

# DR. ANNE-KATHRIN KREFT

Head of research unit Victimology • Criminological Research Institute of Lower Saxony, Hanover, Germany

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**Research interests:** Political violence, gender-based & sexual violence, armed conflict, vulnerability & victimization, victimhood & socio-political agency, and public opinion

**Methods:** Quantitative and qualitative data analysis. Surveys, survey experiments, compilation of cross-national data, quantitative coding, interviews, focus groups.

## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Head of Research Unit Victimology, Criminological Research Institute of Lower Saxony, Hanover	2024–
Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Political Science, University of Oslo	2020–2023
Postdoctoral Researcher, Department of Political Science, University of Gothenburg	2020 (03–09)

## EDUCATION

Ph.D. Political Science, University of Gothenburg	2015–2019
- Dissertation: <i>Sexual Violence in Armed Conflict: Threat, Mobilization and Gender Norms</i>	
- Supervisors: Ann Towns (University of Gothenburg), Lena Wängnerud (University of Gothenburg), Inger Skjelsbæk (University of Oslo)	
- Recipient of the Christiane-Rajewsky-Prize for early-career researchers, awarded by the German Association for Peace and Conflict Research, 2020	
M.A. Political Science, University of Pittsburgh ( <i>grade point average: 4.0; as PhD student</i> )	2013–2015
M.A. Political Science, Western Washington University ( <i>grade point average: 4.0</i> )	2007–2010
B.A. British and American Studies & Text Technology, University of Bielefeld ( <i>final grade: 1,2</i> )	2003–2007
- Student exchange to Western Washington University, 2005-2006	

## PUBLICATIONS

### Articles in Peer-Reviewed Journals

Kreft, Anne-Kathrin, Ragnhild Nordås & Ingrid Vik Bakken. 2026. And still she rises? Perceptions of the gendered effects of repression. *Forthcoming in Journal of Peace Research*.

Kreft, Anne-Kathrin & Mattias Agerberg. 2024. Imperfect Victims? Civilian Men, Vulnerability and Policy Preferences. *American Political Science Review* 118:1, p. 274-290. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0003055423000345>

Agerberg, Mattias & Anne-Kathrin Kreft. 2023. Sexual Violence, Gendered Protection and Support for Intervention. *Journal of Peace Research* 60:5, p. 853-867. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00223433221092960>

Kreft, Anne-Kathrin. 2023. "This patriarchal, machista and unequal culture of ours": Obstacles to confronting conflict-related sexual violence. *Social Politics* 30:2, p. 654-677. <https://doi.org/10.1093/sp/jxaco18>

