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### *Curriculum vitae*

- \* 2019 - Director of the Program in Medieval Studies at Princeton University
- \* 2018 – Executive Committee of the Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies, Princeton University
- \* 2018/19 Acting Director of the Program of the Ancient World, Princeton University
- \* 2018 – member of the steering committee of *Comparative Antiquities, a Research and Teaching Initiative at Princeton University*
- \* 2018 – member of the editorial board of *Speculum. A Journal of Medieval Studies*
- \* 2017/18 Acting Director of the Program in Medieval Studies at Princeton University
- \* Spring 2017: Professeur invité at the École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris
- \* Winter 2016/17: Visiting research fellow, Excellence cluster *Topoi. The Formation and Transformation of Space and Knowledge in Ancient Civilizations*, Freie Universität Berlin
- \* Winter 2016/17 Visiting Research Fellow at the Sonderforschungsbereich *Visions of community. Comparative approaches to ethnicity, region and empire in Christianity, Islam and Buddhism*, Vienna, Austrian Academy of Sciences
- \* Fall 2016 Visiting research fellow, the Sonderforschungsbereich *Bedrohte Ordnungen*, University of Tübingen
- \* 2015/16 Acting chair of the Committee for the Study of Late Antiquity, Princeton University
- \* 2014/15 and 2015/16 Old Dominion Fellow of the Council of Humanities, Princeton University
- \* 2015 – member of the editorial board of *Early Medieval Europe*
- \* 2014 – member of the editorial board of “Medieval Worlds – Comparative and Interdisciplinary Studies”; and Open Access Journal published by the Institute for Medieval Research and Institute for Social Anthropology, Austrian Academy of Sciences
- \* **Since 2013 – Full Professor, History Department, Princeton University**
- \* 2013-16 Associated faculty, Sonderforschungsbereich *Materiale Textkulturen* “Wissenstransfer von der Antike ins Mittelalter. Bedingungen und Wirkungen dauerhafter Verschriftlichung am Beispiel des Klosters Lorsch at the University of Heidelberg (Prof. Stefan Weinfurter)
- \* 2013 – 2018 Member of the editorial board of the journal *Viator: Medieval and Renaissance Studies*.

- \* 2013 – Executive Committee for the Program of Medieval Studies, Princeton University
- \* Fall 2013 Acting Director of the Program in Medieval Studies, Princeton University
- \* 2012 – Associated Faculty, Institute for the Study of the Ancient World, New York University
- \* 2011 – Executive Committee for the Study of Late Antiquity at Princeton University
- \* 2011– Executive committee of the Program in the Ancient World at Princeton University
- \* 2011– Associated Faculty, Princeton Institute for International and Regional Studies
- \* 2011 – Harold Willis Dodds Presidential University Preceptor
- \* 2010 – Editorial board of the series *Karolingische Perspektiven*, published by Jan Thorbecke Verlag (together with Prof. Philippe Depreux, Universität Hamburg, Prof. Stefan Esders, Freie Universität Berlin, Prof. Steffen Patzold, Universität Tübingen).
- \* 2010 – Associated Faculty, Classics Department, Princeton University
- \* 2010 – Associated Faculty, Program in Hellenic Studies
- \* 2009-10: Executive secretary of the Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies, Princeton University
- \* **Sept. 2008 – 2013: Assistant Professor of History, Princeton University**
- \* 2007-2008: member of the board of *Porta Historica: a Network of Editors of Historical Sources* (Cooperation of the École nationale des chartes, Paris, Institute for Historical Research, London, Commission royale d’Histoire, Brussels, Instituut voor Nederlandse Geschiedenes, Den Haag, Institut für Mittelalterforschung, Austrian Academy, Vienna)
- \* 2005-2006: Visiting Fellow at the Netherland Institute for Advanced Studies (NIAS) - research group “Rulers, History and Exegesis. The Formation of a Political Identity in the Carolingian Empire” with Mayke de Jong (Utrecht), Rosamond McKitterick (Cambridge) and David Ganz (London)
- \* **2004-2008: head of the Early Medieval Department of the Institute for Medieval Research at the Austrian Academy of Sciences, Vienna**
- \* **2005: tenured position as senior researcher at the Institute for Medieval History at the Austrian Academy of Sciences, Vienna**
- \* **2002: tenure track position as senior researcher at the Institute for Medieval history research of the Austrian Academy of Sciences, Vienna.**
- \* **1999-2002: post-doc researcher at the Institute for Medieval Research of the Austrian Academy of Sciences, Vienna**

