

.: curriculum vitae



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Degrees:

- *Privatdozent (PD) für Wirtschafts- und Sozialgeschichte* 2010 (University of Vienna)
- *Doktor der Philosophie (Dr. phil.)* 2000 (University of Vienna)
- *Magister der Philosophie (Mag. phil.)* 1995 (University of Vienna)
- *Hauptschullehrer (HL)* 1986 (Paedagogic Academy of Krems)

Curriculum Vitae:

winter turn 2011/12: visiting professor (Univ.-Prof. according to § 99 UG 2002) at the Department for Economic and Social History of the University of Vienna (deputyship for O. Univ.-Prof. DDr. Dieter Stiefel)

since 2011: director of the [Institute of Rural History](http://www.institut-fuer-landwirtschafts-geschichte.at) in St. Pölten

February 2011: ERASMUS staff mobility visit at the Department for Contemporary and American History of the University of Santiago de Compostela

winter turn 2010/11 and summer turn 2011: visiting professor (Univ.-Prof. according to § 99 UG 2002) at the Department for Economic and Social History of the University of Vienna (deputyship for O. Univ.-Prof. Dr. Josef Ehmer)

summer turn 2010: visiting professor at the Department for History and Anthropology of the University of Innsbruck (deputyship for O. Univ.-Prof. Dr. Franz Mathis)

2009-2010: habilitation for economic and social history at the University of Vienna (*Privatdozent* 2010)

2009-2011: senior researcher at the [Institute of Rural History](http://www.institut-fuer-landwirtschafts-geschichte.at) in St. Pölten

2005-2008: APART awardee of the Austrian Academy of Sciences at the [Institute of Rural History](http://www.institut-fuer-landwirtschafts-geschichte.at) in St. Pölten

since 2004: lecturer at the University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences Vienna (Department for Landscape Planning)

2002-2005: researcher at the [Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Rural History](http://www.ludwig-boltzmann-institut-fuer-landwirtschafts-geschichte.at) in St. Pölten

since 2001: lecturer at the University of Vienna (Department for Contemporary History,

Department for Economic and Social History)

1999-2002: participation in several research projects:

- *Bäuerliche Gesellschaft im 20. Jahrhundert* (Fonds zur Förderung der wissenschaftlichen Forschung, collaborator)
- *Zwangsarbeit in der Landwirtschaft* (Historikerkommission der Republik Österreich, collaborator)
- *Historisch-anthropologische Kulturforschung* (Bundesministerium für Bildung, Wissenschaft und Kultur, Forschungsschwerpunkt Kulturwissenschaften / Cultural Studies, collaborator)
- *Denk-Orte: Erinnern und Vergessen in der dörflichen Kultur* (Bundesministerium für Bildung, Wissenschaft und Kultur, Forschungsschwerpunkt Kulturwissenschaften / Cultural Studies, project director)

1998-2000: doctoral study of history at the University of Vienna (supervisor of doctoral thesis: Ao. Univ.-Prof. Dr. Reinhard Sieder / O. Univ.-Prof. Dr. Michael Mitterauer, *Dr. phil.* 2000)

1996-1998: graduate course for historical anthropology at the Institute for Interdisciplinary Research (IFF) in Vienna

1992-1995: master study of history and combined subjects at the University of Vienna (supervisor of master thesis: Ao. Univ.-Prof. Dr. Reinhard Sieder, *Mag. phil.* 1995)

1987-1999: teacher in a secondary school (*Hauptschule*) and further training of teachers

1983-1986: study of mathematics and history at the Paedagogic Academy of Krems (*Hauptschullehrer* 1986)

1983: general qualification for university entrance (*Matura*) at the Bundes-Oberstufenrealgymnasium St. Pölten

Major awards and prizes:

- APART (Austrian Programme for Advanced Research and Technology) award of the Austrian Academy of Sciences 2005
- Kulturpreis des Landes Niederösterreich, Würdigungspreis Zeitgeschichte (with Ela Hornung and Sabine Schweitzer), 2005
- Kulturpreis des Landes Niederösterreich, Anerkennungspreis Geisteswissenschaften, 2004

Scientific functions:

- scientific committee member of the international conference [Rural History 2013](#) in Bern/CH
- steering committee member of the Lower Austrian Center for Migration Studies in St. Pölten/A (since 2012)
- head of the regional history section of the [Österreichischer Historikertag](#) (since 2012)
- director of the [Institute of Rural History](#) in St. Pölten/A (since 2011)
- referee for the [Fonds National de la Recherche Luxembourg](#) (since 2011)
- member of the advisory board for museums and exhibitions of the Province of Lower Austria (since 2011)
- secretary of the [European Rural History Organisation \(EURHO\)](#) (since 2010)

- review committee member of the [Zeitgeschichtetage 2010](#) in Vienna/A
- scientific committee member of the international conference [Rural History 2010](#) in Brighton/GB
- director of the research project [Farming Styles in Austria, 1940s-1980s](#) (2009-2012)
- referee for the book series [Rural History in Europe](#) by Brepols Publishers (2008 ff.)
- deputy director of the [Institute for Rural History](#) in St. Pölten/A (2005-2011)
- Austrian delegate to the management committee of the ESF-COST-action [PROGRESSORE \(Programme for the Study of European Rural Societies\)](#) (2005-2009)
- executive editor of the [Jahrbuch für Geschichte des ländlichen Raumes](#) (since 2003)
- executive committee member of the [Verein für Landeskunde von Niederösterreich](#) (since 2002)

Fields of interest:

- history of agriculture and food
- history of rural society and environment
- history of spatial formations (from local to global)
- history of mentality, memory and identity
- historical-anthropological theory
- cross-disciplinary methodology