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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Family sociology; social demography; life course sociology; quantitative methods; stratification

## CURRENT POSITION

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since 09/2015 Assistant Professor of Sociology at the University of Mannheim  
Visiting Researcher in the Research group “Demography and Inequality” at the  
WZB Berlin *Social Science Center* (Head of group: Prof. Dr. Anette Fasang)

## PREVIOUS ACADEMIC POSITIONS

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09/2011 – 08/2015 Research Fellow in the Research group “Demography and Inequality” at the  
WZB Berlin *Social Science Center* (Head of group: Prof. Dr. Anette Fasang)  
08/2008 – 03/2012 Research Associate, *National Educational Panel Study*, University of Bamberg  
(Principal Investigator: Prof. Dr. Hans-Peter Blossfeld)  
02/2011 – 04/2011 Visiting Pre-Doctoral Fellow at the *Center for Research On Inequalities and the  
Life Course (CIQLE)*, Yale University  
09/2008 – 07/2014 Research and Teaching Associate, *Chair for Population Studies*, University of  
Bamberg (Chair: Prof. Dr. Henriette Engelhardt-Wölfler)

## EDUCATION

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2014 Dr. rer. Pol. (Ph.D.) in Sociology, University of Bamberg (*summa cum laude*)  
2003 – 2008 Diploma (M.A. equivalent) in sociology (minors: statistics and population  
studies), University of Bamberg (*Top rated student of the sociology class 2008*)  
Autumn 2007 Visiting graduate student (Erasmus), University of Bergen (Norway)

## GRANTS & PRIZES

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11/2015 Dissertation Award of the University of Bamberg/Sparkasse Bamberg  
05/2014 Poster Session Winner at the Annual Meeting of Population Association of  
America in Boston  
12/2011 “The Intergenerational Exchange of Time and Money: Reciprocity in Parent-Child  
Relationships”, DFG Research Grant (with Henriette Engelhardt & Thomas  
Leopold), 208.700 €

- 02/2011 DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) fellowship for Ph.D. research studies at the Center for Research On Inequalities and the Life Course, Yale University, 4.981€
- 2008-2011 Travel grants of the European Research Foundation & DAAD, ≈ 6.000 €

## PUBLICATIONS

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### ARTICLES IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

- Raab M., Fasang, A., Karhula, A., & Erola J.: Sibling Similarity in Family Formation. *Demography*, 51, 2127-2154. doi: 10.1007/s13524-014-0341-6
- Fasang, A. & Raab, M. (2014): Beyond Transmission: Intergenerational Patterns of Family Formation among Middle Class American Families. *Demography*, 51, 1703-1728. doi: 10.1007/s13524-014-0322-9
- Leopold, T., Raab, M., & Engelhardt, H. (2014): The Transition to Parent Care: Costs, Commitments and Caregiver Choice Among Children. *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 76, 300–318. doi: 10.1111/jomf.12099
- Leopold, T., & Raab, M. (2013). The Temporal Structure of Intergenerational Exchange: A Within-Family Analysis of Parent–Child Reciprocity. *Journal of Aging Studies*, 27, 252–263. doi:10.1016/j.jaging.2013.05.001
- Leopold, T., & Raab, M. (2011). Short-Term Reciprocity in Late Parent-Child Relationships. *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 73, 105–119. doi:10.1111/j.1741-3737.2010.00792.x
- Ruland, M., Raab, M., Schönberger, B., Blossfeld, H.-P., Hofäcker, D., Buchholz, S., & Schmelzer, P. (2009). GlobalIndex - Ein soziologischer Ansatz zur Messung von Globalisierung. In M. Weichbold, J. Bacher, & C. Wolf (Eds.), *Österreichische Zeitschrift für Soziologie: Sonderheft 9. Umfrageforschung. Herausforderung und Grenzen* (pp. 373–394). Wiesbaden: VS Verlag.
- Raab, M., Ruland, M., Schönberger, B., Blossfeld, H.-P., Hofäcker, D., Buchholz, S., & Schmelzer, P. (2008). GlobalIndex: A Sociological Approach to Globalization Measurement. *International Sociology*, 23, 596–631. doi:10.1177/0268580908090729

