

Curriculum Vitae

Ulrich Franke

Personal information

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| <i>Year of birth</i> | 1977 |
| <i>Place of birth</i> | Bad Soden/Germany |
| <i>Nationality</i> | German |

Research Interests

International Organizations/Institutions
Security Studies, Foreign Policy, and Politics of Memory
Theories and History of International Relations
Socio-scientific Basic Research
Methodology and Interpretive Methods

Professional Memberships

British International Studies Association

German Political Science Association
International Studies Association
Swiss Political Science Association

Education (University)

- 09/2008 Promotion to a Dr. rer. publ. at the University of St. Gallen
- 05/2008 Disputation
- 02/2008 Completion of PhD thesis (written in German): *A kind of a more efficient United Nations? About the 'puzzle' of NATO's persistence after the end of the block confrontation* – supervised by Prof. James W. Davis, PhD (University of St. Gallen) and Prof. Dr. Gunther Hellmann (Goethe-University, Frankfurt/M.)
- 07/2003 Commencement of dissertation
- 05/2003 Final degree in Political Science, Sociology and Economics (Goethe-University, Frankfurt/M.): Granting the title of a *Magister Artium*
- 12/2002 Completion of MA thesis (written in German): *About the contrary dealing with a taboo. Why Germany did not participate in the Gulf War 1991 but entered the 'War against Terror' in the year 2001. An analysis of four speeches held in the German Bundestag by means of 'objective hermeneutics'*; supervised by Prof. Dr. Gunther Hellmann and Prof. Dr. Ulrich Oevermann
- 11/1999 Intermediate examination
- 10/1997 Commencement of studies of Political Science (major subject), Sociology and Economics (minor subjects) at Goethe-University, Frankfurt/M.

Professional Experience

- 10/2008 – 09/2010 Collaborator (p.p.) of Prof. Dr. Mathias Albert, Bielefeld University (*Faculty of Sociology*)

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| 10/2008 – 03/2009 | Collaborator (p.p.) of Prof. Dr. Detlef Sack, Bielefeld University (<i>Faculty of Sociology</i>) |
| 08/2008 – 12/2008 | Postdoc-fellow at the cluster of excellence: <i>Formation of Normative Orders</i> , Goethe-University, Frankfurt/M. |
| 07/2005 – 09/2008 | Research and teaching assistant to Prof. James W. Davis, PhD at the <i>Institute of Political Science (IPW-HSG)</i> , University of St. Gallen |
| 07/2006 – 08/2006 | Research stay at the University of Sheffield, UK on invitation by Prof. Colin Wight |
| 04/2001 – 03/2002 | Teaching assistant for the chairs of political science focusing on the foreign affairs of western European states (Prof. Dr. Gunther Hellmann) and the chair of political science and political sociology focusing on Eastern Europe (Prof. Dr. Melanie Tatur) at the <i>Institute of Comparative Politics and International Relations</i> , Goethe-University, Frankfurt/M. |

Publications (Sample)

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| <i>Peer-Reviewed</i> | <p>Actor, structure, process: Transcending the state personhood debate by means of a pragmatist ontological model for international relations theory, <i>Review of International Studies</i>, forthcoming (with Ulrich Roos)</p> <p>Beyond the Deadlock: How Europe Can Contribute to UN Reform, <i>The International Spectator</i>, 43: 1 (March 2008), pp. 43-55 (with Ulrich Roos and Gunther Hellmann)</p> |
| <i>Non Peer-Reviewed</i> | Objektive Hermeneutik und Grounded Theory als rekonstruktionslogische Forschungsansätze in den Internationalen Beziehungen (<i>Objective hermeneutics and grounded theory as reconstructive approaches to IR research</i>), in: Carlo Masala, Andreas Wilhelm and Frank Sauer (eds.): <i>Handbuch Internationale Politik</i> , Wiesbaden: VS. Verlag für Sozialwissenschaften, forthcoming (with Ulrich Roos) |
| <i>Miscellanies</i> | Eine Art Vereinte Nationen mit größerer Wirksamkeit? Zum „Rätsel“ des Fortbestands der NATO nach dem Ende der Blockkonfrontation (<i>A kind of a more efficient United Nations? On the 'puzzle' of NATO's persistence after the end of the block confrontation</i>), dissertation, University of St. |

Gallen, 2008 (Wiesbaden: Verlag für Sozialwissenschaften, forthcoming)

Teaching Experience

- 06/2010 Zur Politik des Völkerrechts: Krieg und Frieden (*The politics of international law: war and peace*), Bielefeld University (compact course)
- 04/2010 – 07/2010 Geschichte politischer Theorien (*History of political theories*), Bielefeld University
- 01/2010 Zur Politik des Völkerrechts (*The politics of international law*), Bielefeld University (compact course)
- 04/2009 – 07/2009 Einführung in die Internationalen Beziehungen I (*Introduction into International Relations I*), Bielefeld University
- 04/2009 – 07/2009 “Krieg gegen Terrorismus” (“*War against terror*”), Bielefeld University
- 10/2008 – 02/2009 Zur Entwicklung einer Theorie der Konkurrenz zwischen internationalen Institutionen (*On developing a theory of rivalry among international institutions*), Bielefeld University
- 11/2008 – 12/2008 Die Widersprüche friedenspolitischer Interventionen. Das Beispiel Kosovo 1999-2008 (*The dilemmas of peace-promoting interventions. The example of Kosovo 1999-2008*), Goethe-University, Frankfurt/M. (with Prof. Dr. Tim Guldemann)
- 02/2008 – 05/2008 Tutor to the seminar Theorie der Internationalen Beziehungen (*Theory of International Relations*), Prof. James W. Davis, PhD, University of St. Gallen
- 11/2006 – 11/2008 Participation in a seminar on didactics offered by the Center for Teaching and Learning (HDZ-HSG), University of St. Gallen
- 04/2001 – 02/2002 Tutor to the seminars Einführung in die deutsche Außenpolitik (*An introduction into German foreign policy*), Prof. Dr. Gunther Hellmann, and Einführung in das Studium der Sozialwissenschaften (*An introduction into the study of the social sciences*), Prof. Dr. Melanie Tatur, Goethe-University, Frankfurt/M.

Activity as Reviewer

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| <i>Journals</i> | Zeitschrift für Internationale Beziehungen Perspectives. The Central European Review of International Affairs |
| <i>Publishing Houses</i> | Murmann-Verlag |

Languages

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| <i>German</i> | Mother tongue |
| <i>English</i> | Fluent |
| <i>French</i> | Conversant |

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