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Paris-Lodron-University Salzburg
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A C A D E M I C V I T A

03/2024 – 10/2024	Interim professor (W3) for General and Theoretical Sociology at the Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena's Institute of Sociology
07/2022 - Present	Akademischer Rat a.Z. (Associate Professor) at the Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena's Institute of Sociology, division of General and Theoretical Sociology (Prof. Hartmut Rosa)
06/2022 - Present	Principal investigator (together with Dr. Yannick Kalff, Osnabrück) of the DFG funded research network "Emanzipatorische Technikforschung: Verhältnisse zwischen technischem und gesellschaftlichem Wandel" [Emancipatory technology studies: Linkages between social and technological change]
01/2021 - Present	Member of the extended board & elected speaker of Project-Area C in Transregio-SFB 294 on the structural transformation of property, Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena & University of Erfurt
01/2021 – Present	Principal investigator (together with Prof. Tilman Reitz) of the DFG funded research project "Geistiges Eigentum: Soziale Einbettung und funktionale Äquivalente" [Intellectual property: Social embeddedness and functional equivalents], part of Transregio-SFB 294 on the structural transformation of property, Institute of Sociology, Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena
04/2020 – 03/2021	Interim professor (W3) for Media Systems and Media Organisation at the Paderborn University's Department of Media Studies
10/2019 – 03/2020	Interim professor (W3) for Media Economics and Media Management at the Paderborn University's Department of Media Studies
02/2014 – 07/2022	Qualification position/ Postdoctoral researcher at the Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena's Institute of Sociology, division of General and Theoretical Sociology (Prof. Hartmut Rosa)
09/2010 – 01/2014	Research associate in the research project "Social Networking Sites in the Surveillance Society" (SNS3), funded by the Austrian Science Fund (FWF) [project number: P22445-G17, co-ordination: Prof. Christian Fuchs, University of Westminster, London, UK]; website: www.sns3.uti.at
2010	Lecturer in Media Economics, Department of Communication Studies, University of Salzburg, Austria
2009 – 2010	Research associate at the Department of Communication Studies, University of Salzburg, Austria (Media Economics and Media Policy Research Group led by Prof. Manfred Knoche (2009) and Prof. Christian Steininger (2010))
2008 – 2009	Research assistant at the Department of Communication Studies, University of Salzburg, Austria (Media Economics and Media Policy Research Group led by Prof. Manfred Knoche)

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09/2019	Verification of achievements equivalent to Habilitation by the Faculty of Arts and Humanities, University of Paderborn
01/2017 – Present	Habilitation project "Communication and Labour in Digital Capitalism" (submission 2024)
2014	Dissertation thesis: "The Commodification of Privacy in Informational Capitalism" (main supervisor: Prof. Christian Fuchs, Westminster University, London; second review: Prof. Mark Andrejevic, The University of Queensland, Australia)
2009 – 2013	Doctoral studies in cultural and social sciences at the University of Salzburg, Austria; major field of study: social-philosophical, ethical, political and economic aspects of communication with a focus on new media and the Internet
2009	Master thesis "Ideologie, Kulturindustrie und Hegemonie: Reflexionen zu Grundbegriffen einer kritischen Kommunikationswissenschaft" [Ideology, culture industry, and hegemony: Reflections on key concepts of critical communication studies]
2007	Bachelor thesis: "Konvergenz als Zeichen eines Strukturwandel der Medienindustrie und deren Diskussion in zwei ausgewählten Kontexten" [Convergence as indicator of a structural transformation of media industries: A discussion of two selected contexts] and „Die Bundesdeutsche Diskussion über das EG-Beihilfenrecht im Kontext öffentlich-rechtlicher Rundfunkfinanzierung: Eine kommunikationswissenschaftliche Betrachtung" [The German discussion of the European law on state aid in the context of public broadcasting: A communication studies perspective]
2003 – 2009	Studies in communication, theology, and psychology at the University of Salzburg; Major field of study: political and economic aspects of media and communication

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03/2023 – 03/2026: Principal investigator (Mitverantwortliche) together with Dr. Yannick Kalff (Antragsteller) of the DFG funded research network "Emanzipatorische Technikforschung: Verhältnisse zwischen technischem und gesellschaftlichem Wandel" [Emancipatory technology studies: Linkages between social and technological change]

01/2021 – 12/2024: Principal investigator of the DFG research project "Geistiges Eigentum: Soziale Einbettung und funktionale Äquivalente" [Intellectual Property: Social Embeddedness and Functional Equivalents], part of a proposal for an interdisciplinary Collaborative Research Centre (SFB) on the "Structural Transformation of Property" at Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena and the University of Erfurt, Germany with the German Research Association (DFG) (192.000 Euro for the first phase of funding)

01/2018 – 2022: Collective research project "Projekt Klassenanalyse Jena" [Project Class Analysis Jena], funded by the Rosa-Luxemburg-Stiftung, Germany; PI: Prof. Klaus Dörre)

05/2017 – 07/2017: Research fellowship at the Westminster Institute of Advance Studies (WIAS), University of Westminster, London, UK (7.500 British Pounds)

IN REVISION/DECLINED

Project proposal together with Prof. Hartmut Rosa, Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, Germany & Prof. Christian Fuchs, University of Westminster, London "Cultures of Social Media Populism: A Comparative Analysis of Digital Communication in Germany and the United Kingdom" (submitted to the DFG & AHRC, German-British joint call, two positive reviews, declined)

Project proposal together with Prof. Christian Fuchs, University of Westminster, London "Varianten des digitalen Kapitalismus: Eine vergleichende Untersuchung Deutschlands und Großbritanniens" [Varieties of Digital Capitalism: A Comparison between Germany and the UK] (submitted to the Böckler-Stiftung, declined).

P U B L I C A T I O N S

MONOGRAPHS

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Seignani, Sebastian. 2016. *Privacy and Capitalism in the Age of Social Media*. New York: Routledge.

Seignani, Sebastian. 2013. *The Commodification of Privacy in Informational Capitalism*. Dissertation: University of Salzburg.

Seignani, Sebastian. 2009. *Ideologie, Kulturindustrie und Hegemonie: Reflektionen zu Schlüsselbegriffen einer kritischen Kommunikationswissenschaft* [Ideology, Culture Industry, and Hegemony: Reflections on Core Concepts of Critical Communication Studies; in German]. Unpublished Master thesis. University of Salzburg.

JOURNAL ARTICLES (* = peer reviewed)

* Seignani, Sebastian, Mandy Tröger, and Hendrik Theine. 2024. *Towards Media Environment Capture: A Theoretical Contribution on the Influence of Big Tech on News Media*. *International Journal of Communication*. Forthcoming.

