

Curriculum Vitae – Katharina Kuhn

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Research interests

global tax governance; tax evasion; international institutions; investment politics; international inequalities

Education

- 11-14/09/2023 **Max Planck Summer School for Women in Political Economy**
- 04/2022-07/2022 **Visiting Scholar at the Centre for International and Comparative Political Economy, Freie Universität Berlin, Germany**
- Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Thomas Rixen
- Since 10/2019 **PhD Candidate in International Relations at the London School of Economics and Political Science, London, United Kingdom**
Provisional dissertation title: *Business interests and institutional choice: A case study of developing country participation in the OECD/G20 Inclusive Framework*
- Supervisor: Dr Robert Falkner; Advisor: Dr Ranjit Lall
- Submission expected in November 2024
- 12/07-06/08/2021 **Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis**
- Courses: Regression Analysis, Introduction to Quantitative Methods in R, Panel Data Analysis for Comparative Research (contact hours per course: 35)
- 17-12/02/2020 **ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques, University of Bamberg, Germany**
- Workshop on qualitative interviewing (contact hours: 25)
- 10/2018-07/2019 **MSc in Global Governance and Diplomacy at the University of Oxford, United Kingdom**
- Master of Science; final grade: merit
- Dissertation title: *The impact of diplomatic crises on minority-majority relations: Evidence from the 2016 Germany-Turkey diplomatic crisis*
- 09/2017-03/2019 **Colloquium of the Humanities of the German Academic Scholarship Foundation**
- Contributed to the working group “Aesthetics of Truth in Media“
- 09/2017 – 02/2018 **Exchange semester at the National Chengchi University in Taipei, Taiwan**
- 10/2014 – 09/2018 **BA in Political Science, Sociology and Religious studies at the University of Würzburg, Germany**
- Bachelor of Arts; final grade: 1.0
- Dissertation title (translation): *How durable is gender? Gender and subversion in the theoretical work of Pierre Bourdieu, Judith Butler and Stefan Hirschauer*

Professional experience (selection)

- 05/2023-08/2023 **Consultant, International Centre for Tax and Development**
- Contributed to a report delivered to the UN Secretariat (UNDESA) on “Inclusive and Effective International Tax Cooperation: Views from the Global South”
- Since 01/2023 **Occasional Research Assistance for Dr Steffen Hertog, Department of Government, LSE**
- Data collection and data cleaning for the project “Socio-Economics of Islamist Radicalization”
- Since 05/2021 **Member of *Polis180***
- Since 10/2022 Co-leader of the section *De_Constructing Development*
 - Prepares policy briefs on Germany development policy
- 08/2020 **Research Assistance for Dr Martin Hearson, International Centre for Tax and Development**
- Wrote a literature review on the behaviour of developing states in global economic governance
- 06/2020-08/2020 **Research Assistant for Dr Kate Millar, Dr Yuna Han and Dr Martin Bayly, Department of International Relations, LSE**
- Contributed to the project “Confronting the COVID-19 Pandemic: Grief, Loss, and Social Order”
- 11/2019-10/2020 **Deputy Editor at *Millennium: Journal for International Studies***
- Member of the editorial board
 - Managed the review process of manuscripts (finding reviewers, giving recommendations)
- 04/2016 – 09/2017 **Research Assistant at the Professorship for European Studies and International Relations, University of Würzburg**
- Conducted research for literature reviews and other research tasks
 - Assisted in administrative issues

Teaching experience

- Since 06/2022 ***Europäische Akademie Bayern***
Seminar Convenor (freelance)
- 09/2021 **TRIUM Executive MBA, LSE**
Teaching Assistant
- 01/2021 – 04/2021 **Trade, Development and the Environment, LSE IDEAS**
Seminar Convenor
- 09/2020 – 06/2021 **Foreign Policy Analysis, LSE**
Graduate Teaching Assistant
- 10/2015 – 03/2016 **Political and Social Studies (introductory lecture), University of Würzburg**
Teaching Assistant
- 04/2016 – 09/2017 **Germany, France and Europe, University of Würzburg and Virtuelle Hochschule Bayern (VHB)**
Teaching Assistant

