

Curriculum Vitae

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General Information

Nationality: German

Date of Birth: 13.11.1962

Current Position

10.2012 - Full Professor of Philosophy, University of Bergen, Norway

Career History

04.2007-10.2012 Full Professor of "Practical Philosophy (Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy), History of Philosophy", University of Duisburg-Essen

12.2008-12.2011 Academic Director / full professor of the *Ethics Programme* University of Oslo (on leave of absence from University of Duisburg-Essen)

07.2007-11.2008 Head of the Department of Philosophy, University of Duisburg-Essen

Juli./Okt. 2008 Visiting Professor at the *Centre for the Study of Mind in Nature (CSMN)*, University of Oslo

Aug./Sept. 2007 Visiting Professor at the *Centre for the Study of Mind in Nature (CSMN)*, University of Oslo

2003–04.2007 Wissenschaftliche Assistentin
Department of Philosophy, University of Bremen

2000–2003 Wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin
Department of Philosophy, University of Bremen

Academic Record

2006 *Habilitation and Venia Legendi* in Philosophy: University of Bremen
Thesis: *Dimensionen der Unparteilichkeit – Adam Smith auf der Suche nach dem moralischen Standpunkt*

2001 *Dr. Phil.* in Philosophy: University of Bremen
Thesis: *Grenzen der Gerechtigkeit? Zur Begründung eines transnationalen Legitimationsgrundsatzes im Ausgang von John Rawls*
Grade: *summa cum laude*

2000 *Magister Artium* in Philosophy and Political Science: University of Bremen
Thesis: *John Rawls' Theory of Justice – A Critical Discussion*
Grade: *excellent*

Areas of Specialisation

- Philosophy of Law,
- Political Philosophy
- Moral Philosophy
- History of Philosophy: Enlightenment (esp. Immanuel Kant, Adam Smith), John Rawls
- Normative foundations of International Law

Current Projects

- *National sovereignty and self-determination of peoples: International Law, normative Foundations Discourse*. Institution: *Interdisciplinary Centre for Humanities Studies*. Funding: Rectorate of the University of Bergen.
- *Friendship: Concept, Theory and Normative Practice*. Funding: DAAD/NFR programme Personal Project Partnership 2017/18. (Co-operation with Prof. Dr. phil. Jean-Christophe Merle, University of Vechta)
- *The Reason of Passions*. (multinational, interdisciplinary co-operation with Prof. Dr. Paola De Cuzzani, University of Bergen)

Publications

Monographs

1. *Moral als demokratischer Prozess: Adam Smiths sympathischer Weg zur Unparteilichkeit*, Paderborn: mentis-Verlag (Brill; expected 2022)
2. *Dimensionen der Unparteilichkeit – Adam Smith auf der Suche nach dem moralischen Standpunkt*. Habilitationsschrift: Universität Bremen (2006)
3. *Grenzen der Rechtfertigung? Internationale Gerechtigkeit durch transnationale Legitimation*, Paderborn: mentis-Verlag (2005)
4. *Grenzen der Gerechtigkeit? Zur Begründung eines transnationalen Legitimationsgrundsatzes im Ausgang von John Rawls*: Dissertation: Universität Bremen (2001)

Edited Volumes

5. *Zwischen Rechten und Pflichten – Kants ›Metaphysik der Sitten‹*. C. Freiin von Villiez / J.-Chr. Merle (eds), Berlin: De Gruyter (2021)

Articles and Book Chapters (selection)

6. „Staatliche Souveränität und Selbstbestimmung der Völker bei Kant und im Völkerrecht. In: C. Freiin von Villiez/J.-Chr. Merle (eds): *Zwischen Rechten und Pflichten – Kants ›Metaphysik der Sitten‹*, Berlin: De Gruyter (2021)
7. „Zur Gliederung der Metaphysik der Sitten“. (With J.-Chr. Merle). In: C. Freiin von Villiez/J.-Chr. Merle (eds): *Zwischen Rechten und Pflichten – Kants ›Metaphysik der Sitten‹*, Berlin: De Gruyter (2021)
8. „Zum Konzept des Bandes“. (With J.-Chr. Merle). In: C. Freiin von Villiez/J.-Chr. Merle (eds): *Zwischen Rechten und Pflichten – Kants ›Metaphysik der Sitten‹*, Berlin: De Gruyter (2021)
9. „Politische Konstruktion einer realistischen Utopie zwischen Völkern“. In: H. Hahn/R. Mosa-yebi (eds): *John Rawls: The Law of Peoples*. Berlin/New York: De Gruyter (2019)
10. „Emotional configuration and intellectual duty: Smith’s democratic concept of morality“. In: *Journal of Scottish Philosophy* 16.3. Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press (2018)
11. „Adam Smith’s story of moral progress“. In: *The International Adam Smith Review* 6, London, New York: Routledge (2011)
12. „On the very idea of a transcultural morality: Adam Smith’s contextualist approach to ethics“. In: *On Being Human*: H.-B. Lim/G. Mohr (eds): *Philosophie und Transkulturalität*: Frankfurt/M.: Peter Lang (2011)
13. „Double-standard – naturally! Smith and Rawls: A Comparison of Methods“. In: L. Montes/E. Schliesser (eds): *New Voices on Adam Smith*, London, New York: Routledge (2006)
14. „Sympathische Unparteilichkeit: Adam Smith’s moralischer Kontextualismus“. In: Ch. Fricke / H. P. Schütt (eds): *Adam Smith als Moralphilosoph*, Berlin, New York: De Gruyter (2005)

