

Curriculum Vitae

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Current Position

2003-present Senior researcher, Bavarian State Institute for Higher Education Research and Planning

Previous Academic Positions

09/1998 - 12/2001 Research associate, Special Collaborative Centre 186, "Status passages and risk in the life courses", funded by the German Research Foundation (DFG), University of Bremen

Education

2004 Dr. rer. pol. (Economics and Social Sciences),
University of Bremen
Thesis: "Gender Inequality in the German Labor Market"
Reviewers: Prof. Dr. Ansgar Weymann, Prof. Dr. Reinhold Sackmann

1998 Diploma in political sciences (first major) and sociology (second major), University of Hamburg, Germany

Fellowships

1/2002-12/2002 PhD-Fellowship of the University of Bremen

Research Grants

2012-2013 Research Grant, 'Equal starting conditions for female and male higher education graduates? Empirical analysis of labour market entry and career mobility five years after graduation', Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF), (Role: principal investigator), € 62.000

2017-2020 Research Grant, 'Effectiveness of institutional measures to prevent student dropout (InMaSS)', Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF), (Role: principal investigator), € 163.000.

2017-2021 Research Grant, 'Success and withdrawal of international students in Germany (SeSaBa)' together with German Academic Exchange service (DAAD) and University of Hagen, Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF), (Role: principal investigator), € 226.000.

2021-2024 Research Grant, 'InterMINT- International students in STEM: The interaction of predictors at the individual, university and cultural level (InterMINT)' together with University of Hagen, Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF), (Role: principal investigator), € 173.000.

Teaching

Since 2018 Lecturer at the University of Applied Sciences Munich

Review Activities

Reviewer for European Sociological Review, Zeitschrift für Erziehungswissenschaft, Beiträge zur Hochschulforschung, and Zeitschrift für empirische Hochschulforschung

Media Coverage

Interview with Susanne Falk „In Bayern gibt es keine Generation Praktikum“. Süddeutsche Zeitung. 09.06.2007

Interview with Susanne Falk „Mit Leistungs-Tracking gegen Studienabbruch“. Forschung & Lehre. 19.3.2018

Interview with Susanne Falk „Soziale Austauschmöglichkeiten während der Pandemie fördern“. DAAD. <https://www2.daad.de/der-daad/daad-aktuell/de/79736-soziale-austauschmoeglichkeiten-waehrend-der-pandemie-foerdern/>. DAAD. 11.05.2021

Haerdle, B. (2022). Wie man den Studienerfolg forcieren könnte. DAAD Aktuell. Online-Magazin. <https://www2.daad.de/der-daad/daad-aktuell/de/81814-wie-man-den-studienerfolg-internationaler-studierender-forcieren-koennte/>

Susanne Falk (with Jan Kercher and Julia Zimmermann) (2022). Internationale Studierende in Deutschland (IHF-Podcast-Reihe Schlaglichter der Hochschulforschung, Folge 9). München.

Interview with Susanne Falk and Theresa Thies in the Blog of *Wissenschaft Weltoffen* (2023). („[Die Teilnahme an Freizeitangeboten der Hochschule stärkt das Zugehörigkeitsgefühl](#)“). DAAD

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