

## Short CV

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#### 1. Education

- 2001 Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Social Policy  
London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), UK
- 1996 „Diplom-Soziologe“ (MA Sociology equivalent), University of Leipzig, Germany
- 1989-1996 Undergraduate and postgraduate studies in Sociology, Social Policy and  
Economics at the University of Leipzig, Germany (excluding study abroad –  
see below)
- 1993-1994 Undergraduate studies in Sociology and Social Policy in ERASMUS exchange  
programme at Manchester Metropolitan University, UK
- 1992 Two months language studies at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis,  
U.S.A.

#### 2. Professional career

- 2021-2022 Sabbatical, 05-07/22 Visiting Professor at the University of Granada, Spain
- 2015-2021 Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences at Zittau/Goerlitz University of Applied  
Sciences
- Since 2016 Director of the cross-faculty research institute “Health, Ageing, Labour,  
Technology” (in German: “*Gesundheit, Altern, Arbeit, Technik*” (GAT) at  
Zittau/Goerlitz University of Applied Sciences
- 2012-2015 Vice Dean for Education of the Faculty of Social Sciences at Zittau/Goerlitz  
University of Applied Sciences
- Since 2012 Member of the Faculty Council (*Fakultätsrat*) of the Faculty of Social Sciences  
at Zittau/Goerlitz University of Applied Sciences
- Since 2011 Full Professor of Social Gerontology at Zittau/Goerlitz University of Applied  
Sciences

Since 2011	Research Affiliate of the Oxford Institute of Population Ageing, University of Oxford
2008-2010	Senior Research Fellow in charge of research group “Intergenerational relations, family and community” at the Oxford Institute of Ageing (OIA), University of Oxford
2005-2008	Research Fellow at the Oxford Institute of Ageing OIA), Department of Sociology, University of Oxford
01-07/2005	Visiting Research Fellow at the Oxford Institute of Ageing, Department of Sociology, University of Oxford
2002-2005	Part-time lecturer at the Department of Sociology, Free University of Berlin
2001-2004	Research Fellow in the German Ageing Survey at the German Centre of Gerontology, Berlin
1998-2000	Marie Curie Research Fellow at the Department of Social Policy, London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)
1996-1998	Research Associate in the international MESPA (Masters of European Social Policy Analysis) Multimedia Project, University of Bath, UK

### 3. Professional activities and memberships

Since 2021	Wir pflegen e.V. (national and regional organisation of informal carers)
Since 2020	Eurocarers
Since 2015	Vice Chair of the Independent Council for the Reconciliation of Caregiving and Employment that advises the German government on these issues
2016-2017	Expert report “Assistive technologies for a better reconciliation of caregiving and employment“ for the Federal Ministry of Families, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth
2014-2015	Expert report “Current and future challenges of family care in the UK” for the ,Foresight Projects „Ageing Societies“, UK Government Office for Science
2014-2020	Board member “Social scientific and behavioural scientific gerontology” of the German Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics
2012-2013	Expert report for the “Central European Ageing Strategy“ Platform
2012-2013	Member of selection committee for funding intergenerational projects of the Swiss Academy of Human and Social Sciences and MIGROS Kulturprozent
2010-2014	Vice President of the Research Committee 11 “Sociology of Ageing“ of the International Sociological Association (ISA)
2002-2010	Newsletter Editor of the Research Committee 11 “Sociology of Ageing“ of the International Sociological Association (ISA)
2002-2018	Executive Board Member of the Research Committee 11 “Sociology of Ageing“ of the International Sociological Association (ISA)
2010	Expert report for „FUTURE AGE – A Roadmap for Future Ageing Research“,

- 2009-2010 Member of selection committee for funding intergenerational projects of the Anglo-Portuguese Gulbenkian Foundation
- 2008 Expert report “Families, care and work“ for the Department for Children, Schools and Families of the British government
- 2008 Co-Director of the research programme “Ageing – demographic and socio-economic change“ of the Erste Bank Stiftung, Austria
- 2004 Expert report „Inter- and intragenerational Transfers in Families“ for the Fifth Ageing Report of the German government
- Editorial Board member of the *International Journal on Care and Caregiving*
  - Editorial Board member of the *Journal of Intergenerational Relationships*

#### 4. Selected relevant research projects (full list available on request)

“PiTiPS: Participation and co-creation for innovative technologies for informal carers and caring communities“ (with Uni Lübeck (PI), HS Furtwangen, HS Kempten, wir pflegen e.V.), funded by the Federal Ministry for Education and Research (BMBF) (2022-2025).

“CoCre-HIT: Co-Creation and sustainable participation in the development of hybrid healthIT“ (with Uni Siegen (PI), HS Düsseldorf, HS Kempten, HS Ravensburg-Weingarten, SIBIS Institut Berlin, Fraunhofer Institut für Angewandte Informationstechnik St. Augustin), funded by the Federal Ministry for Education and Research (BMBF) (2021-2024).

“Determinants of successful integration of digital asstive technologies in the support networks of older people“ (VATI-4), funded by the Ministry for Science and Arts of the federal state of Saxony (SMWK) (2020-2022).

“Digitally, regionally integrated communication and service networks as innovative means of advice in home care“ (VATI-3), funded by the Ministry for Science and Arts of the federal state of Saxony (SMWK) (2019-2020).

International Partner in the Centre of Excellence „Research on Ageing“ (CoE AgeCare) under the lead of Prof. Teppo Kröger, Universität Jyväskylä, with the universities of Helsinki and Tampere, Finland (2018-2025).

