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10/20 - present	Senior Postdoctoral researcher / Habilitation track of German universities Physics Institute, University of Freiburg (Germany)
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10/15 - 09/18	Postdoctoral researcher Institute for Theoretical Physics und Astrophysics, University of Würzburg (Germany)
10/11 - 09/15	PhD student  Precision Calculations for Physics Beyond the Standard Model,  Supervisor: Michael Krämer - RWTH Aachen (Germany)
03 - 08/11	Master student  Energy and momentum conservation rules for the intersection of branes  Supervisor: David Wands - ICG, University of Portsmouth (United Kingdom)
06 - 08/10	Bachelor student  Modelling proton-proton collisions at the LHC  Supervisor: Arthur Moraes - University of Glasgow (United Kingdom)
07 - 08/09	Summer student  Calculations for Coupling of a SQUID with a coplanar resonant line  Supervisor: Olivier Buisson - Institut Néel (CNRS), Grenoble (France)
Education	
10/11 - 06/15	PhD in natural science Institute for Theoretical Particle Physics and Cosmology, RWTH Aachen University (Germany)
09/10 - 09/11	International Master in Subatomic and Astroparticle Physics  Joseph Fourier University / LPSC (CNRS), Grenoble (France)
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09/05 - 09/08

Lycée de Kérichen, Brest (France)

Classe préparatoire aux Grandes écoles (equivalent to first and second year of university)

34 articles, 20 proceedings or community reports, >1600 citations, h-index: 23

#### **Articles:**

- [1] H. A. Chawdhry and M. Pellen, *Quantum simulation of colour in perturbative quantum chromodynamics* , 2303.04818.
- [2] A. Denner, M. Pellen and G. Pelliccioli, *NLO QCD corrections to off-shell top-antitop production with semi-leptonic decays at lepton colliders*, *Submitted to EPJC* (2, 2023) [2302.04188].
- [3] M. Czakon, A. Mitov, M. Pellen and R. Poncelet, A detailed investigation of W+c-jet at the LHC, JHEP **02** (2023) 241 [2212.00467].
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- [6] G. Agliardi, M. Grossi, M. Pellen and E. Prati, *Quantum integration of elementary particle processes, Phys. Lett. B* **832** (2022) 137228 [2201.01547].
- [7] M. Pellen, R. Poncelet and A. Popescu, *Polarised W+j production at the LHC: a study at NNLO QCD accuracy*, *JHEP* **02** (2022) 160 [2109.14336].
- [8] A. Denner, R. Franken, M. Pellen and T. Schmidt, *Full NLO predictions for vector-boson scattering into Z bosons and its irreducible background at the LHC, JHEP* **10** (2021) 228 [2107.10688].
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- [10] M. Czakon, A. Mitov, M. Pellen and R. Poncelet, NNLO QCD predictions for W+c-jet production at the LHC, JHEP **06** (2021) 100 [2011.01011].
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- [13] F. A. Dreyer, A. Karlberg, J.-N. Lang and M. Pellen, *Precise predictions for double-Higgs production via vector-boson fusion*, Eur. Phys. J. C80 (2020), no. 11 1037 [2005.13341].
- [14] S. Bräuer, A. Denner, M. Pellen, M. Schönherr and S. Schumann, Fixed-order and merged parton-shower predictions for WW and WWj production at the LHC including NLO QCD and EW corrections, JHEP 10 (2020) 159 [2005.12128].
- [15] M. Pellen, Exploring the scattering of vector bosons at LHCb, Phys. Rev. **D101** (2020), no. 1 013002 [1908.06805].
- [16] A. Denner, S. Dittmaier, M. Pellen and C. Schwan, Low-virtuality photon transitions  $\gamma^* \to f\bar{f}$  and the photon-to-jet conversion function, Phys. Lett. B **798** (2019) 134951 [1907.02366].
- [17] M. Chiesa, A. Denner, J.-N. Lang and M. Pellen, *An event generator for same-sign W-boson scattering at the LHC including electroweak corrections, Eur. Phys. J.* **C79** (2019), no. 9 788 [1906.01863].
- [18] A. Denner, S. Dittmaier, P. Maierhöfer, M. Pellen and C. Schwan, *QCD and electroweak corrections to WZ scattering at the LHC*, *JHEP* **06** (2019) 067 [1904.00882].
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#### **Proceedings and Reports:**

