
2013	with Alexander Schmotz: “Comparing Political Regimes” Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (No evaluation)
2009/2010	“Introduction to Comparative Politics and International Relations” Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Evaluation: Course Design: 2,0; Performance of Lecturer: 1,2)
2005- 2007	Tutorial “Introduction to the Study of Political Systems” University of Passau

Graduate Level:

2020/2021	with Michael Zürn: “Contestations of the Liberal Script I (Concepts)”
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¹ Courses have been evaluated with two different scales over the years. They are either evaluated from 0 to 4 with 4 being the best or from 1 to 6 with 1 being the best.

	PhD course, Berlin Graduate School for Global and Transregional Studies Freie Universität Berlin (Evaluation pending)
2019/2020	with Michael Zürn: “Contestations of the Liberal Script I (Concepts)” PhD course, Berlin Graduate School for Global and Transregional Studies Freie Universität Berlin (No evaluation)
2019	“Digitalization in Democracies and Autocracies” Technical University Munich (No evaluation)
2018/2019	“Advanced Qualitative Methods” Lecture and Tutorials Technical University Munich (Evaluation Lecture: Course Design 1,3; Performance of Lecturer: 1,3; Evaluation Tutorials: Course Design 1,3; Performance of Lecturer: 1,2)
2017/2018	“Introduction to Political Science” Special Course for Political Refugees (“Refugees Welcome at HU”) Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Evaluation: Course Design 1,2; Performance of Lecturer: 1,2)
2017	“Democratization” Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Evaluation: Course Design: 1,3; Performance of Lecturer: 1,3)
2009/2010	with Wolfgang Merkel: “Dictatorships in the 20 th and 21 st Century” Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Evaluation: Course Design: 1,2; Performance of Lecturers: 1,3)
2011, 2012, 2013, 2015	Tutorials on Research Design in Social Science PhD-level, Berlin Summer School in Social Sciences

Supervision of numerous BA- and MA-theses.

EXPERIENCE WITH THIRD-PARTY FUNDING

2020: Joint application with Heiko Giebler (FU Berlin): “Restrictions of civil liberties and their political legitimation in context: A cross-national survey experiment on citizens’ acceptance of pandemic countermeasures”, accepted by Cluster of Excellence “SCRIPTS”.

2015: Joint application with Wolfgang Merkel (WZB) for international workshop “The Emergence of Crisis in Autocratic Regimes”, accepted by Fritz-Thyssen Foundation.

2015: Co-Investigator: “Legacies of Authoritarianism”, accepted by Economic and Social Research Council, UK [Anja Neundorf (Nottingham) as project head].

2014: Joint application with members of the EDP network: “German Research Network ‘External Democracy Promotion’ (EDP)”, accepted by Senate of the Leibniz Association

2011 and 2012: Collaboration with fellow PhD candidates: “Berlin Summer School in Social Sciences. Linking Theory and Empirical Research” accepted by Volkswagen Foundation. [Jutta Allmendinger and Klaus Eder as applicants]

2010: Collaboration with colleagues from WZB: “Critical Junctures and the Survival of Dictatorships: Explaining the Stability of Autocratic Regimes”, accepted by German Research Foundation (DFG) [Wolfgang Merkel as project head]

Under review: “Research Network ‘Actors in Autocracies’ (RNAA)”, German Research Foundation, Scientific Networks [Nils Weidmann (Konstanz) as applicant]

In preparation: “Research Network ‘External Democracy Promotion’ (EDP)”, German Research Foundation, Scientific Networks.

REVIEWER

Reviewer for American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Perspectives on Politics, British Journal of Political Science, Comparative Political Studies, Journal of Politics, European Journal of Political Research, European Political Science Review, Democratization, Political Studies, Political Science Research and Methods, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Peace Research, Government and Opposition, International Political Science Review, Comparative Politics, Political Studies Review, Review of International Studies, Contemporary Politics, Journal of Political Ideologies, Polity, Terrorism and Political Violence, Problems of Post-Communism, Australian Journal of Political Science, Zeitschrift für Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft; Schweizerischer Nationalfond (SNF).

SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS, GRANTS, MEMBERSHIPS

- Awards:
 - 2016 *Gero-Erdmann-Prize for Comparative Area Studies*, for best dissertation in 2013 and 2014, awarded every two years by Comparative Politics section of German Political Science Association and *Zeitschrift für Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft*.
 - 2013 *Frank Cass Prize for Best Article by a Young Scholar*, awarded by journal *Democratization*.
- Scholarships and grants:
 - 2014: Scholarship of Berlin Social Science Center (WZB) for research stay at Harvard University.
 - 2008-2011: PhD Scholarship of Berlin Graduate School of Social Sciences (BGSS) at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (via the Excellence Initiative of the German Federal and State Government)
 - 2011: Scholarship of Berlin Graduate School of Social Sciences for research stay at University of Oxford
 - 2009-2010: Teaching Scholarship, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
 - 2007-2008: Research Scholarship of German Institute of Global and Area Studies (GIGA), Hamburg
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