15. "Cultural Integrity and Human Rights. A four-level-model of legal culture". In: H.-J. Sandkühler/H.-B. Lim (eds): *Transculturality – Epistemology, Ethics and Politics*, Frankfurt/M.: Peter Lang (2004)
16. "On the Relevance of Public Reason for Democratic Peace". In: H.-J. Sandkühler/H.-B. Lim (eds): *Transculturality – Epistemology, Ethics and Politics*, Frankfurt/M.: Peter Lang (2004)
17. "Staatliche Souveränität und Menschenrechte. Das Recht auf demokratische Partizipation als ein Menschenrecht zweiter Ordnung". In: *15. Bremer Universitätsgespräch: Demokratie und Menschenrechte in einer globalisierenden Welt* Bremen: Universitätsverlag Aschenbeck & Isensee (2003)
18. "Europa zwischen nationaler und globaler Rechtskultur", (with Georg Mohr). In: R. Elm (ed.): *Europäische Identität: Paradigmen und Methodenfragen*, Zentrum für Europäische Integrationsforschung, Baden-Baden: Nomos (2002)
19. „Grenzen der Gerechtigkeit?“. In: *Grenzen und Grenzüberschreitungen*. Bonn: Sinclair Press (2002)
20. "Vom Nationalstaat zu globaler Gerechtigkeit". In: *Archiv für Rechts- und Sozialphilosophie*, Beiheft 83 (2002)

Articles in Handbooks, Lexica, academic Blogs

21. „Rawls Realistische Utopie – oder: wann etwas, das in der Theorie richtig ist, auch zur Praxis taugt“. In: N. Paulo / G. Schweiger: *prae|faktisch.de Ein Philosophieblog: 100-jahre-john-rawls*. (16.05.2021)
22. „Das Angenehme“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
23. „Gesetz der Pflicht“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
24. „Pflichten, gegen sich selbst, gegen andere“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
25. „Pflichten, vollkommene, unvollkommene“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
26. „Nötigung durch das Sittengesetz“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
27. „Barmherzigkeit“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
28. „Beleidigung“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
29. „Belohnung“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
30. „Betrug“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
31. „Bewunderung“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
32. „Shaftesbury“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)

33. „Allgemeinheit des Gesetzes“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
34. „Einstimmung“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
35. „Gemeingültigkeit“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
36. „Gesetzlosigkeit“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
37. „Gesetzmäßigkeit“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
38. „Rechtfertigung“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
39. „Gebot der Vernunft“. In: *Kant-Lexikon in drei Bänden*, Georg Mohr, Jürgen Stoltzenberg, Marcus Willascheck (eds), Berlin, New York: de Gruyter (2015)
40. „Solidarität“. In: *Politische Theorie und Politische Philosophie. Ein Lexikon* ed. Martin Hartmann, Claus Offe, München: Beck Verlag (2011)

Book Reviews

41. *Zwischen Recht und Moral. Neuere Ansätze der Rechts- und Demokratietheorie. Mit Grundtexten von Karl-Otto Apel und Ingeborg Maus*, ed. René von Schomberg / Peter Niesen, in: *Archiv für Rechts- und Sozialphilosophie* (2005; 2)