- Johansson, Karin & Anne-Kathrin Kreft. 2023. Peacekeeping and Conflict-Related Sexual Violence. Special Issue on the 75th Anniversary of UN Peacekeeping in *Global Governance* 29:2, p. 185-199. <https://doi.org/10.1163/19426720-02902005>
- Bastiaens, Ida; Evgeny Postnikov & Anne-Kathrin Kreft. 2023. How Social Provisions in Trade Agreements Affect Women's Rights. *Global Policy* 14:5, p. 702-715. <https://doi.org/10.1111/1758-5899.13267>
- Kreft, Anne-Kathrin & Philipp Schulz. 2022. Political Agency, Victimhood and Gender in Contexts of Armed Conflict: Moving beyond Dichotomies. *International Studies Quarterly* 66:2, p. 1-11. <https://doi.org/10.1093/isq/sqac022>
- Schulz, Philipp; Anne-Kathrin Kreft; Heleen Touquet & Sarah Martin. 2022. Self-Care for Gender-Based Violence Researchers – Beyond Bubble-Baths and Chocolate Pralines. *Qualitative Research* (Online First). <https://doi.org/10.1177/14687941221087868>
- Kreft, Anne-Kathrin; Birgitta Niklasson & Ann Towns. 2022. Do gender patterns in diplomacy disappear over time? *European Journal of Politics and Gender* 5:3, p. 279-302. *Editor's Pick for the 2023 Student Reading List*. <https://doi.org/10.1332/251510821X16473315423448>
- Schulz, Philipp & Anne-Kathrin Kreft. 2022. Accountability for Conflict-Related Sexual Violence. *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of International Studies* (Online). <https://doi.org/10.1093/acrefore/9780190846626.013.702>
- Irgil, Ezgi; Anne-Kathrin Kreft; Myunghee Lee, Charmaine N. Willis & Kelebogile Zvobgo. 2021. Field Research: A Graduate Student's Guide. *International Studies Review* 23:4, p. 1495-1517. <https://doi.org/10.1093/isr/viabo23>
- Schulz, Philipp & Anne-Kathrin Kreft. 2021. Researching Conflict-Related Sexual Violence: A Conversation between Early Career Researchers. *International Feminist Journal of Politics* 23:3, p. 496-504. <https://doi.org/10.1080/14616742.2021.1899840>
- Towns, Ann; Anne-Kathrin Kreft; Katarzyna Jezierska & Birgitta Niklasson. 2020. Covid-19 and Gender: A Necessary Connection in Diplomatic Studies. *The Hague Journal of Diplomacy* 15:4, p. 636-647. <https://doi.org/10.1163/1871191X-BJA10037>
- Kreft, Anne-Kathrin. 2020. Civil Society Perspectives on Sexual Violence in Conflict: Patriarchy and War Strategy in Colombia. *International Affairs* 96:2, p. 457-478. <https://doi.org/10.1093/ia/iiz257>
- Agerberg, Mattias & Anne-Kathrin Kreft. 2019. Gendered Conflict, Gendered Outcomes: The Politicization of Sexual Violence and Quota Adoption. *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 64:2-3, p. 290-317. <https://doi.org/10.1177/002200271985>
- Kreft, Anne-Kathrin. 2019. Responding to Sexual Violence: Women's Mobilization in War. *Journal of Peace Research* 26:2, p. 220-233. *Editors' Pick November 2019*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0022343318800361>
- Donno, Daniela & Anne-Kathrin Kreft. 2019. Authoritarian Institutions and Women's Rights. *Comparative Political Studies* 52:5, p. 720-753. *Winner of James Caporaso Best Paper Award (CPS) 2019*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0010414018797954>
- Kreft, Anne-Kathrin. 2017. The Gender Mainstreaming Gap: Security Council Resolution 1325 and UN Peacekeeping Mandates. *International Peacekeeping* 24:1, p. 132-158. <https://doi.org/10.1080/13533312.2016.1195267>

## Book Chapters

Kreft, Anne-Kathrin, Karin Johansson & Susanne Schaftenaar. Forthcoming. SDG 5: Empower All Women and Girls. In: *The Elgar Companion to Peace and the Sustainable Development Goals*, eds. Håvard Hegre, Kristina Petrova, Stefan Döring. Elgar Publishing.

Kreft, Anne-Kathrin. 2025. Women's Agentive Responses to Conflict-Related Sexual Violence. In: *Contemporary Reader of Feminism and International Relations*, eds. Catherine Goetze, Khushi Singh Rathore. Routledge, p. 291-303.

Kreft, Anne-Kathrin & Robert Nagel. 2023. Sexual Violence. In: *Gender and Violence against Political Actors*, eds. Elin Bjarnegård, Pär Zetterberg. Temple University Press, p. 82-92.

Robert Nagel & Anne-Kathrin Kreft. 2023. Responses and Reactions to Conflict-Related Sexual Violence. In: *Gender and Violence against Political Actors*, eds. Elin Bjarnegård, Pär Zetterberg) Temple University Press, p. 213-222.

Zvobgo, Kelebogile; Charmaine N. Willis; Myunghee Lee; Anne-Kathrin Kreft & Ezgi Irgil. 2022. Fieldwork. In: *APSA Guidebook: Strategies for Navigating Graduate School and Beyond*, eds. Kevin G. Lorentz II, Dan Mallinson, Julia Marin Hellwege, Davin Phoenix, and J. Cherie Strachan, p. 129-134.

Towns, Ann; Anne-Kathrin Kreft & Birgitta Niklasson. The Empowerment of Women in Diplomacy. 2017. In *Measuring Women's Political Empowerment across the Globe: Strategies, Challenges and Future Research*. Palgrave, p. 187-205.

