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- 07/2010 Dissertation in Sociology (Dr. Phil.), Bielefeld University (Dissertation Thesis: From an Organized Institution to an Institutionalized Organization. An Analysis of Mission Statements of German Universities), Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Peter Weingart, Prof. Dr. Georg Krücken
- 07/2002 Diploma in Sociology (Dipl. Soz.), Bielefeld University (with a specialization in sociology of science/science and technology studies (STS) and a minor in psychology) (Diploma Thesis: Death Bell in the Ivory Tower? An Analysis of Private Universities in Germany from a Discourse Analytical Perspective), Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Rudolf Stichweh, Prof. Dr. Sabine Maasen
- 10/1998 Intermediate Exam [Zwischenprüfung], Magister in History and Sociology, Bielefeld University

CAREER DETAILS

- 01/2018 present Professor for Methodology of Higher Education and Science Research, Leibniz University Hannover, LCSS Leibniz Center for Science and Society
- 10/2023–03/2024 Visiting Scholar, Stanford University, School of Education
- 02/2017–04/2017 Visiting Scholar, Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Department for Sociology and Anthropology
- 02/2013–08/2013 Visiting Scholar, University of California, Berkeley, Center for Studies in Higher Education (CSHE).
- 01/2012–12/2018 Senior Researcher, International Center for Higher Education Research (INCHER), University of Kassel: Head of the Research Area “Change of Knowledge”; teaching appointment in the Department of Social Sciences.
- 09/2009–12/2011 Senior Researcher in the DFG-project “Change in Networks and Change in Networks, Higher Education and Knowledge Societies” (CINHEKS), International Center for Higher Education Research (INCHER), University of Kassel
- 10/2006–09/2008 Academic Coordinator and Assistant to the Dean for Studies and Teaching, Department of Sociology, Bielefeld University
- 04/2003–03/2006 Doctoral Fellow of the German Research Foundation (DFG) in the Graduate School “Entering the Knowledge Society,” Institute for Science and Technology Studies (IWT), Bielefeld University.
- 09/2002–06/2003 Junior Researcher in the Project “International Visibility of Mechanical Engineering Research in Germany”, Institute for Science and Technology Studies (IWT), Bielefeld University

INSTITUTIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- 04/2024-present Research Associate of the Centre for Higher Education Transformations (CHET), University of Bristol
- 06/2019-present Associate Member of the Centre for Higher Education Research and Evaluation (CHERE), Lancaster University.

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS (MONOGRAPHS, EDITED VOLUMES, AND SPECIAL ISSUES)

1. Hamann, J., Blome, F., Kosmützky, A. (2022). Devices of Evaluation: Institutionalization and Impact. Introduction to the Special Issue. *Research Evaluation*, 31, 423–428
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4. Nokkala, T., Kosmützky, A., (2014). Challenges and Trends in Comparative Higher Education. Special Issue. *Higher Education*, 67(4), 369-380.
5. Krücken, G., Kosmützky, A., Torck, M. (2007). Towards a Multiversity? Universities between Global Trends and National Traditions. Bielefeld, transcript.

PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES

1. Döhler, M., Hönnige, C., Kosmützky, A., Ruffing, E., Staff, H. (2023). The Variance of German University Governance. Effects of Organizational Field Positions. *Higher Education Policy*. DOI: 10.1057/s41307-023-00332-1.
2. Hamann, J., Kosmützky, A. (2021). Does Higher Education Research have a Theory Deficit? Explorations on Theory Work. *European Journal of Higher Education*, 11, 468-488.
3. Kosmützky, A. & Wöhlert, R. (2021). Varieties of Collaboration: On the Influence of Funding Schemes on Forms and Characteristics of International Collaborative Research Projects (ICRPs). *European Journal of Education*, 56(2), 182–199.
4. Kosmützky, A., Nokkala, T., Diogo, S. (2020). Between Context and Comparability: Exploring New Solutions for a Familiar Methodological Problem in Qualitative Comparative Research. *Higher Education Quarterly*, 74, 2, 176-192.
5. Kosmützky, A. (2018). International Team Research in Comparative Higher Education Shedding some Light on its Social Side. *Journal of Comparative Higher Education*, 10, 14-21.
6. Kosmützky, A. (2018). Tracing the Development of International Branch Campuses: From Local Founding Waves to Global Diffusion. *Globalisation, Societies and Education*, 453-477.
7. Kosmützky, A. (2017). A Two-Sided Medal. On the Complexities of Collaborative and Comparative Team Research. *Higher Education Quarterly*, 314-331.
8. Kosmützky, A. (2016). Mission Statements and the Transformation of German Universities into Organizational Actors. *Recherches Sociologiques & Anthropologiques*, 46(3), 41-66.
9. Kosmützky, A., Putty, R. (2016): Traversing Borders and Transcending Boundaries – A Systematic Review of the Literature on Transnational and Offshore, Cross-border and Borderless Higher Education. *Journal of Studies in International Education*, 20(1), 8-33.
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11. Kosmützky, A., Krücken, G. (2015): Sameness and Difference. Analyzing Institutional and Organizational Specificities of Universities through Mission Statements. *International Studies of Management & Organization*, 45(2), 137–149.
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1. Cantner, U., Grashof, N., Grebel, T. Kosmützky, A., Krücken, G., Zhang, Xijie (2023). Competitive Positioning of German Universities. Deliberate Decision, Fate, or Fiction. *Jena Economic Research Papers*, 2023-012. https://oweb.b67.uni-jena.de/Papers/jerp2023/wp_2023_012.pdf
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12. Kosmützky, A., Kretek, P. (2012). Forschung über Forschung an Hochschulen. Schnittstellen von Hochschul- und Wissenschaftsforschung am Beispiel von Governance- und Kooperationsforschung. In: Barbara Kehm, Harald Schomburg, Ulrich Teichler (Hrsg.): *Differenzierung, Internationalisierung, Relevanzsteigerung – Hochschulen im Funktionswandel*. Frankfurt/Main, Campus Verlag, 132-148.
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9. Kosmützky, A., (2005). *Publikationsanalyse 2000-2004 der Fakultät für Soziologie, Universität Bielefeld [Bibliometric Analysis of the Publications 2000-2004 of the Faculty of Sociology]*. Bericht an die Evaluationskommission, Bielefeld University, 2005.
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- 2019** Grant from the VolkswagenStiftung for the Symposium „Academia in the Age of Comparison“, PIs: Anna Kosmützky, Julian Hamann, 29.000€
- 2019** Grant from the Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) for the joint research group “Qualitätsentwicklung durch Kooperationsnetzwerke und Kooperationsportfolios (Q-KNOW)” [Developing Quality through Cooperation-Networks and Cooperation-Portfolios”], PIs Anna Kosmützky, Justin Powell, Achim Oberg, Jennifer Dusdal, 870.000€.
- 2017** Grant from the Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) for the project “MOOCs After the Gold Rush”, PIs: Anna Kosmützky, Guido Bünstorf, Georg Krücken, 357.000€, PI.
- 2016** German Research Foundation (DFG), Grant „Initiation of International Collaboration“ for a Collaboration at Hebrew University Jerusalem (Gili Drori), PI, 6.800€.
- 2016** Minerva Foundation, Grant for a Short-Term Research Visit of Hebrew University, Minerva Stiftung, PI, 4.100€.
- 2015** Grant from the Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) for the project “Potential und Beschäftigungsbedingungen des wissenschaftlichen Nachwuchses” [“Potential and Employment Conditions of Early Career Researcher”], PI, 30.000€.
- 2013** Grant from the Federal Ministry of the Interior (BMWi) for the project “Indikatorenmodell für die Berichterstattung zum wissenschaftlichen Nachwuchs” [“Indicator Model for the Reporting on Early Career Researchers”], PI, 34.000€.
- 2011** Grant by the University of Kassel for the project “Institutioneller und Organisationaler Wandel von Universitäten in Deutschland” [“Institutional and Organizational Change of German Universities: An Analysis on the Basis of Organizational Charts”], PI, 18.750€.
- 2011-2016** DAAD Annual Travel Grants ≈ 2000€ p. A.
- 2010** Grant from the Expert Commission on Research and Innovation (EFI) for the project “Status und Perspektiven der Forschung in deutschen Universitäten” [“Status and Perspectives of Research in German Universities”], PI, 15.000€.
- 2009** Grant by the German Research Foundation (DFG) and the European Science Foundation (ESF) for the project “Change in Networks, Higher Education and Knowledge Societies” (CINHEKS), PI: Ulrich Teichler, Co-PI: Anna Kosmützky, 310.000€.

