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POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCHER

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EDUCATION

[CAS ADVANCED MACHINE LEARNING](#)

University of Bern, Switzerland
08/2021–11/2022

PHD

University of Zurich, ETH Zurich,
Switzerland
08/2021–11/2022

[TEACHING SKILLS CERTIFICATE](#)

University of Zurich, Switzerland
08/2021–11/2022

MASTER OF ARTS

Environmental Policy
Free University of Berlin, Germany
08/2021–11/2022

MASTER OF ARTS

Political Science, Economy
Ludwig-Maximilian University
Munich, Germany
08/2021–11/2022

LEADERSHIP

Steering Committee, [Compon Project](#) | 10/2019–present

Principal investigator, [SNIS-funded research project](#) | 01/2021–present

Co-coordinator, [SNF-funded research project](#) | 08/2020–present

SUMMARY

I am an advanced early career researcher with a deep interest in environmental policy processes from a comparative perspective. My research can be situated at the intersection of international politics and (sub)-national policy processes. I have strong methodological skills, in particular social network analysis, regression, quantitative text analysis, and machine learning. But, I have also experience with mixed methods and qualitative research such as interviews or document analysis. Further, I have acquired two large and several smaller competitive research grants. I have several years of experience in project management, leadership, and the supervision of students. I also possess a strong professional network in my research domain both nationally and internationally. Finally, I am a dedicated lecturer with a large and innovative teaching portfolio.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

POSTDOC

University of Bern, Switzerland | 02/2018–present
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Karin Ingold

VISITING SCHOLAR

Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research, Germany | 03/2022–05/2022
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Detlef Sprinz

PHD STUDENT

Institute of Political Science, University of Zurich, Switzerland | 04/2015–01/2018
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Thomas Widmer

ASSISTANT

Institute of Political Science, University of Bern, Switzerland | 08/2017–11/2017
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Karin Ingold

VISITING SCHOLAR

Department for Social Research, University Helsinki, Finland | 03/2017–07/2017
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Tuomas Ylä-Anttila

PHD STUDENT

Institute of Environmental Decisions, ETH Zurich, Switzerland | 02/2014–03/2015
Supervisors: Dr. Christian Hirschi, Prof. Dr. Stefanie Engel

STUDENT ASSISTANT

Environmental Policy Research Centre, Free University of Berlin, Germany | 05/2011–04/2013
Supervisor: Dr. Klaus Jacob

WORK EXPERIENCE OUTSIDE ACADEMIA

INSTITUT FOR SOCIAL STRATEGY

Voluntary work in management, press & public relations,
Berlin, Germany | 02/2010 – 12/2013

SIEMENS FINANCIAL SERVICES GMBH

Personal assistance to the CEO and team assistance for 35 employees
Munich, Germany | 04/2008 – 09/2009

BUNDESKANZLER WILLY-BRANDT STIFTUNG (BWBS), BERLIN

Intern in the context of the permanent exhibition at the Willy-Brandt Haus Lübeck,
Berlin, Germany | 02/2007 – 04/2007

ORACLE DEUTSCHLAND GMBH, MÜNCHEN

Quality Assurance, München, Deutschland | 09/2006 – 07/2007

EDITOR

Guest Editor, Special Issue on "Local Climate Policy"

REVIEWER

Global Environmental Politics

Climate Policy

Journal of Land Use Policy

Journal of Environmental Policy and Planning

Zeitschrift für Politikwissenschaft

International Studies Quarterly

Regional Environmental Change

SKILLS

// PROFESSIONAL

Teaching

Fundraising

Project management

// TECHNICAL

R and Python

Social Network Analysis

Machine Learning

Regression

Interviews

Survey design

LANGUAGES

GERMAN | Mother tongue

ENGLISH | Proficient

FRENCH | Intermediate

SPANISH | Intermediate

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

EVALUATION COMMITTEE MASTER PROGRAMS

Institute of Political Science (IPW), University of Bern, Switzerland | 09/2022

REPRESENTATIVE OF SCIENTIFIC STAFF (MITTELBAU)

Institute of Political Science (IPW), University of Bern, Switzerland | 02/2020–12/2021

CO-FOUNDER AND COORDINATOR IPW PEER GROUP FOR PHDS AND POSTDOCS

Institute of Political Science (IPW), University of Bern, Switzerland | 01/2019–09/2021

ELECTORAL COMMITTEE WYSS ACADEMY FOR NATURE

Institute of Political Science (IPW), University of Bern, Switzerland | 10/2020–02/2021