Translations

42. Mertens, Thomas: Kant und die Zwecke des Lebens. In: C. Freiin von Villiez/J.-Chr. Merle (eds): *Zwischen Rechten und Pflichten – Kants ›Metaphysik der Sitten‹*, Berlin: De Gruyter (2021)
43. Shell, Susan Meld: „Kants moralische Amphibolie und die Beziehung zwischen Ethik und Religion“ (mit J.-Chr. Merle). In: C. Freiin von Villiez/J.-Chr. Merle (eds): *Zwischen Rechten und Pflichten – Kants ›Metaphysik der Sitten‹*, Berlin: De Gruyter (2021)
44. Louden, Robert: „Was ist das Besondere an legalisiertem Sex?“ In: C. Freiin von Villiez/J.-Chr. Merle (eds): *Zwischen Rechten und Pflichten – Kants ›Metaphysik der Sitten‹*, Berlin: De Gruyter (2021)
45. James, David: „Unabhängigkeit und Eigentum in Kants Rechtslehre“. In: C. Freiin von Villiez/J.-Chr. Merle (eds): *Zwischen Rechten und Pflichten – Kants ›Metaphysik der Sitten‹*, Berlin: De Gruyter (2021)
46. Skidelsky, Edward: „Philosophie und Nationalismus. Zum Niedergang des Britischen Idealismus“, in: *Dialektik. Zeitschrift für Kulturphilosophie* (2006/2) Meiner Verlag
47. O'Connor, Brian: „System und Methode“, in: *Handbuch "Deutscher Idealismus"*, Metzler (2005)
48. Lim, Hong-Bin: „The implications of sceptic culture – Reflections on the Pyrrhonic tradition“, in: *Philosophies of Cultures*, ed. Hans-Jörg Sandkühler / Hong-Bin Lim, Frankfurt/M.: Lang (2004)

49. Kim, Changrae: "Intercultural Understanding. A formal examination on cultural unity and plurality", in: *Transculturality – Epistemology, Ethics and Politics*, ed. Hans-Jörg Sandkühler / Hong-Bin Lim, Frankfurt/M.: Lang (2004)
50. Mohr, Georg: "The Principle of Impartiality. Three Models: Moral, Social, Global", in: *Transculturality – Epistemology, Ethics and Politics*, ed. Hans-Jörg Sandkühler / Hong-Bin Lim, Frankfurt/M.: Lang (2004)
51. Mohr, Georg: "The Concept of Legal Cultures", in: *Transculturality – Epistemology, Ethics and Politics*, ed. Hans-Jörg Sandkühler / Hong-Bin Lim, Frankfurt/M.: Lang (2004)
52. Mohr, Georg: "Punishment as an Instrument of Historical Justice – Retribution or Prevention?", paper: Einstein Forum, Potsdam (July 2001)
53. Mohr, Georg: "Contract, Retribution and Prevention in J. G. Fichte's Philosophy of Criminal Law", paper: North American Fichte Society, San Diego (March 2001)
54. Mohr, Georg: "Descartes on Self-consciousness and the Unity of a Person", paper: State University of New York at Stony Brook (August 1999)

Grant Capture, Honours and Awards (selection)

AcademiaNet – Expert database of Outstanding Female Scientists and Scholars by nomination of Alexander von Humboldt foundation: <http://www.academia-net.org/>

Meltzer Foundation: research funding (2017/8) NOK 230.000

Norwegian Research Council:

- *Friendship: concept, normative theory and practice*, NFR/DAAD PPP-programme 110.000 NOK (2016-2018) in cooperation with Prof. Dr. Jean-Christophe Merle (University of Vechta)
- Financing for the *National Ethics-Network*: NFR 900.000 NOK (2010)

University of Bergen:

- *Interdisciplinary Centre for Humanities Studies*: Research project funding (2019) NOK 534.000
- General project and research funding (2013-2016) NOK 345.000

Research Commission of the University of Bremen (FNK):

- Funding for own position (wissenschaftliche Assistentin) (Oct. 2006–March 2007)
- Funding for own position (wissenschaftliche Assistentin) (Oct. 2003–Sept. 2006)
- Funding for own position (wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin) (Oct. 2000–Sept. 2003)
- Stipend for a PhD-Student of the graduate school *Prozessualität in transkulturellen Kontexten: Dynamik und Resistenz* (with Prof. Dr. Georg Mohr; 2003–2006)
- Interdisciplinary research institute of the humanities (Wissenschaftsschwerpunkt) *Dynamik und Komplexität von Kulturen* (University of Bremen), founding-member (2002)

Funding for conference participation:

- University of Bergen (Meltzer foundation; Rectorate; småforsk)
- University of Bremen (FNK)
- German Academic Foreign Service (DAAD)
- German Research Foundation (DFG)

Supervision and co-supervision of PhD Theses and Postdocs (selection, since 2012)

- Johannes Servan (University of Bergen): *CLIMRES - What responsibility do states have toward climate refugees?* Co-supervision with Prof. Dr. Christina Strähle (University of Hamburg)
- Dr. Sveinung Sundfør Sivertsen M.A. (University of Bergen): *How to be a Good Sentimentalist* (date of defence: 17.10. 2019)
- Fei Feng. (School of Government, Nanjing University, China): *Functions of the concept of dignity as a political idea.* (09.2019-09.2020)
- César Akim Erives Chaparro (Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana-Cuajimalpa, Mexico): *The Conception of the Person in the Moral Thinking of John Rawls.* (11.-12.2019)
- Dr. Ralf Andreas Herbst (Universität Duisburg-Essen). *Transzendentalismus. Eine Analyse der praktischen Vernunft anhand der politischen Theorien von Rawls, Fichte und Kant* (date of defence: 14.11. 2012)

