

# Curriculum Vitae

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### Education

- Since 2020 Doctoral candidate in History, University of Vienna
- 2017-2018 Master's degree in Economic and Social History, University of Cambridge; MPhil-Thesis: "Development of Market-Based Consumer Culture in Pre-Industrial Austria"
- 2015-2022 BSc in Economics, Vienna University of Economics and Business (WU)
- 2013-2016 BA in History, University of Vienna

### Professional Experience (selection)

- 2023-2025 Junior Fellow, International Research Centre for Cultural Studies (IFK), University of Arts Linz
- 2023 Research assistant in the project "Inheritance and Property in Vienna", Vienna University of Economics and Business (WU)
- 2020-2024 Research assistant in the project "The Role of Wealth in Defining and Constituting Kinship Spaces from 16th to the 18th Century", funded by the Austrian Science Fund (FWF - P 33348)
- 2019-2020 Student teaching assistant for *Statistics for Economics and Social Sciences with R*, WU
- 2019-2020 Internship at the Austrian Ministry for Education, Science and Research
- 2015-2017 Student teaching assistant for *Historical Research Methods and Archival Sciences* and *Quantitative Methods and Statistics*, University of Vienna

## Publications

Margareth Lanzinger and Matthias Donabaum, Bauern und Bäuerinnen. Rechtliche, sozioökonomische und geschlechtsspezifische Kontexte, in: Elisabeth Loinig, Tobias E. Hämmerle, Josef Löffler und Martin Scheutz (eds.), Niederösterreich im 18. Jahrhundert. Reform und Tradition (St. Pölten 2024), forthcoming.

Matthias Donabaum, Margareth Lanzinger and Janine Maegraith, 'Eigentum und Besitz. Rechtsqualitäten von Grund und Boden im räumlichen Vergleich', in Sandro Guzzi-Heeb, Luigi Lorenzetti and Martin Stuber (eds.), Formen des Grundeigentums: Konzepte und Praktiken in ökonomischer, sozialer und ökologischer Perspektive = La propriété foncière et immobilière: modèles, pratiques, enjeux économiques, sociaux et écologiques (Zurich 2024) 97–113.

Matthias Donabaum and Janine Maegraith, Verbriefung und Finanzierung von Erbteilen und Ehegütern. Rechtskontexte im Vergleich: Niederösterreich und südliches Tirol im 18. Jahrhundert. In: Zeitschrift für Agrargeschichte und Agrarsoziologie 70/1 (2022) 21-40.

Matthias Donabaum, Conference Report: Kinship and Business. Law, Gender and Generational Perspectives (16th–20th Centuries), 16 September 2021 – 18 September 2021, hybrid (Bozen / Bolzano), in: H-Soz-Kult, 26 October 2021.

## Conference papers and presentations

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| Dec 2023 | “Haushalte(n). Historische Perspektiven auf eine zentrale Ordnungskategorie“   IFK Monday Lecture   IFK, Wien   |
| Oct 2023 | “What’s in a household? Financing the everyday in early modern Central Europe“   Workshop: Towards a Comparative History of Household Finance Before and After the Industrial Revolution   Antwerp University (with Margareth Lanzinger and Janine Maegraith) |
| Sep 2023 | “Landed widows and familial debts. Inheritance, succession, and land markets in 18th-century Lower Austria“   European Rural History Conference   Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca  |
| Apr 2023 | “Guardianship between state administration and familial interests. Lower Austria c. 1700-1780“   ESSHC   Gothenburg   |
| Dec 2022 | “Marital Property, Credit, and Women’s Economic Agency in 18th Century Lower Austria“   Brown Coffee Seminar  |

Cambridge Group for the History of Population and Social Structure, University of Cambridge

- Sep 2022 “Orphans and Credit in Lower Austria, c. 1740-1780” | Workshop: Debt - the Good, the Bad and the Hidden. Bringing Family, Kin, Commerce and Consumption Debts Together | University of Vienna
- Jun 2022 “Familie, Verwandtschaft und Kredit in einer niederösterreichischen Kleinstadt. Eggenburg ca. 1740–1790” | Morgenkolloquium | Department for Economic and Social History, University of Vienna
- Sep 2021 “Hofübergabe und Ausgedinge in einer niederösterreichischen Kleinstadt” | Meeting of the DFG Network “Erbfälle und Eigentumsübertragungen Erbpraktiken im Spannungsfeld von Staat und Familie seit 1800” | University of Vienna
- Sep 2021 “Besitz und Eigentum. Logiken, Grenzen und Formen von Verfügungsgewalt in räumlich-vergleichender Perspektive” | Annual Meeting of the SGWSG, Bern (with Margareth Lanzinger and Janine Maegraith)
- Jun 2021 “Women utilising the many facets of wealth (16th to 18th century)” | WMM, Zurich (with Margareth Lanzinger and Janine Maegraith)