ORGANIZED CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

- 2023 “Long-term Perspectives on Higher Education, Organization, and Society”, workshop (with Gili Drori and Georg Krücken), Ein Karem, Israel, March 22-24.2023.
- 2022 “Competition and Organization – Comparative Perspectives”, joint fall conference of the DGS Sections "Science and Technology Studies" and "Organizational Sociology"(with Julian Hamann and Anne Krüger), November 24-25.2022, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.
- 2021 “How to make Theory work in Higher Education and Science Studies” – Summer School in Higher Education Research and Science Studies (HERSS) (with Julian Hamann and Christian Imdorf), LCSS-Hannover, 6-11. September.
- 2019 “Academia in the Age of Comparison” – VolkswagenStiftung International Symposium (with Julian Hamann and Frerk Blome), 11.-13. June, Hannover.
- 2017 “Boundaries in Science and Higher Education (Research)” – Summer School in Higher Education Research and Science Studies (HERSS) (with Guido Bünstorf and Georg Krücken), INCHER-Kassel, 9-13. October.
- 2012 “Networks in Higher Education – A Social Network Analysis Workshop” (with Zarko Dragsic, Peter Kretek and Georg Krücken): Workshop in the framework of the ESF EURO-CORES/EuroHESC Program, 24.-27. June, INCHER Kassel, Germany.
- 2012 “Challenges in Comparative Higher Education Research – Comparing Higher Education Systems, Organizations and Individual Academic Behavior” (with Terhi Nokkala): Workshop in the framework of the ESF-EURO-CORES/EuroHESC Program. 24.-26. January, Helsinki, Finland.
- 2011 “Understanding Transformation in the Relationships Between Societies and Higher Education: A Network Approach” (with David Hoffman and Cecilia Rios-Aguilar): Workshop in the framework of the ESF-EURO-CORES/EuroHESC Program. 20.-22. June, University of Iceland, Reykjavik, Island.
- 2004 “Towards a Multiversity? Universities between Global Trends and National Traditions” (with Georg Krücken and Marc Torka). 11./12.November, Bielefeld University.
- 2000 “Hochschulen in Anwendungskontexten. Wissenschaft und Wirtschaft: Neue Partnerschaften in komplexen Innovationslandschaften” (Ko-Organisatorin), Institute für Wissenschafts- und Technikforschung (IWT) und Gesellschaft zur Förderung von Transfer und Innovation (GTI), 11./12. May, Bielefeld University.

MAJOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Currently: Editorial board member: “Higher Education”, “Higher Education Quarterly”, “REHES Working Paper Series”; board member: “International Conferences on Higher Education Reform” (HER), Research Training Group of the Transregional Collaborative Research Centre TRR 318 “Constructing Explainability”; member of the management committee and lead-PI of a working group of the EU-Cost-Action-Network “Rising nationalisms, shifting geopolitics and the future of European higher education/research openness”

Previously: Previous: Executive Director Leibniz Center for Science and Society (LCSS), Board Member of the Council for International Higher Education (CIHE) of the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE), Board Member of the German Society for Higher Education Research (GFHF).

REVIEWER FOR JOURNALS

Administration and Society; Beiträge zur Hochschulforschung; Critical Studies in Education, European Journal for Higher Education; Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities; Higher Education; Higher Education Policy; Higher Education Quarterly; Organization Studies; Minerva; der Moderne Staat; Science and Public Policy; Research Evaluation; Scientometrics, Soziale Systeme; Studies in Higher Education; Technological Forecasting and Social Change; Tertiary Education and Management, Zeitschrift für empirische Hochschulforschung, Zeitschrift für Soziologie.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANISATIONS

- Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE)
- Comparative and International Education Society (CIES)
- Consortium of Higher Education Researchers (CHER)
- Deutsche Gesellschaft für Soziologie (DGS)
- European Association for Science and Technology Studies (EASST)
- European Group of Organizational Studies (EGOS)
- Gesellschaft für Hochschulforschung (GFHF)
- Gesellschaft für Wissenschafts- und Technikforschung (GWTF)

TEACHING

PHD LEVEL

Since 2020, each summer term, Leibniz University Hannover

Ph.D.-Reading Course, Graduate School “Science and Society”, LCSS

Since 2018, each term, Leibniz University Hannover

Ph.D. Research and Methods Workshop „Applying Advanced Methods of Higher Education and Science Research,“ Graduate School “Science and Society”, LCSS

2012-2017, each term, University of Kassel

Ph.D. Colloquium at the International Centre for Higher Education Research (with Georg Krücken), University of Kassel.

GRADUATE COURSES (M.A. LEVEL)

since 2023, each summer term, Leibniz University Hannover

Lecture: Introduction to Empirical Research with Qualitative Methods. M.A. Religion in the Public Sphere (course in English).

Internationaler Vergleich – Methodologie Methoden und Praxis, M.A. Soziologie, M.A. Politikwissenschaft, M.A. Wissenschaft und Gesellschaft [International Comparative Research – Methodology, Methods, and Practice, M.A. Sociology, M.A. Political Science, M.A. Science and Society].

