



CURRICULUM VITAE

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Gender and old-age inequalities, life course sociology, social demography, family and retirement policies

EDUCATION

02.2024 -	Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research Postdoctoral Researcher in Labour Demography and MaxHel	Rostock
10.2020 - 2024	University of Oxford Department of Sociology Doctor of Philosophy in Sociology, Nuffield College Studentship & ESRC Grand Union Doctoral Training Partnership (DTP) Studentship Supervisor: Christiaan Monden	Oxford
10.2017 - 8.2020	Humboldt Universität zu Berlin Social Sciences (Sociology and Political Sciences) Master of Arts (1,0) Master thesis: ' <i>Gender Pension Gaps Across Europe From a Lifecourse Perspective</i> ' (1,0)	Berlin
10.2013 - 12.2017	Humboldt Universität zu Berlin Social Sciences (Sociology and Political Sciences) Bachelor of Arts (1,4) Bachelor thesis: ' <i>The Gender Pay Gap in Germany over time</i> ' (1,0)	Berlin

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

2024	with Emanuela Struffolino and Anette Fasang ' <i>Life-course-sensitive analysis of group inequalities: Combining sequence analysis with the Kitagawa-Oaxaca-Blinder decomposition</i> ', In: Sociological Methods & Research .
2023	with Zachary Van Winkle, ' <i>Cohort Change in the Family Complexity of Adults and Children in the United Kingdom</i> ', In: The Demography of Transforming Families , pp 203–225.
2022	' <i>Der Zusammenhang von Familien- und Arbeitsbiografien und Rentensystemen mit dem Gender-Pension-Gap – geschlechtsspezifische Rentenlücken in Europa aus der Lebensverlaufsperspektive</i> ', Deutsche Rentenversicherung , Ausgabe 2/2022.

WORKING PAPERS

2024	with Nicole Kapelle ' <i>Uncovering what matters: Family life course aspects and personal wealth in late working age</i> ', SocArXiv Papers . Working paper.
2024	' <i>Full-time employment is all that matters? Quantifying the role of relevant and gender-exclusive life course experiences for gender inequalities</i> ', SocArXiv Papers . Working paper.

2024	'Differences in gender gaps in public and private pensions in West Germany: What role do work-family life courses play?', SocArXiv Papers . Working paper.
2023	'Housewives never retire!?! Gender biases in popular sample definitions for studies on the elderly', SocArXiv Papers . Working paper.

UNDER REVIEW & IN PROGRESS

Under review

- 'Full-time employment is all that matters? Quantifying the role of relevant and gender-exclusive life course experiences for gender inequalities' (R&R at Social Forces).
- with Nicole Kapelle. 'Features of family life trajectories and wealth in older age: What does really matter?' (R&R at Demographic Research)
- 'Differences in gender gaps in public and private pensions in West Germany: What role do work-family life courses play?' (Under Review at Work, Employment and Society).

In preparation for submission

- 'Housewives never retire!?! Gender biases in popular sample definitions for studies on the elderly'
- with Nicole Kapelle. 'Decomposing the Gender Wealth Gap in late working age based on the most relevant family and work life course aspects'

Work in progress (selection)

- with Martin Gädecke and Zachary van Winkle. 'Children's Family Complexity and Educational Outcomes: A Fixed-Effects Analysis of Multi-Dimensional Sequence-Based Measures'
- with Lauren Bishop, Philipp Dierker, Martin Gädecke, Zachary Van Winkle, Liina Junna, Pekka Martikainen, Mikko Myrskylä. 'Family Environments and Children's Mental Health: A Holistic Examination Across Five Family Dimensions'
- with Silvia Loi, Pekka Martikainen, Mikko Myrskylä. 'Exploring intersectional health inequalities among the elderly by gender and nativity from a life course perspective'
- 'Decomposing the Gender Pension Gap over time: Trends, Causes, and Persistent Challenges'
- with Linda Vecgaile and Julia Leesch 'Seeing the Future: Machine-Learning-Powered Projections of Gender Pension Gaps of the current workforce'

PUBLIC SCIENCE AND DISSEMINATION

2019	with Anna Hammerschmid, 'Gender pension gaps in Europe are more explicitly associated with labor markets than with pension systems', DIW Weekly Report 25 / 2019
2019	with Anna Hammerschmid, 'Gender pension gaps - a problem in many European countries', DIW Weekly Report 18 / 2019
2017	with Peter Haan and Anna Hammerschmid, 'Gender Gaps in Pensions and Health: Germany, France, and Denmark', DIW Weekly Report 43 / 2017

