

Curriculum Vitae

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Main Research Interests

Early modern European (social) history, especially German speaking territories with focus on consumption and material culture, inheritance and household structure, widowhood, social- and economic structures, and gender relations; the history and development of female religious orders.

Education

2005: Ph.D. in History, Faculty of History, University of Stuttgart, Germany, on the history of the Cistercian Convent Gutenzell and the consequences of the Secularisation of 1803. Supervisor: Professor Franz Quarthal. Publication of Ph.D. dissertation 2006.

1997: M.A. in History, University of Stuttgart, Germany, on Adam de la Halle's "Jeu de Robin et Marion" and the role of rural women during the thirteenth century.

1990-1997: History and History of Science and Technology, University of Stuttgart. Additional courses in Geography (University of Stuttgart) and Musicology (1992-94, Eberhard-Karls-University, Tübingen).

1990 Abitur (A-level equivalent), Eberhard-Ludwigs-Gymnasium, Stuttgart, Germany.

Employment History (academic)

Since September 2020: Research Associate, "The Role of Wealth in Defining and Constituting Kinship Spaces from 16th to the 18th Century" [follow-up project]. Funded by the FWF P33348, University of Vienna, Department of Social and Economic History. <https://kinshipspaces.univie.ac.at/en/>

2016-January 2020, Sept-2020-present: Research Associate, "The Role of Wealth in Defining and Constituting Kinship Spaces from 16th to the 18th Century". FWF project P29394; University of Vienna, Department of Social and Economic History. <https://kinshipspaces.univie.ac.at/en/>

2016-Easter 2019: Director of Studies in History Part I, Newnham College, Cambridge

2014-2015: Research Associate, "Legal spaces and gender order as social processes in a trans-regional perspective. Negotiating and stipulating property in urban and rural contexts of Southern Tyrol from the 15th to the early 19th century" (Südtiroler

Wissenschaftsfonds). https://www.uibk.ac.at/geschichte-ethnologie/forschung/projekt_rechtsraeume.html

2014-2015: paleography consultation for the Schnitzler Edition Project (Cambridge) <http://www.arthur-schnitzler.org>

2013: freelance historian: research, supervisions, and paleography consultations

2008–Dec 2012: Research Associate, ESRC Major Research Project: ‘Human Well-Being and the “Industrious Revolution”: Consumption, Gender and Social Capital in a German Developing Economy’, Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge. http://www.econ.cam.ac.uk/Ogilvie_ESRC/index.html?page=about

2005–2007: Research Associate, Leverhulme Trust Major Research Project: ‘Economy, Gender, and Social Capital in the German Demographic Transition’, Cambridge Group for the History of Population and Social Structure, University of Cambridge.

Research Fellowships

2014: April: Visiting Fellow at Ehime University, Matsuyama, Japan. Focus on consumption history.

2013: September 15 – October 15: Visiting Fellow at the Silesian University in Opava, Czech Republic.

Teaching Experience (selected)

Undergraduate supervisions

2009-present: History Tripos, Part I, Paper 16 (European history, 1450-1760), Faculty of History, University of Cambridge;

2013-2017: Part I Paper 5: British Economic History, Economics Faculty, University of Cambridge.

Workshop/short courses

since 2012: German paleography for selected MPhil and PhD students, Faculty of History, University of Cambridge.

2017: Workshop III: Quellen der Materiellen Kulturforschung am Beispiel der Alltags-/Wirtschaftsgeschichte (Erlanger Sommerkurs 20. bis 23. September Dinge! Objekte als Quellen und Ausstellungsstück)

MPhil supervisions, courses

WS 2021 Forschungsseminar „Aushandeln und vereinbaren, streiten und schlichten - Konfliktkontexte“ (with Prof. Margareth Lanzinger)

MPhil supervisor of Matthias Donabaum, October 2017 to September 2018, Faculty of History, University of Cambridge.

Lectures

2018: Materielle Kultur. Gruppenspezifische Bedeutungszuschreibungen über Alltagsobjekte. Teil einer Ringvorlesung, Johannes-Kepler-Universität Linz.

2017: Workshop on „Alltagsobjekte: Quellen und Fragestellungen in der Sozial- und Wirtschaftsgeschichte“, Summerschool „Dinge! Objekte als Quellen und Ausstellungsstück“ | Erlanger Sommerkurs, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg and Justus-Liebig-Universität Gießen

2009–2013: Lecture ‘Analysing Inventories’ (with Professor Craig Muldrew), History Tripos, Part II, Paper 18: ‘Material culture in the early modern world’, Faculty of History, University of Cambridge.

Awards

2001/2: One-year Research Grant from Stiftung Oberschwaben.

2005: Publishing grant for the PhD publication

Editorship

2022. Margareth Lanzinger, Janine Maegraith, Special issue “Mobile Land”, The History of the Family.

2021. Margareth Lanzinger, Janine Maegraith, Siglinde Clementi, Ellinor Forster u. Christian Hagen (Hg.), *Stipulating – Litigating – Mediating. Negotiations of gender and property*, Leiden, Brill.

2019. *Geschichte und Region / Storia e regione* 27 (2018), 2 [2019] „Vermögen und Verwandtschaft / Parentela e patrimonio“, ed. Siglinde Clementi and Janine Maegraith.

2012. *Between Revival and Uncertainty. Monastic and Secular Female Communities in Central Europe in the Long Eighteenth Century*. European Social Fund, Silesian University Opava [Veronika Capska – Ellinor Forster – Janine Ch. Maegraith – Christine Schneider].

Current Academic Affiliations

Special Supervisor in History at Newnham College (since 2013).

Founding member of the academic network ‘Material Culture and Consumption in Early Modern Europe. Spaces – Objects – Circulations – Acquisition’, based in Germany. Now “Interdisziplinärer Arbeitskreis” <https://mkkv.hypotheses.org/67>

Founding member of the academic network ‘Cambridge New Habsburg Studies Network’ since October 2014 <https://camhabsburgstudies.wordpress.com/>

Publications

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