- [1] F. Maltoni, et al. TF07 Snowmass Report: Theory of Collider Phenomena, [arXiv:2210.02591 [hep-ph]].
- [2] J. M. Campbell, et al. Event Generators for High-Energy Physics Experiments, [arXiv:2203.11110 [hep-ph]].
- [3] M. Czakon, A. Mitov, M. Pellen and R. Poncelet, *W+c-jet production at the LHC with NNLO QCD accuracy*, SciPost Phys. Proc. **7** (2022), 035 [arXiv:2110.05104 [hep-ph]].
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- [15] M. Pellen, *Automated computations of electroweak corrections using Sherpa+Recola*, 29th Rencontres de Blois on Particle Physics and Cosmology Blois, France, May 28-June 2, 2017 [arXiv:1709.05791 [hep-ph]].
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- [17] L. Ali Cavasonza, M. Krämer and M. Pellen, *Exploring dark matter with AMS-02 through Electroweak Corrections*, 11th Patras Workshop on Axions, WIMPs and WISPs (Axion-WIMP 2015): Zaragoza, Spain, June 22-26, 2015
- [18] J. Heisig and M. Pellen, dark matter at the LHC and IceCube a Simplified Model Interpretation, Proceedings, 11th Patras Workshop on Axions, WIMPs and WISPs: Zaragoza, Spain, June 22-26, 2015 [arXiv:1509.08640 [hep-ph]].
- [19] R. Gavin, C. Hangst, M. Krämer, M. Mühlleitner, M. Pellen, E. Popenda and M. Spira, *Squark Production and Decay at NLO matched with Parton Showers*, PoS DIS **2014**, 125 (2014).
- [20] L. Ali Cavasonza, M. Krämer and M. Pellen, *Electroweak fragmentation functions for dark matter annihilation*, 10th Patras Workshop on Axions, WIMPs and WISPs: Geneva, Switzerland, June 29-July 4, 2014

### **Teaching - Supervision**

- 2023 **Senior assistant** *Quantum Mechanics* (in German) University of Freiburg, Germany → Organiser of tutorials and designing of exercise sheets/exam
- 2022-23 **Teaching assistant** *Mathematics II* (in German) University of Freiburg, Germany  $\rightarrow$  Exercise classes
  - 2022 **Senior assistant** *Mathematics I* (in German) University of Freiburg, Germany → Organiser of tutorials and designing of exercise sheets/exam
- 2021-22 **Senior assistant** *Mathematics II* (in German) University of Freiburg, Germany → Co-organiser of tutorials and designing of exercise sheets/exam
  - 2021 **Senior assistant** *Classical Mechanics* (in German) University of Freiburg, Germany → Co-organiser of tutorials and designing of exercise sheets/exam
- 2020-21 **Senior assistant** *Classical Electrodynamics* (in German) University of Freiburg, Germany → Co-organiser of tutorials and designing of exercise sheets/exam
- 04/2019 **Lecturer** Standard model, higher orders, and VBF/VBS University of Pavia, Italy  $\rightarrow$  PhD programme (10 hours)
- 04/2018 **Lecturer** *Introduction to electroweak corrections*→ *First EWSB spring school* (3 hours) Maratea, Italy
  - 2018 **Teaching assistant** Classical Electrodynamics (in German) University of Würzburg, Germany → Exercise classes and designing of exercise sheets
- 2017-18 **Teaching assistant** *Advanced Quantum Field Theory* University of Würzburg, Germany → Exercise classes and designing of exercise sheets
  - 2015 **Teaching assistant** *Classical Mechanics* (in German) RWTH Aachen, Germany → Exercise classes and corrections of students' sheets
  - 2014 **Teaching assistant** *Quantum Mechanics* RWTH Aachen, Germany  $\rightarrow$  Exercise classes and corrections of students' sheets
- 2012-13 **Teaching assistant** Classical Electrodynamics RWTH Aachen, Germany
  - → Exercise classes and corrections of students' sheets