Alternating Reading Courses: Key Issues at the Intersection of Higher Education Research and Science Studies, M.A. Science and Society or Exploring Innovative Paths in Social Science Methodology Reading Course (course in English)

2018-2022, each winter term, Leibniz University Hannover

Institutionen und Akteure des Hochschul- und Wissenschaftssystems. Zweiwöchentliche Einführungsvorlesung plus Seminar in dem M.A. Wissenschaft und Gesellschaft [Institutions and Actors in the Higher Education and Science Systems. Biweekly introductory lecture+ seminar to the M.A. Science and Society].

Internationaler Vergleich – Methodologie Methoden und Praxis, M.A. Soziologie, M.A. Politikwissenschaft, M.A. Wissenschaft und Gesellschaft [International Comparative Research – Methodology, Methods, and Practice, M.A. Sociology, M.A. Political Science, M.A. Science and Society].

2018-2022, each summer term, Leibniz University Hannover

Methodenseminar, M.A. Soziologie, M.A. Politikwissenschaft, M.A. Wissenschaft und Gesellschaft [Methods Course, M.A. Sociology, M.A. Political Science, M.A. Science and Society].

Reading Course: Key Issues at the Intersection of Higher Education Research and Science Studies, M.A. Science and Society.

2012-2017, each summer term, University of Kassel

Seminar Organisation und Gesellschaft [Seminar Organization and Society], University of Kassel.

2012-2017, each winter term, University of Kassel

Seminar Einführung in die Wissenschaftssoziologie [Seminar Introduction to the Sociology of Science], University of Kassel.

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES (B.A. LEVEL)

since 2023, each summer term, Leibniz University Hannover

Vorlesung: Einführung in Qualitative Forschungsmethoden, B.A. Sozialwissenschaften [Lecture: Introduction to Qualitative Research Methods, B.A. Social Sciences].

Since 2023, each winter term, Leibniz University Hannover

Seminar: Einführung in Qualitative Forschungsmethoden, B.A. Sozialwissenschaften [Seminar: Introduction to Qualitative Research Methods, B.A. Social Sciences].

Guest Lecturer

- Winter term 2016/17 International Comparative Research Projects. Experiences, Challenges, and Solutions] (with Romy Wöhlert), Early Career Researcher Workshop (Post-Doc, Ph.D.), Faculty for Economics, Business and Social Sciences, Centre for Globalisation and Governance (CGG), University of Hamburg, October 6th and 7th, 2016.
- Winter term 2016 Institutions and Actors of the Higher Education and Science Systems] (with Otto Hüther), Master “Wissenschaft und Gesellschaft”, Leibniz University Hannover.
- Winter term 2014 Wissenschaft als soziales System – klassische und neuere Ansätze [Science as Social System – Classical and Recent Concepts], Weiterbildungsstudiengang Master of Public Administration Hochschul- und Wissenschaftsmanagement [Master of Public Administration “Higher Education and Research Management”], German University of Administrative Sciences Speyer, Germany.
Guest lecturer: Theorie und Praxis des Internationalen Vergleichs [Theory and Practice of International Comparative Research Designs], University of Klagenfurt, Austria.
- Summer term 2015 Methoden international vergleichender Forschung [International Comparative Research] (with Romy Wöhlert), Kassel Summer School in Quantitative and Qualitative Research Methods, October 12th and 13th, 2015, University of Kassel.
Organizer (together with Volker Stocké and others) of the Kassel Summer School in Quantitative and Qualitative Research Methods, September 29th to October 14th 2015, University of Kassel.
- Winter term 2012/13 Analyzing Policy Material – A Discourse Analytical Approach, International Centre for Higher Education Research (INCHER) Ph.D.-Workshop.
- Summer term 2012 Social Network Analysis (with Celia Rios-Aguilar, Claremont Graduate University and Manuel Gonzales-Canche, University of Arizona), Ph.D. Workshop Kassel International Graduate School (KIGG) and International Centre for Higher Education Research (INCHER)

KEY NOTES, CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS, AND INVITED TALKS

2024

“Clusterisierung von universitärer Forschung: Ein Modell, seine Formen und Konsequenzen“, Jahrestagung der Gesellschaft für Wissenschafts- und Technikforschung (GWTF), Dortmund, 15.11.2024.

“Multiple Competition in Higher Education and Science”, CSO Paris, 28.05.2024.

