

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL DATA

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HIGHER EDUCATION

Since October 2012 Doctoral studies at the Goethe University Frankfurt/Main
Ph.D. candidate at the Chair of Qualitative Social Sciences Methods
(Prof. Claudius Wagemann)

October 2011 Doctoral studies at the Albert-Ludwigs University Freiburg;
- September 2012 Ph.D. candidate at the Chair of Comparative Politics (Prof. Uwe Wagschal)

April 2010 Doctoral studies at the Albert-Ludwigs University Freiburg;
- September 2011 Ph.D. candidate at the Chair for Modern Western History (Prof. Jörn Leonhard)

January 2010 Magister Artium (M. A.) awarded by the Faculty of Arts of the Albert-Ludwigs-
University Freiburg; final exam: summa cum laude [grade Ø 1,1]

(1) Magister thesis „Everybody now expects the man inside the White House to do
something about everything” – The President as chief legislator in the legislative
arena; [grade 1,0]

(2) Oral examination: Political Science; [grade 1,0]
History; [grade 1,3]

April 2001 Studies in Political Science and History(Magister Artium) at the Albert-Ludwigs
- January 2010 University Freiburg; until 2007 teacher training (Lehramt) in combination with
Geography

ACADEMIC CAREER

Since October 2012 Academic fellow at the Department of Social Sciences, Goethe University,
Chair of Qualitative Social Sciences Methods (Prof. Claudius Wagemann)

October 2011 Research fellow at the Department of Political Science, Albert-Ludwigs-University
- September 2012 Freiburg, Chair of Comparative Politics (Prof. Uwe Wagschal)

April 2008 Personal assistant to Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. mult. Wolfgang Jäger (former President of
- September 2012 the Freiburg University) at the Department of Political Science, Albert-Ludwigs-
University Freiburg

August 2005 Student assistant at the Department of Political Science, Albert-Ludwigs-
- Februar 2010 University Freiburg, Chair of Comparative Politics (Prof. Wolfgang Jäger)
student tutor „Introduction to Political Science“

FIELDS OF RESEARCH AND TEACHING

Research Interests	History, Culture and Political System of the United States of America Comparative Politics with Focus on Western Europe and USA Quality and Measurement of Democracy, Democratic Innovations Qualitative Methods of Social Sciences
Teaching Interests	Society and Political System of the United States of America Case Study Designs Quality and Measurement of Democracy, Democratic Innovations Simulations and Role Plays in Teaching Political Science E-Learning

PUBLICATIONS

Forthcoming	<p>Lammert, Christian/Siewert, Markus B. (Hrsg.), Das politische System der USA. Eine problemorientierte Einführung in die amerikanische Politik und Gesellschaft, Wiesbaden: VS Verlag für Sozialwissenschaften [planned 2013]. [<i>The political System of the USA. A problem-orientated Introduction</i>].</p> <p>Fricke, Carola/Siewert, Markus B., Bürokratie und Verwaltung, in: Wagschal, Uwe (Hrsg.), Einführung in die Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft, Stuttgart: Kohlhammer [forthcoming 2012/2013]. [<i>Bureaucracy, in: Introduction to Comparative Political Science</i>].</p> <p>Siewert, Markus B./Wenzelburger, Georg, Medien und politische Kommunikation, in: Wagschal, Uwe (Hrsg.), Einführung in die Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft, Stuttgart: Kohlhammer, [forthcoming 2012/2013]. [<i>Media and Political Communication, in: Introduction to Comparative Political Science</i>].</p>
2012	<p>Haas, Christoph M./Siewert, Markus B., What a President can? Politikwissenschaftliche Analyseperspektiven zum US-Präsidenten und der Präsidentschaft Barack Obamas, in: Jäger, Wolfgang/Haas, Christoph M. (Hrsg.), What a President can - Barack Obama und Reformpolitik im Systemkorsett der USA, 2012, Baden-Baden: Nomos, 13-17. [<i>What a President can? Analytical Perspectives on the US Presidency and the Obama-Administration, in: What a President can – Barack Obama and the Politics of Reform</i>].</p> <p>Siewert, Markus B./Haas, Christoph M., Change (un)limited? Präsident Obamas politische Handlungsmöglichkeiten zwischen Anspruch und Wirklichkeit, in: Jäger, Wolfgang/Haas, Christoph M. (Hrsg.), What a President can - Barack Obama und Reformpolitik im Systemkorsett der USA, 2012, Baden-Baden: Nomos, 207-218. [<i>Change (un)limited? President Obama's Opportunities for Action between Aspiration and Reality, in: What a President can – Barack Obama and the Politics of Reform</i>].</p>
2011	<p>Siewert, Markus B., Tagungsbericht „Privatisierung. Idee, Ideologie und Praxis seit den 1970er Jahren“. Symposium des Jena Center Geschichte des 20. Jahrhunderts, Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena vom 9. bis 11. Dezember 2010; Arbeitskreis Historische Forschungen, April 2011. [<i>Conference Proceedings: Privatization: Idea, Ideology and Practice since the 1970s</i>].</p>

