

Nguyen Nhat An Trinh

Department of Social Sciences, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
Unter den Linden 6, 10099 Berlin, Germany
nhatan.trinh@hu-berlin.de

Last updated: 05/06/2022

EDUCATION

10/2016 – 05/2022	DPhil Social Policy, University of Oxford (United Kingdom) Dissertation: <i>Patterns and Drivers of Over-time Change in the Intergenerational Transmission of Inequality in Germany and the UK</i> (no corrections) Supervisor: Prof Erzsébet Bukodi Examiners: Prof Brian Nolan, Prof Markus Gangl
10/2015 – 09/2016	MSc Comparative Social Policy, University of Oxford (United Kingdom)
10/2010 – 01/2015	BA Philosophy and Economics, Universität Bayreuth (Germany)
01/2013 – 05/2013	Erasmus Exchange, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne (France)

RESEARCH POSITIONS

11/2021 – present	Post-Doctoral Researcher, Department of Social Sciences, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Germany)
04/2019 – 08/2021	Research Officer, Department of Social Policy and Intervention, University of Oxford (United Kingdom)
01/2017 – 09/2019	Research Assistant, Department of Social Policy and Intervention, University of Oxford (United Kingdom)
01/2015 – 03/2015	Intern, The Expert Council on Integration and Migration (Berlin, Germany)
10/2013 – 08/2014	Student Assistant, Department of Philosophy, Universität Bayreuth (Germany)
10/2012 – 12/2012	Intern, Goethe-Institut Shanghai (China)

PUBLICATIONS

- 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*, pp. 1-3, 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

- Trinh, Nhat An**. 'The Effect of Social Benefit Reform on Educational Inequality', *Journal of Social Policy*, revised & resubmitted, [preprint](#).
- Bethhäuser, 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*, revise & resubmit, [preprint](#).
- Trinh, Nhat An**. '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*, revise & resubmit.

IN PREPARATION

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

Trinh, Nhat An. 'Does Social Origin matter for the Gender Wealth Gap?'

Trinh, Nhat An. 'Parental Employment and Children's Education in Historical Perspective'.

RESEARCH PROJECTS

11/2021 – present	<i>Accumulation of Personal Wealth in Couples: Individual Resources and Gender Inequalities in Intimate Relationships (MyWealth)</i> PI: Prof Philipp Lersch (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin), German Research Foundation Emmy-Noether Programme
04/2019 – 08/2021	<i>Atypical Employment and the Intergenerational Transmission of Disadvantage: Britain and Germany in Comparative Perspective</i> PIs: Dr Bastian Betthäuser (University of Oxford), Prof Anette Fasang (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin), OX-BER Research Partnership Seed Grant
07/2018 – 09/2018	<i>A Comparative Analysis of Teacher Labour Market Policies</i> PI: Dr Charlotte Haberstroh (University of Oxford), John Fell OUP Fund
01/2017 – 09/2017	<i>Social Inequalities in Education in Historical and Comparative Perspective: The Changing Effects of Different Components of Social Origins</i> PI: Dr Erzsébet Bukodi (University of Oxford), John Fell OUP Fund

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

2010 – 2021	<i>Undergraduate, Graduate and Doctoral Scholarship</i> (EUR 180,000) German National Academic Foundation
2020	<i>Alan C. Kerckhoff Travel Award</i> (USD 1,200) International Sociological Association RC28
2019	<i>Barnett Prize</i> for best research student paper (GBP 100) Oxford Department of Social Policy and Intervention
2018	<i>Student Support Fund</i> (GBP 515) Oxford Department of Social Policy and Intervention
2017 & 2019 & 2021	<i>Travel Grant</i> (GBP 1,050) Wolfson College Oxford
2016	<i>George Smith Award</i> for best master's thesis, Oxford Department of Social Policy and Intervention

INVITED TALKS

'Why do Trends in Social Fluidity at Labour Market Entry and Occupational Maturity Differ? Evidence from Germany and the UK', *Sociology Research Colloquium*, University of Bern (online), Feb 2022.

CONFERENCE PAPERS

Trinh, Nhat An, Lersch, Philipp, and Schunck, Reinhard. 'Wealth Homogamy: Levels and Causes in Germany and the UK', *International Sociological Association RC28 Spring Meeting*, London School of Economics and Political Science (United Kingdom), Apr 2022.