## Research Reports, Policy Papers and Conference Proceedings

Aggressionen und Gewalt gegen Politiker\*innen in Deutschland – Erste Befunde und Perspektiven eines laufenden Forschungsprojekts [Aggression and Violence against Politicians in Germany – First Results and Perspectives of an Ongoing Research Project] (With Pia Wilsdorf, Philipp Müller, Arne Dreissigacker, Laura-Romina Goede, Anna Hahnemann, Jonah Hirschmann and Farina Rühls). Forthcoming. *Motra-Monitor*.

How Does Civil Society Understand Conflict-Related Sexual Violence? Perspectives from Women Activists in Colombia". December 2019. GPS Policy Brief 03.2019. *Peace Research Institute Oslo*. <https://gps.prio.org/utility/DownloadFile.ashx?id=1185&type=publicationfile>

Spanish version: <https://gps.prio.org/utility/DownloadFile.ashx?id=1186&type=publicationfile>

Impact Evaluation of Peace through Development II (P-DEV II) Radio Programming in Chad and Niger (with Steven E. Finkel, Reynaldo T. Rojo-Mendoza, Cassilde L. Schwartz and Chris A. Belasco). 2015. USAID Contract Number GS-10F-004N/AID-624M-13-00001. The Mitchell Group, Washington, D.C.

## Book Reviews

Kreft, Anne-Kathrin. 2022. "High-risk feminism in Colombia: women's mobilization in violent contexts. By Julia Margaret Zulver". *International Affairs* 98:5, p. 1844-1845.

## CURRENT RESEARCH PROJECTS

Violence against Political Actors at the Grassroots Level. Principal Investigator. 2026-2029. Funded by the German Research Foundation (DFG).

Between Exigency and Backlash: International Responses to Conflict-Related Sexual Violence. 2025-2027. With Karin Johansson Schaftenaar (PI). Funded by the Swedish Research Council (Vetenskapsrådet).

Aggression and Violence against Firefighters and Emergency Responders. 2024-2026. Principal Investigator. With Farina Rühls (Co-PI), Anna Hahnemann. Funded by the City of Hanover.

Aggression and Violence against Politicians in Germany. Forms, Prevalence and Consequences for Individuals and Society. 2023-2026. With Farina Rühls (PI), Arne Dreißigacker, Laura-Romina Göhde, Anna Hahnemann, Jonah Hirschmann, Anna Isenhardt, Philipp Müller. Funded by Hans-Böckler-Foundation.

### Work in Progress

Anne-Kathrin Kreft, Ingrid Vik Bakken & Ragnhild Nordås. Especially heinous? Sexual violence and public perceptions of exceptionalism.

Karin Johansson Schaftenaar & Anne-Kathrin Kreft. The Fight against Conflict-Related Sexual Violence at a Crossroads.

Philipp Müller, Anne-Kathrin Kreft & Arne Dreißigacker. The effects of experienced violence on political engagement among German politicians.

Anna Hahnemann, Anne-Kathrin Kreft & Farina Rühls. Violence against Politicians, Threat Perceptions and Political Engagement among the Public.

Sandra Håkansson & Anne-Kathrin Kreft. Attitudes to Sexism and Political Violence against Women.

### RESEARCH GRANTS

German Research Foundation, project grant (310,000 EUR) 2025

Swedish Research Council (Vetenskapsrådet), project grant (4,815,000 SEK; PI: Karin Johansson Schaftenaar) 2024

Swedish Research Council (Vetenskapsrådet), International Postdoc Grant (3,150,000 SEK) 2020–2022  
[terminated prematurely after starting new position]

### Smaller grants and scholarships (selection)

Department of Political Science, University of Oslo. *Småforsk* research grant (58,010 NOK) 2023

Department of Political Science, University of Oslo. *Småforsk* research grant (55,760 NOK) 2021

Helge Ax:son Johnsons Stiftelse, travel grant (19,000 SEK) 2019

Stiftelsen Wilhelm och Martina Lundgrens Vetenskapsfond, research grant (19,000 SEK) 2019

Kungl. Vitterhetsakademien, travel grant (18,000 SEK) 2019

Stiftelsen Lars Hiertas Minne, research grant (30,000 SEK) 2018

Helge Ax:son Johnsons Stiftelse, travel grant (25,000 SEK) 2018

Stiftelsen Wilhelm och Martina Lundgrens Vetenskapsfond, travel grant (40,000 SEK) 2018

