

## Curriculum Vitae

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Place of Birth: Karaganda, Kazakhstan

Nationality: German

Date of Birth: 25<sup>th</sup> April 1981

Date of Emigration: 26<sup>th</sup> September 1989

### Education

**10.2008 – today**

**Private University of Applied Sciences Göttingen**, Germany

Research assistant at the project: “Emerging Market Economies in Central Asia: The Role of Institutional Complementarities in Reform Processes” supervised by Prof. Dr. Joachim Ahrens and financed by the Volkswagen Foundation.

**09.2007 – 09.2008**

**University of Edinburgh**, UK

Study for a Master of Science in Economics (Final mark: Distinction); Scottish Graduate Program in Economics ([www.sgpe.ac.uk](http://www.sgpe.ac.uk)); Core courses: Micro-, Macroeconomics and Quantitative Methods; Optional courses: Advanced Quantitative Methods, Economic Policy and Methodology of Economic Thoughts; Dissertation Topic: The Determinants of FDI in Central Asia.

**10.2002 – 12.2006**

**University of Kassel**, Germany

Study for a Diploma I (equivalent to a Bachelor) in Management and Economics (Final mark: 1,2); Focus: Finance and Financial Markets; Subsidiary subject: Ecological Management. Dissertation Topic: EU – Emission Trading Scheme – First developments at the stock market.

### Employment History and Internships

**10.2008 – 04.2009**

**University of Kassel**, Germany

Part-time assistant at the examination office at the faculty of management and economics; Area of Responsibility at the faculty: Student consultancy; Organizing and arranging exams; Development of PR concepts for the Faculty; Organizing and arranging the Fresher’s week.

**04.2007 – 07.2007**

**Außenhandelskammer**, Almaty, Kazakhstan

Trainee at the “Representation of the German Economy in Kazakhstan”; Area of Responsibility: Support of German and Kazakh companies entering the foreign market; Creation of company profiles and information sheets; Organisation of trade fairs.

**08.2005 – 10.2005**

**SCHUFA AG**, Wiesbaden, Germany

Trainee at Germany’s most successful credit Information Bureau and Scorecard Company; Area of Responsibility: Development and implementation of credit risk scorecards for small-scale enterprises.

**10.2004 – 01.2005**

**University of Cambridge**, UK

Research assistant at the Department of Land Economy; Area of Responsibility: Research on integration of mortgage markets in the European Union with a focus on cross-border lending and Mortgage Backed Securities.

### Teaching Experience

**University of Kassel**

Mathematics to first and second year undergraduates (2004).  
Statistics to first and second year undergraduates (2008/9).

**Private FH Göttingen**

Microeconomics to first and second year undergraduates (2008/9).  
Macroeconomics to first and second year undergraduates (2009).

Military Service

**09.2001 – 05.2002** **German Federal Armed Forces, Homberg (Efze)**  
Artillery shooter; 4 Batterie, Panzerartilleriebataillon 55.

Public affiliation

**05.2006 – 05.2009** **Member of the regional committee on LDR**  
LDR (Landmannschaft der Russlandsdeutschen) is a registered association, which campaigns for the rights of Germans who emigrated from former Soviet Union back to Germany ([www.deutscheausrussland.de](http://www.deutscheausrussland.de)).

**06.2006 – 08.2007** **Member of CTK (Consulting Team Kassel e.V.)**  
Goal of the student consultancy is to promote the co-operation between science and private enterprises. Members are required to plan, to organise and to implement projects. ([www.ctk-ev.org](http://www.ctk-ev.org))

**10.2002 – 07.2006** **Co-founder and President of the IHG**  
IHG (Integration-Help-Group) assists international students with the integration in Germany and particularly in the German University system. Members provide students with individual consultancy, arrange workshops and organize events.

Awards

**Volkswagen Foundation** Scholarship for my position as a research assistant at the Private University of Applied Sciences in Göttingen.

**Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes** Scholarship for my undergraduate and graduate studies in Management and Economics.

**Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes** Scholarship for my internship at the Außenhandelskammer in Almaty.

Certificates and Courses

**Macroeconomics Course** Course for advanced Macroeconomics at the University of Kassel, Germany – April 2007.

**Management Course** Management course (Organized by Shell, Rolls Royce and ARM) at the University of Oxford, UK – January 2005.

**Cabinet de Lionel de Monquit** Course on a practical introduction to accounting in Sanary sur Mer, France – August 2004.

**Reuters-Trading-Lab** Introduction to the use of Reuter's software at the University of Kassel, Germany – Mai 2004.

Additional Information

**Languages** German (fluent), Russian (fluent), English (fluent), French (conversational), Latin (basic).

**IT Skills** Eviews, SPSS, Stata, VBA, JavaScript, HTML and MS Office (in particular Word and Excel).

**Interests** Fitness, Diving, European and Asian history, Psychology.

**Travel** Central Asia, Europe, Middle East, North and South America.