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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Postdoctoral Researcher , Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research (MPIDR)	Since 10/2026
Postdoctoral Max Weber Fellow , European University Institute	2024 – 2026
Substitution of the Professorship for Microsociology , Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin	04 – 09/2025
Researcher , Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin	2018 – 2024

EDUCATION

Doctor Philosophiae in Sociology , Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin	2024
Master of Arts in Social Sciences , Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin	2018
Visiting Graduate Student , Brown University, Department of Sociology	2016 – 2017
Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences , Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin	2016

ACADEMIC VISITS

05/2026	Hertie School Berlin , CIVICA Faculty Short Visit
03/2023	University of Haifa , Visitorship

PUBLICATIONS

- 2026 **Hamjediers, Maik** & Margarita Torre: The Flip Side of Gender Segregation: Cross-National and Temporal Variation in Men's Participation in Female-Dominated Occupations. *Gender, Work & Organization*, online first.
- Hamjediers, Maik**, Ferdinand Geissler, Johannes Giesecke & Markus Schrenker: Do Occupations Confer Equal Prestige on Female and Male Incumbents? *Social Forces*, online first.
- Hamjediers, Maik**, Patrick Präg & Alexi Gugushvili: Russia's Invasion of Ukraine and Perceived Intergenerational Mobility in Czechia and Uruguay. An Unexpected Event During Survey Design Study. *Social Science Research*, 138: 103379.
- Aczel, Balasz, Barnabas Szaszi, Harry T. Clelland, ..., **Maik Hamjediers**, ..., Brian A. Nosek [493 authors]: Investigating the Analytical Robustness of the Social and Behavioural Sciences. *Nature*: 652: 135–142.
- Hamjediers, Maik**: A Threat Next Door? A Research Note on Proximate Interstate Conflict Causing Willingness to Fight Based on Russia's Invasion of Ukraine. *International Journal of Public Opinion Research* 38(1): 1–7.
- 2025 Riaz, Sascha & **Maik Hamjediers**: Anti-Immigrant Bias in the Choice Between Punitive and Rehabilitative Justice. *British Journal of Political Science* 55: online first.
- Jacobi, Aljoscha, **Maik Hamjediers** & Tabea Naujoks: Tailored to Women, Provided to Men? Gendered Occupational Inequality in Access to Flexible Working-Time Arrangements. *Social Indicators Research* 176: 1179–1205.

- 2024 **Hamjediers, Maik** & Eileen Peters: Gender Compositions of Occupations and Firms Jointly Shape Switches from Gender-Atypical Towards More Gender-Typical Positions. *European Societies* 26(4): 1170–1194.
- Sprengholz, Maximilian & **Maik Hamjediers**: Intersections and Commonalities: Using Matching to Decompose Wage Gaps by Gender and Nativity in Germany. *Work and Occupations* 51(2): 249–286.
- 2023 **Hamjediers, Maik**: Gender-Atypical Learning Experiences of Men Reduce Occupational Sex Segregation: Evidence from the Suspension of the Civilian Service in Germany. *Gender & Society* 37(4): 524–552.
- Hamjediers, Maik** & Maximilian Sprengholz: Comparing the Incomparable? Issues of Lacking Common Support, Functional Form Mis-Specification, and Insufficient Sample Size in Decompositions. *Sociological Methodology* 53(2): 344–365.
- 2022 **Hamjediers, Maik** & Paul Schmelzer: Marriage, the Risk of Overeducation, and Selection into Both: Evidence from Germany. *European Sociological Review* 38(1): 73–87.
- 2021 **Hamjediers, Maik**: Can Regional Gender Ideologies Account for Variation of Gender Pay Gaps? The Case of Germany. *Social Sciences* 10(9): 347.
- Non-peer-reviewed **Hamjediers, Maik**, Paul Schmelzer & Tobias Wolfram (2018): Do-files for working with SOEP spell data. *SOEP Survey Papers*, Series G: 492. Berlin: DIW/SOEP.

WORK IN PROGRESS

[Does Mandatory Military Service Shape Men's Occupational Choices? Evidence from the Suspension of Conscription Across Europe](#) (with L. Iván Canzio; R&R in *European Sociological Review*).

Hyper-Masculine Institutions and Their Impact on Gender Attitudes: The Case of Conscription in the UK (with L. Iván Canzio).

What's Your Occupation? Gendered Patterns in Mismatches Between Survey and Register Reports (with Nadine Bachbauer & Ann-Christin Bächmann).

Within-Occupational Prestige Variation Across Workers (with Ferdinand Geissler & Johannes Giesecke). 

