

Katie Von Holzen

Lecturer and Researcher

Curriculum Vitae

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Research Areas

Language acquisition First, second and foreign-language; Supportive aspects of the input; Individual learner variation
Methodology Cross-linguistic similarity algorithms; Acoustic corpus analyses; Eyetracking (gaze)
Open Scholarship Accessibility and diversity; Open and reproducible approaches; Large-scale collaborations (Many Babies)

Employment

2022 - - Wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin (Lecturer/Researcher) Group Head: Prof. Dr. Holger Hopp
English and American Studies, Technische Universitaet Braunschweig, Germany
2023 - - Media Coordinator IASCL Past President Dr. Annick De Houwer
IASCL (International Association for the Study of Child Language)
2019 - 2022 Akademische Raetin (Lecturer/Researcher) Group Head: Prof. Dr. Sarah Schimke
Germanistik, Technische Universitaet Dortmund, Germany
2017 - 2019 Postdoctoral Researcher Mentor: Dr. Rochelle Newman
Hearing and Speech Sciences, University of Maryland, USA
2014 - 2017 Postdoctoral Researcher Supervisor: Dr. Thierry Nazzi
Speech Perception, Universite Paris Descartes, France
2010 - 2013 Wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin (Doctoral Researcher) Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Nivedita Mani
Psychology of Language, Georg-August-Universitaet Goettingen, Germany

Education

2022 - in progress Habilitation, English Linguistics
Technische Universitaet Braunschweig, Germany
2010 - 2013 Dr. rer. nat. Psychology, magna cum laude
Georg-August-Universitaet Goettingen, Germany
2006 - 2009 B.S. Psychology, summa cum laude
University of Wisconsin - Green Bay, USA

Awards

2019 Society for Improvement of Psychological Science Mission Award
For improving psychological science in the face of challenge, as contributor to the ManyBabies1 Collaboration
2018 Berkeley Initiative for Transparency in the Social Sciences (BITSS) Meta-Analysis Challenge
\$1,000
Shared with co-author Christina Bergmann
2014 GDR Neurosciences Cognitives du Developpement bourses de mobilite a des doctorants
Travel award for the Potsdam Summer School, Infant Studies on Language Development in Europe (ISOLDE)
2013 Universitaetsbund Goettingen Travel Grant
For the International Workshop on Bilingualism and Cognitive Control in Krakow, Poland
2011 Paula Menyuk Travel Award \$300
For BUCLD 2011
2010 Phi Eta Sigma National Honor Society Graduate Scholarship \$7,000
Phi Eta Sigma is a National Honors Society

Professional Memberships

- 2024 - present Member of the German Linguistic Society
- 2022 - present Member of the German Psychological Society
- 2019 - present Member of the Deutscher Hochschulverband
- 2017 - present Member of the National Postdoctoral Association (USA)
- 2012 - present Member of Women in Cognitive Science (WICS)

Research Cooperations

Please find below a summary of my ongoing research cooperations that are not yet reflected in my publication record.

- ManyBabies-AtHome: Sho Tsuji (École normale supérieure, France; University of Toyko, Japan), Rhodri Cusack (Trinity College Dublin, Ireland), Lorijn Zaadnoordijk (Trinity College Dublin, Ireland)
- ManyBabies-AtHome Looking-While-Listening Project: Eon-Suk Ko (Chosun University, South Korea), Julian Mayor (University of Oslo, Norway), Martin Zettersten (University of California - San Diego, USA), Silvia Benavides Varela (Padua University, Italy), Barbara Pomiechowska (University of Birmingham, UK), Anna Exner (Ruhr University Bochum, Germany)
- Novelty Preference Meta-Analysis: Martin Zettersten (University of California - San Diego, USA), Anjie Cao (Stanford University, USA)
- How noise in the home environment impacts children's development: Rochelle Newman (University of Maryland, USA), Rachel Romeo (University of Maryland, USA), Meg Cychosz (University of California - Los Angeles, USA)

Service

Institutional Service

- 2024-present Executive Committee
International Association for the Study of Child Language
- 2024-present Berufungskommission Institute for English and American Studies
TU Braunschweig
- 2022-present Leadership Board ManyBabies-AtHome
- 2021-present Project manager of the Looking-While-Listening sub-project of ManyBabies-AtHome
- 2021-2022 Consulting Editor at the Journal Child Development
- 2020-2022 Executive Board Member of the Department for Language, Literature, and Culture
TU Dortmund
- 2019 Member of the Cultural and Linguistic Diversity Committee
University of Maryland
- 2018 Panel judge for Graduate Research Appreciation Day
University of Maryland
- 2014-2017 Co-founder and organizer, Parisian BabyLab Meetings (PaBaLa)
Universite Paris Descartes
- 2014-2016 Co-Chair, Student and Post-doc Talks (SPOT)
Universite Paris Descartes

Professional Service

For a complete record of my peer-review service, view my Web of Science Peer Review Profile (<https://www.webofscience.com/wos/author/record/1483321>), which includes, among others, reviews at the journals Child Development, Language and Speech, and Language Acquisition. I have reviewed for international workshops and conferences, including the International Congress of Infant Studies, the International Association for the Study of Child Language, the International Symposium on Bilingualism (Area Co-Chair: Infant and Child Development).

Languages

- English, native
- German, fluent (C1)
- French, proficient (B1)