

Short Curriculum Vitae – May 2021

Personal data

Name: Joachim Karl Blatter
Birth: 21 June 1966, in Stühlingen, Germany
Citizenship: German and Swiss

University Education

1990-1993 Graduate studies in Political Science + Public Administration, University of Konstanz
1987-1989 Undergraduate studies in Social Sciences and Law, University of Konstanz

University Degrees

2006 Privatdozent (PD), Habilitation at the University of Konstanz
1999 Ph.D. in Political Science, Martin-Luther-University Halle-Wittenberg;
grade: *magna cum laude*;
1993 Diploma in Public Administration; University of Konstanz; grade: excellent
1989 *Vordiplom* (intermediate exam) in the Social Sciences (grade: excellent)
and in Law (grade: good)

Employment and Scientific Career

01/17-06/17 Visiting Scholar, Wissenschaftszentrum für Sozialforschung Berlin (WZB)
10/11-01/12 Visiting Scholar, Australian National University, Canberra
Since 7/08 Full Professor of Political Science, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences,
University of Lucerne (CH)
9/06 - 6/08 Assistant Professor, Department of Public Administration,
Erasmus University Rotterdam (NL)
4/02 - 6/02 Visiting Scholar at the Taubman Center for State and Local Government,
John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University (USA)
7/00 - 5/06 *Hochschulassistent* at the Department for Politics and Management,
University of Konstanz (Germany)
3/99 - 2/00 *Hochschulassistent* at the European Centre for Comparative Governance and
Public Policy, Free University of Berlin
4/98 - 2/99 Ph.D. Student at the Martin-Luther-University Halle-Wittenberg
10/96 - 3/97 Research Fellow and Part-time Lecturer at the
California State University, San Bernardino (USA)
3/96 - 9/96 Research Fellow at the University of Victoria (CAN)
10/95 - 11/95 Research Fellow at the John F. Kennedy Institute, FU Berlin
6/95 - 3/98 Ph.D. Student at the University of Konstanz
8/93 - 8/96 Research Assistant at the University of St. Gall (CH)

Institutional Responsibilities

Since 02/2021 Treasurer Swiss Political Science Association (SVPW)
02/2020 Head Local Organizing Committee: Annual Meeting Swiss Political Science Association
Since 2013 Head of the Department of Political Science at the University of Lucerne
2010-2011 Founding Director of the Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences Lucerne
2007-2009 Vice Dean, Faculty of the Humanities and the Social Sciences, University of Lucerne

Research Projects/Third-Party Funding

- “Changing Boundaries of the Demos and the Legitimacy of Democracies.” Grant from the *Nederlandse Organisatie voor Wetenschappelijke Onderzoek* (NWO) (Applicant, 2007-2008)
- “Gender mainstreaming in the welfare state - the case of tax and social transfer policies in Swiss cantons.” Grant by the Swiss National Science Foundation (Co-Applicant, 8/2010-7/2012)
- “Dual Citizens - Hazard or Vanguard of Citizenship in the (Post-)Westphalian Order?” Grant by the Swiss National Science Foundation (Applicant, 09/2011-12/2014)
- “Dual Citizens - Hazard or Vanguard of Citizenship at Home and Abroad? Follow-up Grant by the Swiss National Science Foundation (Applicant, 03/2015-02/2016)
- “Towards Transnational Voting in Europe?!” Grant by the Swiss National Science Foundation (Applicant, 12/2017-11/2020)
- “The Mobility of Migration Policies.” Project within the *NCCR on the move*, Neuchatel
- “Populism as Peripheral Resentment?” Grant by the SNSF (Major Applicant, 8/21-7/25)

Supervision of Junior Researchers

Supervision of three Habilitations and three PhDs, in addition to many MA and BA students. Focus on the early support of promising students (e.g. Samuel Schmid who received the Swiss grant for the European University Institute in Florence in 2015)

Teaching Activities

Extensive Teaching Experience at the Universities of Konstanz, Berlin, Rotterdam, and Lucerne. Additional teaching on the PhD level at an IPSA summer school in Ankara, for the NCCR Democracy in Zürich, for the Programme doctoral en science politique (CUSO) in Bern, and for the PLATO PhD Program organized by ARENA/Oslo, conducted at Cambridge University.

Memberships

Member of the Swiss, German, US-American and the International Political Science Associations

Awards, Prizes and Grants

- The article “Democratic Deficits in Europe: The Overlooked Exclusivity of Nation-States and the Positive Role of the European Union” (published together with S. Schmid and A. Blättler) has been awarded the prize for the best article in 2017 published in the *Journal of Common Market Studies*.
- The Habilitation book entitled “Governance – Theoretische Formen und historische Transformationen” was awarded the prize for the best Post-Doc book by the German Political Science Association
- Grant for a research visit at the John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, *Thyssen Stiftung* (2002)
- Inclusion of the Ph.D. thesis entitled “Entgrenzung der Staatenwelt? Politische Institutionenbildung in grenzüberschreitenden Regionen in Europa und Nordamerika” in the prestigious series “Weltpolitik im 21. Jahrhundert” of the German Political Science Association (2000)
- Research grant awarded by the *Gottfried Daimler und Karl Benz Stiftung*, Ladenburg, for a research visit in Canada and the USA (1996)
- Scholarship awarded by the *Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes*, Bonn, for work on Ph.D. thesis
- Prize for diploma thesis entitled “Möglichkeiten und Restriktionen für eine umweltorientierte kommunale Verkehrspolitik” [Possibilities and restriction for environmentally oriented transportation policies on a local level] in the category „excellent diploma and Ph.D. theses“ by the *Stiftung der deutschen Städte, Gemeinden und Kreise zur Förderung der Kommunalwissenschaften* [Foundation of the larger German cities] (1993)