* Seignani, Sebastian. 2024. *Communicative Activity: Social and Action Theoretical Foundations for Critical Materialist Media and Communication Sociology in the Digital Age*. *Critical Sociology*. Forthcoming. Online First: <https://doi.org/10.1177/08969205241230246>

Fraser, Nancy, Victor Kempf, Sebastian Seignani, und Martin Seeliger. 2023. *Kapitalismus und umkämpfte Öffentlichkeit. Ein Gespräch mit Nancy Fraser*. *Berliner Journal für Soziologie*. Forthcoming. [Capitalism and the contested public sphere. A conversation with Nancy Fraser; in German]

Heiland, Heiner, Martin Seeliger, und Sebastian Seignani. 2023. *The Proletarian Public Sphere Revisited: Conceptual Propositions on the Structural Transformation of Publics in Labour Policy*. *Philosophy & Social Criticism*. Online First: <https://doi.org/10.1177/01914537231206463>.

Kempf, Victor, Sebastian Seignani, and Nancy Fraser. 2023. *Capitalism and Contested Publicity. A Conversation with Nancy Fraser*. *Philosophy & Social Criticism*. Online First: <https://doi.org/10.1177/01914537231203555>.

Seignani, Sebastian. 2023. *'Ideology and simultaneously more than mere ideology': On Habermas' Reflections and Hypotheses on a Further Structural Transformation of the Political Public Sphere*. *Constellations: An International Journal of Critical & Democratic Theory* 30, 1: 84-91.

Heiland, Heiner, Martin Seeliger and Sebastian Seignani. 2022. *Proletarische Öffentlichkeit revisited. Konzeptionelle und forschungsprogrammatische Überlegungen zum Strukturwandel arbeitspolitischer Öffentlichkeiten*. Sonderband *Zeitschrift für Theoretische Soziologie* 2022, 1-2: 85-111. [The proletarian public sphere revisited: Conceptual and programmatic ideas to the structural transformation of labour political publics; in German]

* Seignani, Sebastian. 2022. *Hegemonic, Populist, or Popular Communication: Structural Ideology and Digital Transformations of the Public Sphere*. *Theory, Culture & Society* 39, 4: 91-109.

Seignani, Sebastian, Martin Seeliger. 2022. *A New Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere? An Introduction to the Special Issue*. *Theory, Culture & Society* 39, 4: 3-16.

* Seignani, Sebastian. 2021. *Ideologische Öffentlichkeit im digitalen Strukturwandel*. Special issue 37 of *Leviathan*. *Berliner Zeitschrift für Sozialwissenschaft*, 43-67. [The Ideological Public Sphere and the Digital Transformation; in German]

* Seignani, Sebastian. 2020. *Klassenbildung im digitalen Strukturwandel der Öffentlichkeit*. *Das Argument: Zeitschrift für Philosophie und Sozialwissenschaften* 335: 220-240. [Class Making in the Digital Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere; in German]

Sandoval, Marisol and Sebastian Seignani. 2020. *Digital Exploitation: Linking Communication and Labour in Global Capitalism*. *Global Dialogue* 10, 2: 22-24.

* Seignani, Sebastian. 2019. *The Development of Informational Needs and Prospects of a Need-Based Critique of Digital Capitalism*. *Annual Review of Critical Psychology* 16: 523-543.

* Sevignani, Sebastian. 2019. Historisch-Materialistische Theorie der Medien und der Kommunikation 2.0. Maske und Kothurn: Internationale Beiträge zur Theater-, Film- und Medienwissenschaft 64 (1/2): 59-88. [Historical-Materialist Theory of Media and Communication 2.0; in German]

Sevignani, Sebastian. 2018. Informationelle Selbstbestimmung: Privatheit im digitalen Kapitalismus. *Indes: Zeitschrift für Politik und Gesellschaft* 2018, 2: 40-47.

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* Sevignani, Sebastian. 2017. Privatheit, Entfremdung und die (De-)Kommodifizierung persönlicher Daten. *Forschungsjournal Soziale Bewegungen* 30, 2: 170-179. [Privacy, Alienation, and the (De-) Commodification of Personal Data; in German]

* Sevignani, Sebastian. 2017. Surveillance, Classification, and Social Inequality in Informational Capitalism: The Relevance of Exploitation in the Context of Markets in Information. *Historical Social Research* 42, 1: 77-102.

* Sevignani, Sebastian. 2017. Herausforderungen der Debatte um das Digitale Arbeiten für eine Politische Ökonomie der neuen Medien. *PROKLA: Zeitschrift für kritische Sozialwissenschaften* 47, 1: 43-67. [Challenges from the Digital Labour Debate for a Critical Political Economy of New Media; in German]

Sevignani, Sebastian. 2015. Medien im Kapitalismus: Strukturelle und ideologische (Klassen-)Herrschaft in der Perspektive einer kritischen politischen Ökonomie der Kommunikation. In *Kurswechsel* 2015, 3: 15-24. [Media in Capitalism: Structural and Ideological (Class) Domination in the View of a Critical Political Economy of Communication; in German]

* Sevignani, Sebastian. 2013. The Commodification of Privacy on the Internet. *Science and Public Policy* 40(6): 733-739.

* Sevignani, Sebastian and Christian Fuchs. 2013. What Is Digital Labour? What Is Digital Work? What's Their Difference? And Why Do These Questions Matter for Understanding Social Media? *tripleC* 11(2): 237-293.

* Sevignani, Sebastian. 2012. The Problem of Privacy in Capitalism and the Alternative Social Networking Site Diaspora. *tripleC* 10 (2): 600-617. [special issue ed. by Vincent Mosco and Christian Fuchs]

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Brunkhorst, Hauke, Martin Seeliger, and Sebastian Sevignani (eds.). 2023. Transformations of the Public Sphere. Special Issue of *Philosophy & Social Criticism*. Forthcoming. [with contributions amongst other by Nancy Fraser, Douglas Kellner, Michael Zürn]

Carstensen, Tanja, Simon Schaupp, and Sebastian Sevignani (eds.). 2023. Theorien des digitalen Kapitalismus: Arbeit und Ökonomie, Politik und Subjekt. Berlin: Suhrkamp. [Theories of Digital Capitalism; in German]

Seeliger, Martin, and Sebastian Sevignani (eds.). 2022. Another Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere? Democracy in Times of Globalization, Commodification, and Digitalization. Special Issue of *Theory, Culture & Society* 39, 4. [with contributions amongst others by Jürgen Habermas, Hartmut Rosa, Judith Butler]

Seeliger, Martin, and Sebastian Sevignani (eds.). 2021. Ein neuer Strukturwandel der Öffentlichkeit? Special Issue 37 of *Leviathan*. *Berliner Zeitschrift für Sozialwissenschaft*. [Another Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere?; in German] [with contributions amongst others by Nancy Fraser, Jürgen Habermas, Hartmut Rosa, Donatella della Porta]

Sevignani, Sebastian et. al. (eds.) 2020. Online-Kapitalismus. Zur Umwälzung einer Produktions- und Lebensweise. Special Issue of *Das Argument: Zeitschrift für Philosophie und Sozialwissenschaften* 335. [Online Capitalism: On the Revolution of a mode of production and life; in German]

Sevignani, Sebastian, and Marlen van den Ecker (eds.). 2020. Media and Communication in Digital Capitalism: Critical Perspectives. Special Section of *Global Dialogue: Magazine of the International Sociological Association* 10, 2: 20-32.

