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Employment History

Freelance writer for Frankfurter Allgemeine Sonntagszeitung, NZZ, Zeit, Süddeutsche Zeitung, DLF, NDR and others
Development and Copy Editor, Bid Book I
Faro's (Portugal) Application for the title of European Capital of Culture 2027
Development Editor, Bid Book I
Trnava's (Slovakia) Application for the title of European Capital of Culture 2026
Managing Editor, Bid Book II
Chemnitz' (Germany) Application for the title of European Capital of Culture 2025
Interim Editor at Zeit Online
Reporter at Radio Adelaide, Australia

Professional Qualifications

2018	Digital Journalism Program
	Hamburg Media School
	including travel to the New York Times Forensic Video Team, Mozilla Foundation, Dropbox and Instagram
2013	Data Journalism Training
	including travel to the New York Times, ProPublica and International Center for Investigative Journalism

Education

2007 – 2011 Journalism, M.A.
 University of Leipzig

 2003 Study abroad at the University of Adelaide
 1998-2006 Geography and Cultural Anthroplogy, Magister
 Universities of Gießen and Heidelberg

 1988- 1998 Abitur
 Friedberg

Scholarships and grants

2013 Scholarship by the Robert Bosch Foundation
2011 Grant by German Academic Scholarship Foundation
2006 Grant by the German Academic Exchange Service
2003 Scholarship by the state of Baden- Württemberg

Publications

Deutschlands verschwundene Orte – ein Atlas C.H.Beck
Deutschlands schrägste Orte C.H.Beck
Bid Book II, Chemnitz ECOC 2025
Mama, sind wir bald da? Herder

Skills

Language proficiency | English: advanced | French: intermediate | Spanish: intermediate

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