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Personal Profile

- Lecturer (Beginner's Sanskrit, Yoga History) Asien-Afrika-Institut, Universität Hamburg
- Assistance to the Board, Numata Center for Buddhist Studies, Universität Hamburg
- Executive Director, Universität Hamburg Wissenschaftsschwerpunkt Yoga Studies

Academic Education

- 10/2020 – current** **Universität Hamburg/Germany**
PhD student, Classical Indology
Dissertation: *The Yogapradīpa – a Jain light on Yoga*
(Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Harunaga Isaacson, external Supervisor: Dr. Jason Birch (SOAS University of London))
- 09/2018 – 07/2020** **SOAS University of London/Great Britain**
M.A. in Traditions of Yoga and Meditation (*Distinction*)
Dissertation Supervisor: Prof. Ulrich Pagel / Grant: AMRAY (Monaco)
- 10/2016 – current** **Universität Hamburg/Germany**
B.A. Indology (*current sliding overall grade: 1.13*)
Grant: Scholarship of the Karl H. Ditze foundation
- 10/1991 – 11/1997** **Ruhr Universität Bochum/Germany**
M.A. in American, British and Slavonic Studies (*Pass*)

Professional Training

- 02.08. – 27.08.2021** **(forthcoming) Summer School in Spoken Sanskrit**
Four-Week Intensive Course at Leipzig University
Institute of Indology and Central Asian Studies
- 06/2019 – 07/2019** **Summer School Jain Studies**
Six-week Certificate Course in Jain Studies/Graduate and PhD students
Mangalayatan University, Aligarh/International School of Jain Studies, Delhi
Grants: DAAD/PROMOS 2019, Jain Academic Foundation of North America
- 02/2018 – 03/2018** **Lived Sanskrit Cultures in Varanasi, India**
Four-week Intensive Course at Alice Boner Institute, Varanasi
Heidelberg University/Würzburg University, Grant: DAAD/PROMOS 2018
- 08/2017** **Editing Sanskrit Manuscripts, Universität Marburg, Germany**
One-Week intensive Summer Course, Prof. Dr. Jürgen Hanneder

Conferences

- 01/2022** (forthcoming) **World Sanskrit Conference 2022**
4-day conference, Australian National University, Canberra (Australia)
Paper: “*The Yogapradīpa – light on Yoga from a Jain perspective?*”
- 09/2021** (forthcoming) **International Conference: New Light on Yoga**
3-day conference, Yoga Vidya, Bad Meinberg.
Paper: “*Light on Jain Yoga*”
- 06/2021** **SOAS Centre of Yoga Studies Postgraduate Student Conference**
28 June – 9 July, 4-Panel Online Conference, London
Paper: “*Concepts of Self in Jain Yoga with reference to the Yogapradīpa, a Medieval Jain text on Yoga*” ([watch recording](#))
- 03/2021** (forthcoming, delayed) **Gender in Global Medieval Mysticism Conference**
2-day conference, Ashoka University, Sonapat, Haryana (Delhi-India)
Paper: “*Thoughts on Death in Tantric Buddhist, Haṭha Yogic and Jain Yogic Sources*”
Grants: DAAD/PROMOS (BMBF) 2020, Beihilfe Wissenschaftsförderung aus dem Körperschaftsvermögen der Universität Hamburg
- 11/2019** **International Conference on Jainism: Scientific Foundations**
2-day conference, Digambar Jain Atishay Kshetra, Tijara (Rajasthan-India)
Paper: “*A Scientific Approach to Jain Medieval Thoughts on Death and the Importance of a “Comparative Philology”*”, Grant: Gyansagar Science Foundation

Teaching

- 16. - 27.09.19** **Beginner’s Sanskrit**
10 Hours/Sanskrit Yoga Summer Class of 2019
Universität Hamburg, Asien-Afrika-Institut, Wissenschaftsschwerpunkt YS
- 10/19 – 07/20** **Origins of Yoga (1 & 2)**
Full-year Seminar, 2 hours weekly, B.A. Level, Open Module
Universität Hamburg, Asien-Afrika-Institut, Department of Indology
- 11/20 – 06/21** **Origins of Yoga (1 & 2)**
Full-year Seminar, 2 hours weekly, B.A. Level, Open Module
Universität Hamburg, Asien-Afrika-Institut, Department of Indology
- 09/21 – 11/21** (Forthcoming) **Modules “Beginner’s Sanskrit” and “Indian Intellectual History”**
Certificate course “Yoga Studies”
Universität Hamburg, Center for Continuing Education

Lectures

- 26.05.2021** **Karma**
Universität Hamburg, Wissenschaftsschwerpunkt Yogastudien
- 22.12.2020** **History of Yoga in A Nutshell**
Universität Hamburg, Wissenschaftsschwerpunkt Yogastudien
- 05.02.2020** **The Yogapradīpa: An Introduction to Textual Criticism with Reference to a Premodern Jain Manuscript on Yoga**
Guest Lecture, Curriculum M.A. Module “Jain Yoga” by Prof. Peter Fluegel
SOAS University of London, Department of Religions and Philosophies