Conference, workshop and seminar-series organisation

2022

- *Kants Geschichtsschrift* (international, interdisciplinary intensive seminar, co-organisation with Prof. Dr. Jean-Christophe Merle, University of Vechta)

2019

- Legal Values, Political Virtues, Ethical Feelings (international, interdisciplinary workshop, UiB)

2018

- *Friendship 4* (interdisciplinary project-workshop, UiB)
- *Friendship 3* (interdisciplinary project-workshop, co-organisation with Prof. Dr. Jean-Christophe Merle, University of Vechta)

2017

- *Friendship 2* (interdisciplinary project-workshop, UiB)
- *Friendship 1* (interdisciplinary project-workshop, co-organisation with Prof. Dr. Jean-Christophe Merle, University of Vechta)
- *Kants Religionsschrift* (international, interdisciplinary intensive seminar, co-organisation with Prof. Dr. Jean-Christophe Merle, University of Vechta)

2015

- *Legal Cultures, Political Virtues, and Moral Sentiments. Kant's Tugendlehre im Lichte der Rechtslehre* (UiB)

2014

- *Ius Gentium, International Law, Völkerrecht or Global Law. Law, Its Concept and Normative Issues in Global Perspective* (UiB)

2011

- *The Oslo Lecture in Moral Philosophy*, speaker: Prof. Dr. Agnes Heller (UiO)

2010

- *The Oslo Lecture in Moral Philosophy*, speaker: Prof. Dr. Axel Honneth (UiO)
- *The Ethics Seminar* spring/fall term (6 seminars per term, UiO)

2009

- *The Oslo Lecture in Moral Philosophy*, speaker: Prof. Dr. Julian Nida-Rümelin (UiO)
- *6th symposium German-American Frontiers of the Humanities, "Philosophy of Law"* (with Mika LaVaque-Manty) Alexander von Humboldt Stiftung / American Philosophical Society (Berlin/Potsdam)
- *Etikk og Samfunn: Ytringsfrihetens betydning for demokrati*, public panel discussion and conference, The Ethics Programme (UiO)
- *The Ethics Seminar* spring/fall term (6 seminars per term, UiO)

2008

- “Political Philosophy”, *Lebenswelt und Wissenschaft* – XXI. Deutscher Kongress für Philosophie, Section 14.2 (UDE)

2004-2006

- “Philosophical Colloquium”, Department of Philosophy at the University of Bremen

2002

- *15. Bremer Universitätsgespräch: Demokratie und Menschenrechte in einer globalisierenden Welt*, (with Prof. Georg Mohr und Prof. Michael Zürn; 2002)

Presentations at international/interdisciplinary conferences and workshops

2019

- „National Sovereignty and Self-Determination of Peoples: International Law, normative Sources, Discourse“. Legal Values, Political Virtues, Ethical Feelings (UiB)
- „National Sovereignty and Self-Determination of Peoples: International Law, normative Sources, Discourse“. University College Dublin

2016

- “Methodological Similarities between Smith and Rawls”. Justice and levels of social interaction (UiB)

2015

- „Moralisches Gefühl und innerer Gerichtshof“. Legal Cultures, Political Virtues, and Moral Sentiments: Kant’s Rechtslehre im Lichte der Tugendlehre (UiB)

2014

- „Staatliche Souveränität und Selbstbestimmungsrecht der Völker im Lichte von Kants Rechtslehre“. Kants Rechtslehre / Kant’s Doctrine of Right, Universität Vechta, Institut für Sozialwissenschaften und Philosophie (ISP)

2013

- Panel discussion and commentaries on: Anat Biletzky: “Militaristic Women: The Odd Case of Israeli Feminism”, Gro Rørstadbotten: „Thinking Change: A dynamic ‘utopian’ approach”, Petra Hedberg: “On the validity of human rights”. Bergen’s network for women in philosophy: Human Rights and Peace / Menneskerettigheter og fred, Voss (Norway)
- “What’s wrong with the world-republic, Professor Kant? – Borders of sovereignty”. Department of Philosophy, University of Bergen

2012

- Commentary on Katrin Flikschuh (LSE) ‘Universal Human Rights and Selective Enforcement: some Kantian Reservations’. MultiRights Workshop: Kantian Theory and International Human Rights Courts Workshop (UiO)
- Commentary on Markus Patberg (Darmstadt): ‘Non-institutionalized Popular Sovereignty and the Legitimacy of International Human Rights Courts’ and on Svenja Ahlhaus (Darmstadt): ‘Two Solutions to the Democratic Paradox of International Human Rights Courts’. Graduate Conference: Kant and International Human Rights (UiO)

