

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

09/2017-04/2018	Participation in graduate program (Doctoral studies in economics, CDSE) Mannheim University
09/2016-present	Research assistant at the chair of Development Economics at the South Asia Institute(SAI), Heidelberg University
Fall 2013-July2016	M.A Development Economics at the University of Göttingen Master thesis topic: "Women's empowerment in India: the state of female empowerment in the district of Madhepura and its connection to social capital"
Spring 2013	B.Sc. in Economics at Ruprecht-Karls-University Heidelberg (final grade: 1,9) Bachelor thesis topic: "Measuring Corruption – Perceptions or Facts?"
Fall 2011	Exchange semester at Université Montpellier I, France
2008	High school graduation: Johannes-Kepler-Gymnasium Garbsen, Germany (final grade: 1,6)
09/2005 – 02/2006	School exchange semester at Cameron Heights Collegiate Institute, Kitchener, Canada
03/2002 – 07/2002	Fairfield High School, Bristol, England

Career objective

To work in research related to poverty, development, social capital and female empowerment.

Work experience and voluntary activities

Jobs	01/2019	Participation as consultant and presenter at IsDB-World Bank DIME Impact Evaluation Workshop
	02/2015-04/2015	Research stay at MIT Gandhinagar and in Madhepura, India in order to conduct the baseline study for the evaluation of the Gram Varta program (in preparation for the Master Thesis).
	08/2014-12/2015	Student assistant at the Chair of Development Economics, University of Göttingen
	04/2014 -10/2014	Student assistant at the Courant Research Center „Poverty and Equity and Growth in Developing Countries“
	03-12/2012	Student assistant at the chair of foreign trade at the Alfred-Weber-Institute for Economics, Heidelberg
	2012	Lead hostess for mks (supervisor of other hostesses)
	2009	Interviewer for Management Consult
Internships	05 - 08/2013	Intern at the United Nations Institute of Justice and Crime, Turin
	08 - 11/2012	Intern at the KfW Development Bank
		Intern at the literary agency Schlück

Voluntary Activities	10/2018-6/2019	Representative for equality at SAI
	2018	Moderator and designer of the concept for a panel discussion on “Who is responsible for global poverty?” (Discussants: A. Drewes (Néstle Deutschland), Gabriele Reich-Gutjahr (FDP/DVP Fraction Baden-Württemberg), Heinz Fuchs (Brot für die Welt), Sebastian Burger (Philosopher, Protestant Academy Baden-Württemberg)
	2010 – 2012	Assisting students in crisis areas as member of the campus group „Études sans Frontières“
	09/2008 - 07/2009	Voluntary service in Guatemala as a teacher in a school for indigenous girls
	2007/2008	Initiator and organizer of the Battle of the Bands Garbsen

Personal Abilities and Competences

Computing	Very good knowledge of Word, PowerPoint, Outlook, Excel and the established image editing software. Good knowledge of STATA. Basic knowledge of geographic information systems (QGIS)
Languages	German: mother tongue English: fluent French: very good Spanish: good Italian: basic
Other Competences	Participation in block seminars on (i) how to prepare and implement household surveys and (ii) how to carry out systematic reviews Winner of the municipal prize for young artists Garbsen 2003.

References

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