Krüger, Uwe, and Sebastian Sevignani (eds.). 2020. Ideologie, Kritik, Öffentlichkeit: Verhandlungen des Netzwerks Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft. Frankfurt am Main: Westend. [Ideology, Critique, and the Public Sphere: Proceedings of the Network Critical Communication Studies]

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Sandoval, Marisol, Sebastian Seignani, Alexander Rehbogen, Thomas Allmer, Matthias Hager, and Verena Kreiling (eds.). 2011. *Bildung MACHT Gesellschaft*. Münster: Westfälisches Dampfboot. [Education, Power, and Society; in German]

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Seignani, Sebastian, Simon Schaupp, and Tanja Carstensen. 2023. *Einleitung: Basiskategorien und zukünftige Herausforderungen für eine Theorie des digitalen Kapitalismus*. In *Theorien des digitalen Kapitalismus: Arbeit und Ökonomie, Politik und Subjekt*, edited by edited by Tanja Carstensen, Simon Schaupp, and Sebastian Seignani (pp. 9–41). Berlin: Suhrkamp.

Reitz, Tilman, Sebastian Seignani, and Marlen van den Ecker. 2023. *Zur Dialektik von Öffnung und Schließung – Ökonomie, Recht und Praxis immaterieller Güter*. In *Theorien des digitalen Kapitalismus: Arbeit und Ökonomie, Politik und Subjekt*, edited by Tanja Carstensen, Simon Schaupp, and Sebastian Seignani (pp. 264–284). Berlin: Suhrkamp.

Seignani, Sebastian. 2023. *Weitermachen. Weitermachen! Kritik der Politischen Ökonomie der Medien und der Kommunikation als Teil einer kritischen Gesellschaftstheorie*. In *Eigentum, Medien, Öffentlichkeit. Verhandlungen des Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft*, edited by Selma Guney, Juliane Pfeiffer, Laura Porak, Line Hille, and Hendrik Theine (pp. 118–142). Frankfurt am Main: Westend.

Theine, Hendrik, Mandy Tröger, and Sebastian Seignani. 2023. *Wer beherrscht die Medien? Zur Erfassung des Journalismus durch Technologiekonzerne*. In *Welche Öffentlichkeit brauchen wir?: Zur Zukunft des Journalismus und demokratischer Medien*, edited by Jupp Legrand, Benedikt Linden, and Hans-Jürgen Artl (pp. 21–34). Berlin: Springer.

Theine, Hendrik, Mandy Tröger and Sebastian Seignani. 2022. *Wer beherrscht die Medien? Zur Erfassung des Journalismus durch Technologiekonzerne*. In: *Öffentlichkeit*, edited by the Otto-Brenner-Stiftung (pp. 41–64). Frankfurt am Main. [Who dominates the media? How BigTech captures journalism In The public sphere; in German]

Seignani, Sebastian. 2022. *Critical Political Economy*. In *Handbook Media and Communication Economics*, edited by Jan Krone and Tassilo Pellegrini (pp. 1–38). New York: Springer. Online First. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-658-34048-3_3-2

Seignani, Sebastian, and Julia Polkowski. 2022. *Eine „vergessene Theorie“ gesellschaftlicher Kommunikation? (Bezugspunkt: Historisch-materialistische Gesellschaftswissenschaft). Zur Aktualität Horst Holzers*. In *Schlüsselwerke der Kommunikationswissenschaft*, edited by Christian Rudeloff, Ralf Spiller, and Thomas Döbler (pp. 389–410). Wiesbaden: Springer. [A forgotten theory of communication and society? (Reference point: Historical materialism). On the relevance of Horst Holzer In *Key Works in Communication Studies*; in German]

Seignani, Sebastian, and Isabelle Busche. 2022. *Das Publikum als Ware: Dallas W. Smythe's: Communications: Blindspot of Western Marxism*. In *Handbuch der Werbeforschung*, edited by Tino Meitz, Nils S. Borchers, and Brigitte Naderer (pp. 323–334). Wiesbaden: Springer. [The audience commodity: Dallas W. Smythe's: Communications: Blindspot of Western Marxism In *Handbook of Advertising Studies*; in German]

Seignani, Sebastian. 2022. *Digital Labour and Prosumption under Capitalism*. In *Marx and the Robots*, edited by Florian Butollo and Sabine Nuss (pp. 228–241). London: Pluto. [English translation of "Digitale Arbeit und Prosumption im Kapitalismus"]

Seignani, Sebastian. 2020. *Kritische Politische Ökonomie*. In *Handbuch Medienökonomie*, edited by Jan Krone and Tassilo Pellegrini (pp. 71–98). New York: Springer. [Critical Political Economy In *Handbook of Media Economics*; in German]

Seignani, Sebastian. 2020. *Soziale Ungleichheit*. In *Gesellschaftstheorie*, edited by Hartmut Rosa, Jörg Oberthür, Ulf Bohmann, Joris Gregor, Stephan Lorenz, Katrin Scherschel, Sebastian Seignani, and Peter Schulz (pp. 153–190). München: UTB. [Social Inequality In *Theory of Society*; in German]

Seignani, Sebastian. 2020. *Ideologische Öffentlichkeit: Zur Organisation gesellschaftlicher Erfahrung im Kapitalismus*. In *Ideologie, Kritik, Öffentlichkeit: Verhandlungen des Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft*, edited by Uwe

Krüger and Sebastian Sevignani (pp. 21-56). Frankfurt am Main: Westend. [Ideological Public Sphere: On the Organisation of Societal Experiences in Capitalism In Ideology, Critique, the Public Sphere: Proceedings of the Network Critical Communication Studies; in German]

Sevignani, Sebastian. 2019. Ideologische Öffentlichkeit: Zur Organisation gesellschaftlicher Erfahrung im Kapitalismus. In *Ideologie, Kritik, Öffentlichkeit: Verhandlungen des Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft*, edited by Uwe Krüger and Sebastian Sevignani (pp. 12-45). Leipzig. [Ideological Public Sphere: On the Organisation of Societal Experiences in Capitalism In Ideology, Critique, and the Public Sphere: Proceedings of the Network Critical Communication Studies; in German]