2010

- “Regarding the normative foundations of law: the Neo-Kantian approach revisited”. Workshop on Prof. Svein Eng’s Rettsfilosofi (UiO)
- "Ethics as a university mandate: why and how?". International horizon scanning workshop The study of ethics as part of research training - current practices and future requirements ALLEA (ALL European Academies - the Federation of European National Academies of Sciences and Humanities), The Norwegian Academy of Sciences and Letters (UiO)

2009

- „Bidrar forskerskoler til bedre forskere?». Research Strategic Seminar, Oslo University College, Oslo
- “Dimensions of Impartiality: Adam Smith’s Story of Moral Progress”. Adam Smith on the Conditions of a Moral Society, Centre for the Study of Mind in Nature (UiO)
- ”Fairness – reconciling equality and freedom”. Den norske filosofifestivalen i Kragerø, Kragerø
- “Dimensions of Impartiality”. The Philosophy of Adam Smith: A conference to commemorate the 250th anniversary of The Theory of Moral Sentiments, Balliol College, Oxford

2008

- “Adam Smith on the Way to Objectivity”. Intersubjectivity and Objectivity in Adam Smith and Husserl II (UiO)
- „Effiziente transnationale Institutionen: Was wir von Immanuel Kant lernen können“. Juristische Fakultät, Universität Bochum

2007

- “Social Convention and Moral Progress”. Intersubjectivity and Objectivity in Adam Smith and Husserl, University of Oslo
- “New Perspectives on International Justice“. Filosofisk Seminar (UiO)
- „Was ist Gerechtigkeit?“. Einsichten – Ausblicke – Vortragsreihe des katholischen Bildungswerks St. Michael und des Starckenburg Gymnasiums, Mannheim
- „Geisteswissenschaften und ihr Verhältnis zu den anderen Wissenschaften“. Eröffnungsfeier zum Jahr der Geisteswissenschaften, Bremerhaven

2006

- „Kann denn Liebe Sünde sein? Kant über Pflicht und Neigung“. Anschauung, Gefühl und Neigung. Über die Rolle der Sinnlichkeit in der Philosophie Immanuel Kants, Universität Frankfurt
- „What’s Wrong with the World-State, Professor Kant?. Thinking about Limits and Borders (Barents Institute / Norwegian Kant Society) Kirkenes
- „Legitime Handlungsfähigkeit: Institutionen als Medium der Umsetzung normativer Forderungen“. Globale Herausforderungen - transnationale und transkulturelle Lösungswege, Universität Tübingen
- “On the way to autonomy: Moral judgement in David Hume and Adam Smith”. Adam Smith’s The Theory of Moral Sentiments, Rochester Institute of Technology, USA

2005

- Commentary on Andreas Niederberger: Überlegungen zum Beitrag der Dekonstruktion zu einer Theorie von Demokratie und Recht in der Weltgesellschaft“. Perspektiven der Dekonstruktion. Recht, Gerechtigkeit und Politik im Anschluss an Jacques Derrida, Bremen

2004

- „Kant, Habermas und das Völkerrecht“. Der kritische Weg ist allein noch offen. Ein Streifzug durch 200 Jahre Wirkungsgeschichte Immanuel Kants (Kant-Symposium der Universitäten Bremen und Oldenburg) Universität Bremen
- “Political Philosophy Today – Problems and Perspectives”. Presentation for a delegation of the China Centre for Contemporary World Studies, Bremen
- “On the very idea of a transcultural morality. Adam Smith’s contextual approach”. Philosophies of Cultures, Korea University, Seoul

2003

- “Double-standard – naturally!”. Adam Smith as a Moral Philosopher, Universität Heidelberg
- Panel discussion at the Symposium Ethics and Empire. The Use and Abuse of U.S. Power in the Early 21st Century, Dickinson College, U.S.A. (videoconference)

- “Social Solidarity as a Transnational Identity Principle for Europe“. Society for Applied European Thought. Meanings of Community, Olomouc, Czech Republic
- “Transnational Rationality. Public Reason as a Prerequisite for Democratic Peace“. Philosophies of Cultures, Bremen

2002

- „Staatliche Souveränität und Menschenrechte. Das Recht auf demokratische Partizipation als ein Menschenrecht zweiter Ordnung“. 15. Bremer Universitätsgespräch: Demokratie und Menschenrechte in einer globalisierenden Welt, Universität Bremen
- “Cultural Integrity and Human Rights. A Four-Level-Model of Legal Culture“. Philosophies of Cultures, Korea University, Seoul
- „Grenzen der Gerechtigkeit?“. 19. Kongress der Allgemeinen Gesellschaft für Philosophie in Deutschland, Bonn

2001

- “The Concept of Legal Culture and Global Distributive Justice“. Annual conference of the British International Studies Association, Edinburgh
- „Vom Nationalstaat zu globaler Gerechtigkeit“. Junges Forum Rechtsphilosophie, Berlin