“How Does the Competitive Positioning and Orientation of Universities and their Professors Interrelate?” (with Tobias Bochmann & Leonie Buschkamp), Conference „Multiple Competition in Higher Education and Beyond“, Kassel, 05.04.2024.

2023

“The ‘Clusterization’ of Research – Field-Comparative Perspectives” (with Georg Krücken), Annual Conference of the Society for Social Studies of Science (4S), Honolulu, 8.11.2023.

„Governing Research: New Forms of Competition and Cooperation in Academia” (with Georg Krücken). Pre-recorded talk for the “Week on Academic Freedom” organized by the research program Democracy and Higher Education, Higher Education and Research as Objects of Study (hero), and Swedish Collegium for Advanced Study (scas), 27.10.2023.

„New Forms of Competition and Cooperation in Science and Higher Education – New Forms of Actorhood?” (together with Georg Krücken). Comparative Workshop, School of Education, Stanford University, 24.10.2023.

“Wettbewerb und Kooperation im Hochschulsystem. Neue Formen und ihre Folgen.” Keynote at the Conference of the Hochschulevaluierungsverbundes Südwest. Kooperation Trotz Konkurrenz? Chancen und Grenzen der Zusammenarbeit im Hochschulsystem. 29.9.2023.

“Is the University a Global Institution? Varieties of the University as Organization and Institution.” Keynote at the conference “Negotiating the Fabric of the African University. Global Trends and Local Realities”, Cape Town and Stellenbosch, 12.-14.9.2023.

“Competitive Capital-based Positioning Strategies of German Universities. Some Conceptual and Empirical Considerations” (together with Tobias Bochmann & Leonie Buschkamp). Paper presented at the 39th colloquium of the European Group of Organizational Studies (EGOS), sub-theme 78: Universities in Turbulent Times, 7.7.2023.

“The University as a Space of Competition”, STS Hub, Aachen, 15.-17.2023.

“Competition, Organizational Actorhood, and Collaborative Research Activities of University Members”. 18th New Institutionalism Workshop, Toruń, 30-31.3.2023.

“Who Governs? Competition and Cooperation in Academia” (with Georg Krücken). International Collegiality Project Workshop, Stellenbosch, STIAS, 30.01.-01.03.2023

2022

“Competitive Positioning of German Universities and the Stratification of the Academic Field” (with Tobias Bochmann, Leonie Buschkamp, Rasmus Bonde Schmid). Joint fall conference of the DGS Sections "Science and Technology Studies" and "Organizational Sociology": Competition and Organization – Comparative Perspectives, Berlin, 24.-25.11.2022.

“New Forms of Competition and Cooperation in Science and Higher Education: Some Ideas on their Interconnectedness” (with Georg Krücken), REHES IV Workshop: Higher Education and its Organizations, Lugano, 06.-07.10.2022.

“Multiple Competition in Higher Education: A Framework for Comparative Analyses” (with Frank Meier), ad-hoc Group: Competition and Society: Comparative Perspectives, DGS Conference, Bielefeld, 26.-30.09.2022.

“Constellations of Multiple Competition in Higher Education: Interrelations between Organizational and Individual Competitors” (with Frank Meier and Andreas Rös), ECPR Panel: How do universities compete? Innsbruck, 22.-26.08. 2022

"Who is Organizing Research? Organizational Actorhood and Collaborative Research Activities of University Members“ (with Sarah Rebecca Kienast). 38 EGOS Colloquium. Subtheme 63: The Organizing of Academia. Vienna, WU Vienna, 07.-09.07.2022.

„Multiple Competition Constellations“ (with Frank Meier). Workshop "The Economics and Organization of Science“, TUM Campus Heilbronn, 18.-20.5.2022.

"Excellent Universities or Excellent Researchers? Competitive Strategies of Universities and Collaborative Research Activities of University Members" (with Sarah Rebecca Kienast). Bristol Conversations in Education Research Seminar Series. Centre for Higher Education Transformations (CHET), Bristol, 10.05.2022.

"Competition in Higher Education: Universities as Strategic Actors in Stratified Fields" (with Tobias Bochmann, Leonie Buschkamp, Rasmus Bonde Schmid). 17th Workshop New Institutionalism in Organization Theory (NIW), Madrid, 24.-25.03, 2022.

„Collaborative Research Projects. Forms, Research Conditions, and Challenges“ (with Romy Wöhlert), Zentrum für Hochschulbildung (zhb), 19.02.2022

2021

Convenor of panel "Kooperationsnetzwerke von Universitäten: Zwischen Eigendynamik und organisationaler Qualitätsentwicklung", annual conference of the Gesellschaft für Hochschulforschung (GfHf), University of Gießen, 16. September 2021.