Schulz, Peter, und Sebastian Sevignani. 2019. Kritische Theorie des Lifeloggings als Prüfstein möglicher Gestaltungsperspektiven der Datenökonomie? In *Die Zukunft der Datenökonomie: Zwischen Geschäftsmodell, Kollektivgut und Verbraucherschutz*, herausgegeben von Carsten Ochs, Michael Friedewald, Thomas Hess, und Jörn Lamla (pp. 309–26). Wiesbaden: Springer. [Critical Theory of Life Logging as an Evaluative Criterion to Regulate the Data Economy? In *The Future of the Data Economy: Between Business Models, Common Property, and Consumer Protection*]

Sevignani, Sebastian. 2019. Digitale Arbeit und Prosumption im Kapitalismus. In *Marx und die Roboter: Vernetzte Produktion, künstliche Intelligenz und lebendige Arbeit*, edited by Florian Butollo and Sabine Nuss (pp. 293-310). Berlin: Dietz. [Digital Labour and Prosumption in Capitalism In *Marx and the Robots: Networked Production, Artificial Intelligence and Living Labour*]

Frey, Philipp and Sebastian Sevignani. 2019. Digitale Produktivkraftentwicklung und bedingungsloses Grundeinkommen. In *Digitalisierung? Grundeinkommen!*, edited by Werner Rätz, Dagmar Paternoga, and Gernot Reipen (pp. 50–64). Wien: Mandelbaum. [Development of the Digital Productive Forces and Universal Basis Income In *Digitalization? Basic Income!*]

Butollo, Florian and Sebastian Sevignani. 2018. Cyber-Marx? Ansatzpunkte einer historisch-materialistischen Analyse des digitalen Kapitalismus. In *Marxismus und Soziologie: Klassenherrschaft, Ideologie und kapitalistische Krisendynamik*, edited by Tilman Reitz and Tine Haubner (pp. 252-276). Weinheim: Beltz Juventa. [Cyber-Marx? Approaching Digital Capitalism from a Historical-Materialist Point of View In *Marxism and Sociology: Class Domination, Ideology, and Capitalist Dynamics of Crisis*]

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I N V I T E D T A L K S

Antagonistische Medien im digitalen Strukturwandel der Öffentlichkeit [Antagonistic Media in the Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere]. Talk at Workshop „Digitalisierung der Unternehmenskommunikation“ des Zentrums für verantwortungsbewusste Digitalisierung (zevedi), Goethe University Frankfurt am Main, Germany. March 4, 2024.

Das digitale Bild und die gemeinsame Produktion ökonomischer Vorteile im digitalen Kapitalismus [The Digital Image and the Common Production of Economic Advantages]. Talk at the DFG-SPP „Das digitale Bild“ Conference „KI und das digitale Bild“, Ludwig Maximilian University Munich, Germany. February 21, 2024.

Buchvorstellung 'Theorien des digitalen Kapitalismus' & drei Impulse für die weitere Forschung [Book Launch 'Theories of Digital Capitalism' & Three Impulses for Future Research]. Talk at the SFB 294 on The Structural Transformation of Property Book Launch Event, Friedrich Schiller University Jena, Germany. February 1, 2024.

Buchvorstellung 'Theorien des digitalen Kapitalismus' & einige weiterführende Überlegungen [Book Launch 'Theories of Digital Capitalism' & Further Considerations]. Talk at ISF Kolloquium, Institut für Sozialwissenschaftliche Forschung München, Germany. December 14, 2023.

Introductory Talk: Property and Media - Theoretical Considerations and Possible Future Trajectories. Talk at the European Journal of Communication Symposium on media property. Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria. September 29, 2023. (together with Hendrik Theine).

Public Sphere - Key Issues in Critical Theory. Talk at Theory, Culture & Society Summer School. Alpen Adria University Klagenfurt, Austria. September 12, 2023. (together with Martin Seeliger).

Prosumption im digitalen Kapitalismus [Prosumption in digital capitalism]. Talk at Media Studies Colloquium. Martin-Luther-University Halle, Germany. June 19, 2023.

Thinking beyond traditional political economic paradigms: Making a case for media environment capture. Talk at the IAMCR 2023, Panel „Funding Public Interest Journalism through Tech Giants' resources: comparing debates and solutions around the world“. Sciences Po Lyon, France. July 12, 2023. (together with Hendrik Theine and Mandy Tröger).

Prosumption im digitalen Kapitalismus [Prosumption in digital capitalism]. Talk at Media Studies Colloquium. Martin Luther University Halle, Germany. June 19, 2023.

Zur politischen Ökonomie von Twitter [On the Political Economy of Twitter]. Talk at the project course „e-history: Historiker:innen auf twitter“, Department of History. Bielefeld University, Germany. April 24, 2023.

Gegenöffentlichkeiten und Hegemonie: Zur Aktualität und historischen Sensibilität kritischer Öffentlichkeitstheorie [Counter Publics and Hegemony: On the topicality and historical sensitivity of critical public theory]. Talk at the annual conference of the Division of Communication History in the German Communication Association (DGPK) "Von Emanzipation zu Desinformation? Gegenöffentlichkeiten und ihre Bewertung im Wandel", University of Leipzig, Germany. March 30, 2023.

Media reception from the standpoint of the subject: A specification of the agentic recipient via Critical Psychology. Talk at the 9th European Communication Conference (ECEA), Aarhus University, Denmark. October 22, 2022. (together with Niklas Alexander Chimirri).

Algorithmen und Eigentum: Zur Entfremdung digitaler Tätigkeiten im Informationsraum [Algorithms and Property: On the Alienation of Digital Activities in Information Space]. Talk at Lecture Series of Institute of Media Studies, Paderborn University, Germany. November 8, 2022.

Dem Digitalen Kapitalismus auf der Spur: Einleitung ins Panel. [Tracking Digital Capitalism: Introduction to the panel]. Talk at the 41th Congress of the German Sociological Association (DGS), Bielefeld University, Germany. September 29, 2022. (together with Simon Schaupp).

Geistiges Eigentum und funktionale Äquivalente im Digitalen Kapitalismus. [Intellectual property and functional equivalents in Digital Capitalism]. Talk at the 41th Congress of the German Sociological Association (DGS), Bielefeld University, Germany. September 28, 2022. (together with Marlen van den Ecker).

Warum der Plattformkapitalismus kein Dateneigentum braucht ... und wenn es eines gäbe, sich auch nichts ändern würde [Why platform capitalism doesn't need property in data ... and if there was such property nothing would change]. Interdisciplinary conference "Data Society", panel on ethical questions of digitalisation „Who owns our data?“, Paderborn University, Germany. September 22, 2022.