### CHAPTERS IN EDITED VOLUMES

- Barkow, I., Leopold, T., Raab, M., Schiller, D., Wenzig, K., Blossfeld, H.-P., & Rittberger, M. (2011). RemoteNEPS: Data Dissemination in a Collaborative Workspace. In H.-P. Blossfeld, H.-G. Roßbach, & J. von Maurice (Eds.), *Zeitschrift für Erziehungswissenschaft: Sonderheft 14. Education as a Lifelong Process. The German National Educational Panel Study (NEPS)* (pp. 315–325). Wiesbaden: VS Verlag.
- Leopold, T., & Raab, M. (2011). Kurzzeitreziprozität in späten Eltern-Kind-Beziehungen. In P. A. Berger, K. Hank, & A. Tölke (Eds.), *Reproduktion von Ungleichheit durch Arbeit und Familie* (pp. 93–111). Wiesbaden: VS Verlag.
- Raab, M., Ruland, M., & Schmidt, C. (2010). Determinanten instrumenteller intergenerationaler Transfers im europäischen Vergleich. In A. Ette, K. Ruckdeschel, & R. Unger (Eds.), *Potenziale intergenerationaler Beziehungen. Chancen und Herausforderungen für die Gestaltung des demografischen Wandels* (pp. 339–359). Würzburg: Ergon.
- Blossfeld, H.-P., Hofäcker, D., Raab, M., Ruland, M., & Buchholz, S. (2009). Globalisierungsprozesse in modernen Gesellschaften theoretische Grundlagen, empirische Erfassung und Auswirkungen auf individuelle Lebensverlaufmuster. In B. Pfau-Effinger, S. S. Magdalenic, & C. Wolf (Eds.), *International vergleichende Sozialforschung. Ansätze und Messkonzepte unter den Bedingungen der Globalisierung* (pp. 19–39). Wiesbaden: VS Verlag.

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- Raab, M., Leopold T., & Engelhardt H. (2014). Wenn die Eltern Hilfe brauchen. Nicht alle Geschwister beteiligen sich an der Pflege. *WZB Mitteilungen, Heft 143, März 2014*
- Zielonka, M., Skopek, J., & Raab, M. (2012). Data Manual. Curricular Reform Study in Thuringia. *NEPS Research Data Paper*.
- Leopold, T., Raab, M., & Skopek, J. (2011). Data Manual. Starting Cohort 6: Adult Education and Lifelong Learning. *NEPS Research Data Paper*.
- Schmidt, C., Raab, M., & Ruland, M. (2009). Intergenerationale Austauschbeziehungen im internationalen Vergleich. In T. Mühling & H. Rost (Eds.), *ifb-Familienreport Bayern 2009. Schwerpunkt: Familie in Europa* (pp. 143–166)
- Raab, M., Ruland, M., & Schmidt, C. (2009). Intergenerationale Austauschbeziehungen und ihre Determinanten. Ein europäischer Vergleich. In H. Engelhardt (Ed.), *Bamberger Beiträge zur Soziologie: Band 1. Altern in Europa. Empirische Analysen mit dem Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe* (pp. 1–56). Bamberg: University of Bamberg Press.

## PRESENTATIONS

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- 09/2015 **“Destination as a Process: Sibling Similarity in Entry into the Labor Market”**. ECSR Conference in Tallinn (with J. Erola, A. Fasang, and A. Karhula)
- 08/2015 **“Destination as a Process: Sibling Similarity in Entry into the Labor Market”**. ISA RC28 Meeting in Philadelphia (with J. Erola, A. Fasang, and A. Karhula)
- 05/2015 **“Childhood Family Structure and Early Family Formation in East and West Germany”**. Annual Meeting of Population Association of America in San Diego
- 06/2014 **“Sibling Similarity in Family Formation”**. European Population Conference in Budapest (with J. Erola, A. Fasang, and A. Karhula)
- “Childhood Living Arrangements and the Transition to Adulthood”**. EQUALSOC/ECSR Workshop in Amsterdam
- 05/2014 **“Sibling Similarity in Family Formation”**. Poster presentation at the Annual Meeting of Population Association of America in Boston (with J. Erola, A. Fasang, and A. Karhula)
- 04/2014 **“Effekte der Familienstruktur in der Herkunftsfamilie auf den Übergang ins Erwachsenenalter”**. Gemeinsame Tagung des WZB und der Sektion Familiensoziologie der DGS in Berlin
- 09/2013 **“Sequence Analysis in the Social Sciences”**. Colloquium for Statistical Analyses at the WZB in Berlin
- 08/2013 **“Sibling Similarity in Family Formation”**. ESA2013 - 11th Conference of the European Sociological Association in Torino (with J. Erola, A. Fasang, and A. Karhula)
- 05/2013 **“Sibling Similarity in Family Formation”**. XXXIII Sunbelt Social Networks Conference of the International Network for Social Network Analysis (with J. Erola, A. Fasang, and A. Karhula)
- 04/2013 **“Beyond Transmission. Intergenerational Patterns of Family Formation among Middle Class Americans”**. Annual Meeting of Population Association of America in New Orleans (with A. Fasang)
- 08/2012 **“Sibling Similarity in Family Formation. What can we learn from Sequence Analysis?”** Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association in Denver (with J. Erola, A. Fasang, and A. Karhula)
- 06/2012 **“Intergenerational Patterns of Family Formation”**. Poster presentation at the European Population Conference in Stockholm (with A. Fasang)
- 05/2012 **“Sibling Correlations in Family Formation”**. ISA RC28 Spring Meeting in Hong Kong (with J. Erola, A. Fasang, and A. Karhula)