ACADEMIC VISITS

06.2023 - 07.2023	Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute (NIDI) The Hague Work & Retirement Group Host: Kène Henkens
08.2024	University of Helsinki Finland Host: Pekka Martikainen

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 06.2024 | **State Institute for Family Research at the University of Bamberg** online
Conference: *ifb-Kolloquium*
Presentation: „*The consequences of family complexity for children*“
- 06.2024 | **ECONtribute WORKSHOP, University of Cologne** Köln
Methods for Studying Life Events and Trajectories: Interdisciplinary Perspectives
Presentation: „*Full-time employment is all that matters? Decomposing Gender Pension Gaps based on relevant life course features in Germany & the Netherlands*“
Presentation: „*Life-Course-Sensitive Analysis of Group Inequalities: Combining Sequence Analysis with the Kitagawa–Oaxaca–Blinder Decomposition*“ (Presented by Emanuela Struffolino)
- 04.2024 | **MZES Social Science Data Lab** Mannheim
MZES Social Science Data Lab - Methods Bites
Presentation: „*Towards more life-course-sensitive decompositions of group-inequalities: Two approaches applied to the Gender Pension Gap*“
- 03.2024 | **SHARE** online
SHARE International Seminar Series
Presentation: „*Life-Course-Sensitive Analysis of Group Inequalities: Combining Sequence Analysis with the Kitagawa–Oaxaca–Blinder Decomposition*“
- 11.2022 | **Deutsche Rentenversicherung** Erkner
Fachtagung: Alterssicherung im internationalen Vergleich und europäische Sozialpolitik
Presentation: „*Gender Pension Gaps in Europa: Assoziationen von Arbeitsmarktungleichheiten, Rentensystemen und geschlechtsspezifischen Lebensverläufen mit der Rentenlücke zwischen Männern und Frauen*“
- 7.2022 | **Forschungsnetzwerk Alterssicherung (FNA), Deutsche Rentenversicherung** online
FNA-Graduiertenkolloquium
Presentation: „*Unterschiedlich stark ausgeprägte geschlechts-spezifische Rentenlücken in gesetzlichen und privaten Renten: Welche Rolle spielen Arbeits- und Familienlebensverläufe?*“

OTHER CONFERENCE & WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

- 11.2024 | **MPIDR & MaxHel** Rostock
Conference: *MaxHel Annual Meeting*
Presentation: „*Family Environments and Children’s Mental Health: A Holistic Examination Across Five Family Dimensions*“
- 11.2024 | **MPIDR** Rostock
Conference: *Demystifying machine learning for population researchers4*
Presentation: „*Seeing the Future: Machine-Learning-Powered Projections of Gender Pension Gaps of the current workforce*“ (presented with Julia Leesch)
- 10.2024 | **netspar** Utrecht
Conference: *Pension Day 2024*
Presentation: „*Full-time employment is all that matters? Decomposing Gender Pension Gaps based on relevant life course features in Germany & the Netherlands*“

8.2024	European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR) Conference: <i>ECSR Annual Conference 2024</i> Presentation: „Decomposing the Gender Wealth Gap in late working age based on the most relevant family and work life course aspects“ (Presented by Nicole Kapelle) Presentation: „Housewives never retire!? Gender biases in popular sample definitions for studies on the elderly“	Barcelona
08.2024	ESPAnet Conference: <i>ESPAnet 2024</i> Presentation: „Decomposing the Gender Wealth Gap in late working age based on the most relevant family and work life course aspects“ Presentation: „Full-time employment is all that matters? Decomposing Gender Pension Gaps based on relevant life course features in Germany & the Netherlands“ Presentation: „Housewives never retire!? Gender biases in popular sample definitions for studies on the elderly“	Tampere
04.2024	Population Association of America Conference: <i>Population Association of America - 2024 Annual Meeting</i> Presentation: „Decomposing the Gender Wealth Gap in late working age based on the most relevant family and work life course aspects“	Columbus
11.2023	University of Lausanne Conference: <i>LIVES International Conference</i> Presentation: „Full-time employment is all that matters? Decomposing Gender Pension Gaps based on relevant life course features in Germany & the Netherlands“	Lausanne
9.2023	European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR) Conference: <i>ECSR Annual Conference 2022</i> Presentation: „Full-time employment is all that matters? Decomposing Gender Pension Gaps based on relevant life course features in Germany & the Netherlands“	Prague
6.2023	Nuffield College Conference: <i>The Use of Panel Data in Studying Social Inequality and Political Behaviour</i> Presentation: „Full-time employment is all that matters? Decomposing Gender Pension Gaps based on relevant life course features in Germany & the Netherlands“	online
5.2023	RC28 Conference: <i>RC28 Spring Conference</i> Presentation: „Full-time employment is all that matters? Decomposing Gender Pension Gaps based on relevant life course features in Germany & the Netherlands“	Paris
4.2023	Population Association of America Conference: <i>Population Association of America - 2023 Annual Meeting</i> Poster presentation: „Full-time employment is all that matters? Decomposing Gender Pension Gaps based on relevant life course features in Germany & the Netherlands“ Poster presentation: „Differences in Gender Pension Gaps in public and private pensions in West Germany: What role do work-family life courses play?“	New Orleans
3.2023	ecsr, Collegia Carlo Alberto and NASP Spring school: <i>ecsr spring school 2023: Changing Families and Social Inequality Over the Life Course</i> Presentation: „Full-time employment is all that matters? Decomposing Gender Pension Gaps based on relevant life course features in Germany & the Netherlands“	Turin