## Education

- \* **1999: Ph.D. (with honours) Dissertation: “Der Codex Vindobonensis lat. 473: ein karolingisches Geschichtsbuch aus St. Amand (The Codex Vindobonensis lat. 473: a Carolingian history book from St Amand)**
- \* **1995-1999: Ph.D. Program in History, University of Vienna**
- \* **1998: State Exam at the Institut für Österreichische Geschichtsforschung, Member of the Institut für Österreichische Geschichtsforschung (Master of Advanced Studies, Historical Research and Archival Sciences)**

**\* 1995-1998: Participant at the 61<sup>st</sup> year postgraduate program in historical auxiliary and archival sciences of the Institut für Österreichische Geschichtsforschung, Vienna**

**\* 1994: Master of Philosophy (with honours) in the fields of History and Communication Science at the University of Vienna**

## Publications

### Monographs:

-, (ed.), *Historiography and Identity III. Carolingian approaches Post-Roman multiplicity and new political identities* (Turnhout: Brepols, 2021, forthcoming), with Rutger Kramer and Graeme Ward.

-, (ed.), *Historiography and Identity II. Post-Roman multiplicity and new political identities* (Turnhout: Brepols, 2020), with Gerda Heydemann.

-, (ed.), *Motions of Late Antiquity. Essays on Religion, Politics and Society in Honor of Peter Brown*, (Turnhout, Brepols 2016), with Jamie Kreiner .

-, *History, Frankish Identity and the Rise of Western Ethnicity, 550-850* (Cambridge University Press, 2015, Pb, 2017)

(ed.), *Cultures in Motion* (Princeton University Press, 2013, Pb 2017) with Dan Rodgers, Bhavani Raman.

-, (ed.), *Vergangenheit und Vergegenwärtigung. Frühes Mittelalter und Europäische Erinnerungskultur*, Forschungen zur Geschichte des Mittelalters 13, (Vienna: Verlag der Österreichischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, 2009), with Bernhard Zeller.

-, (ed.), *Staat im Früh- und Hochmittelalter*, Forschungen zur Geschichte des Mittelalters 11 (Vienna: Verlag der Österreichischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, 2006), with Stuart Airlie and Walter Pohl.

-, (ed.), *The Construction of Communities in the Early Middle Ages – Texts, Resources, Artefacts*, The Transformation of the Roman World 12 (Leiden: Brill, 2002), with Richard Corradini and Max Diesenberger.

-, (ed.), *The Transformation of Frontiers from Late Antiquity to the Carolingians*, The Transformation of the Roman World 10 (Leiden: Brill, 2000), with Walter Pohl and Ian Wood.

-, (ed.), *Grenze und Differenz im frühen Mittelalter*, Forschungen zur Geschichte des Mittelalters 1 (Vienna: Verlag der Österreichischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, 2000), with Walter Pohl.

*Der Codex Vindobensis lat. 473. Ein karolingisches Geschichtsbuch aus St-Amand.* (Phil Diss., Wien 1999).

-, (ed.), *Strategies of Distinction. The Construction of Ethnic Communities 300 – 800*, The Transformation of the Roman World 2 (Leiden: Brill 1998), with Walter Pohl.

-, (ed.), *Römer und Barbaren: ein Lesebuch zur deutschen Geschichte von der Spätantike bis 800* (Munich: C.H. Beck, <sup>2</sup>1998), with Christina Lutter.

## Articles:

--, Observing peoples as peoples: the study of ethnicity in late Antiquity and the early Middle Ages, in: *Visions of Medieval Studies in North America and Europe: Studies on Cultural identity and power*, ed. by C. Booker, Hans J. Hummer and Dana M. Polanichka (Turnhout: Brepols, forthcoming).

--, The early history of Frankish origin legends, ca. 500 – 800 CE, in: *Medieval Origin legends*, ed. by Lindy Brady and Patrick Wadden, (Leiden: Brill, forthcoming)

--, When the Bavarians became Bavarian. The politicization of ethnicity and crystallization of ethnic identities in the shadow of Carolingian rule (8<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> century), in: *Shadows of Empire – Imperial Peripheries in Early Medieval Eurasia*, eds. W. Pohl and V. Wieser (Cambridge: University Press 2021, forthcoming).

-, Histories of Carolingian historiography: an introduction, in: *Historiography and identity III: Carolingian approaches*, ed. by Helmut Reimitz, Rutger Kramer and Graeme Ward (Turnhout: Brepols, 2021, forthcoming).