Research Groups (previous)

- *Intersubjectivity and Objectivity in Smith and Husserl* – workshop-series initiated and conducted by Prof. Dagfinn Føllesdal and Prof. Christel Fricke, University of Oslo (2007/2008)
- *Anthropologische Grundlagen der Wissenschaften vom Menschen* – (interdisciplinary research group) University of Duisburg-Essen (Germany)
- *Centre for the Study of Mind in Nature* (moral agency section) – Centre of Excellence at the University of Oslo (since August 2006)
- Wissenschaftsschwerpunkt *Dynamik und Komplexität von Kulturen* der Universität Bremen – interdisciplinary research institute of the humanities, founder-member and co-ordinator of the working-group „Justification of norms“ (2002–2007)
- Graduiertenkolleg *Prozessualität in transkulturellen Kontexten: Dynamik und Resistenz* – graduate school of the above “Wissenschaftsschwerpunkt“), founder-member (2004–2007)
- *Zentrum Philosophische Grundlagen der Wissenschaften* der Universität Bremen, Abt. II Philosophische Grundlagen von Moral, Recht und Politik – interdisciplinary research centre, member of the board (2002–2007)
- *Moral Philosophy and Philosophy of Law in the Enlightenment* – research group with Prof. Georg Mohr (Phil.) and Prof. Ulli Rühl (Law) (2002–2007)
- University cooperation with The Korean University in Seoul (2002–2006)

Academic Service (selection)

University of Bergen since 10.2012

- *Portuguese Foundation for Science and Technology*: Chair of Philosophy, Ethics, Religion Panel, 4th *Stimulus of Scientific Employment, Individual Support Call* (2021)
- *Portuguese Foundation for Science and Technology*: Chair of Philosophy, Ethics, Religion Panel, 3rd *Stimulus of Scientific Employment, Individual Support Call* (2020)
- *Regional Committees for Medical and Health Research Ethics*: REK-Vest (Norway 2017-2021)
- *Portuguese Foundation for Science and Technology*: Philosophy Panel, 2nd *Stimulus of Scientific Employment, Individual Support Call* (2018)
- *Aequitas. A Journal of Political Philosophy and Society*. Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck. Member of the board
- External expert reviewer for the candidates shortlisted for appointment to the “Professorship in Political Philosophy“, University of Graz

- *University of Padova*: Rexternal Reviewer, 'Supporting TALENTS in ReSEARCH@University of Padova' (STARS Grants 2018)
- *Portuguese Foundation for Science and Technology*: Philosophy Panel, 1st *Stimulus of Scientific Employment, Individual Support Call* (2017)
- Academic coordinator for international student and staff exchange (University of Bergen)
- Workgroup for the development of a Master in Philosophy and Public Policy (University of Bergen)
- External PhD examiner for the *University of Central Lancashire* (Kate Chatfield: "Traditional and Complementary Medicine: Analysing Ethical Challenges") 2016
- *Portuguese Foundation for Science and Technology*: Humanities Panel, Investigator Grants Call (2015)
- *Portuguese Foundation for Science and Technology*: Humanities Panel, Evaluation of R&D Units 2013, Complaints Assessment (2015)
- PhD interview committee, University of Bergen (2014)
- *Danish Research Council*: Chair of panel for philosophy and history of ideas, Funding of Research Projects evaluation (2013)
- *Danish Research Council*: Chair of panel for philosophy and history of ideas, Mobilex programme (2013)
- Member of the Philosophy Department Council, University of Bergen (2013-2017)
- Substitute member of the Philosophy Department Studies Committee (2013)
- Substitute member of the Humanities Faculty Committee (since 2013)
- Post-doc appointment commission, University of Bergen 2013

University of Oslo 12.2008-01.2012

- Director of the *Ethics Programme*: initiation of research and research direction, strategic planning, academic supervision of research school, overall administrative responsibility for the programme
- *Norwegian Centre for Human Rights*: member of the board
- Ph.D selection committee, Faculty of the Humanities
- *Södertörns Högskola*: subject specialist (appointment committee for a professorship in Continental Philosophy)

University of Duisburg-Essen 04.2007-12.2008 / 01.2012-10.2012

- Head of appointment commission for a professorship in "Practical Philosophy, in part. Applied Ethics" 2011/12 (succession Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. C.F.G. Gethmann, UDE)
- Post-doc appointment commission, University of Bergen (2012)
- Subject specialist: appointment committee for a professorship in Applied Philosophy, Aalborg University 2011/12
- Head of the Department of Philosophy (UDE, 07.2007-11.2008)
- Appointment commission for a professorship in "Ethics and Philosophical Anthropology" (succession Prof. Dr. Dieter Sturma, UDE)
- Ph.D. commissions / Habilitation commissions / Appointment commissions (UDE)
- Examination/supervision at all levels (incl. Dr.phil.) and for all courses of study of the department (UDE)
- Responsible for modules: Political Philosophy, Philosophy of Law, Ethics, Phil. of the Person (UDE)
- Coordinator for the department's Socrates/Erasmus programmes (European student/staff exchange, UDE)