Stiftelsen Lars Hiertas Minne, research grant (30,000 SEK) 2017

Paul och Marie Berghaus Donationsfond, travel grant (20,000 SEK) 2017

Stiftelsen Wilhelm och Martina Lundgrens Vetenskapsfond, research grant (31,000 SEK)	2017
Forskriftstiftelsen Theodor Adelswårds Minne, scholarship for field research (100,000 SEK)	2016
University of Gothenburg, Adlerbert Scholarship for field research (20,000 SEK)	2016
Stiftelsen Wilhelm och Martina Lundgrens Vetenskapsfond, research grant (35,000 SEK)	2016
Paul och Marie Berghaus Donationsfond, travel grant (20,000 SEK)	2016

## AWARDS

Christiane-Rajewsky-Award for early-career researchers (for PhD dissertation "Sexual Violence in Armed Conflict"), German Association for Peace and Conflict Research	2020
James Caporaso Best Paper Award for best paper published in Comparative Political Studies in 2019, for "Authoritarian Institutions and Women's Rights" (with Daniela Donno)	2020
Dirk Berg-Schlosser Award (third prize), ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques	2017

## CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

*(IT: invited talk)*

Aggressionen und Gewalt gegen Politiker\*innen in Deutschland: Umgang und Bewältigung unter Berücksichtigung der Geschlechterperspektive [*Aggression and violence against politicians in Germany: Responses and coping*]

- motra Conference, Wiesbaden, March 2025

„Aber ihr seid doch privilegiert!“ Herausforderungen und Lösungsansätze im Umgang mit belastender Forschung [*„But you are privileged!“ Challenges in and possible solutions to dealing with difficult research*]

- Workshop: Research || Trauma. Justus-Liebig-University Gießen, June 2024 *(IT)*

Ethical Considerations in Researching Conflict-Related Sexual Violence

- Workshop: Gender-Based Violence on October 7, 2023, Queens University Belfast, May 2024 *(IT)*

Conflict-Related Sexual Violence: War Strategy and Patriarchal Structures

- Gender and Crime Convention, Göttingen, April 2023

Is Sexual Violence Different? Perceptions of Exceptionalism (with I. V. Bakken, Ragnhild Nordås)

- Open talk, University of Iceland, Reykjavík, September 2023 *(IT)*

Imperfect Victims? Civilian Men, Vulnerability and Policy Preferences (with M. Agerberg)

- Workshop on Experimental Research in Post-Conflict Contexts, London (virtual), July 2023 *(IT)*

- Human Security Lab, UMass Amherst (virtual), May 2023 *(IT)*

- Center for Security Studies Colloquium, ETH Zürich, August 2022 *(IT)*

- AFK Conference/ Conference of the German Association of Peace Researchers, Konstanz, March 2022

- Violence, Instability and Peace Research Group, Norwegian University of Science and Technology, March 2022 *(IT)*

The Consequences of Sexualized Repression: Public Perceptions (with I. V. Bakken, Ragnhild Nordås)

- Swiss Political Science Association annual conference, Basel, February 2023

Fieldwork, Challenges and Self-Care

- QUALIFIE network, European University Institute (virtual roundtable), December 2022 *(IT)*

Self-Care for Gender-Based Violence Researchers (with P. Schulz, H. Touquet, S. Martin)

