

Curriculum Vitae of Dr. Matthias Freise

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Personal Information

Born	25.05.1975 in Frankfurt (Germany)
Family Status	married, two daughters (born 2005 and 2010)
Profession	Political Scientist

Academic Career & Awards

- since 09/2004 University Lecturer and Academic Councillor (since 2009) at the Department of Political Science at the University of Münster
- Supervisor of the Research group „European Civil Society & Multilevel Governance“ and its eight PhD students in cooperation with Prof. Dr. Annette Zimmer (2004 – 2009)
 - Lecturer for political science (Major Topics: Civil Society & Democracy Theory, Comparative Welfare Research)
 - Independent and assisted research work in various empirical projects and research networks:
 - Research Project “Civil Society Organisations and Public Private Partnerships”, part of the CINEFOGO-Network of the European Union
 - TEMPUS-Project “Social Work – Better Governance” (Projekc No. Jep: 21086-2000) in cooperation with Novosibirsk Technical University (Russia)
 - Research Project “Europa Bilden”, joint project of the Journal “Osteuropa” and the Robert Bosch Foundation
 - Supervisor of the European Dissertation Network on the Third Sector and Civil Society

- 09/2007 – 11/2007** Guest Fellow at the Stockholm School of Economics
- Research Grant awarded by CINEFOGO
- 10/2001 – 7/2004** Research Assistant in the project “Future of Civil Society” at the University of Münster
- 01/2002 – 7/2002** Guest Fellow at the Czech Academy of Science, Prague
- 10/2000 – 7/2004** PhD Thesis at Münster University
- Degree: Dr. phil., Predicate: summa cum laude
 - Full Scholarship awarded by the Friedrich-Ebert-Foundation
 - Thesis: “Externe Demokratieförderung in postsozialistischen Transformationsstaaten“

Professional Career

- since 10/2004** Scientific Consultant at the Centre for Nonprofit-Management, Münster
- Responsible for developing projects and leading teams of 2-3 consultants in the areas of political communication and stakeholder participation (clients include national and local foundations, corporate banking institutions, local governments, and NGOs)
 - Primary areas of expertise: citizen participation, corporate social responsibility, and political communication
 - Teaching activity in the private study course “Nonprofit-Management & Governance”
 - Professional qualifications in facilitation, communication, and team leadership

Education

- 1995 – 2000** Magister Artium in Political Science (Major), Communication Science (Minor) and Geography (Minor) at Münster University
- Received M.A. degree with grade average 1.0 (best possible), thesis on democratic problems of constitutions in transition countries
- 1986 – 1994** Taunusschule Königstein (Highschool)
- Abitur/Graduation with grade average 1.8

Internships

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| 1998 | Ostakademie Königstein
(Catholic Academy for Civic Education) |
| 1996 | Taunuszeitung, Bad Homburg
(local Newspaper) |
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Memberships

- German Association for Political Research (DVPW)
 - European Consortium for Political Research
 - Alumni Network of the Friedrich-Ebert-Foundation
 - European PhD Dissertation Network on Civil Society and the Third Sector
 - Maecenata Research Association on Third Sector Research
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Additional Capabilities

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| Languages | <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ German (nativ)○ English (fluent)○ Czech (rudimentary)○ Qualification in Latin |
| Computer Skills | <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Office Applications (Word, Excel, Powerpoint)○ Web Design & Desktop Publishing (Dreamweaver)○ Endnote |
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Publications (selected)

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| Monograph | <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Externe Demokratieförderung in postsozialistischen Transformationsstaaten. Münster: Lit-Verlag (2004) |
| Anthologies | <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ European Civil Society between societal grievances and utopian ideas. Baden-Baden: Nomos (2008, forthcoming)○ Mehr als ein demokratisches Feigenblatt? Zivilgesellschaft in Brüssel. Special Issue of the Forschungsjournal Neue Soziale Bewegungen, (2008, forthcoming) |