„Forschungsförderung an Universitäten: Chancen und Grenzen der organisationalen Governance von Forschungsk Kooperationen“ (with Sarah Rebecca Kienast), annual conference of the Gesellschaft für Hochschulforschung (GfHf), University of Gießen, 16. September 2021.

„Collaborative research projects as temporary organizations: Distinguishing forms and research conditions" (with Romy Wöhlert), virtual workshop „Benefits and challenges of collaboration in research. Investigating the manifold aspects of mono-, inter- and transdisciplinary collaboration", DZHW, Heinrich Heine University, and Stifterverband, 4. November 2021.

2020

"Revisiting the institutional complexity of international collaborative research projects – a conceptual discussion and empirical examples", Institute for Interdisciplinary Studies of Science (I²SoS), 1. December 2020.

“Have Massive Open Online Courses fulfilled the high hopes and great expectations of an open and global digital higher education world?” TIB Research Seminar on the Digitization of Research and Education, Leibniz University Hannover, 30. April 2020.

"Vom Wettbewerb zu multiplen Wettbewerben? Neue Positionierungen von Universitäten im Wettbewerb" (mit Georg Krücken), ZIF-Kooperationsgruppentagung, Universität Bielefeld, 09.-10. January 2020

2019

"Massive Open Online Courses (MOOC): How Great Expectations of a Global Higher Education World are Dashed by National Strategies" (with Otto Hüther), Talk at the ASHE Conference 2019 in Portland, OR, USA, 13.-17. November 2019

“Universitätsprofessur: Berufsalltag, Berufseinstiegsmöglichkeiten und Qualifikationsanforderungen”, Praxisvortrag im Rahmen der Woche für Berufsorientierung an der Universität Bielefeld, 7. November 2019

„Theory and Higher Education Research: Are They Just Loosely Coupled? Annual Conference of the “Consortium of Higher Education Researchers”, CHER, University of Kassel, 29. August 2019.

"Governance of Higher Education: What Comes After New Public Management?" (with Monika Jungbauer-Gans, Bernd Kleimann and Eva Ruffing) Annual Forum of the "The European Higher Education Society" (EAIR), Leiden University, Netherlands, 26. August 2019

"Massive Open Online Courses after the Hype: Towards a Global Strategic Action Field?" (with Otto Hüther), Annual Meeting of the “American Sociological Association” (ASA), New York, 13. August 2019.

“Collaborative Knowledge Production - A Focus on Research Teams”. Symposium Research, Teaching and Learning across Disciplinary Frontiers, Department of Educational Research, Lancaster University, UK, 4. July.2019.

“The Additional Layer of International Comparative Research”. International Visitor’s Week, Department of Educational Research, Lancaster University, UK, 1. July 2019.

Julian Hamann, Anna Kosmützky, Stephanie Beyer, Tobias Bochmann, Michael Borggräfe: “Wettbewerb“ im Fokus der Wissenschafts- und Hochschulforschung”, Frühjahrstagung der DGS-Sektion Wissenschafts- und Technikforschung, 23./24. May 2019, Forum Internationale Wissenschaft (FIW) der Universität Bonn.

Organizational Perspectives in Higher Education – A Focus on Merits and Challenges of International Comparative Research. Laudation Seminar for Ivar Bleiklie, University of Bergen, Norway, 8.3.2019

“Transnational Higher Education”: globale Modelle, nationale Dynamiken und lokale Adaptionen. LCSS-Kolloquium, 4. February 2019.

"Globalisierung von Hochschulen – A Brave New World?" Abendvortrag am Alfred Krupp Wissenschaftskolleg Greifswald, 31. January 2019.

2018

“There will be only 10 Universities left in the world in 50 years” – Market Dynamics of Massive Open Online Course Providers, Conference on „Capitalism, Social Science and the Platform University“, Cambridge University, UK, 13./14. December 2018.

“New Methodological Paths in Comparative Higher Education” panel organized by Anna Kosmützky together with Terhi Nokkala with talks by Gerardo Blanco, Brendan Cantwell, Jenny J. Lee, Blanca Torres Olave, Tatiana Suspitsyna, Adam TM Wyatt, ASHE Conference 2018 in Tampa, USA (15.-17. November 2018)

“Between Context and Generalization: Challenges of Qualitative Small-N Comparative Case Studies” (with Terhi Nokkala), at the ASHE Conference 2018 in Tampa, USA, 15.-17. November 2018.