Digitaler Kapitalismus. Einführung in exemplarische Zeitdiagnosen. [Digital Capitalism: Introduction to exemplary diagnoses of the times] Keynote talk at the conference "Bildung und digitaler Kapitalismus", Akademie für Kulturelle Bildung, Remscheid, Germany, June 20, 2022.

Ökonomische und kulturelle funktionale Äquivalente zum Dateneigentum [Economic and Cultural Functional Equivalents to Data Property]. Talk at the conference of Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft, Department of Economics, WU Vienna, Austria, May 14, 2021.

Kritik der Kritik der Politischen Ökonomie der Medien und der Kommunikation (Critique of the Critical Political Economy of Media and Communication). Talk at the honorary panel for Prof. Manfred Knoche at the conference of Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft, Department of Economics, WU Vienna, Austria, May 14, 2021.

"Hegemonial, populistisch oder populär? Kommunikationsflüsse im digitalen Strukturwandel der Öffentlichkeit" [Hegemonic, Populist, or Popular? Flows of Communication in the Digital Public Sphere]. Talk at the joint conference of Institut für vergleichende Medien- und Kommunikationsforschung, Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften and Netzwerk Medienstrukturen "Medien und Demokratie im Zeichen der Digitalisierung", Vienna, Austria, October 15, 2021.

Arbeit und Kommunikation im Digitalen Kapitalismus [Labour and Communication in Digital Capitalism]. Application talk at the appointment hearing for the professorship (W1) "Soziologie mit Schwerpunkt Technik", Technical University Chemnitz, September 9, 2021.

Ist informationelle Selbstbestimmung im Überwachungs-kapitalismus möglich? Invited talk Österreichische Hochschüler*inneschaft Salzburg lecture series „Macht.Gesellschaft.Hochschule“, Paris-Lodron-University Salzburg, Austria, June 30, 2021.

Zum Strukturwandel der Öffentlichkeit: Probleme informationeller Selbstbestimmung im digitalen (Medien-)Kapitalismus [On the Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere: Challenges for Informational Self-Determination in Digital Media Capitalism]. Application talk at the appointment hearing for the professorship of "Medien- und Kommunikationswissenschaft mit dem Schwerpunkt Demokratie", Leopold-Franzens-University Innsbruck, Austria, May 27, 2021.

Prosumption im digitalen Kapitalismus. [Prosumption in Digital Capitalism]. Talk at the Sociological Research Colloquium "Facettenreiche Digitalisierung", Paderborn University, November 11, 2020.

Prosumption im digitalen Kapitalismus: Aktualität und Weiterentwicklung einer kritischen-politischen Ökonomie der Medien und der Kommunikation [Prosumption in Digital Capitalism: On the Relevance and Actuality of a Critical Political Economy of the Media and Communication]. Application talk at the appointment hearing for the professorship of "Mediensysteme und Medienorganisationen", Paderborn University, Germany, September 9, 2020.

Informationelle Bedürfnisse im Digitalen Kapitalismus [Informationale Needs in Digital Capitalism]. Application talk at the appointment hearing for the professorship of "Humanwissenschaft des Digitalen", Alpen-Adria-University Klagenfurt, Austria, July 3, 2020.

Thesen zum Zusammenhang von Klassen und (digitalen) Öffentlichkeiten [Theses on the Relation between Classes and (Digital) Public Spheres]. Talk at the Conference "Neosozialistische Klassenpolitik in der ökonomisch-ökologischen Doppelkrise", Rosa-Luxemburg-Foundation, Berlin, Germany, November 11, 2019.

(Neuer) Strukturwandel der Öffentlichkeit [(New) Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere]. Panel at the Annual Conference of the Section "Cultural Sociology" in German Sociological Association (DGS), University of Kassel, Germany, October 1, 2019. (together with Martin Seeliger).

The Return of Class in Sociology. Panel at the Regional Congress of the German Sociological Association (DGS), Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, Germany, September 26, 2019. (together with Jakob Graf).

Klassenspezifische Grenzkonflikte [Class Specific Boundary Struggles]. Talk at the Panel "The Return of Class in Sociology", Regional Congress of the German Sociological Association (DGS), Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, Germany, September 26, 2019. (together with Jakob Graf).

Digital Needs and the Public Sphere. Talk at Philosophy and Social Science Conference, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Prague, Czech Republic, June 1, 2019.

Ideologische Öffentlichkeiten: Perspektiven einer historisch-materialistischen Medien- und Kommunikationsforschung [Ideological Public Spheres: Perspectives of Historical-Materialistic Media and Communication Research]. Plenary Panel-Talk at Annual Conference of the Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft, University of Munich, Germany, November 30, 2018.

Kritische Theorie des Life Loggings als Prüfstein möglicher Gestaltungsperspektiven der Datenökonomie? [Critical Theory of Live Logging as a touchstone for shaping the data economy?]. Panel-Talk at Interdisciplinary Conference of the Forum Privatheit "Die Zukunft der Datenökonomie: Gestaltungsperspektiven zwischen Geschäftsmodell, Kollektivgut und Verbraucherschutz", Munich, Germany, October 11, 2018. (together with Peter Schulz).

Digitale Selbstbestimmung aus der Perspektive einer historisch-materialistischen Medien- und Kommunikationsforschung [Digital Autonomy and the Perspective of Historical-Materialist Media and Communication Studies]. Panel-Talk at Annual Conference of the German Communication Association (DGPUK), University of Mannheim, Germany, Mai 11, 2018.

Digitalisierung in der Perspektive der historisch-materialistischen Theorie der Medien und der Kommunikation [Digitalisation in the Perspective of a Historical-Materialist Theory of Media and Communication]. Talk at Pre-Conference of the Annual Conference of the German Communication Association (DGPUK) "Neue Theorien (in) der Kommunikationswissenschaft", University of Mannheim, Germany, Mai 9, 2018.

Das Problem der Privatheit im informationellen Kapitalismus und mögliche Lösungswege [The Problem of Privacy in Informational Capitalism and Practical Solutions]. Talk at Annual Conference of the Institut für Protest- und Bewegungsforschung, Berlin, Germany, November 25, 2017.

Privatheit, Entfremdung und die Vermarktlichung persönlicher Daten [Privacy, Alienation, and the Commodification of Personal Data]. Talk at the Interdisciplinary Conference "Digitalität und Privatheit", University of Passau, Germany, October 28, 2017.

Invited discutant in the panel about "Felder ökonomischer Transformation: Demokratisierung und Entdemokratisierung in Informations- und Care-Ökonomien" [Fields of Economic Transformation: Democratisation and De-Democratisation in Economies of Information and Care] at the conference "Demokratie in der Wachstumskrise - Chancen demokratischer Transformation?", Friedrich-Schiller University Jena, Germany, September 21, 2017.