- 2010 Eith, Ulrich/Siewert, Markus B., Das „unechte“ Unikat: der Deutsche Bundesrat, in: Riescher, Gisela/Haas, Christoph M./Ruß, Sabine (Hrsg.), Zweite Kammern, 2. Aufl., 2010, München/Wien: Oldenbourg Verlag, 97-126.
[*The German Bundesrat: the „Artificial“ Unicum, in: Second Chambers*].
- 2007 Siewert, Markus B./Zettl, Christian, Politische Elite, in: Jäger, Wolfgang/Haas, Christoph M./Welz, Wolfgang (Hrsg.), Regierungssystem der USA. Ein Lehr- und Handbuch, 3. Aufl., 2007, München/Wien: Oldenbourg Verlag, 347-361.
[*Political Elites, in: The Political System of the USA*].

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Summer term
2013 „Introduction into the Political System and Culture of the USA“ (B.A. Level)
- Summer term
2012 Course „Basics in Comparative Politics“ (B.A. Level)
Concept of the Election Simulation „Becoming POTUS“
- Winter term
2011/2012 Two Courses „Introduction to Political Science“ (B.A. Level)

COLLABORATION IN BOOK PROJECTS AND CONFERENCES

- June
- September 2012 Organizational support for election event „Presidential Election Night 2008“ in cooperation with the Landeszentrale für Politische Bildung, Freiburg and the Carl-Schurz Haus, Freiburg
- October
- December 2011 Editorial and scientific support for the book project:
Jäger, Wolfgang/Haas, Christoph M. (Hrsg.): What a President can. Barack Obama und Reformpolitik im Systemkorsett der USA, Baden-Baden 2012 [forthcoming].
- April
- December 2010 Conceptual and organizational support for the conference:
„What a President can - Der US-Präsident als Akteur im Spiegel unterschiedlicher Politikfelder“, 17. bis 19. Dezember 2010 im Studienhaus Wiesneck.
- January 2008
- April 2009 Editorial and scientific support for the book project:
Riescher, Gisela/Haas, Christoph M./Ruß, Sabine (Hrsg.), Zweite Kammern, 2. Aufl., München 2010.
- November 2008 Organizational support for election event „Presidential Election Night 2008“ in cooperation with the Landeszentrale für Politische Bildung, Freiburg and the Carl-Schurz Haus, Freiburg
- August 2005
- April 2007 Editorial and scientific support for the book project:
Jäger, Wolfgang/Haas, Christoph M./Welz, Wolfgang (Hrsg.), Regierungssystem der USA. Ein Lehr- und Handbuch, 3. Aufl., München 2007.

GRANTS

- September 2012 Fulbright Commission
- August
- November 2010 Graduate Program of Baden-Württemberg (Landesgraduiertenförderung)
- May
- July 2010 German Academic Exchange Service

MEMBERSHIP IN ASSOCIATIONS

Since 2013	Member of the Deutsche Vereinigung für Politikwissenschaften (DVPW) [German Association of Political Science]
Since 2011	Member of the German Association for American Studies

NON-UNIVERSITY EXPERIENCES

January 2007 - December 2009	Editor for „Journal 360°“; a national, peer-reviewed student journal on politics and society
September - December 2003	Student teacher at the Kepler-Gymnasium Freiburg (teacher training)
Since May 2001	Tennis coach for the „Tenniswelt-Trainingsakademie“ (B-license, DTB)

VOLUNTARY SERVICES

January 2006 - December 2008	Member of the Board, TC Grün-Weiß Emmendingen
May 2001 - April 2005	Member of the Board, Vörstetter Tennisverein
September 2000 - March 2001	Voluntary service at the home for the elderly Katharinen-Stift, Freiburg

OTHER SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Languages	English (advanced), French (basic), Latin
Computer skills	Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint) MAXQDA Statistic program SPSS Virtual learning platforms e.g. campus online
Interests	Tennis Soccer Fitness Reading Cinema Traveling

Frankfurt/Main
December, 12th 2012

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