"Der Zusammenhang von Organisation und Produktion wissenschaftlichen Wissens. Zur Neukonfiguration des Verhältnisses zwischen Hochschule und Wissenschaft", Panel organisiert zusammen mit Julian Hamann, Roland Bloch, Martina Franzen, David Kaldewey und Anne K. Krüger, Veranstaltung der Sektion Wissenschafts- und Technikforschung auf dem 39. Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie in Göttingen (24.- 28. September 2018)

“What kind of theories of higher education and science in society do we need?” at the 5. Summer School on Higher Education at the Jyväskylä University, Finland, 13. - 14. August 2018.

“Beyond cosmopolitan and locals: international research collaboration and academic identity formation” (with Romy Wöhlert, Leipzig University) at EASST 2018 in Lancaster, UK, 23. - 27. July 2018.

“Internationaler Vergleich - methodologische Herausforderungen und analytische Entwicklungsmöglichkeiten”, Vortrag im Forschungskolloquium des Deutschen Zentrum für Hochschul- und Wissenschaftsforschung (DZHW), Hannover, 13. Mai 2018.

2017

“Wissenschafts- und Hochschulforschung: Wie kann die Hochschulforschung zur Stärkung einer internationalen Vergleichsperspektive nützlich sein?” (mit Georg Krücken), Jubiläumstagung der Gesellschaft für Wissenschafts- und Technikforschung, Berlin, 16. November 2017.

“The Emic/Etic Approach as Compelling Idea for Comparative Higher Education Research?” (with Terhi Nokkala), 30th Annual Conference of the Consortium of Higher Education Research (CHER), Jyväskylä, Finland, 29. August 2017.

Comment on the Book “Managing Universities. Policy and Organizational Change from a Western European Comparative Perspective” (Bleiklie et al., 2017), 30th Annual Conference of the Consortium of Higher Education Research (CHER), Jyväskylä, Finland, 28.8.2017.

“International Comparative Research – Methodological and Social Challenges (and Prospects)”, University of California, Irvine, USA, 5. June 2017.

“Der internationale Vergleich als methodologische Brücke zwischen Hochschul- und Wissenschaftsforschung” [International Comparison as Methodological Bridge between Science and Higher Education Research], Workshop “Wissenschafts- und Hochschulforschung: Ansatzpunkte für eine interdisziplinäre Forschungsagenda, Hannover, Tagungszentrum Schloss Herrenhausen, 15. May 2017.

“Investigating International Comparative and Collaborative Research Teams: Cultural Context as Solution or Problem?” (with Romy Wöhlert), Institute for Education & Society (InES), University of Luxembourg, Luxembourg, 11. May 2017.

“Organizational Image and Identity Construction of Universities: Replacing Reputation with Brand Values? New Institutionalism Workshop 2017, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel, 20. March 2017.

2016

„Where does Higher Education Research Stand in Globalized Times?“, 41th Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE), Columbus, Ohio, U.S.A., 8. November 2016.

“International Comparative Higher Education Research: The Need for Standards and a Shared Methodology”. 29th CHER Annual Conference. Cambridge, UK, 9. September 2016.

“From Local Founding Waves to Global Diffusion of National Models: The Emergence of the International Branch Campus of Universities.” Workshop Internationalization, Globalization and the Governance of Academia”, hosted by the Van Leer Jerusalem Institute and the Halbert Centre for Canadian Studies at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Israel, 17. May 2016.

“Methodological Designs of International Comparative Studies in Higher Education. State of the Art and Perspectives (2004-2014)”, 60th Annual Conference of the Comparative and international Education Society (CIES), 10. March 2016.

2015

“Transcending Borders and Traversing Boundaries – A Systematic Review of the Literature on Transnational, Offshore, Cross-border and Borderless Higher Education.” 40th Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE), 6. November 2015, Denver, U.S.A.

“International Comparative Higher Education Research – From Myopic Insularity Towards a Global and Cosmopolitan Approach.” Faculty of Education, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, 9. October 2015.

“International Comparative Higher Education Research – State of the Art and Major Challenges.” School of Education, University of Melbourne, Australia, 25. September 2015.

“International Branch Campus of Universities – A Gold Rush of Global Presence and Reputation.” American Sociological Association, 110th ASA Annual Meeting, Chicago, U.S.A., 26. August 2015.

“Mission Statements and the Transformation of German Universities into Organizational Actors.“ Universities Facing Pressures for Change: Identity and Organizational Evolutions”, Workshop, Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium, 29. April 2015.

“International Branch Campuses – Fads in Transnational Higher Education of Sustainable New Organizational Form? 59th Annual Conference of the Comparative and international Education Society (CIES), 13. March 2015.