- 10.2022 | **ESA Research Network 26 (Sociology of Social Policy and Social Welfare)** Berlin
 Conference: *From the cradle to the grave? Social policy in diverse temporal and spatial contexts*
 Presentation: „Differences in Gender Pension Gaps in public and private pensions in West Germany: Which role do work-family life courses play?“
- 7.2022 | **European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR)** Amsterdam
 Conference: *ECSR Annual Conference 2022*
 Presentation: „Differences in Gender Pension Gaps in public and private pensions in West Germany: Which role do work-family life courses play?“
- 6.2022 | **European Association for Population Studies (EAPS)** online
 Conference: *European Population Conference*
 Presentation: „Cohort Change in the Family Complexity of Adults and Children in the United Kingdom“
- 6.2022 | **Work and Family Researchers Network** New York City
 Conference: *Work and Family Researchers Network 6th Biennial Conference*
 Presentation: „Life-course-sensitive analysis of group inequalities in old age: Combining Multichannel Sequence Analysis with the Kitagawa-Oaxaca-Blinder decomposition“
- 4.2022 | **RC28** London
 Conference: *RC28 Spring Conference*
 Presentation: „Cohort Change in the Family Complexity of Adults and Children in the United Kingdom“
- 4.2022 | **Population Association of America** Atlanta
 Conference: *Population Association of America - 2022 Annual Meeting*
 Presentation: „Cohort Change in the Family Complexity of Adults and Children in the United Kingdom“
 Presentation: „Life-course-sensitive analysis of group inequalities in old age: Combining Multichannel Sequence Analysis with the Kitagawa-Oaxaca-Blinder decomposition“
- 3.2022 | **German Society for Demography** online
 Conference: *Annual Conference of the German Society for Demography 2022*
 Poster presentation: „Differences in Gender Pension Gaps in public and private pensions in West Germany: Which role do work-family life courses play?“
- 10.2021 | **Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research** Rostock
 Conference: *Life Course Analysis. Theoretical perspectives, methodological innovations, and empirical applications*
 Presentation: „Life-course-sensitive analysis of group inequalities in old age: Combining Multichannel Sequence Analysis with the Kitagawa-Oaxaca-Blinder decomposition“
- 10.2021 | **European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR)** online
 Conference: *ECSR Annual Conference 2021*
 Presentation: „Life-course-sensitive analysis of group inequalities in old age: Combining Multichannel Sequence Analysis with the Kitagawa-Oaxaca-Blinder decomposition“

9.2021	European Sociological Association Conference: <i>15th Conference of the European Sociological Association</i> Presentation: „ <i>Life-course-sensitive analysis of group inequalities in old age: Combining Multichannel Sequence Analysis with the Kitagawa-Oaxaca-Blinder decomposition</i> “	online
4.2021	Sequence Analysis Association Seminar: <i>Webinar Series of the Sequence Analysis Association</i> Presentation: „ <i>Life-course-sensitive analysis of group inequalities in old age: Combining Multichannel Sequence Analysis with the Kitagawa-Oaxaca-Blinder decomposition</i> “	online
3.2020	DIW Berlin Seminar: <i>DIW Cluster Seminar</i> Presentation: „ <i>Decomposition of Gender Pension Gaps Across Europe from a life-course perspective – preliminary drafts from sequence data analysis and Blinder-Oaxaca-Decompositions</i> “	Berlin
5.2019	Hertie School Of Governance Conference: <i>New social risks and pension policies in Europe</i> Presentation: „ <i>Gender Pension Gaps Across Europe</i> “	Berlin
10.2018	DIW Berlin <i>Gender Economics Workshop</i> Poster presentation: „ <i>Gender Pension Gaps Across Europe</i> “	Berlin