Informational Needs. Talk at the event "Digital Needs and the Commons under Informational Capitalism", Westminster Institute of Advanced Studies, University of Westminster, London, UK, June 6, 2017.

Die Kommodifizierung des Privaten [The Commodification of Privacy]. Talk at "Workshop Kritische Theorie und Digitalisierung", Institute of Social Research, Frankfurt am Main, Germany, Mai 12, 2017.

Klassifikation und Ausbeutung 2.0 [Classification and Exploitation 2.0]. Talk at the 38th Congress of the German Sociological Association (DGS), University of Bamberg, Germany, November 28, 2016.

Der Widerspruch der Privatheit im informationellen Kapitalismus [The Contradiction of Privacy in Informational Capitalism]. Invited Talk at the Interdisciplinary Conference "Privatheit und Demokratie", Goethe-University Frankfurt, Germany.

New Ways of Exploitation in Informational Capitalism: Facebook, Google, and the Commodification of Data. Invited talk at the "Playing with the Future - Hackathon and Symposium", Seoul National University, Republic of Korea, May 2-4, 2016.

New Ways of Exploitation in Informational Capitalism: Facebook, Google, and the Commodification of Data. Invited talk at the Research Colloquium "Critical Studies of Contemporary Capitalisms: A Multidisciplinary Experience", Temuco, Chile, March 21, 2016.

Aktualisierungen einer Kritik der Politischen Ökonomie der Medien und der Kommunikation [Critical Political Economy of Media and Communication: Revisited]. Invited Talk at the Department of Communication and Media Research (Prof. Michael Meyen), Ludwig-Maximilians-University Munich, Germany, January 28, 2016.

Das Problem der Privatheit im Informationskapitalismus [The Problem of Privacy in Informational Capitalism]. Symposium "Die gläserne Gesellschaft" des Forum St. Stephan. Gespräche zwischen Wissenschaft, Kultur und Kirche, Vienna, Austria. November 27-28, 2015.

The Double Free Internet User. Talk at 12th Conference of the European Sociological Association, Prague, Czech Republic, August 25-28, 2015.

Surveillance, Classification, and Exploitation in Informational Capitalism. Talk at "Classification Situations in Markets Conference", Berlin, Germany, June 17, 2015.

Capital Control, Privacy Crisis, and the Work of Being Watched. Talk at "IS4IS Summit & The 5th ICTs and Society-Conference: The Internet and Social Media at a Crossroads: Capitalism or Commonism? Perspectives for Critical Political Economy and Critical Theory", Vienna, Austria. June 3-7, 2015.

Alternativen zur Kommodifizierung von Privatheit [Alternatives to the Commodification of Privacy]. Invited Talk at Theoriewerkstatt Soziologische Theorie (Prof. Jörn Lamla), Kassel, Germany, December 16, 2014.

Krise der Privatheit: Zur Dialektik von Privatheit und Öffentlichkeit im Informationskapitalismus [Privacy Crisis: The Dialectics of Private and Public in Informational Capitalism]. Plenary Panel Talk at 37. Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie, University of Trier, Germany, October 6-10, 2014.

Is Privacy the Opponent to Surveillance? A critical assessment. Talk at International Conference "Freedom of Information under Pressure: Control – Crisis – Culture". Vienna, Austria. February 28 to March 1, 2014.

The Corporate Internet and the Necessity of Privacy Crisis. Talk at "Media against Democracy? The Commercialization of the Internet and the Crisis of Media Conference", Zagreb, Croatia, April 24-16, 2014.

The Inverse Fetish Character of Digital Labour Commodities on Social Media. Talk at WG3 meeting of the COST Action 'Dynamics of Virtual Work'. Athens, Greece. October 7-9, 2013.

Privacy on the Internet: Commodity vs. Common Good. Talk at the European TA Conference (PACITA) "Technology Assessment and Policy Areas of Great Transitions", Prague, Czech Republic. March 13-15, 2013. (together with Christian Fuchs).

Surveillance, Immaterial labour, and Exploitation on Social Networking Sites: Empirical Findings and Critical Reflections. Talk at the IAMCR Annual Conference, Political Economy Section. KwaZulu-Natal University, Durban, South Africa. July 15-19, 2012.

Privacy Crisis and Alternative Social Networking Sites: Empirical Findings and Critical Reflections. Talk at "Communication, Crisis, and Critique in Contemporary Capitalism" Conference of the European Sociological Association's Research Network 18 – Sociology of Communications and Media Research, University of Basque Country, Bilbao, Spain, October 18-20, 2012.

The Problem of Privacy in Capitalism and the Alternative Social Networking Site Diaspora. Talk at the Fourth ICTs and Society Conference. Uppsala University, Sweden. May 2-4, 2012.

Invited discutable in the panel about "Technologien in/als Hegemoniebildung" [Technologies in/as the Construction of Hegemony] at "(Un-)Sicherheit, (Bio-)Macht und (Cyber-)Kämpfe: Kritische Theorieperspektiven auf Technologien als Ort gesellschaftlicher Auseinandersetzung" joint conference of section „Wissenschafts- und Technikforschung" in the German Society for Sociology (DGS), working group "Politik, Wissenschaft und Technik" in the German Association for Political Science (DVPW), and TU Hamburg-Harburg working group "Arbeit-Gender-Technik", TU Hamburg-Harburg, Germany, March 23-24, 2012.

Sevignani, Sebastian. Privacy on Social Networking Sites within a Culture of Exchange. Talk at International Conference "Cultures & Ethics of Sharing: Media, Knowledge, & Education", University of Innsbruck, Austria, November 18-19, 2011.

Das Realismusproblem von Gesellschaftskritik in der Mediengesellschaft. Am Beispiel der Studierendenbewegung Unibrennt [The Realism Problem of Critique in Media Societies]. Talk at Momentum 10 Congress, Hallstatt, Austria, October 21-24, 2010. (together with Marisol Sandoval).