2014

“International Collaborations: Creatively Crossing Borders in Precarious Times”, 39th Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE), 19. November 2014.

“Have Global Developments outlived the “National” in “International” Comparative Higher Education Research? Empirical und Methodological Reflections.” 27th CHER Annual Conference. Rome, Italy, 9. September 2014.

“International Branch Campus - Modeerscheinung Transnationaler Bildung oder Nachhaltige neue Organisationale Form?“ [International Branch Campuses – Fads in Transnational Higher Education or Sustainable New Organizational Form?] DAAD Sommeruniversität des Forum Internationale Wissenschaft,

Internationalisierung des Hochschul- und Wissenschaftssystems Weltweit. Bonn, Germany, 18. June 2014.

“Diversifikation und Differenzierung in der deutschen Hochschullandschaft.” [Diversification and Diversity within the German Higher Education System]. Treffen hochschulpolitischer Gesprächskreis, Zentrum für Hochschulbildung. TU Dortmund, Germany, 28. March 2014.

2013

“A Methodological Meta-Analysis of International Comparative Studies in Higher Education Research and Beyond” (with Romy Wöhlert). 38th Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE). St. Louis, MO, U.S.A., 13. November 2013.

“Macro-environmental Mapping of International Branch Campus Activities of Universities World-wide” (with Daniela Krollpfeiffer and Georg Krücken). 38th Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE), St. Louis, MO, U.S.A., 15. November 2013.

“Comment on John A. Douglass/Richard Edelstein: Adventures in International Engagement: University Strategies in a Global Market“, Center for Studies in Higher Education (CSHE), University of California, Berkeley, 20. June 2013.

2012

“Interdisciplinary Research Clusters in Universities – Rationales and Strategies of Higher Education Policies, University Leaders and Academics.” 37th Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE): Freedom to Learn. Las Vegas, NV, U.S.A., 14. November 2012.

“Exploration and Exploitation in Higher Education Research: Some Conceptual Ideas” (with Georg Krücken). CHER Conference 2012: Higher Education and Social Dynamics. Belgrade, Serbia, 12. September 2012.

“Mission Statements of German Universities – Bland Sameness or Diverse University Brands?” Symposium on the Occasion of Helmut Schelsky’s Birthday: Giving Meaning to Interdisciplinarity in the Organization of Universities. Center for Interdisciplinary Research (ZIF), Bielefeld University, Germany, 13. March 2012.

2011

“Comparing Knowledge Society Discourses and Knowledge Society Developments in Higher Education in the 1990s in Europe and the US” (with Terhi Nokkala). 36th Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE): Meeting the Challenge of a Changing future, Charlotte, NC, U.S.A., 16. November 2011.

“Programs in Higher Education Studies in Germany (and beyond).” CAHEP/CIHE Joint Session “Global perspectives on higher education programs” at the 36th Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE): Meeting the Challenge of a Changing Future. Charlotte, NC, U.S.A., 17. November 2011.

“ICT-Based Research Team Collaboration and the Amplification, Aggravation and Amelioration of International Research Team Dynamics” (with David Hoffman, Cecilia Ross-Aguilar et al.). 36th Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE): Meeting the Challenge of a Changing Future. Charlotte, NC, U.S.A., 17. November 2011.

“Higher Education Profiles: Methodological Innovation or Blind Ally?” (with Jussi Välimaa), European Conference on Educational Research (ECER). Freie Universität Berlin, Germany, 14. September 2011.

“Between Imperative and Impossibility – Does the Establishment of Mission Statements bridge the Governance Gap within Universities?” 27th EGOS Colloquium. University of Gothenburg, School of Business, Economics and Law, Gothenburg, Sweden, 7. July 2011.

“Pathways to Higher Education Research: A Survey on Early Career Researchers and Professionals in Germany” (with Christian Schneiderberg, Isabel Steinhardt and Nadine Merkator), 24th Annual Conference Consortium of Higher Education Research (CHER). Reykjavik, Iceland, 23. June 2011.

“Words, Deeds and Outcomes – Relationships of Higher Education and Knowledge Societies in the 1990s” (with Terhi Nokkala), 24th Annual Conference Consortium of Higher Education Research (CHER). Reykjavik, Iceland, 23. June 2011.

“ICT-based Research Team Collaboration and the Amplification, Aggravation and Amelioration of International Team Research Dynamics” (with David Hoffman, Cecilia Rios-Aguilar et al.), 24th Annual Conference Consortium of Higher Education Research (CHER). Reykjavik, Iceland, 24. June 2011.

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