University of Bremen 2000–2006

- Women's representative of the Department of Philosophy
- Department commission
- Studies commission
- Commission for restructuring the previous Magister according to the Bologna-Process (BA/MA)
- Department evaluation-commission
- Ph.D. commissions / Habilitations commissions / Appointing commissions
- Examination/supervision at all levels (incl. Dr.phil.) and for all the department's courses of study
- Director of the department's colloquium
- Philosophical Society of Bremen, secretary

European Teaching Cooperation

- Initiation and responsibility Socrates/Erasmus exchange-programmes between the Philosophy departments of the universities of Bergen and the University of Duisburg-Essen (since Aug. 2014)
- Initiation and responsibility Socrates/Erasmus exchange-programmes between the Philosophy departments of the universities of Bergen and the University of Vechta (since March 2013)
- Initiation and responsibility Socrates/Erasmus exchange-programmes between the Philosophy departments of the universities of Duisburg-Essen and Oslo (since Aug. 2007)
- Initiation and responsibility Socrates/Erasmus exchange-programmes between the Philosophy departments of the universities of Bremen and Oslo (2006–2007)

International Refereeing Activities institutions and journals (selection)

- *Regional Committees for Medical and Health Research Ethics (REK-Vest)*, Norway
- *Portuguese Foundation for Science and Technology* (panel-chair / participant)
- *Danish Research Council* (2013 chair of the panel for philosophy and history of ideas)
- *University of Padua*
- *University of Graz*
- *CUP*
- *Routledge*
- *Aequitas. A Journal of Political Philosophy and Society*
- *European Journal for Political Theory*
- *Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie*
- *Erkenntnis*
- *Journal of Global Ethics*
- *The International Adam Smith Review*
- *Deutsche Forschungsgesellschaft*
- *Luxemburger Nationalfonds*
- *Schweizerischer Nationalfonds Zur Förderung Der Wissenschaftlichen Forschung*
- *PhD committees (UK)*

Membership in Academic Societies

- Kant Gesellschaft
- Deutsche Gesellschaft für Philosophie (DGPHIL)
- Gesellschaft für Analytische Philosophie (GAP)
- Internationale Vereinigung für Rechts- und Sozialphilosophie (IVR)
- International Adam Smith Society (IASS)
- British International Studies Association (BISA)
- Society for Applied European Thought (SAET)

University Teaching (undergraduate / graduate / research courses)

Fall 2021

- Philosophical Classics (12h)
- Philosophical Classics (24h)
- Examen Philosophicum: Faculty of Social Sciences (48h)

Fall 2020

- Philosophy of Law (24h)
- Examen Philosophicum: Faculty of Social Sciences (48h)

Spring 2020

- Research Topic in Practical Philosophy (12h)

Spring 2019

- Original sources: Antiquity to Enlightenment (12h)
- Original sources: Antiquity to Enlightenment (24h)
- Independent Study: William Paley

Fall 2018

- Philosophy of Law (24h)
- Examen Philosophicum: Faculty of Social Sciences (48h)

Spring 2017

- Philosophy of Law (24h)

Fall 2016

- Original sources: Enlightenment to 20th Century (12)
- Original sources: Enlightenment to 20th Century (24)
- Examen Philosophicum: Faculty of Social Sciences (48h)

Spring 2016

- Philosophy of Law (24h)

Fall 2015

- Original sources: Enlightenment to 20th Century (12)
- Original sources: Enlightenment to 20th Century (24)

Spring 2015

- Introduction to Practical Philosophy (24h)
- Introduction to Practical Philosophy (48h)

Fall 2014

- History of Philosophy: Enlightenment to 20th Century (12h)
- Original sources: Enlightenment to 20th Century (6)
- Philosophy of Law (24h)
- Examen Philosophicum: Law Faculty (32h)

Spring 2014

- Introduction to Practical Philosophy (20h)
- Introduction to Practical Philosophy (40h)

Fall 2013

- History of Philosophy: Enlightenment to 20th Century (12h)
- Original sources: Enlightenment to 20th Century (6)
- History of Political Philosophy (24h)
- Examen Philosophicum Law Faculty (16h)
- Examen Philosophicum Law Faculty (16h)

Spring 2013

- Introduction to Practical Philosophy (24h)
- Introduction to Practical Philosophy (48h)

Summer 2012

- Introduction to Social and Legal Philosophy (30h)
- Adam Smith: Current research (30h)
- Robert Alexy: *Begriff und Geltung des Rechts* (30h)
- Normative foundations of International Law (30)

