

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## ***Academic education***

Since 10/2020	<p><b>PhD candidate, Cologne Centre for Comparative Politics, University of Cologne</b>          Supervisor: Jun.-Prof. Chitrlekha Basu, PhD          Research interests: Feminist theory and methodology in political science, gender, power and institutions, government in comparative perspective</p>
10/2015 – 03/2019	<p><b>Political Sciences, M.A. University of Cologne, final grade 1,5</b>          Title of master thesis: <i>Meaningful Participation. A Comparative Perspective on Women in Cabinets</i>, graded 1,0</p>
04/2012 – 9/2015	<p><b>Social Sciences, B.Sc. University of Cologne, final grade 1,8</b>          Title of bachelor thesis: <i>Foreign Policy Implementation Strategies of Hamas. Analysis of the Group's Response to the 2010/11 Peace Talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority</i>, graded 1,0</p>
01/2017 – 05/2017	<p><b>Sciences Po Paris Erasmus semester</b>          - Foreign Policy Making in the Middle East          - European Affairs          - Advanced French</p>
07/2014 – 12/2014	<p><b>University of Cape Town Semester studies abroad</b>          - African Foreign Policy          - South African Political Thought          - Comparative Religious Studies</p>

## ***Professional experience***

Since 04/2020	<p><b>Freelance Evaluation Consultant</b>          - Expert for feminist evaluation methodologies, impact orientation and evaluation management          - Gender &amp; sexualised and gender-based violence in conflict</p>
09/2019 – 02/2020	<p><b>UNAIDS Country Office for Ethiopia Carlo-Schmid-Fellow</b>          - Strategic Information on Gender &amp; Youth          - Design of survey tools in HIV prevention for adolescent girls and young women          - Participation in UN Technical Working Groups for HIV/AIDS          - Thematic research</p>

02/2018 – 08/2019	<p><b>medica mondiale e.V.</b>  <b>Working student</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Management of evaluations in the African Great Lakes region (DR Congo, Rwanda, Uganda)</li> <li>- Trilingual process management in German, English and French</li> <li>- Process backstopping, coordination between stakeholders, quality control of proposed instruments and methods</li> <li>- Support of the department head</li> </ul>
07/2017 – 01/2018	<p><b>Programme Management, MES Faculty, University of Cologne</b>  <b>Graduate Assistant</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Support of monitoring of the admission procedure of master's programmes at the MES faculty</li> <li>- Support of quality control of the master's programme <i>International Management (CEMS MIM)</i></li> </ul>
07/2016 – 12/2016	<p><b>German Institute for Development Evaluation</b>  <b>Working student</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Support of the meta-evaluation of sustainability in German development cooperation in its inception phase</li> <li>- Support of the conceptualisation of the evaluation and the definition of "sustainability"</li> </ul>
03/2015 – 06/2016	<p><b>Evaluation centre, MES Faculty, University of Cologne</b>  <b>Graduate assistant</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Evaluation of teaching at the MES faculty</li> <li>- Collection and analysis of complex empirical datasets for teaching evaluations</li> <li>- Management of software change process (SPSS to EvaSys)</li> <li>- Design and implementation of surveys, online- and offline-based</li> </ul>
03/2015 – 06/2016	<p><b>Refugee Council North Rhine-Westphalia</b>  <b>Internship in the headquarters</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Support of advocacy and networking</li> <li>- Thematic research</li> <li>- Support of press work and preparation of statements</li> </ul>
<b>Key qualifications</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Feminist research methods</li> <li>- Mixed-methods analysis</li> <li>- Impact evaluation</li> <li>- Gender &amp; sexualised and gender-based violence in conflict</li> <li>- Multilingual project management</li> </ul>
<b>Language skills</b>	<p>German: Native speaker  English: Fully proficient  French: Advanced  Mandarin Chinese: Beginner</p>
<b>Software</b>	<p>MS Office: Proficient  STATA: Proficient  R: Advanced  SPSS: Advanced</p>