Das Wahrheitsproblem in der Ideologietheorie: Folgen für eine kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft [The Problem of Truth in Ideology Theory: Consequences for Critical Communication Studies]. Talk at "Perspektiven kritischer Kommunikations- und Medientheorien" Conference, Leuphana University Lüneburg, Germany, October 30 – November 1, 2008.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 00/2023 Co-Organisation and co-host of European Journal of Communication (EJC) Symposium on media property. Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria. September 29, 2023.
- 05/2023 Member of the editorial board of the journal "Dialogues on Digital Society" published by Sage.
- 09/2022 Co-Organisation and co-host of Ad-Hoc-Group "Polarisierungsdynamiken im digitalen Kapitalismus: Auf dem Weg von unterschiedlichen Zeitdiagnosen zu einer theoretischen Synthese?" at the 41th Congress of the German Sociological Association (DGS), Bielefeld University, Germany. September 29, 2022.
- 06/2022 Co-Organisation of the workshop "The Materiality of Immaterial Goods", SFB 294, Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, Germany, June 23-24, 2022 [invited discussants: Alexander Peukert, Cilia Ricap, Parminder Seeth Singh, Melanie Dulong de Rosnay, Stefano Zacchiroli, Susanne Draheim/Kai von Luck, Stefano Zacchiroli, Philipp Staab, Barbara Brandl, Tobias Kämpfl]
- 05/2022 Co-Organisation of the conference of the Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft "Eigentum, Medien, Öffentlichkeit". WU Wien, Austria, May 12-14, 2022.
- 09/2021 Invitation to the appointment hearing for the professorship (W1) "Soziologie mit Schwerpunkt Technik", Technical University Chemnitz, application talk "Arbeit und Kommunikation im Digitalen Kapitalismus" [Labour and Communication in Digital Capitalism]. September 9, 2021.
- 08/2021 Organisation and host of Ad-Hoc-Group at the joint congress of the Austrian and German Sociological Association (ÖGS/DGS) on "Ein neuer, digitaler Strukturwandel der Öffentlichkeit?" [A New, Digital, Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere], Vienna, Austria. August 24, 2021.
- 05/2021 Invitation to the appointment hearing for the professorship of "Kommunikations- und Medienwissenschaft mit dem Schwerpunkt Demokratie", Leopold-Franzen-Universität Innsbruck: application talk: Zum Strukturwandel der Öffentlichkeit: Probleme informationeller Selbstbestimmung im digitalen (Medien-)Kapitalismus [On the Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere: Challenges for Informational Self-Determination in Digital Media Capitalism]. May 27, 2021.
- 01/2021 – Present Board of the "Neue Bibliothek des Eigentums", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena
- 09/2020 Organisation of the workshop "Medien und Eigentum", Paderborn University, Germany. September 25-26, 2020.
- 09/2020 Invitation to the appointment hearing for the professorship of "Mediensysteme und Medienorganisationen", Paderborn University:

	application talk: "Prosumption im digitalen Kapitalismus: Aktualität und Weiterentwicklung einer kritischen-politischen Ökonomie der Medien und der Kommunikation" [Prosumption in Digital Capitalism: On the Relevance and Actuality of a Critical Political Economy of the Media and Communication]. September 9, 2020.
07/2020	Invitation to the appointment hearing for the professorship of "Humanwissenschaft des Digitalen", Alpen-Adria-University Klagenfurt: application talk: "Informationelle Bedürfnisse im Digitalen Kapitalismus" [Informational Needs in Digital Capitalism]. July 3, 2020.
11/2019	Co-Organisation of the annual conference of the Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft "Medien der Transformation – Transformation der Medien". University of Leipzig, Germany. November 21-22, 2019.
06/2019	Invitation to the appointment hearing for the tenure-track position in General and Theoretical Sociology, Leopold-Franzen-Universität Innsbruck: application talk: "Kritische Theorie der Bedürfnisse als Forschungsperspektive: Das Problem der „falschen Bedürfnisse“", June 25, 2019.
02/2019 – Present	Co-director of the Institute for a Global Sustainable Information Society (GSIS), https://gsis.at
11/2018	Co-Organisation of the annual conference of the Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft "Ideologiekritik". Ludwig-Maximilian University Munich, Germany. November 29-December 1, 2018.
09/2018	Visiting scholarship (two weeks) at Roskilde University's Department of People and Technology, Denmark.
2018 – Present	Founding member of the Zentrum für Emanzipatorische Technikforschung (ZET) [Center for Emancipatory Technology Studies]
2018 – Present	Speaker of the Working Group "Kritische Politische Ökonomie der Medien und der Kommunikation" [Critique of Political Economy of Media and Communication] within the Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft.
2017 – Present	Member of the 'Institute of Protest- und Bewegungsforschung' (ipb), Berlin, Germany and its working group on media.
11/2017	Co-Organisation of the founding conference of the Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft. Ludwig-Maximilian University Munich, Germany. November 30-1 December, 2017.
05/2017 – 07/2017	Research fellowship at the Westminster Institute of Advance Studies (WIAS), University of Westminster, London, UK.
2017 – Present	Member of the section for media and communication sociology in the German Sociological Association (DGS).
2017 – Present	Founding member of the Netzwerk Kritische Kommunikationswissenschaft [Network of Critical Communication Studies].

2015 – Present	Member of the editorial board of the book series “Critical Digital & Social Media Studies” published by the University of Westminster Press.
10/2015	Invited chair of the congress track “Medien als Vehikel der Kritik” [Media as a Means of Critique] at “Momentum15: Kritik” Congress, Hallstatt, Austria. October 22-25, 2015.
2015	Member of the appointment committee for the chair in “Methods of Empirical Social Research and Analysis of Social Structures”, Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, Germany.
2015 – Present	Member of the ESA RN18 (Sociology of Communication and Media) Research Board.
06/2015	Member of the organisational committee of the Fifth ICTs and Society Conference “The Internet and Social Media at a Crossroads: Capitalism or Commonism? Perspectives for Critical Political Economy and Critical Theory”. Technical University Vienna, Austria. June 3-7, 2015.
2014 – 2015	Member of the appointment committee for the chair in “Sociology of Knowledge and Social Theory” (Prof. Tilman Reitz), Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, Germany.
2014 – Present	Coordinator of exchange study programmes and international affairs at the Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena’s Institute of Sociology.
2014	Advanced training “Lehre Lernen”, Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, Germany.
2013 – 2016	Member of the EU COST Action “Dynamics of Virtual Work”, Working Group 3 “Innovation and the emergence of new forms of value creation and new economic activities”.
2013 – Present	Member of the editorial board of tripleC: Communication, Capitalism & Critique: Journal for a Global Sustainable Information Society.
2012	Two-time visiting scholarship (two weeks each) at Uppsala University’s Department of Informatics and Media, Sweden.
05/2012	Member of the organisational committee of the Fourth ICTs and Society Conference “Critique, Democracy and Philosophy in 21st Century Information Society: Towards Critical Theories of Social Media”. Uppsala University, Sweden. May 2-4, 2012.
2010 – 2013	Member of the editorial team of tripleC: Communication, Capitalism & Critique: Journal for a Global Sustainable Information Society (former: tripleC: Cognition, Communication, Co-operation: Journal for a Global Sustainable Information Society).
2010 – 2013	Member of the EU COST Action “Living in Surveillance Societies” (LiSS), Working Group 4 “Public Policy and the Regulation of Surveillance”.
01/2010	Advanced training “Fair evaluation – fair selection? Evaluations of student performances”, University of Salzburg, Austria. January 15, 2010.