- 09/2011 **“Die intergenerationale Transmission fertilen Verhaltens”**. Herbsttagung der Sektion Familiensoziologie der DGS in Vechta (with T. Leopold)
- 10/2010 **“Intergenerational Exchange of Time and Money. Short-term Reciprocity Between Parents and Their Adult Children”**. ECSR 2010 Conference „Analysing Education, Family, Work and Welfare in Modern Societies – Methodological Approaches and Empirical Evidence“ in Bamberg (with T. Leopold)
- 09/2010 **“Intergenerational Exchange of Time and Money. Short-term Reciprocity Between Parents and Their Adult Children”**. European Population Conference in Vienna (with T. Leopold)
- 07/2010 **“Intergenerational Exchange of Time and Money. Short-term Reciprocity Between Parents and Their Adult Children”**. RC55/RC11-Session at the XVII ISA World Congress of Sociology in Gothenburg (with T. Leopold)
- 04/2010 **“Der intergenerationale Austausch von Zeit und Geld. Kurzzeitreziprozität in Eltern-Kind-Beziehungen”** Gemeinsame Tagung der Sektionen Soziale Ungleichheit und Sozialstrukturanalyse und Familiensoziologie der DGS in Rostock (with T. Leopold)
- 12/2009 **“Intergenerational Exchange of Time and Money. Short-term Reciprocity Between Parents and Their Adult Children”**. Postgraduate Conference on Ageing Studies „Ageing Societies: Change, Challenge and Chance“ in Oxford (with T. Leopold)
- 09/2009 **“Patterns of Intergenerational Solidarity in Europe”**. ESA2009 - 9th Conference of the European Sociological Association in Lisbon (with M. Ruland and C. Schmidt)
- 06/2008 **“GlobalIndex. A Multidimensional Approach to Globalization Measurement”**. TransEurope Session at the 38th IIS World Congress in Budapest (with H.-P. Blossfeld, D. Hofäcker, M. Ruland, and B. Schönberger)
- “Intergenerationale Austauschbeziehungen im Zeichen des demografischen Wandels”**. Konferenz im Rahmen des Generations and Gender Programme in Wiesbaden (with M. Ruland and C. Schmidt)
- 11/2007 **“GlobalIndex. Ein multidimensionales Instrument zur Messung von Globalisierung”**. Gemeinsame Tagung der Arbeitsgemeinschaft Sozialwissenschaftlicher Institute (ASI) und der DGS-Sektion Methoden der Empirischen Sozialforschung in Hamburg (with H.-P. Blossfeld, D. Hofäcker, and M. Ruland)
- 09/2007 **“What is Globalization and How Can We Measure it?”**. ECSR/ TransEurope Conference „Globalization, Social Inequality and the Life Course“ in Groningen (with H.-P. Blossfeld, M. Ruland, and B. Schönberger)
- 08/2007 **“What is Globalization and How Can We Measure it?”**. ECSR/TransEurope Summer School “Globalization, Social Inequality and the Life Course: Comparative Methodological Approaches” in Groningen (with H.-P. Blossfeld, M. Ruland, and B. Schönberger)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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- 2015 “Introduction: Family Sociology”, seminar, BA level  
 “Intergenerational Relations across the Life Course”, seminar BA level
- 2014 – 2015 “Families across the Life Course”, with A. Fasang, practical seminar (quantitative), MA level
- 2013 – 2014 “Intergenerational Relations across the Life Course”, with A. Fasang, BA level
- 2012 – 2013 “Negotiating Family Responsibilities”, practical seminar (qualitative), BA & MA level (3×)  
 “Intergenerational Relations across the Life Course”, with A. Fasang, in English, MA level  
 “Parent-Child Relations across the Life Course”, BA level  
 “Workshop on Sequence Analysis”, with A. Fasang, in English, postgraduate level
- 2010 – 2011 “Age and Ageing”, BA level (2×)

2010	“Intergenerational Transmission”, MA level “Demographic Research Using SHARE”, practical seminar (quantitative), MA level
2008 – 2010	“Aging in Europe”, BA level “Social Network Analysis”, MA level (2×)
2007 – 2008	“Data Analysis Using Stata (tutorial)”, BA level (2×)
2006 – 2007	“Data Analysis Using SPSS (tutorial)”, BA level
2005 – 2007	“Empirical Social Research (tutorial)”, BA level (3×)

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

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Administrative Tasks	Member of the Supervisory Board of the Mannheim Centre for European Social Research
Reviewer	Advances in Life Course Research; European Sociological Review; Demographic Research; Journal of Marriage and Family; Research on Aging; Zeitschrift für Soziologie  Swiss National Science Foundation
Chair/Discussant	DGD-Jahrestagung 2015: Spektrum demografischer Forschung in Deutschland (03/2015)  ECSR Conference 2014: Social Inequalities in Europe - On the Rise Again? (09/2014)  Gemeinsame Tagung des WZB und der Sektion Familiensoziologie der DGS (04/2014)
Editorial Assistant	Bamberger Beiträge zur Soziologie at University of Bamberg Press; outlet launched to promote the work of the department’s undergraduates (11/2009 – 01/2013)