Winter 2008-09

- Introduction to Philosophy of Law (30h)
- Philosophy of Human Rights (30h)
- Theories of Democracy (30h)
- International Justice (30)

Summer 2008

- Introduction to Social Philosophy (30h)
- Punishment – Concept and Purpose (30h)
- Gustav Radbruch: *Rechtsphilosophie* (30h)
- Transnational Justice: *Grenzen der Rechtfertigung?* (30)

Winter 2007-08

- Introduction to Philosophy of Law (30h)
- Theory of the Person: Adam Smith's Moral Philosophy (30h)
- Concept and History of Solidarity (30h)
- Exam-Prep Course (15h)
- International Justice: John Rawls's *The Law of Peoples* (30)

Summer 2007

- Introduction to Philosophy of Law (30h)
- Introduction to Social Philosophy (30h)
- Immanuel Kant: *Zum Ewigen Frieden / Gemeinspruch* (30h)
- Christine Korsgaard: *The Sources of Normativity* (30h)

Winter 2006–07

- Theory and History of Natural Law (30h)
- Classic Texts – Fichte: *Foundations of Natural Law* (30h)*
- Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau (2h)

Summer 2006

- Aristotelean Ethics (30h)
- Classic Texts – Kant: *Theory of Virtue* (30h)*
- The Philosophy of John Rawls (2h)
- Moral Sense and Moral Sentiments (2h)

Winter 2005–06

- The Philosophy of Christine Korsgaard (30h)
- Classic Texts – Kant: *Theory of Right II* (30h)*

Summer 2005

- Solidarity (30h)
- The Social-Contract Theory Tradition (2h)
- The Philosophy of Jean-Jacques Rousseau (2h)
- Classic Texts – Kant: *Theory of Right I* (30h)*

Winter 2004–05

Sabbatical for work on Habilitationsschrift

Summer 2004

- Kant's Political Philosophy (30h)
- Culture-Philosophy (of Law): Rickert, Lask, Radbruch (30h)*
- Contemporary Political Philosophy (2h)

Winter 2003–04

- Philosophical Propaedeuticum (30h)
- Introduction to Utilitarianism (30h)
- Utilitarianism in Jeremy Bentham and John Stuart Mill (2h)

Summer 2003

- Kant: *Critique of Pure Reason II* (Transz. EL: Analytik / Dialektik) (30h)
- Classic Texts – Jeremy Bentham: *The Principles of Morals and Legislation* (30h)*
- The social-contract Tradition: Thomas Hobbes and John Locke (2h)

Winter 2002–03

- Kant: *Critique of Pure Reason I* (Transz. EL: Ästhetik / Analytik) (30h)
- Classic Texts – Francis Hutcheson (30h)*

Summer 2002

- Thomas Hobbes: *Leviathan* (methods course) (60h)
- Classic Texts – Anthony Shaftesbury (30h)*
- Traditional and Contemporary Social-Contract Theory (2h)
- Political Theory: Liberalism, Communitarianism, Postmodernism (2h)

Winter 2001–02

- Classic Texts – Adam Smith: *The Theory of Moral Sentiments* (30h)

Summer 2001

- The Political Theory of John Rawls (30h)
- Classic Texts – David Hume: *Treatise / Enquiries* (30h)*
- Theories of Impartiality (with Georg Mohr) (15h)

Winter 2001–02

- John Rawls: *A Theory of Justice* (30h)

* Classic-texts series in co-operation with Prof. Georg Mohr (Philosophy) and Prof. Ulli Rühl (Law Faculty), University of Bremen

University Teaching: (Summer schools /Fall Academies /PhD Academies)**Spring 2010**

- “Theories of legal punishment“: Research course for Ethics-Programme’s research school (Oslo)

Fall 2007

- “Fall-Academy for PhD Students”, University of Duisburg-Essen, workshop: „Disputation und Rigorosum“

Summer 2007

- “Menschenrechte und Völkerrecht”, *Wissenschaft im Dialog*. Wissenschaftssommer Essen (Juni 2007)

Fall 2004

- “Transcultural Studies” (Bremen): PhD workshop: “Norm justification in transcultural legal spheres”; 1.) “Human rights”; 2.) “Legal cultures”

Summer 2002

- “Europe between Nationality and Supranationality” (I.U.C. Dubrovnik, Croatia): “Justification of a unified European Social Policy”

Summer 2001

- “Summer university” (Teachers’ Education) University of Bremen, workshop „International Justice“

Language Skills

- German: mother tongue
- English: fluent
- Norwegian: fluent
- Danish: advanced reading skills
- Swedish: advanced reading and listening skills
- French: basic reading comprehension
- Latin: “Kleines Latinum” (5 years)

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