2021-22	Co-supervision of a Master student - University of Freiburg, Germany
	ightarrow Higher-order corrections for tau decays
2021	Co-supervision of a Bachelor student - University of Freiburg, Germany
	ightarrow Anomalous electromagnetic moments of tau leptons
2019-20	Co-supervision of a PhD student - University of Cambridge, United Kingdom
	ightarrow Higher-order corrections in QCD
2014-15	Supervision of two Master students - RWTH Aachen, Germany
	→ Indirect Dark-Matter detection
2013	Supervision of two Bachelor students for their thesis - RWTH Aachen, Germany
	ightarrow Supersymmetric quantum mechanics
	ightarrow Two Higgs doublet model
2012	Supervision of two Master students for literature seminar - RWTH Aachen, Germany
	→ Extra dimension models
Leadership - Sc	ientific Management
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202	Convener, Les Houches workshop 2023: Physics at TeV Colliders, Les Houches (France)
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2017-no	w <b>Referee</b> for CPC, EPJC, JHEP, and PRD
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	Scattering processes – Lisbon (Portugal)
2018-2	•
2017-1	8 Representative of Germany in VBSCAN COST network (EU funded)
2021-2	Organiser of bi-weekly graduate-school seminar (University of Freiburg)
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2010-2	.o Organiser of weekly institute seminal (Oniversity of Cambridge)

2015-18 2020-now	Organiser of weekly institute seminar (University of Würzburg)  Mentor of 6 PhD students (University of Freiburg)
Funding	
2023	PhD position from DFG - 200k Euros.
	Three years, co-Pi with Stefan Dittmaier.
06/2020	Step 2 of the ERC Starting Grant 2020 call (ERC-2020-StG). Not funded.
11/2019	Travel grant from COST EU agency - 0.8k Euros.
	One-week visit at University of Würzburg, Germany.
03/2017	Travel grant from COST EU agency - 1k Euros.
	One-week visit at Nikhef - Amsterdam, Netherlands.
03/2011	Mobility grant Explo'RA, Rhone-Alpes region - 2k Euros.
	Six-months project at University of Portsmouth, United Kingdom.
07/2010	Summer Studentship Scheme, University of Glasgow - 1k Pounds.
	Three-months project at University of Glasgow, United Kingdom.

# Invited Presentations \_\_\_\_\_

40 invited presentations (listed below) + 31 additional presentations at international conferences and workshops.

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03/2023	Theoretical precision in $W+c$ production at the LHC, $2^{\rm nd}$ CMS Workshop on V+jets Physics, CERN, Geneva (Switzerland).
02/2023	Precision in W+c production at the LHC,  Seminar, MPI Munich (Germany).
09/2022	Theoretical advancements in VBS processes, CMS Italia VBS meeting, CERN, Geneva (Switzerland).
08/2022	Quantum integration of elementary particle processes,  Plenary, MIAPP workshop, Munich (Germany).
08/2022	NLO EW Overview for Multi-bosons and VBS at LHCb, Plenary, MBI 2022, Shanghai (China).
05/2022	NLO EW in diboson and VBS, CMS multiboson workshop, CERN, Geneva (Switzerland).
04/2022	Precision calculations for multiboson production and VBS,  Plenary, SM@LHC, CERN, Geneva (Switzerland).
03/2022	Polarisation in $W+$ jets, $1^{\mathrm{st}}$ CMS Workshop on $V+$ jets Physics, CERN, Geneva (Switzerland).
01/2022	New physics opportunities for W+jet at the LHC, Seminar, University of Würzburg (Germany).
09/2021	Precise predictions for di-Higgs VBF production,  Plenary, Higgs Hunting 2021, Paris (France).
06/2021	EW corrections for SM processes,  Plenary, Physics at TeV Colliders 2021, Les Houches (France).
05/2021	Fixed-order and merged parton-shower predictions for WW and WWj production at the LHC including NLO QCD and EW corrections, LHC EW working group, CERN (Switzerland).
04/2021	Vector-boson scattering at the LHC: unravelling the Electroweak sector,  Seminar, University of Freiburg (Germany).