-, Wahlverwandschaften im frühen Mittelalter: von den merowingischen Königskatalogen zu den karolingischen Genealogien in: *Creative Selection. Emending and Forming Medieval Memory*, eds. Sebastian Scholz and Gerald Schwedler, Millennium Studien (Berlin and New York: De Gruyter, 2021, forthcoming)

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-, Diversity and convergence: the accommodation of ethnic and legal pluralism in the Carolingian empire in: *Empires and Communities in the Post-Roman and Islamic World, 400 – 1000 CE*, eds. Walter Pohl, Rutger Kramer and Chris Wickham (Oxford University Press, 2021, forthcoming). (with Stefan Esders)

-, *Novae et antiquae consuetudines*. Beobachtungen zu Geschichte und Exegese in den karolingischen Kapitularien, in: *Die Sprache des Rechts. Historische Semantik und karolingische Kapitularien / La langue du droit. Sémantique historique et capitulaires carolingiens*, eds. B. Jussen and K. Ubl (2021, forthcoming) (with G. Heydemann)

-, Historicising Rome: Gregory of Tours and the construction of a Roman past, in: *Transforming the Early Medieval World. Studies in honour of Ian Wood*, eds. K. Yaduz and R. Broome (Leeds, forthcoming).

-, The History of Merovingian historiography, in: *The Oxford History of the Merovingian World*, eds. B. Effros and I. Moreira (Oxford University Press, 2020), pp. 463-488.

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- , *Viri illustres und omnes Franci. Zur Gestaltung der feinen Unterschiede in historiographischen und diplomatischen Quellen der frühen Karolingerzeit*, in: *Urkunden - Schriften - Lebensordnungen. Neue Beiträge zur Mediävistik*, ed. A. Schwarcz and Chr. Egger, Veröffentlichungen des Instituts für Österreichische Geschichtsforschung, 63 (Vienna, 2015), pp. 123-49.

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-, "Omnes Franci. Identifications and Identities of the Early Medieval Franks," in *Franks, Northmen, and Slavs: Identities and State Formation in Early Medieval Europe*, ed. Ildar Garipzanov et al. (Turnhout: Brepols, 2008), pp. 51-70.

-, "The Art of Truth. Historiography and Identity in the Frankish World", in *Texts and Identities in the Early Middle Ages*, ed. Richard Corradini et al., *Forschungen zur Geschichte des Mittelalters* (Vienna: Verlag der Österreichischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, 2006), pp. 87-104.

-, „Geschlechterrollen und Genealogie in der fränkischen Historiographie“, in: *Frauen und Geschlechter. Bilder – Rollen – Realitäten in den Texten der antiken Autoren zwischen Antike und Mittelalter*, eds. Robert Rollinger and Christoph Ulf (Wien, Köln, Weimar, 2006), pp. 335-354.

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Königtums in der merowingischen Historiographie“, in: *Das frühmittelalterliche Königtum. Ideelle und religiöse Grundlagen*, ed. Franz-Reiner Erkens, Ergänzungsbände des Reallexikons der Germanischen Altertumskunde 49 (Berlin and New York: Walter de Gruyter, 2005), pp. 214–269.

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-, „Anleitung zur Interpretation. Schrift und Genealogie zur Karolingerzeit“, in *Vom Nutzen des Schreibens. Soziales Gedächtnis, Herrschaft und Besitz*, ed. Walter Pohl and Paul Herold, *Forschungen zur Geschichte des Mittelalters* 5 (Vienna: Verlag der Österreichischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, 2002), pp. 167–181.

-, „Conversion and Control: the Establishment of Liturgical Frontiers in Carolingian Pannonia“, in *The Transformation of Frontiers from Late Antiquity to the Carolingians*, ed. Walter Pohl, Ian Wood and Helmut Reimitz, *The Transformation of the Roman World* 10 (Leiden: Brill 2001), pp. 189–208.

-, „Grenzen und Grenzüberschreitungen im karolingischen Mitteleuropa“, in: *Grenze und Differenz im frühen Mittelalter*, ed. Walter Pohl and Helmut Reimitz, *Forschungen zur Geschichte des Mittelalters* 1 (Vienna: Verlag der Österreichischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, 2000), pp. 105–166.

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-, „Franks“, in *The Oxford Dictionary of Late Antiquity* (Oxford, 2018), pp. \$\$- \$\$.



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\* „Die karolingischen Reichsannalen“, in: *Otto der Große und das Römische Reich. Kaisertum von der Antike zum Mittelalter*. Ausstellungskatalog, ed. Matthias Puhle and Gabriele Köster (Regensburg 2012), pp. 429-30.

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\*Review of Courtney Booker, *Past Convictions. The Penance of Louis the Pious and the Decline of the Carolingians* (Philadelphia, Univ. of Pennsylvania Press 2009, in: *Speculum* 86, 4 (2011), pp. 1053-55.

-, Review-Article: "Mediävistik im 21. Jahrhundert. Stand und Perspektiven der internationalen und interdisziplinären Mittelalterforschung“, ed. Hans Werner Goetz and Jörg Jarnut (Paderborn 2003), *Paderborner Historische Mitteilungen* 19, 2 (2008), pp. 55-65.

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