

Curriculum Vitae

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Educational Background

- Since 11/2018 **Ph.D. Student at School of Business and Economics of Philipps-Universität Marburg**
Thesis topic: Political Economy of Natural Disasters
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Farzanegan
- Absolved doctoral courses:*
- Machine learning in economics, Summer 2020, by Hannah Bull, Kassel (online)
 - Time series analysis and text mining, Spring 2020, by Prof. Dr. Winker, Gießen
 - Spatial econometrics, Winter 2019, by Prof. Dr. Kosfeld, Kassel
 - Applied econometric analysis of stated choice data, Spring 2019, by Prof. Dr. Ziegler and Daniel Engler, Kassel
 - Applied econometrics, Spring 2019, by Prof. Dr. Hayo, Marburg
- 10/2012 – 06/2015 **M.A. Middle Eastern Politics and Economics at Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies of Philipps-Universität Marburg**
Master's Thesis: "Natural Resources and Economic Growth: Can Strong Civil Society Lift the Curse?"
- 04/2009 – 09/2012 **B.A. Social Sciences at Ruhr-Universität Bochum**
Bachelor's Thesis: „Familie im Wandel? Eine Analyse von ausgewählten arabischen Staaten“
- 08/1998 – 06/2007 **Abitur at Leibniz-Gymnasium Essen**

Professional Experience

Since 03/2018

Research and Teaching Assistant at Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies (CNMS) of Philipps Universität Marburg

Teaching of Bachelor courses:

- Seminar “Methods in Middle East Economics” (Summer 2018-2020)
- Seminar “Topics of Middle East Economics” (Summer 2018)
- Seminar “Political Economy of Natural and Environmental Disasters in the MENA Region” (Winter 2018-2020)
- Seminar “Environmental Economics with Reference to the MENA Region” (Summer 2019- 2020)

Teaching of Master courses:

- Tutorial “Empirical Development Economics with Reference to the MENA” (Winter 2019-2020)
- Seminar “Environmental Economics with Reference to the MENA Region” (Summer 2020)

Supervision of Bachelor’s theses:

- Kawelke, J., Wirtschaftliche Diversifizierungsprozesse und -strategien in der MENA-Region: Erfahrungen aus den Golfstaaten, B.A. Orientwissenschaft, Summer 2020, (First Supervisor).
- Tobisch, J. C., Power Distribution in the Middle East: The Influence of China in the Region and Their Economic Ties, B.A. Orientwissenschaft, Summer 2020, (First Supervisor).
- Deiß, J., Female Labor Force Participation and Economic Development in the Middle East and North Africa, B.A. Orientwissenschaft, Summer 2019, (First Supervisor).

Supervision of Master’s theses:

- Glöckner, P., Did the EU sanctions of 2011 have an impact on the financial account of target countries? A case study with selected MENA countries, M.Sc. Economics of the Middle East, Summer 2020, (Second Supervisor).
- Martini, T., Assessing the Impact of the 2016 IMF's EFF agreement with Egypt, M.Sc. Economics of the Middle East, Summer 2020, (Second Supervisor).
- Tannous, S., Examining the Contact Hypothesis in the Case of Refugees in Germany, M.Sc. Economics of the Middle East, Winter 2019, (Second Supervisor).
- Mansouri, M. H., Political Stability in Resource-Rich Economies - the Role of Economic Inequality, M.Sc. Economics of the Middle East, Summer 2019, (Second Supervisor).
- Shawky, S., The Economic Costs of the Arab Spring in Egypt: A Synthetic Control Analysis, M.Sc. Economics of the Middle East, Spring 2019, (Second Supervisor).
- Nguyen, M. H., The Effect of Female Education on Fertility Rate: Does Social Trust Matter?, M.Sc. Economics and Institutions, Spring 2019, (Second Supervisor).
- Zerwas, P., Bedingungen für Regimestabilität in Rentierstaaten. Qualitative Comparative Analysis, M.A. Politik und Wirtschaft des Nahen und Mittleren Ostens, Winter 2018, (Second Supervisor).
- Sassi, M. T., The Effect of Food and Energy Security on Political Stability, M.Sc. Economics and Institutions, Spring 2018, (Second Supervisor).

03/2016 – 12/2018

Project Coordinator at Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies (CNMS) of Philipps Universität Marburg

As a member of the Economics of the Middle East Research Group responsible for the coordination of the project “Political Economy of Natural Resource Management”. Organizing events in Germany and Iran.
Website: www.uni-marburg.de/narem

- 10/2015 – 02/2016 **Marketing Research Assistant at IQPC Germany, Berlin**
Research of relevant persons and companies (speakers, delegates, sponsors) and Pre-Sales activities. Industries of research: Automotive, Digital Transformation, Energy, Finance, and Pharma.
- 09/2014 – 11/2014 **Intern at Ghorfa Arab-German Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Berlin**
Involved in the planning, implementation, and follow-up of the 5th Arab-German Energy Forum with participants from industry, politics, and diplomacy from Germany and Arab League countries.
- 02/2012 – 03/2012 **Intern at Historical place Villa ten Hompel, Münster**
Supporting research and the organization of different educational events.
- 04/2008 – 03/2009 **Voluntary military service at German psychological operations (OpInfo), Mayen**
After general basic military training, supporting the educational branch for training of soldiers with ranks from Sergeant to General.