Trinh, Nhat An. 'Hartz IV and Educational Attainment: Investigating the Effect of Social Benefit Reform on Intergenerational Inequalities in Germany', *International Sociological Association RC28 Spring Meeting*, University of Turku (online), Jun 2021.

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

Trinh, Nhat An, and Bukodi, Erzsébet. 'Better times to come? Intergenerational Class Mobility of Labour Market Entrants in Germany and the UK since the 1950s', *European Consortium for Sociological Research Annual Conference*, University of Lausanne (Switzerland), Sep 2019.

Kaiser, Caspar, and **Trinh, Nhat An.** 'Positional, Mobility, and Reference Effects: How Does Social Class Affect Life Satisfaction in Europe?', *International Society for Quality-of-Life Studies Annual Conference*, University of Granada (Spain), Sep 2019.

Trinh, Nhat An., and Bukodi, Erzsébet. 'Better times to come? Intergenerational Class Mobility of Labour Market Entrants in Germany and the UK since the 1950s', *International Sociological Association RC28 Summer Meeting*, Princeton University (United States), Aug 2019.

Kaiser, Caspar, and **Trinh, Nhat An**. 'Positional, Mobility, and Reference Effects: How Does Social Class Affect Life Satisfaction in Europe?', *International Sociological Association RC28 Summer Meeting*, Princeton University (United States), Aug 2019.

Trinh, Nhat An, and Bukodi, Erzsébet. 'Better times to come? Intergenerational Class Mobility of Labour Market Entrants in Germany and the UK since the 1950s', *Graduate Research Student Conference*, Nuffield College (United Kingdom), May 2019.

Kaiser, Caspar, and **Trinh, Nhat An**. 'Positional, Mobility, and Reference Effects: How Does Social Class Affect Life Satisfaction in Europe?', *Graduate Research Student Conference*, Nuffield College (United Kingdom), May 2019.

Kaiser, Caspar, Madia, Joan, and **Trinh, Nhat An**. 'Investigating the Relationship between Intergenerational Social Mobility and Subjective Wellbeing – a Regional Approach', *International Conference on Policies for Happiness and Health*, University of Siena (Italy), Mar 2018.

Trinh, Nhat An. 'Decreasing Inequality, Increasing Mobility: What is the Role of Labour Market Policy in Intergenerational Earnings Mobility?', *European Consortium for Sociological Research Spring School*, Collegio Carlo Alberto (Italy), Mar 2017.

Trinh, Nhat An. 'Decreasing Inequality, Increasing Mobility: What is the role of labour market policy in intergenerational earnings mobility?', *Human Welfare Conference*, Green Templeton College (United Kingdom), May 2016.

TEACHING

Undergraduate level	<i>Social Policy Option Paper (224)</i> . BA Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE), BA History and Politics, BA Human Sciences, University of Oxford, Michaelmas Term 2017 & Hilary Term 2018.
Graduate level	<i>Quantitative Research Methods</i> . MSc/MPhil Comparative Social Policy, University of Oxford, Michaelmas Term 2018 & 2019. <i>Normative and Empirical Perspectives on Intergenerational Inequalities</i> . BA/MA Philosophy and Economics, Universität Bayreuth, Summer Semester 2018.

FURTHER TRAINING

03/2019	Applied Quantitative Methods Network Data Visualisation Training, University of Edinburgh (United Kingdom)
08/2017	Summer School on Longitudinal and Life Course Research, University of Zurich (Switzerland)
05/2017	Advanced Quantitative Methods Summer School, University of Oxford (United Kingdom)
03/2017	European Consortium of Sociological Research Spring School, Collegio Carlo Alberto (Italy)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Present	Reviewer for European Societies, Journal of Social Policy, Research in Social Stratification and Mobility Juror, Science Year 2022 – Participate! (Germany)
2018 – 2021	Student Representative, Athena SWAN (Scientific Women's Academic Network) Committee, Department of Social Policy and Intervention, University of Oxford (United Kingdom)
2018	Co-Organisor, Graduate Research Student Conference, Department of Social Policy and Intervention, University of Oxford (United Kingdom)

MEMBERSHIPS

International Sociological Association RC28
German Sociological Association

OTHER ACTIVITIES

01/2021 – 05/2021	Primary carer for disabled father
06/2020 – 08/2020	Primary carer for disabled father