- Conflict Research Society conference, virtual, September 2022
  - London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (virtual), May 2022 *(IT)*
- Gendered Violence against Civil Society Actors in Conflict-Affected Settings
- swisspeace, Basel, March 2022 *(IT)*
- “This Patriarchal, Machista and Unequal Culture of Ours”: Obstacles to Confronting Conflict-Related Sexual Violence
- Interdisciplinary Peace and Conflict Research Network (virtual), November 2021
- Women’s Activism Under Attack: Backlash Against Civil Society in Post-Conflict Settings
- Workshop “Gendered Nature of Conflict Violence: Causes and Consequences of Violence Targeting Women,” University of Essex, May 2020 *(IT)*
- Sexual Violence, Gender and Public Support for Intervention in Armed Conflict (with M. Agerberg)
- Swiss Political Science Association conference, Lucerne, February 2020
  - Chr. Michelsen Institute, Bergen, November 2019 *(IT)*
  - Peace Research in Sweden conference, Gothenburg, September 2019
- Ethics and Mental Well-Being in Difficult Research – Towards a Reappraisal of Fieldwork Preparedness
- Workshop organizer. Conflict Research Society conference, Brighton, September 2019
- Challenges in Confronting Sexual Violence in Colombia
- Conflict Research Society conference, Brighton, September 2019
- Is Free Trade Good for Women? How Trade Agreements Affect Women’s Rights (with E. Postnikov)
- American Political Science Association annual meeting, Washington D.C., September 2019
- The Fetishization of Sexual Violence in Conflict? Tackling Victimization and Agency
- Public event on Gender, Diplomacy and Peace, Gothenburg, February 2019
- Understanding Conflict-Related Sexual Violence: Bringing Patriarchy Back In
- NORA conference, Reykjavík, May 2019
  - International Studies Association annual convention, Toronto, March 2019
  - Workshop “Complexifying Gendered Victimhood During War and Transition: Gender, Vulnerabilities and Agency”, Bremen, February 2019
  - Conflict Research Society Conference, Birmingham, September 2018
  - European Consortium for Political Research conference, Hamburg, August 2018
- Domestic and International Responses to Wartime Sexual Violence: Cross-National Statistical Analyses and Case Study Evidence from Colombia
- Research Network on Gender, Peace and Security meeting, Oslo, September 2017 *(IT)*
- Wartime Sexual Violence and Gender Quota Adoption (with M. Agerberg)
- European Consortium for Political Research conference, Oslo, September 2017
  - Midwest Political Science Association annual conference, Chicago, April 2017
- Beyond Victimization: Women’s Political Mobilization in Response to Wartime Sexual Violence
- GLD Annual Conference, Hindås, April 2017 *(IT)*
  - Conflict Research Society annual conference, Dublin, September 2016
- How to Measure Sexual Violence in Surveys: A Pre-Test
- Methods Workshop for Swedish PhD students, Örebro, June 2016
- Spaces and Mobilization: Gendered Conflict Dynamics and Women's Political Participation
- Midwest Political Science Association annual conference, Chicago, April 2015

## OUTREACH, EXPERTISE AND MEDIA PRESENCE

Kommunalpolitiker – Demokratie gestalten, Frust und Hass aushalten [Local politicians – shaping democracy, withstanding frustration and hate]. Podcast interview. September 2025. <https://www.swr.de/swrkultur/wissen/kommunalpolitiker-demokratie-gestalten-frust-und-hass-aushalten-das-wissen-2025-09-24-100.html>

Panel discussant. "Sexualisierte Kriegsgewalt im Fokus." [Conflict-related sexual violence in focus]. Public event organized by the Office of the Mayor of Cologne. June 2025.

Neue Dunkelfeldstudie: Mehr als 60 Prozent der Politiker erleben Gewalt. [New dark field study: More than 60 percent of politicians experience violence] Television interview. Panorama 3, Norddeutscher Rundfunk. May 2025. <https://www.ndr.de/fernsehen/sendungen/panorama3/meldungen/Neue-Dunkelfeldstudie-Mehr-als-60-Prozent-der-Politiker-erleben-Gewalt,gewaltpolitiker100.html>

Panel discussant. "Violence against local-level women politicians." Conference on local-level politics. Social Democratic Party of Germany, Berlin. June 2024.

Consulted as academic expert for the policy report "Protecting Civilian Men's Right to Flee the Ukraine War: Strategic and Humanitarian Impacts". Human Security Lab. July 2023. <https://tinyurl.com/4y3xj4wf>

Vergewaltigung als Kriegswaffe [*Sexual violence as a weapon of war*]. Video interview. Tagesanzeiger. May 2022. <https://www.tagesanzeiger.ch/vergewaltigung-als-kriegswaffe-121325394410>

Wie werden Vergewaltigungen als Kriegswaffe eingesetzt? [*How is rape used as a weapon of war?*]. Podcast Interview with detektor.fm. May 2022. <https://detektor.fm/gesellschaft/zurueck-zum-thema-vergewaltigung-in-kriegsgebieten>

International Women's Day Interviews. E-International Relations. March 2022. <https://www.e-ir.info/2022/03/08/international-womens-day-interviews-4/>

Online Roundtable on "Survivors-as-documenters". *Consultations of the draft Murad Code*. Invited participant. November 22, 2021 (virtual)

Real Scientists Germany. Curator (*Science communication on Twitter*). July 12-18, 2021