Skills

Language

German	Native
English	Fluent
Arabic	Advanced
Farsi	Advanced
Latin	Basic (Latinum)

Computer

MS Office / LibreOffice	Professional
STATA	Advanced
R / RStudio	Advanced
Python	Advanced
EViews	Basic
ArcGIS / QGIS	Basic
GIMP	Advanced
OBS Studio	Basic

Conferences, Workshops, and Seasonal Schools

- 12/2019 **Symposium on the Political Economy of Sanctions**
Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies of Philipps-Universität Marburg and Gerda Henkel Foundation [involved in organization]
- 11/2019 **Using Geodata for Natural Resource Management: A Practical Workshop**
Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies, School of Business and Economics, and Faculty of Geography of Philipps-Universität Marburg [involved in organization]
- 10/2019 **Symposium on the Political Economy of Climate Change and Natural Disasters with Reference to Iran and the Arab World**
Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies of Philipps-Universität Marburg and Heinrich Böll Foundation [involved in organization]
- 11/2018 **Water and Sustainable Development Winter School**
Ferdowsi University of Mashhad (Iran), [involved in organization]
- 08/2018 **Second Iran Forum**
International Iranian Economic Association (IIEA) and Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies of Philipps-Universität Marburg, [involved in organization]

- 08/2018 **Nature, Wealth & Power Summer School**
Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies of Philipps-Universität Marburg,
[involved in organization]
My presentation topic: "Introduction to German History (1803-1945)"
- 10/2017 **Social Policy in Oil-Based Economies Autumn School**
University of Tehran (Iran), [involved in organization]
My presentation topic: "Oil rents and Civil Society"
- 08/2017 **International Iran Forum**
International Iranian Economic Association (IIEA) and Center for Near and Middle
Eastern Studies of Philipps-Universität Marburg, [involved in organization]
- 08/2017 **Renewable Energy and Development Summer School**
Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies of Philipps-Universität Marburg,
[involved in organization]
My presentation topic: "Introduction to EU ETS".
- 08/2017 **E.ON Stipendienfonds Summer Academy 2017 „Emission Trading System to
shape future energy systems?“**, E.ON Stipendienfonds, Ostritz-St. Marienthal
- 05/2017 **Georg von Vollmar Akademie e.V.**, Kochel am See
My first presentation: "Nordafrika und die Sahelzone – Ein Einblick in Geographie,
Kultur und Geschichte dieser Region Afrikas"
My second presentation: "Politik, Wirtschaft und Gesellschaft – Aktuelle
Entwicklungen der Region"
- 11/2016 **Natural Resource Management and Life Satisfaction Winter School**
Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies of Philipps-Universität Marburg,
[involved in organization]
- 08/2016 **Natural Resource Management and Sustainable Development Summer School**
Tarbiat Modares University, Tehran (Iran), [involved in organization]
- 06/2016 **Fourth International Conference on the Iranian Economy**
International Iranian Economic Association (IIEA) and Center for Near and Middle
Eastern Studies of Philipps-Universität Marburg, [involved in organization].
- 04/2016 **Intercultural Project Management Seminar**, German Academic Exchange Service
(DAAD), Bonn
- 10/2015 **Deutsch-Französische / Europäische Studientagung „Perspektiven deutsch-
französischer/europäischer Partnerschaft – 100 Jahre nach Verdun, 1914-18
im Spiegel aktueller europäischer Fragen**, Deutsche Gesellschaft der Mitglieder
der Französischen Ehrenlegion und des Französischen Nationalen Verdienstordens
e.V., Berlin
- 08/2015 **Genshagen Trilateral Summer School „Defending Europe: German, French
and Polish Approaches to European Defense “**, Genshagen Foundation – Berlin-
Brandenburgisches Institut für Deutsch-Französische Zusammenarbeit in Europa,
Genshagen
- 11/2014 **5th Arab-German Energy Forum**, Ghorfa Arab-German Chamber of Commerce
and Industry, Berlin [involved in organization]
- 08/2013 **Genshagen Trilateral Summer School „The Arab-Israeli conflict in the Weimar
Triangle countries: What ramifications in German, French and Polish
society?“**, Genshagen Foundation – Berlin-Brandenburgisches Institut für Deutsch-
Französische Zusammenarbeit in Europa, Genshagen