Publications and blogposts

Publications

- Forthcoming International Tax and Investment Policy: Navigating Competing Demands, in: Mosquera Valderrama, Irma; Heitmüller, Frederik; Chaisse, Julien; Christians, Allison (eds.): *Redefining Global Governance: A Tax, Trade and Investment Perspective in the EU and beyond*. Berlin: Springer.
- 2023 Inclusive and Effective International Tax Cooperation: Views From the Global South, ICTD Working Paper 172, Brighton: Institute of Development Studies, doi: 10.19088/ICTD.2023.046 (with Lucinda Cadzow, Martin Hearson, Frederik Heitmüller, Okanga Okanga, and Tovony Tandriamanalina)
- 2021 Decentralisation in times of crisis: asset or liability? The case of Germany and Italy during Covid-19, in: *Swiss Political Science Review* 28:1, pp.105-115, doi: 10.1111/spsr.12482. (with Irene Morlino)
- 2020 Germany, in: Millar, Katharine M.; Han, Yuna; Bayly, Martin; Kuhn, Katharina; Morlino, Irene: *Confronting the COVID-19 Pandemic: Grief, Loss, and Social Order*, pp.44-54.

Blogposts

- 2022 Interview, in: *E-International Relations*, online access: <https://www.e-ir.info/2023/04/19/interview-katharina-kuhn/>
- 2021 Review – Global Reboot, in: *E-International Relations*, online access: <https://www.e-ir.info/2021/11/11/review-global-reboot/>.
- 2020 Toxic masculinity and sexual violence, in *Unsaid*, online access: <https://blogunsaid.wordpress.com/2020/07/03/toxic-masculinity-and-sexual-violence/>.
The Integration Paradox: What does Covid-19 mean for the future of Europe?, in *The London Globalist*, online access: <https://thelondonglobalist.org/the-integration-paradox-what-does-covid-19-mean-for-the-future-of-europe/>.

Work in progress

- Business interests and institutional design in the international tax transparency regime (paper project)
Do tax leaks change public attitudes towards tax policy? (paper project; with Vincent Arel-Bundock)

Conferences and workshops

- 2023 DVPW – AK IPÖ, EISA, APSA, BISA
Redefining Global Governance: A tax, trade and investment perspective in the EU and beyond (Workshop, Lorentz Centre and University of Leiden)
Money in Politics Conference (Copenhagen Business School)
Global Tax Governance at a Crossroads (International Centra for Tax and Development and Kenya School of Revenue Administration; invitation only)
- 2022 APSA, ISA
- 2020 AG Junge UN Forschung (Workshop)

Scholarships and Awards

07/2023	Postgraduate Travel Grant for attendance of the <i>American Political Science Association</i> Annual Convention (£1,000)
07/2022	Postgraduate Travel Grant for attendance of the <i>American Political Science Association</i> Annual Convention (£237)
03/2022	Postgraduate Travel Grant for attendance of the <i>International Studies Association</i> Annual Convention (£763)
08/2021	Associate Fellowship in Higher Education at the Higher Education Academy, AdvanceHE, UK (awarded upon successful completion of a training course to improve teaching in higher education)
12/2020	Departmental Funding for participation in the Essex Summer School (£1,600)
07/2020	Global South Award (£2,500 grant for field work in the Global South)
02/2020	Departmental Funding for participation in the ECPR Winter School (£1,600)
Since 09/2019	ESRC Doctoral Training Partnership Award
Since 09/2019	Michael Leifer Scholarship (annual grant of £10,000 for the duration of three years; granted by the Department of International Relations, LSE)
10/2018-07/2019	Study abroad grant of the <i>Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes</i> (€15,000)
04/2017-09/2019	Scholarship holder of the <i>Max-Weber-Programm</i> (merit-based scholarship)
11/2016-07/2019	Scholarship holder of the <i>Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes</i> (merit-based scholarship)

Additional qualifications

Languages	German (native) – English (C2) – Hungarian (C1) – Italian/Russian (B1) – French (A2)
Software	SPSS – STATA – R – Excel – NVivo

Service to the discipline (selection)

Reviewer	<i>American Political Science Review</i> <i>Publius: Journal of Federalism</i>
10/2021-09/2023	Mentor at <i>ForStudentsByStudents</i> - Supported students from the Global South in their PhD applications
06/2021-12/2022	Member of the Graduate Students in International Political Economy (GSIPE) Workshop's planning committee
09/2020 – 09/2021	Graduate Teaching Assistant Representative, Department of International Relations, LSE
10/2019 – 09/2021	Editorial Board Member, <i>Millennium: Journal for International Studies</i>

- 09/2018 – 07/2019 Student Representative, MSc Global Governance and Diplomacy, University of Oxford
- 10/2016 – 08/2017 Member of the Commission for Gender Equality of the University of Würzburg
- 10/2016 – 08/2017 Member of the Student Council of the University of Würzburg