Till Hovestadt

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Research Interests

Social Inequalities

Educational Inequalities

Social Network Analysis

Social Cohesion

Social Class

Education

2024–	**DPhil Sociology**, *University of Oxford, Nuffield College*, Supervised by Professor Colin Mills, Funded by Nuffield College Studentship
2019–2022	**M.A. Sociology**, *Leipzig University*, GPA 1.0 *(with Distinction)*, Funded by German Academic Scholarship Foundation
2016–2019	**B.A. Sociology**, *Leipzig University*, GPA 1.0 *(with Distinction)*, Partly funded by German Academic Scholarship Foundation
2015–2016	**1. & 2. semester B.Sc. Psychology**, *University of Groningen*, GPA 9.1 *(with Distinction)*

Academic Positions

2022–2024	**Research associate**, *Dr. Georg Lorenz*, Leipzig University
2022	**Research associate**, *Dr. Melanie Olczyk*, MLU Halle-Wittenberg
2017–2022	**Research assistant**, *Prof. Dr. Thorsten Schneider, Dr. Melanie Olczyk, Prof. Dr. Kurt Mühler*, Leipzig University, MLU Halle-Wittenberg

Awards and Grants

2024–	**Nuffield Colleg Studentship for DPhil Sociology**, *Studentship of around GBP 145,000*
2019–2022	**Scholarship of the German Academic Scholarship Foundation (Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes)**, *Non-financial needs-based scholarship of EUR 11,000 (highest available non-financial needs-based scholarship)*

Research Stays

2024   **Research Stay**, *University of Groningen*, Research stay at the research group of Prof. Dr. Christian Steglich (2 months)

Publications

Publications in Peer-Reviewed Journals

Hovestadt, T. & T. Schneider (2021). Liefern Jugendliche valide Informationen zum Bildungsstand ihrer Eltern in standardisierten Erhebungen? Befunde zu Schülerinnen und Schülern der 9. Jahrgangsstufe in Deutschland. *Zeitschrift für Erziehungswissenschaft* 24: 715–742.

Publications in Peer-Reviewed Anthologies

Hovestadt, T. & K. Mühler (2020). Frauen – das ängstliche Geschlecht? Pp. 279–316 in: I. Krumpal & R. Berger (Eds.), *Devianz und Subkulturen*. Series Title: Kriminalität und Gesellschaft. Wiesbaden: Springer Fachmedien Wiesbaden.

Under Review

Working Paper

Hovestadt, T. & G. Lorenz (n.d.). "How Social Networks Shape Educational Inequality: The Role of Social Influence and Similarity Bias". working-paper.

Hovestadt, T., G. Lorenz, & M. Ebbinghaus (n.d.[a]). "Opportunities for Intergroup Friendships Matter: How German Schools are Segregated by Class and Ethnicity". Unpublished manuscript.

Hovestadt, T., C. Steglich, T. Snijders, & G. Lorenz (n.d.[b]). "The Effect of Socioeconomic Homophily on Social Inequality in Education - A Simulation Approach". Unpublished manuscript.

Olczyk, M. & T. Hovestadt (n.d.). "Knowledge about the education system and educational inequalities: An overview". Unpublished manuscript.

Teaching

2024   **Seminar: "Introduction to Social Network Analysis in R"**, *Undergraduate Course (Bachelor Sociology)*, Leipzig University

2020/21, 2021/22   **Tutor: "Multivariate Regression analyses"**, *Graduate Course (Master Sociology), taught by Prof. Dr. Roger Berger, Prof. Dr. Heinz Leitgöb*, Leipzig University

Administrative Experience

2023–2024   Member of the mid-term evaluation commission for Jun.-Prof. Dr. Julia Offenhammer-Tuppat, Department of Sociology, Leipzig University

2022–2024   Representative and spokesman for non-tenured scientific staff of the Department of Sociology, Leipzig University

2021–2024   Student member for the Academy of Sociology on the board regarding a CHE Ranking 2022 for Sociology

Professional Affiliations

2023–present	**Fellow in the young academics network EQUAL-NET**, *Interdisciplinary network of young academics in empirical educational research. Cooperation with practice partners and communication of academic results. Led by Prof. Dr. Annabell Daniel (LMU München).*
2020–present	**Akademie für Soziologie (Academy of Sociology).**

Presentations

09/2023	**Hovestadt, Till**. "Socio-Economic Segregation of Students' Social Networks in Highschool". 7th European Conference on Social Networks (EUSN 2023). Ljubljana, SL, 04.-08.09.2023.
08/2023	**Hovestadt, Till**. "Socio-Economic Segregation of Students' Social Networks in Highschool". Knowledge Societies – 4th Conference of the Academy of Sociology. Bern, CH, 28.-30.08.2023.
06/2023	**Hovestadt, Till**. "Socio-Economic Segregation of Students' Social Networks in Highschool". *Presentation & Session Chair, online*, Sunbelt Conference 2023. Portland, OR, 26.06.-01.07.2023.
05/2023	**Hovestadt, Till** & Georg Lorenz. "Social Networks and Educational Inequality: Social Influence Within and Between Socioeconomic Status Groups". RC28 Spring Meeting 2023. Paris, 23-26.05.2023.
02/2023	**Hovestadt, Till** & Georg Lorenz. "Social Networks and Educational Inequality: Social Influence Within and Between Socioeconomic Status Groups". Advanced Siena Users' Meeting, Groningen, 02./03.02.2023.
09/2022	**Hovestadt, Till** & Georg Lorenz. "Susceptibility to Social Influence: Social Norm Adoption Within and Between Socioeconomic Status Groups". Workshop on Social inequality: Composition effects in Groups and Networks, Zürich, 01./02.09.2022.
11/2019	**Hovestadt, Till**. "Validity of proxy-responses by students on parents' educational status: can students provide accurate proxy-reports?" *Poster presentation*, NEPS Conference, Bamberg, 06./07.11.2019.

Reviewing for Academic Journals

Ad hoc reviewer for *European Sociological Review*, and *European Societies*.

Language Skills

German	Mother tongue	
English	Proficient Command	*C1*
Dutch	Advanced Command	*B2*
French	Upper Intermediate Command	*B2*
Italian	Basic Command	*A2*

Technical Skills

Advanced Programming Skills

- R
- Latex
- Stata
- Markdown
- Git
- Slurm Workload Manager

Academical References

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