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Current Position

Since 2016 Ph.D. student at the Department of Anthropology and African Studies,
JGU Mainz

Ph.D. project: "South-south migration and experiences of dis-
(em)placement in Argentina"

Education

2013 – 2016 Master course "Studies in European Culture", Konstanz University

Master thesis: "Practices of Identification and Care: A Casamançais
Women's Organization in Buenos Aires"

2009 – 2012 Bachelor course "German-French Studies", University of Regensburg

Bachelor thesis: „Deutsche und französische Kolonialzeit im
Bewusstsein junger Kameruner. Eine qualitative Fallanalyse vor dem
Hintergrund kulturwissenschaftlicher Gedächtnistheorie"

Scholarships, memberships

Since 2018 Junior member of the Gutenberg Academy

Since 2018 Ph.D. scholarship of the German National Academic Foundation

2010 – 2016 Scholarship of the German National Academic Foundation

Field research, international experience

03/2018 – 10/2018 Field research in Buenos Aires, Argentina

03/2017 – 04/2017 Field research in Buenos Aires, Argentina, and São Paulo, Brazil, funded
by the Gutenberg Council for Young Researchers

09/2015 – 10/2015 Field research in Buenos Aires, Argentina, funded by the German
National Academic Foundation

08/2014 – 01/2015 Exchange Semester, Universidad Nacional de Tres de Febrero, Buenos
Aires, Argentina

03/2013 – 06/2013 Internship, Goethe-Institute Senegal

- 08/2012 – 01/2013 Internship, Friedrich-Ebert-Foundation, EU Office Brussels, Belgium
- 02/2012 – 04/2012 Internship, German Embassy in Paris, France
- 06/2011 – 09/2011 Internship, Goethe-Institute Cameroon
- 09/2010 – 05/2011 Exchange Semester, Université Blaise-Pascal, Clermont-Ferrand, France

Teaching

- Winter term 2017/18 Reading course in social and cultural anthropology
- Summer term 2017 Introduction to the anthropology of migration
- Winter term 2016/17 Introduction to research practices

Publications

Accepted for publication (with Heike Drotbohm): "From the red card to the red carpet and back. A review of the German literature on migration, development and recent politics of border control". In: Tanja Bastia and Roald Skeldon (ed.): Routledge Handbook of Migration and Development. London: Routledge.

2019 (with Nanneke Winters): "Haciendo-lugar vía huellas y apegos: las personas migrantes africanas y sus experiencias de movilidad, inmovilidad e inserción local en América Latina." In: *REMHU* 56, 11-33.

2019: "¿Pourquoi tu te mets là comme ça? Migrantes congoleñas y prácticas de haciendo-lugar en São Paulo." In: *REMHU* 56, 117-137.

2019: Book review: Lems, Annika, 2018: Being-Here. Placemaking in a World of Movement. Oxford and New York: Berghahn. In: *Ethnos*. Published online: <https://doi.org/10.1080/00141844.2019.1598459>.

2018: "Bench acquaintances: Finding one's place in a Buenos Aires shopping centre". Blog contribution. In: Allegra Lab. Online access: <http://allegralaboratory.net/bench-acquaintances-finding-ones-place-in-a-buenos-aires-shopping-centre-displacement/> [last consultation: 27.08.2018].

2018 (with Nanneke Winters): "Care in Crisis: Ethnographic Perspectives on Humanitarianism – Conference Report". Blog contribution. In: Medizinethnologie. Online access: <http://www.medinethnologie.net/care-in-crisis-ethnographic-perspectives-on-humanitarianism-conference-report> [last consultation: 27.08.2018].

2017: „¿Casamancés, africano, negro? Negociación de identificaciones dentro de un grupo de mujeres migrantes en Buenos Aires". In: João Carlos Tedesco und Gisele Kleidermacher (ed.): *Imigração senegalesa no Brasil e na Argentina: múltiplos olhares*. Porto Alegre: Est Edições, 151-175. Online access: https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B6jv84N0_7ukTlo4LWhWZnY3Zk0/view [last consultation: 31.07.2017].

Workshops, conferences, presentations

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| 2019 | Presentation, "Family obligations, competition and the fear to fail: The difficult decision to broker (or not) in an Argentine shopping centre", Conference of the German Anthropological Association (GAA), Konstanz |
| 2019 | Presentation: "Beyond the Migrant-Citizen-Divide: Dis- and Emplacement in a Buenos Aires Shopping Centre", international summer school „Cultures, Migrations, Borders – MigBord 2019" (Plomari, Lesvos, Greece), organized by the University of the Aegean |
| 2019 | Presentation, "Placemaking und prekäre Zukünfte. Migrantische und argentinische AkteurlInnen in einem argentinischen Einkaufszentrum." Colloquium of the Department of Anthropology and African Studies (ifeas), Mainz |
| 2019 | Presentation, "Unexpected help and disappointed expectations: social protection and the experience of precarity among migrants in Buenos Aires". Conference: "Future Today/Yesterday/Tomorrow. Visions of Future(s) in the Americas", University of Bonn |
| 2019 | Presentation, "Support networks in a Buenos Aires shopping centre: seeking stability in an unstable place", 7 th APA Congress (Associação Portuguesa de Antropologia), Lisbon |
| 2018 | Panel chair (with Nanneke Winters), "Experiencias actuales de migrantes y refugiados africanos en América Latina", 56° Congreso Internacional de Americanistas (ICA), Salamanca |
| 2018 | Presentation, "Migrantes africanos y sus prácticas de <i>place making</i> en contextos de trabajo. Estudios de caso de Buenos Aires y São Paulo", 56° Congreso Internacional de Americanistas (ICA), Salamanca |
| 2016 | Co-organization of the workshop "Refugeeism & Asylum in Europe and Germany – Enhancing Active Citizenship", funded by the German National Academic Foundation |

Languages

German, English, French, Spanish, Portuguese