07/2005

Member of the organisational team of the workshop "Political Economy of the Media" held by the media economics section in the German Communication Association (DGPuK), University of Salzburg, Austria. July 1-2, 2005.

TEACHING

2023 – 2024

"Introduction to Sociological Theory", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2024, BA level [in German]

"The Proletarian Public Sphere: Current Perspectives and Problems", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2024, MA level [in German]

"Language and Society: Perspectives and Issues in Critical Theory", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2023/24, MA level [in German]

"Karl Marx and the Cultural Studies", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2023/24, BA level [in German]

"Cannibal Capitalism", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2023, BA level [bilingual: German & English]

"The Proletarian Public Sphere? On the Organisation of Experiences in Capitalism", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2022/23, MA level [in German]

"Marx and Foucault", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2022/23, BA level [in German]

2021 – 2022

"Intellectual Property in Digital Capitalism", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2022, MA level [together with Marlen van den Ecker; in German]

"From Marx to the Cultural Studies", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2022, BA level [in German]

"Critical Theories of Digital Capitalism: Labour, Economy, Politics, and Culture", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2021/22, MA level [in German]

"Subject and Subjectivation: The Problem of Motivation in Social Theory", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2021/22, BA level [in German]

"Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2021, MA level [in German]

"Critical Theory of the Subject: Social Theory and Theory of Society in Critical Psychology", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2021, BA level [in German]

"Media Economics I", Paderborn University, winter term 2020/21, BA level, lecture [in German]

"Media and Capitalism II", Paderborn University, winter term 2020/21, BA level [in German]

"Media and Property", Paderborn University, winter term 2020/21, BA level [in German]

"The Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere", Paderborn University, winter term 2020/21, MA level, [in German]

2019 – 2020

"Media Economics II", Paderborn University, summer term 2020, BA level, lecture [in German]

"Media and Capitalism", Paderborn University, summer term 2020, BA level [in German]

"Towards a Cultural Political Economy: Media between Materialism and Semiosis", Paderborn University, summer term 2020, MA level [in German]

"Political Economy of Privacy", Paderborn University, summer term 2020, MA level [in German]

"Media Economics I", Paderborn University, winter term 2019/20, BA level, lecture [in German]

"Critical Theory and Social Media", Paderborn University, winter term 2019/20, BA level [in German]

"Theories and Issues of Digital Capitalism", Paderborn University, winter term 2019/20, MA level, [in German]

"Structural Transformation of the Public Sphere 2.0", Paderborn University, winter term 2019/20, MA level, [in German]

"Nancy Fraser and Rahel Jaeggi: A Critical Theory of Capitalism", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2019, BA level [bilingual, in German and English]

"Class and the Public Sphere", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2018/19, MA level [in German]

"Karl Marx and the Cultural Studies", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2018/19, BA level [in German]

2017 – 2018

"Critical Media- and Communication-Sociology", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2018, MA level [in German]

"Karl Marx and Nancy Fraser: For an Expanded Concept of Capitalism", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2018, BA level [in German]

"Critical Theory of Social Media", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2017/18, MA level [in German]

"Critical Theory of the Subject: Social Theory and Theory of Society in Critical Psychology", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2017/18, BA level [in German]

"Contradictions of Capitalism", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2017, MA level

"Theories of Digital Capitalism" (together with Dr. Florian Butollo), Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2016/17, MA level [in German]

"Theorising and Researching Needs II" (together with Dr. Jörg Oberthür), Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2016/17, BA level [in German]

"The Production of the Unconsciousness: Marx and Freud", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2016/17, BA level [in German]

2015 – 2016

"Needs and Critique", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2016, MA level [in German]

"Theorising and Researching Needs I" (together with Dr. Jörg Oberthür), Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2016, BA level [in German]

"Marxism-Feminism" (together with Dr. Anja Gregor), Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2016, BA level [in German]

"Marx and Bourdieu", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2015/16, BA level [in German]

"Sociological Controversies", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2015/16, BA level [in German]

"Species-Being" (together with Peter Schulz), Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2015, MA level [in German]

"Are There False Needs? Problems and Relevance of a Key Concept in Critical Theory" (together with Hartmut Rosa), Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2015, BA level [in German]

"Contradictions of Capitalism", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2015, BA level

"Marx and Weber", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2014/15, BA level [in German]

"Informational capitalism", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, winter term 2014/15, MA level [in German]

2013 – 2014

"Capitalism or Information Society?", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2014, BA level [in German]

"The Early Frankfurt School and the Theory of Culture Industry", Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena, summer term 2014, MA level [in German]

2009 – 2010

"Critical Theory, Education, Media, and Student Movements", University of Salzburg, summer term 2010, BA level [in German]

"Culture Industry", University of Salzburg, summer term 2010, BA level [in German]

"Media Concentration", University of Salzburg, winter term 2009/10, BA level [in German]

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"Media Economics", University of Salzburg, summer term 2009, BA level [in German]

REVIEWING ACTIVITIES

JOURNALS

- Constellations. An International Journal on Critical and Democratic Theory
- Soziale Welt
- Historical Social Research
- Information, Communication, and Society
- International Journal of Communication
- tripleC: Communication, Capitalism & Critique: Journal for a Global Sustainable Information Society
- Global Media and Communication
- Television and New Media
- Marketing Theory
- Behemoth
- NanoEthics
- Arbeit
- Berliner Journal für Soziologie
- Journal of Social Philosophy
- Theory, Culture & Society
- Convergence: The International Journal of Research into New Media Technologies
- Annual Review of Critical Psychology
- Wirtschaft & Gesellschaft

INSTITUTIONS

- National Science Centre Poland (Narodowe Centrum Nauki – NCN)
- University of Westminster Press, Book Series on Critical, Digital and Social Media Studies;
- Palgrave
- Routledge
- DGPuK
- DGS
- ESA

P R O F E S S I O N A L M E M B E R S H I P S

European Sociological Association (ESA)

German Sociological Association (DGS)

German Communication Association (DGPuK)

The Institute for a Global Sustainable Information Society (GSIS), <https://gsis.at> / Unified Theory of Information Research Group (UTI), www.uti.at

The ICTs and Society Research Network, <http://www.icts-and-society.net>

Network Critical Communication Studies, <https://kritischekommunikationswissenschaft.wordpress.com>

Network Media Structures, <https://medienstrukturen.net>

Institut für Protest- und Bewegungsforschung (ipb), Berlin, <https://protestinstitut.eu/>

Zentrum für Emanzipatorische Technikforschung (ZET), <https://emancipatory.technology/>

S U P E R V I S I O N S

(over 20) BA theses (> 20)

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PhD theses:

1. Discussion of various PhD theses in Jena Social Theory Colloquium (Hartmut Rosa & Sebastian Seignani)
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