Stress testing the Standard Model via vector-boson scattering at the LHC, 03/2021 DPG Meeting, Dortmund (Germany) - invited topical talk. Theoretical predictions for Higgs measurements at the LHC, 12/2020 Seminar, Heidelberg (Germany). Full NLO QCD corrections to off-shell ttbb production, 11/2020 Seminar, RWTH Aachen (Germany). 10/2020 Multi-particle final states at 1-loop EW, CEPC workshop, Shanghai (China). 07/2020 Precise predictions for double-Higgs production via vector-boson fusion, LHC-HH Subgroup Meeting (online). 05/2020 Vector bosons plus jets at the LHC, LHCP2020, Paris (France). 05/2020 Theoretical predictions for processes with many legs at the LHC, Seminar, Milan (Italy). Off-shell effects in tt and ttH production, 01/2020 Plenary, ZPW2020, Zurich (Switzerland). 11/2019 Theoretical predictions for processes with many legs at the LHC, Seminar, Nikhef (Netherlands). Theoretical predictions for ttH production - NLO QCD + NLO EW, 09/2019 Plenary, TOP2019, Beijing (China). 09/2019 What can we do better: Precision electroweak, Plenary, ATLAS Standard-Model workshop, Belgrade (Serbia). Theory predictions for vector-boson scattering at the LHC, 02/2019 Seminar, IPPP Durham (United Kingdom). 10/2018 Vector-boson scattering at the LHC, Seminar, University of Cambridge (United Kingdom). Production of top quark pairs at the LHC: NLO corrections and off-shell effects, 09/2018 **Seminar**, University of Zurich (Switzerland). 08/2018 Theory input for VBS, QCD@LHC, Dresden (Germany). 07/2018 Top quark at the LHC: NLO corrections and off-shell effects, Seminar, Desy Hamburg (Germany). Theory developments in VBS simulations, 04/2018 Plenary, SM@LHC, Berlin (Germany). 03/2018 Vector-boson scattering at the LHC, Seminar, University of Cambridge (United Kingdom). 02/2018 High-precision description of VBS at the LHC, CMS meeting, CERN (Switzerland). NLO corrections for processes involving off-shell top quarks, 01/2018 Seminar, Freiburg (Germany). Status of EW NLO corrections for multi-boson processes, 08/2017 Plenary, MBI 2017, KIT / Karlsruhe (Germany). 05/2017 Automatised computations of EW corrections using Sherpa+Recola, Rencontres de Blois 2017, Blois (France).

05/2017	NLO EW corrections for processes involving off-shell top quarks,
	Seminar, Göttingen University (Germany).
04/2017	Higgs production in association with off-shell top-antitop pairs at NLO EW and QCD,
	CMS generator meeting, CERN - Geneva, (Switzerland).
03/2017	NLO electroweak corrections to off-shell top-antitop production with leptonic decays at the LHC,
	DPG Meeting - Münster University (Germany).
01/2015	NLO accuracy for Supersymmetric processes at the LHC,
	Seminar - Würzburg University (Germany).
03/2013	Basics of AdS / CFT correspondence,
	Seminar - Department of Mathematics - University of Brest (France).

### Referees \_

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