Articels & Essays

- The Civil Society Discourse in Brussels – Between societal grievances and utopian ideas“. In: Freise, Matthias (ed.): European Civil Society. Baden-Baden: Nomos (forthcoming, 2008)
- Zivilgesellschaft und Engagementpolitik in den neuen Mitgliedsstaaten der EU. In: Klein, Ansgar/Olk, Thomas/Roth, Roland (eds.): Engagementpolitik. Die Entwicklung der Zivilgesellschaft als politische Aufgabe. Münster: VS-Verlag (forthcoming, 2008)
- Was meint Brüssel, wenn von Zivilgesellschaft die Rede ist? In: Forschungsjournal Neue Soziale Bewegungen. Vol 20. Issue 2 (2008, forthcoming).
- Bringing Society Back In: Civil Society, Social Capital, and Third Sector. In: Maloney, William A./van Deth, Jan (eds.): From National toward International Linkages? Civil Society and Multi-level Governance. London: Edward Elgar (2008, together with Annette Zimmer)
- Dritter Sektor und Globalisierung. In: Robert, Rüdiger (ed.): Bundesrepublik Deutschland: Politisches System und Globalisierung. Münster: Waxmann, 333-353 (2007)
- Rekombinante Wohlfahrtsstaaten: Osteuropäische Sozialpolitik im Wandel. In: Jahrbuch für Christliche Sozialwissenschaften. Jg. 46/2006 Münster: 323-346 (2006)
- Dritter Sektor als Hoffnungsträger? Zwischen Bürgerengagement und New Public Management. In: Voegen, Hermann (ed.): Brückenschläge. Neue Partnerschaften zwischen institutioneller Erwachsenenbildung und bürgerschaftlichen Engagement. Bielefeld: W. Bertelsmann Verlag, 35-48 (2006)
- Demokratie-Bildung. Die Förderung der Zivilgesellschaft in Ostmitteleuropa. In: Osteuropa 8/2005, 83-93 (2005)
- Entwicklungslinien der internationalen Zivilgesellschaft. In: Birkhölzer, Karl et al. (eds.): Dritter Sektor/Drittes System: Theorie, Funktionswandel und zivilgesellschaftliche Perspektiven. Wiesbaden: VS Verlag, 7-38 (2005)
- Der Dritte Sektor im Wandel: zwischen New Public Management und Zivilgesellschaft“. In: Gosewinkel, Dieter et al. (eds.): Zivilgesellschaft - national und transnational. WZB-Jahrbuch 2004. Berlin: edition sigma, 129-150 (together with Helmut Anheier, 2004)
- Der Dritte Sektor im wohlfahrtsstaatlichen Arrangement der post-sozialistischen Visegrád-Staaten. In: Kötz, Hein et. al. (eds.): Non Profit Law Yearbook 2003. Köln: Carl Heymanns Verlag, 175-194 (together with Annette Zimmer, 2004)

- Organizational and Legal Forms of Nonprofit Organizations in Central Europe". In: Zimmer, Annette/Priller, Eckhard (Hrsg.): Future of Civil Society. Wiesbaden: VS Verlag für Sozialwissenschaften, 129-146 (mit Petr Pajas, 2004)

Courses at Münster University

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| 2008 | ○ MA Course: Civil Society & Democracy Theory |
| | ○ MA Course: Engagement Policies |
| 2007 | ○ MA Course: Governance and Interest Representation |
| | ○ MA Course: European Multilevel Governance |
| 2006 | ○ MA Course: Civil Society and Democracy Theory |
| | ○ MA Course: European Multilevel Governance |
| | ○ BA Course: Introduction to European Welfare Systems |
| | ○ BA Course: Qualitative Methods of Political Science |
| 2005 | ○ BA Course: Theories and Methods of Transition Studies |
| | ○ BA Course: Introduction to Democracy Theory |
| 2004 | ○ BA Course: Qualitative Methods of Political Science |
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Conferences & Workshops (Planning and Organisation)

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| 2007 | ○ Organiser of the 7 th meeting of the European PhD dissertation network meeting on the third sector and civil society in Münster (17. – 20.05.2007) |
| | ○ Panel chair of the CINEFOGO Conference “Partnership – Keystone of New Governance” at Münster University (29. - 30.01.2007) |
| 2006 | ○ Panel chair of the ad hoc group "European Multilevel Governance" at the General Conference of the German Association for Political Science (29.10.2006) |
| | ○ Panel chair of the ad hoc group “Future of the German PhD” at the Conference of the German Association for Political Science (28.10.2006) |
| 2005 | ○ Section Chair of Section 28 "Europeanisation and New Forms of Governance: Challenges and Perspectives for Civil Society Organisations in the Enlarged Europe” at the ECPR General Conference in Budapest together with Annette Zimmer and Máté Szabó (8. – 10.09.2005) |

2004

- Organizer of the Conference “Future of Civil Society” funded by the Robert Bosch Foundation at the Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin (24.10.2004)
- Organizer of the Conference “Social Work – Better Governance” funded by TEMPUS in Münster together with Annette Zimmer (11.10.2004)

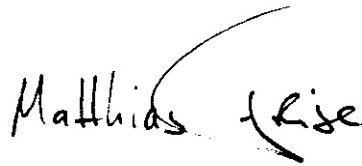
Service to Profession

9/2000 – 2/2002

- Member of the university’s senate commission for developing a new university constitution

2/2000 – 6/2000

- Member of a department’s recruitment commission for selecting a professor at the department of political science



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(Dr. Matthias Freise)