Beyond Passive Victims and Agentic Survivors: Responses to Conflict-Related Sexual Violence. (with Philipp Schulz). April 2021. *e-International Relations*. <https://www.e-ir.info/2021/04/03/beyond-passive-victims-and-agentic-survivors-responses-to-conflict-related-sexual-violence/>

Gender and Peacekeeping: Progress and Challenges. July 2019. *Oxford Research Group (now defunct; copy of blog post available here: <https://annekathrinkreft.files.wordpress.com/2021/10/gender-and-peacekeeping.pdf>)*

The 2018 Nobel Peace Prize is a tribute to activists against sexual violence in conflict. December 2018. *Political Violence @ a Glance*. <http://politicalviolenceataglance.org/2018/12/13/the-2018-nobel-peace-prize-is-a-tribute-to-activists-against-sexual-violence-in-conflict/>

Fighting sexual violence in war: Context matters. December 2018. *US Army War College War Room*. <https://warroom.armywarcollege.edu/articles/sexual-violence-in-war/>

Sometimes autocrats strengthen their power by expanding women's rights. Here's how that works. (with Daniela Donno). November 2018. *Washington Post: The Monkey Cage*.

<https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/monkey-cage/wp/2018/11/23/sometimes-autocrats-strengthen-their-power-by-expanding-womens-rights-heres-how-that-works/>

Interviewed by/ cited in Christian Science Monitor (South Africa), E-IR (UK), Forskning & Framsteg (Sweden), Morgenbladet (Norway), Norddeutscher Rundfunk (Germany), NZZ am Sonntag (Switzerland), Sändaren (Sweden), Süddeutsche Zeitung (Germany), Tagesanzeiger (Switzerland), The Bogotá Post (Colombia), tagesschau.de (Germany), Times Higher Education (UK), Weißer Ring Magazin (Germany), Westdeutscher Rundfunk (Germany)

## RESEARCHER STAYS AND FIELDWORK

Interviews with EU officials, diplomats, practitioners and civil society representatives, Brussels, Belgium	Oct 2023
Visiting Researcher. German Institute of Global and Area Studies, Hamburg, Germany	Sep–Oct 2022
Visiting Researcher. Centre for Gender Research, University of Oslo, Norway	Jul–Sep 2020
Interviews with diplomats and UN staff. New York, USA	Sep 2019
Interviews with civil society representatives, diplomats, government officials and former armed actors; focus groups. Bogotá, Medellín & Cali, Colombia.	Jan–Apr 2018
Visiting Researcher. Universidad de los Andes. Bogotá, Colombia	Jan–Apr 2018
Visiting Researcher. Peace Research Institute Oslo, Norway	Sep–Oct 2017
Interviews with diplomats and civil society representatives. Bogotá, Colombia	Mar 2017
Interviews with (former) diplomats. Oslo, Norway & Stockholm, Sweden	Oct–Nov 2016
Interviews with diplomats and foreign policy experts. Berlin, Germany & New York, USA	Jul–Sep 2009

## TEACHING

Supervision and assessment of student research project (M.A. level) in Criminology. University of Regensburg.	2024–2025
Supervision of M.A. theses in Peace and Conflict Studies (7), Political Science (1), Gender Research (1) at the University of Oslo	2021–2023
Assessment of M.A. theses in Political Science, International Relations, Peace and Conflict Research	2021–2023
Lectures on political violence, gender-based violence, armed conflict, fieldwork, and qualitative methods, in various courses at B.A. and M.A. level, University of Oslo	2020–2023
Guest lectures on conflict-related sexual violence, gender and war, and fieldwork, at B.A., M.A. and PhD level	
- University of Iceland (Sept 2023)	
- Karolinska Institute (Jan 2023; virtual)	
- Peace Research Institute Oslo (May 2022, May 2019)	
- University of Basel (March 2022)	
- Norwegian University of Life Sciences (March 2022; virtual)	
- Johannes-Gutenberg University Mainz (June 2021; virtual)	
- Dresden University of Technology (April 2021; virtual)	
- University of Bremen (May 2020; virtual)	