Devaluation of 'Women's Work' or Work Done by Women? Experimental Evidence Across Countries (with Margarita Torre, Zoltán Lippényi, & Irene Prix).

"Do You Think That I Should Care?" Measuring Social Expectations About Cognitive Labor in Household Contexts (with Tabea Naujoks). [Pilot study on SocArXiv](#)

PRESENTATIONS

Conferences:

DGS Section Social Inequality and Stratification	2026
ISA RC28 on Social Stratification and Social Mobility	2025, 2023, 2022, 2021
European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR)	2025, 2024, 2022, 2021, 2020
Academy of Sociology (AS)	2025
German Stata User Meeting	2023
Population Association of America (PAA)	2021, 2018
European Research Network on Transitions in Youth (TIY)	2021
European Sociological Association (ESA)	2017

Others:

Women and Work in the 21st Century, WZB Berlin Social Science Center	2026 (<i>planned</i>)
Social Policy Research Colloquium, Hertie School Berlin	2026
Empirical Social Research Seminar, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin	2025
Gender Dynamics in Central Social Structures, European University Institute	2025
Comparative Life Course and Inequality Research Center, European University Institute	2024
Longitudinal Research on Income Inequality, University of Haifa	2023

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Gender Inequalities – Theory and Empirics Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Bachelor-level seminar, 20 students	Summer 2025
Academic Writing in Social Demography Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Master- and PhD-level seminar, 10 students	Summer 2025
Colloquium for Microsociology Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, supervision of 9 Bachelor- and 1 Master-theses	Summer 2025
Statistics I (4 terms) and Statistics II (5 terms) Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Bachelor-level lecture + tutoring sessions, 180 students <i>Faculty Award for Excellence in Teaching (winter term 2018/19)</i> <i>Nominated for Humboldt Award for Excellence in Digital Teaching (winter term 2020/21)</i>	2018 – 2022, 2024
Empirical Social Research I Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, with Dr. Ferdinand Geissler, Bachelor-level seminar, 150 students	Summer 2023
What others think you can do, but you can't do, and what you can do about it Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Bachelor-level seminar, 25 students	Winter 2022/23
Introduction to Social Science Research Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Bachelor-level seminar, 25 students	Winter 2020/21

GRANTS & FUNDING

CIVICA Faculty Short Visits grant to visit Hertie School Berlin, 2026

Proyectos de Generación de Conocimiento 2022 grant by the Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación for the project “The Flip Side of Gender Segregation: Men in Female-Dominated Occupations” (PID2022-142457OB-I00, as member of the application team; PI: Margarita Torre), 2023 – 2027

Erasmus+ grant to attend the TN.SQUARE school at the University of Trento, 2021

Student scholarship of the Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, 2014 – 2018

SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT

Sprengholz, Maximilian & **Maik Hamjediers** (2024): *NOPO: Stata module to perform Nopo (2008) matching decompositions*. [Statistical Software Components S459289](#), Boston College Department of Economics. 

Hamjediers, Maik (2022): *SANKEYPLOT: Stata module to produce Sankey diagrams*. [Statistical Software Components S459089](#), Boston College Department of Economics. 

FURTHER TRAINING

Advances in the Difference-in-Differences Design <i>Online-workshop of the Research Training Group DYNAMICS</i>	11/2022
Using Simulation Studies to Evaluate Statistical Methods <i>Spring School of GESIS – Leibniz-Institute for the Social Sciences</i>	03/2022
Health inequalities, family and labour market dynamics <i>TN.SQUARE Trento School of Applied Quantitative Research</i>	11/2021
Introduction to factor analysis using international large-scale data in education <i>CIDER Summer School: Methods of Empirical Educational Research</i>	07/2017
Explanation and Causality in the Social Sciences <i>CIDER Summer School: Methods of Empirical Educational Research</i>	07/2016

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Reviewing for: <i>Social Forces; Sociological Methods & Research; European Sociological Review; Sociological Methodology; Social Science Research; Research in Social Stratification and Mobility; Work and Occupations; European Societies; Gender, Work & Organization; Acta Sociologica; Kölner Zeitschrift für Soziologie und Sozialpsychologie; Journal of Family Studies; Nature Communications; Social Psychology of Education; Comparative Population Studies</i>	
Co-organisation of the Interdisciplinary Max Weber Workshop “Gender Dynamics in Central Social Structures across Diverse Context” European University Institute	03/2025
Survey of incoming students for the Department of Social Sciences Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin	2018 – 2023
Member of the search committee for the W2-S-professorship “Welfare State and Reproduction” Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin	2023
Student member of the search committee for the S-professorship “Social Science Research Methods (Focus on Survey-Methodology)” Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin	2018

REFERENCES

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