International Partner in “Sustainable Care: Connecting People and Systems“ under the lead of Prof. Sue Yeandle, University of Sheffield, GB, in Zusammenarbeit mit der University of Birmingham und dem University College London, sowie weiteren Universitäten in 15 Ländern weltweit (Australien, China, Finnland, Italien, Japan, Kanada, Neuseeland, Niederlande, Norwegen, Polen, Schweden, Slowenien, Spanien, Taiwan) (2017-2021).

“Determinants of high quality of life and independent living in old age by means of assistive technologies“ (VATI-2), funded by the Ministry for Science and Arts of the federal state of Saxony (SMWK) (2017-2019).

“Assistive technologies for a better reconciliation of family care and employment“, expert report for the Federal Ministry of Families, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth (BMFSFJ) (2016-2017).

“Vertrauen in Assistenz-Technologien zur Inklusion (VATI) (English: Trust in Assistive Technologies for Inclusion). Development of a support network for improving individual

autonomy and quality of life until old age”, funded by the Federal Ministry for Education and Research (BMBF) (2014-2017).

German representative and member of the management committee of European Cooperation in Science and Technology (COST) research network INTERFASOL “Intergenerational Family Solidarity Across Europe”, funded by the European Commission and the Federal Ministry for Education and Research (BMBF) (2014-2018).

“The Potential of Assisted Living Technologies for Older People at Home: creating a knowledge base for UK businesses developing technology for dementia and falls patients” (AKTIVE), funded by the UK Technology Strategy Board and the Economic and Social Science Research Fund (ESRC), with the Universities of Leeds (Prof. Sue Yeandle) und Oxford (Dr. Hamblin – my successor, I was co-applicant with Sue Yeandle) (2011-2014).

“Between long-term care and job: conflict or opportunity” (‘Carers@Work’) in Germany, UK, Italy and Poland, funded by the Volkswagen Foundation (2009-2011).

Research projects prior to that available on request.

## 5. Selected publications (complete list available on request)

Knauthe, K. & Hoff, A. (2022) Carer leave policies in Germany. In: Fast, J., Heyes, J. & Hamblin, K. A. (eds.) *Sustainable Care: Connecting Systems and People*. Bristol: Bristol University Press (forthcoming).

Hoff, A. & Pottharst, B. (2022) The role of assistive technologies in home care delivery in Germany between vision and reality. In: Hamblin, K. & Lariviere, M. (eds.) *Care Technologies for Ageing Societies: An International Comparison of Care Systems*. Bristol: Bristol University Press (forthcoming).

Knauthe, K.; Brandt, M. & Hoff, A. (2021). Families and Family Values in German Society and German Culture. In: I. Albert; M. Emirhafizovic & C.-N. Shpigelman (eds.), *Families and Family Values in Society and Culture*. Charlotte, NC: Information Age Publishing.

Hoff, A., Yeandle, S., Hamblin, K. A. & Koivunen, E.-R. (2018) Das AKTIVE-Projekt – Maßgeschneiderte assistive Technologien für sturzgefährdete und demenzkranke ältere Menschen in Großbritannien. In: Künemund, H. & Fachinger, U. (Hrsg.) *Alter und Technik. Sozialwissenschaftliche Befunde und Perspektiven*. Wiesbaden: Springer VS, S. 129-146.

Hoff, A. & Hamblin, K. A. (2018) Comparing working carers’ reconciliation strategies in Europe. In: Reichert, M. et al. (eds.) *Carers@Work – Working Carers of Older People in Europe*. Wiesbaden: VS Springer, pp. 143-185.

Hamblin, K. A. & Hoff, A. (2018) Working carers in the UK: a careful balancing act. In: Reichert et al. (eds.) *Carers@Work – Working Carers of Older People in Europe*. Wiesbaden: VS Springer, pp. 113-142.

Zippel, C. & Hoff, A. (eds.) (2017) *Älter werden. Älter sein. [Growing old. Being old]* Frankfurt/Main: Mabuse.

Lüscher, K., Hoff, A., Sanchez, M. et al. (eds.) (2017) *Generations, Intergenerational relationships, Generational Policy. A multilingual compendium*. Konstanz: Universität Konstanz. <http://www.generationen-compendium.de> (E-Book).

Hoff, A. (2015) *Current and future challenges of family care in the UK*. London: Government Office for Science.  
[https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment\\_data/file/454514/gs-15-18-future-ageing-family-care-er09.pdf](https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/454514/gs-15-18-future-ageing-family-care-er09.pdf)

Hoff, A., Reichert, M., Hamblin, K., Perek-Bialas, J. & Principi, A. (2014) 'Comparing working carers' reconciliation strategies and company-based reconciliation policies and their effect on working carers' well-being'. *Vulnerable Groups and Inclusion*, 5: 1-25.

Lüscher, K. & Hoff, A. (2013) Intergenerational Ambivalence: Beyond Solidarity and Conflict. In: Albert, I. & Ferring, D. (eds.) *Intergenerational Relations in Society and Family: European Perspectives*. Bristol: Policy Press, pp. 39-64.

Hoff, A. (Ed.) (2011): *Population Ageing in Central and Eastern Europe. Societal and Policy Implications*. Farnham: Ashgate.

Hoff, A. (2011): Grandparenting. In: Craft-Rosenberg, M. & Pehler, S.-R. (Eds.): *The Sage Family Health Encyclopedia, Volume 1*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage, pp. 562-563.

Hoff, A. (2011): Long-Term Challenges of Studying Intergenerational Relationships in Research and Practice. *Journal of Intergenerational Relationships*, 9(1): 1-10.

Hoff, A., Feldman, S. & Vidovicova, L. (2010): Migrant home care workers caring for older people: fictive kin, substitute, and complementary family caregivers in an ethnically diverse environment. *International Journal of Ageing and Later Life*, 5(2): 7-16.

Older publications available on request.