REPRESENTATIVE OF SCIENTIFIC STAFF (MITTELBAU) FOR MASTER PROGRAM

University of Zurich, Switzerland | 09/2016–07/2017

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (SELECTION)

WISO MENTORING PROGRAM FOR EARLY CAREER RESEARCHERS

WISO Faculty (Social Science and Economy), University of Bern | 05/2018–04/2019

Mentor: Prof. Dr. Detlef Sprinz

QUANTITATIVE TEXT ANALYSIS AND WEBSCRAPING WITH R

University of Zurich and ECPR Summer / Winter Schools | 2019, 2020

ADVANCED METHODS (CAUSAL INFERENCE, STATISTICAL INFERENCE, MISSING VALUES)

University of Zurich and ECPR Summer / Winter Schools | 2014, 2016

ADVANCED METHODS OF SOCIAL NETWORK ANALYSIS

Manchester Methods Summer School, University of Manchester | 2014

RESEARCH PROJECTS

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

Swiss Network for International Studies | 01/2021–12/2022

Title: [What international negotiators promise, and national policymakers implement: The policy and politics of climate change mitigation](#)

Budget: 260'000 CHF

CO-COORDINATOR (PI: KARIN INGOLD)

Swiss National Science Foundation | 08/2020–07/2024

Title: [Same, same but different? Multiplex networks in Swiss and German climate mitigation policy](#)

Budget: 600'000 CHF

INVESTIGATOR

Swiss Case Study | 05/2015–present

Title: [Comparing Climate Change Policy Networks \(COMPON\)](#)

FURTHER GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

SCIENTIFIC EXCHANGE FUND

Visiting Scholar Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research | 03/2022–05/2022

Swiss National Science Foundation

Budget: 3'300 CHF

INITIATOR GRANT

To prepare Swiss National Science Foundation Starting Grant | 07/2021–01/2022

University of Bern

Budget: 19'000 CHF

COMPETITIVE FUNDING INSTRUMENT WISO FACULTY

To hire research assistant | 07/2021–11/2022

University of Bern

Budget: 10'238 CHF

YOUNG TALENT PROMOTION POOL

To organize workshop | 08/2019–10/2018

University of Bern

Budget: 4'900 CHF

INSTITUTE FOR MARKETING AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
To organize PhD and postdoctoral peer group | 08/2019–10/2018
University of Bern
Budget: 8'035 CHF

DOC MOBILITY
For research stay in Finland, University of Bern | 03/2017–08/2017
Swiss National Science Foundation
Budget: 31'000 CHF

A C T I V E M E M B E R S H I P S

STANDING GROUP POLITICAL NETWORKS, ECPR
Member since 2019

SWISS POLITICAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
Member since 2015

I N V I T E D T A L K S A N D W O R K S H O P S

SPECIAL ISSUE WORKSHOP "CLIMATE ACTION THROUGH POLICY EXPANSION"
ZEW Mannheim, Germany | 10/2022, organized by Jale Tosun, Simon Schaub & Andrew Jordan

INVITED TALK – 8X8 JUNGE FORSCHENDE ERZÄHLEN
University of Bern, Switzerland | 6/2022

INVITED TALK – SCIENCE & PRETZELS
Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research, Germany | 5/2022

INVITED TALK – AUTHOR CONFERENCE
Forum of Federations, Montréal, Canada | 09/2019

INVITED TALK – GUEST LECTURE
Otto von Guericke University, Magdeburg, Germany | 05/2019

INVITED TALK – GUEST LECTURE
Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research, Germany | 05/2019

INVITED TALK – PRESENTATION IN PLENARY MEETING
Oeschger Centre for Climate Change Research, University of Bern, Switzerland | 02/2019

ORGANIZER – COMPARING CLIMATE POLICY NETWORKS
University of Bern, Switzerland | 10/2019

C O N F E R E N C E S (S E L E C T I O N)

MIDWESTERN POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE
Presenter, Co-author | 2016, 2022

ECPR GENERAL CONFERENCE
Presenter, Discussant, and/ or Panel Chair | 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022

SUNBELT CONFERENCE
Presenter | 2015, 2022

SWISS POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION ANNUAL CONFERENCE
Presenter | 2017, 2019, 2021

IPSA WOLRD CONFERENCE
Presenter | 2021

EUSN (EUROPEAN SOCIAL NETWORK) CONFERENCE
Presenter and/or Panel Chair | 2014, 2019, 2021

ECPR JOINT SESSIONS
Presenter | 2019

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY AND GOVERNANCE
Presenter | 2015, 2018