- Tulane University (2020, 2022; virtual)	
Lecturer and course convenor: M.A. Design Seminar (research design), Peace and Conflict Studies program, University of Oslo	Fall 2021
Seminar leader: M.A. Thesis Seminar, Peace and Conflict Studies program, University of Oslo	Spring 2021
Seminar leader: B.A. Writing seminar, Political Science, University of Oslo	Spring 2021
Supervision of B.A. thesis, University of Gothenburg	2020
Co-Supervision of M.A. thesis, University of Gothenburg	2018
Opponent: Master's thesis defense, Department of Political Science, University of Gothenburg	August 2017
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Western Washington University	2007--2009

## ACTIVITIES & COURSES

Founding Member of Interdisciplinary Peace and Conflict Research Network (with Jørgen Jensehaugen and Philipp Nelson)	2020–2022
Member of Norwegian Research School on Peace and Conflict	2016–2019
- Cyprus Course on Peace and Conflict	2018
- Governance, Identity and War	2017
- Gender, Peace and Security	2016
- Ethnographic Fieldwork Methods	2016
- Beyond Transitional Justice: From Individual to Community	2015
- Qualitative Methods and the Study of Civil War	2015
- Member Symposiums	2016–2019
- Member representative in Research School Steering Group	2017–2018
Other courses	
- Python Programming for Social Scientists, ECPR Winter School in Research Methods and Techniques	2023
- Introduction to Geographical Data Management and Analysis with ArcGIS (short course: 10.5 hours), ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques	2020
- Qualitative Data Analysis: Concepts and Approaches, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques	2017
- Mixed Methods: Towards a Methodological Pluralism, Oslo Summer School in Comparative Social Science Studies	2016
- Panel Data Analysis for Comparative Research, Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis	2014

## SERVICE

Reviewer for *American Journal of Political Science*; *American Political Science Review*; *American Sociological Review*; *BMJ Global Health*; *British Journal of Political Science*; *British Journal of Politics and International*

*Relations; Civil Wars; Comparative Political Studies; Conflict and Society; Conflict Management and Peace Science; Contemporary Voices: St Andrews Journal of International Relations; Cooperation and Conflict; European Review of Latin American and Caribbean Studies; Foreign Policy Analysis; Global Society; Global Studies Quarterly; International Affairs; International Feminist Journal of Politics; International Interactions; International Organization; International Peacekeeping; International Political Science Review; International Review of Victimology; International Studies Quarterly; Journal of Conflict Resolution; Journal of Institutional Economics; Journal of Global Security Studies; Journal of Intervention and Statebuilding; Journal of Peace Research; Journal of Politics; Journal of Sexual Aggression; Journal of Women, Politics & Gender; Politics & Policy; Latin American Research Review; Media, War & Conflict; Millennium; Nordic Journal of Human Rights; Perspectives on Politics; Political Science Research and Methods; Politics & Gender; PS: Political Science & Politics; Research Ethics; Research & Politics; Studies in Conflict and Terrorism; The Journal of Politics; The Review of International Organizations; Third World Quarterly; Violence Against Women; Women's Studies International Forum; World Development; World Politics*

Reviewer for *Springer Nature* (book proposal)

Reviewer for *Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada* (research proposal)

Jury Member. Bernard Brodie Prize 2025. *Contemporary Security Policy*

Member. Editorial Board of *Contemporary Security Policy*. January 2023– present

Jury member. Cedric Smith Prize for best piece of peace and conflict research by a graduate student. Conflict Research Society, 2020

Discussant. "Europe: East and West" Undergraduate Research Symposium, Panel "Russian and Soviet Foreign Policy". University of Pittsburgh, 2015

## OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Project Manager: higher education research, CHE Consult, Gütersloh, Germany	2011–2012
Assistant to the Country Director (intern), GIZ, Lusaka, Zambia	2010
External Expert: Sector and Policy Division Peace and Governance, KfW Development Bank, Frankfurt am Main, Germany	2010
Intern in the Office of the Coordinator of German-American Cooperation, Federal Foreign Office, Berlin, Germany	2008
Communications Associate (intern), World Federation of United Nations Associations, New York, USA	2006

## LANGUAGES

German (native), English (fluent), Norwegian (advanced), Spanish (intermediate), Swedish (intermediate), French (elementary), Japanese (elementary)

## IT SKILLS

Stata, NVivo, Microsoft Office, LaTeX/Overleaf, Adobe Acrobat, Adobe Lightroom, HTML