AWARDS

- Final nominee for Netspar Thesis Award 2024
- PAA best poster award 2023 for „Full-time employment is all that matters? Decomposing Gender Pension Gaps based on relevant life course features in Germany & the Netherlands“
- Research award (FNA-Sonderforschungspreis 2021) from the Research Network on Old-Age Provision (FNA) of the German Federal Pension Insurance (Deutsche Rentenversicherung) for the master thesis – 1000 Euros

GRANTS

- Full DPhil Scholarship: Nuffield College Studentship and ESRC Grand Union Doctoral Training Partnership (DTP) Studentship – 46,000 GBP + course fees
- Nuffield travel grant to attend the rc28 conference in Paris, France – 240 GBP
- Nuffield travel grant for research stay at NIDI in The Hague, Netherlands – 500 GBP
- Department of Sociology Graduate Research Support Funding to attend the PAA 2023 in New Orleans, Atlanta – 392 GBP
- Research Training Support Grant of the Grand Union DTP to attend the PAA in New Orleans, Atlanta – 840 GBP
- Nuffield travel grant to attend the Work & Family Research Network Conference in New York City, USA – 800 GBP
- Nuffield travel grant to cover course fees of the Summer School in Social Science Methods in Lugano, Switzerland – 500 GBP
- Research Training Support Grant of the Grand Union DTP to attend the Summer School in Social Science Methods in Lugano, Switzerland – 775 GBP

TEACHING AND SUPERVISION

7.2024	Universität Rostock Course: <i>Familie und Lebenslauf</i> by Heike Trappe Bachelor level: Session on accumulation of inequalities and the gender pension gap	Rostock
11.2024	Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research Course: <i>Life Course Methods - Introduction to Sequence Analysis</i> PhD level: One-day course on on Sequence Analysis	Rostock

Master thesis supervision

- Sina Löwe, University of Rostock

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES & MEMBERSHIPS

Netspar junior fellow (Oct 2024 - now)

Member of the Executive Committee of SAA - Sequence Analysis Association (Jan. 2023 - now)

Member: European Association for Population Studies(EAPS), European Sociological Association (ESA), Population Association of America (PAA), RC28, Sequence Analysis Association (SAA), Work & Family Research Network (WFRN)

Occasional Reviewer: Advances in Life Course Research, European Sociological Review, European Societies, Journal of Family Research, Work, Aging and Retirement

RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (SELECTION)

11.2020 - 06.2022	University of Oxford <i>Research Assistant</i> – For the project ' <i>The Consequences of Family Complexity for Adults & Children in the UK</i> ' Principal Investigator: Zachary Van Winkle	Oxford
12.2016 - 9.2019	German Institute for Economic Research (DIW Berlin) <i>Student Researcher, Department of Public Economics, Anna Hammerschmid and Peter Haan</i>	Berlin

FURTHER TRAINING (SELECTION)

8.2022	Summer School in Social Science Methods <i>Machine Learning - What Is It Good For?</i> Marco Steenbergen Participation	Lugano
3.2022	Course provided by the International Max Planck Research School for Population, Health and Data Science <i>From decomposition to causal mediation analysis: a multidisciplinary perspective</i> Prof. Dr. Frank van Lenthe, Dr. Wilma Nusselder, Dr. Maarten J. Bijlsma, Dr. Anna Pearce, Dr. Joost Oude Groeniger Participation	online

SKILLS

Technical:	STATA, R, MS Office, Zotero
Languages:	German (Native), English (Fluent), Russian & French (Basic)

INTERNATIONAL & VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

2021 - 2022		Nuffield College students' equality representative
2020 - 2021		Nuffield College students' women's representative
2019 - 2020		Peer mentor for first generation university students, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
2013 - 2019		Volunteer for betterplace.org
2015 - 2018		Volunteer in awareness campaign for the German Tinnitus Foundation Charité
2015 - 2016		ERASMUS student exchange, Università di Bologna, Italy
2011 - 2012		Voluntary service (weltwärts), Djerela - Charity Association For People With Intellectual Disabilities, Kyiv, Ukraine

ACADEMIC REFERENCES

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