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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Research Fellow	Since 2021
<i>Department of Social Sciences, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin</i>	
Research Assistant	2017 – 2021
<i>Department of Social Policy and Intervention, University of Oxford</i>	

## EDUCATION

DPhil Social Policy, University of Oxford	2016 – 2022
Thesis: ‘Patterns and Drivers of Over-time Change in the Intergenerational Transmission of Inequality in Germany and the UK’ (no corrections)	
Supervisor: Prof Erzsébet Bukodi	
Examiners: Prof Brian Nolan, Prof Markus Gangl	
MSc Comparative Social Policy, University of Oxford	2015 – 2016
Visiting Student, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne	2013
BA Philosophy and Economics, Universität Bayreuth	2010 – 2015

## HONOURS AND AWARDS

Barnett Prize for best paper, University of Oxford	2019
Alan C. Kerckhoff Travel Award, International Sociological Association Research Committee on Social Stratification and Mobility	2019
Wolfson College Travel Grant (x3)	2017/19/21
German National Academic Foundation Doctoral Scholarship	2017 – 2021
Carlo-Schmid Fellowship (declined)	2016
George Smith Award for best master’s thesis, University of Oxford	2016
German National Academic Foundation Scholarship	2011 – 2016

## PUBLICATIONS

- Trinh, Nhat An. 2023. ‘Why do Trends in Social Fluidity at Labour Market Entry and Occupational Maturity Differ? Evidence from Germany and the UK’, *Research in Social Stratification and Mobility*, 83: 1–12. doi: [10.1016/j.rssm.2022.100746](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.rssm.2022.100746)
- Trinh, Nhat An. 2022. ‘The Effect of Social Benefit Reform on Educational Inequality’, *Journal of Social Policy*, online first. doi: [10.1017/S0047279422000848](https://doi.org/10.1017/S0047279422000848)
- Trinh, Nhat An, and Bukodi, Erzsébet. 2022. ‘Intergenerational Class Mobility of Labour Market Entrants in Germany and the UK since the 1950s’, *European Sociological Review*, 38(1): 37–53. doi: [10.1093/esr/jcab028](https://doi.org/10.1093/esr/jcab028)
- Bethhäuser, Bastian, Kaiser, Caspar, and Trinh, Nhat An. 2021. ‘Regional Variation in Inequality of Educational Opportunity across Europe’, *Socius: Sociological Research for a Dynamic World*, all authors contributed equally. doi: [10.1177/23780231211019890](https://doi.org/10.1177/23780231211019890)

Kaiser, Caspar, and Trinh, Nhat An. 2021. 'Positional, Mobility, and Reference Effects: How Does Social Class Affect Life Satisfaction in Europe?', *European Sociological Review* 37(5): 713–730. doi: [10.1093/esr/jcaa067](https://doi.org/10.1093/esr/jcaa067)

## UNDER REVIEW

Bethäuser, Bastian, Trinh, Nhat An, and Fasang, Anette. 'The Temporal Dimension of Parental Employment: Fixed-term Contracts, Non-standard Work Schedules and Children's Education in Germany', *European Sociological Review*, revised & resubmitted, [preprint](#).

## IN PREPARATION

Trinh, Nhat An, Lersch, Philipp, and Schunck, Reinhard. 'Wealth Homogamy: Levels and Causes in Britain and Germany.'

Trinh, Nhat An. 'Class Origin, Intergenerational Transfers, and the Gender Wealth Gap.'

Trinh, Nhat An, Tisch, Daria, and Schechtl, Manuel. 'Distributive Principles in Parental Transfers by Asset Type.'

Lersch, Philipp, Trinh, Nhat An, and Kaiser, Caspar. 'Class-based Income Trajectories. A Longitudinal Approach.'

Trinh, Nhat An, and Wiedner, Jonas. 'Status Reproduction among Children of Immigrants in Europe.'

Trinh, Nhat An, Lersch, Philipp, and Fasang, Anette. 'Variability in Occupational Prestige Trajectories across Europe.'

## INVITED TALKS

'Variability in Occupational Prestige Trajectories across Europe' 2022  
Workshop on Work-Family Life Courses and Earnings Trajectories from Early to Mid-Adulthood, *Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin*

'Why do Trends in Social Fluidity at Labour Market Entry and Occupational Maturity Differ? Evidence from Germany and the UK' 2022  
Sociology Research Colloquium, *Universität Bern*

'Positional, Mobility, and Reference Effects: How Does Social Class Affect Life Satisfaction in Europe?' 2021  
Workshop on The State of the Art and Future of Dimensions of Measuring Social Mobility Effects, *Polish Academy of Sciences/University of Oslo* (online)

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (SELECTED)

German Sociological Association Inequality Section Meeting, Mannheim 2023  
III/LIS Comparative Economic Inequality Conference, London

German Sociological Association Congress, Bielefeld 2022  
International Sociological Association RC28 Spring Meeting, London

International Sociological Association RC28 Spring Meeting, Turku (online) 2021

European Consortium of Sociological Research Annual Conference, Lausanne 2019

International Society for Quality-of-Life Studies Conference, Granada

International Sociological Association RC28 Sommer Meeting, Princeton

International Conference on Policies for Happiness and Health, Siena 2018

Human Welfare Conference, Oxford 2016

## **FURTHER TRAINING**

Applied Quantitative Methods Network Data Visualisation Training, University of Edinburgh	2019
Summer School on Longitudinal and Life Course Research, Universität Zürich	2017
Advanced Quantitative Methods Summer School, University of Oxford	
European Consortium of Sociological Research Spring School, Collegio Carlo Alberto	2017

## **TEACHING**

‘Social Policy and Crises – Multiple Perspectives’, <i>Faculty member</i> ESPAnet PhD Workshop, Berlin Social Science Center	2023
‘Social Mobility in Germany’, <i>Course convenor</i> MA Social Sciences, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin	2022 – 2023
‘Quantitative Research Methods’, <i>Teaching assistant</i> MSc Comparative Social Policy, University of Oxford	2018 – 2019
‘Normative and Empirical Perspectives on Intergenerational Inequalities’, <i>Course convenor</i> BA Philosophy and Economics, Universität Bayreuth	2018
‘Social Policy’, <i>Tutor</i> BA Philosophy, Politics and Economics, BA History and Politics, BA Human Sciences, University of Oxford	2017 – 2018

## **COMMUNITY & OUTREACH**

Occasional reviewer for European Societies, Journal of Social Policy, Research in Social Stratification and Mobility	Present
Juror for German National Science Year	2022
Student Representative on Scientific Women’s Academic Network Committee	2018 – 2022
Co-Organisor, Department of Social Policy and Intervention Graduate Research Student Conference at Wolfson College	2018
Co-Organisor, Berlin Social Science Center International Alumni Conference at Nuffield College	2018

## **MEMBERSHIPS**

International Sociological Association Research Committee on Social Stratification and Mobility (ISA RC28), European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR), German Sociological Association (DGS) Social Inequality Section, Population Association of America (PAA)

## **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

Primary carer for disabled father	2020 – 2021
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## **LANGUAGE & IT SKILLS**

German (native), English, French, Vietnamese (fluent), Mandarin (basic)  
Stata, R, Microsoft Office