

# Merlin Schaeffer

## Curriculum Vitae

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I am a sociologist who specializes in the conceptual and theory-driven empirical analysis of ethnic diversity and inequality stemming from immigration. My research focuses on the resulting processes of stratification, inclusion, and political contestation. I am currently investigating ethno-racial discrimination in immigration societies, with a particular focus on the disparities in perspectives between citizens regarding the definition and perceived prevalence of this form of discrimination. I draw on a wide range of social theories from various traditions to contribute to sociology through original theoretical and conceptual work. My empirical research utilizes state-of-the-art statistical methods to analyze various types of data, including survey data, (online) experiments, behavioral games, register and spatial data, meta-analytic data, and new forms of digital trace data.

## Professional Career

- Since 2023 **Professor**, *University of Copenhagen*.  
Department of Sociology
- 2018-22 **Associate Professor**, *University of Copenhagen*.  
Department of Sociology
- 2015-2017 **Associate Professor of Demography and Social Inequality**, *University of Cologne*.  
Institute of Sociology and Social Psychology
- Winter 2014/15 **Visiting Professor**, *Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT)*.  
Department of Sociology, Media and Cultural Studies
- 2012–2014 **Postdoctoral Researcher**, *WZB Berlin Social Science Center*.  
Department “Migration Integration Transnationalization”
- 2009–2012 **PhD Researcher**, *WZB Berlin Social Science Center*.  
Department “Migration Integration Transnationalization”

## Education

- 2012 **Doctor of Social and Behavioural Sciences**, *Universiteit van Amsterdam*.  
Amsterdam Institute for Social Science Research (AISSR), *with Distinction*
- 2008 **Master of Arts, Social Sciences**, *Humboldt Universität zu Berlin*.  
Institute of Social Sciences, *with Distinction*
- 2006 **Bachelor of Arts, Social Sciences**, *Humboldt Universität zu Berlin*.  
Institute of Social Sciences, *with Distinction*

## Fellowships

### Competitive & Funded

- Spring 2022 **Senior Fellow**, *Cluster of Excellence: The Politics of Inequality, University of Konstanz*.
- Fall 2021 **Fernand Braudel Senior Fellow**, *European University Institute (EUI), Florence*.

### Invited

- 2021-2025 **WZB-Fellow**, *WZB Berlin Social Science Center*.
- 2014-2018 **External Fellow**, *MZES Mannheimer Zentrum für Europäische Sozialforschung, Department A “European Societies and their Integration”*.

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## Visiting Scholarships

- Spring 2023 **Chercheur Invité**, *Sciences Po Paris*, France.  
Observatoire Sociologique du Changement
- Summer 2017 **Visiting Scholar**, *University of California, Los Angeles*, USA.  
Center for the Study of International Migration, Department of Sociology
- Fall 2010 **Visiting PhD Student**, *Harvard University*, Cambridge, MA, USA.  
Kennedy School of Government
- 2007-2008 **DAAD Graduate Student**, *The Graduate Center*, City University of New York, USA.  
Department of Sociology
- 2005-2006 **Erasmus Student**, *University of Sussex*, Brighton, UK.  
School of Social and Cultural Studies

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## Awards

- 2020 **Runner up (2nd place) for the Best Article of the Year Prize** of the European Sociological Review.
- 2018 **Outstanding Article Publication in Mathematical Sociology Award** of the American Sociological Association.
- 2017 **Distinguished Contribution to Scholarship in Population Award** of the American Sociological Association.
- 2016 **Anatol Rapoport Prize** of the Section “Model Building and Simulation” of the German Sociological Association.

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## External Funding

### Principal Investigator

- 2022 **Misperceptions about Ethnic Discrimination and Support for Equal Treatment Policies**, *Carlsberg Foundation*: 194.390,- DKK approx. 26.142,- Euro.
- 2019 **The Association between Perceived and Actual Xenophobia in Germany (APAX)**, *German Science Foundation (DFG)*: 668.365,- Euro approx. 4,990,687 DKK.
- . **Residential Mobility Among Ethnic Minorities and its Consequences for Social Embeddedness and Subjective Well-Being (WELLMOB)**, Co-PI: Sarah Carol (University College Dublin); *German Science Foundation (DFG)*: 167,657,- Euro approx. 1,251,896,- DKK.

### Co-Applicant

- 2022 **Do body-worn cameras reduce the risk of workplace victimization? A randomized controlled trial study on ticket inspectors in public transport**, PI: Lasse Suonperä Liebst (KU); further co-applicants: Camilla B. Friis (KU), Jakob Demant (KU), Marie Lindegaard (KU), Keith Hayward (KU); *Crown Princess Mary Center Seed Funding*, Copenhagen: 200,000,- DKK, approx. 27.000,- Euro.
- 2021 **Populist Right-Wing Governors, Healthcare Chauvinism, and Public Health in the Time of the Global Pandemic**, PI: Krzysztof Krakowski (Collegio Carlo Alberto); further co-applicants: Alessio Romarri (University of Milan), Dina Rosenberg (HSE Moscow); *Collegio Carlo Alberto*, Turin: 5,380,- Euro approx. 40,000,- DKK.
- . **Environmental Quality, Local Infrastructures, and Residential Choice**, PI: Jan Paul Heisig (WZB); further co-applicants: Christian König (WZB), Tobias Rüttenauer (University of Oxford), and Jonas Wiedner (WZB); *WZB Berlin Social Science Center: Seed Funding*: 10,500,- Euro approx. 78,075,- DKK.

## Miscellaneous

- 2020 **The Consequences of Social Distancing Policies on Everyday Routines, Mental Health, and Family Life: A Weekly Time-Diary Online Survey**, PI: Merlin Schaeffer (KU); further co-applicants: Jan Paul Heisig (WZB), Thomas Morten (KU), Séamus Power (KU); *University of Copenhagen, Faculty of Social Sciences*;: 87,000.- DKK, approx. 11,700.- Euro.
- 2015 **WZB Flexible Funds**, Grant for seminar series “[CO:STA] Colloquium for Statistical Analyses at the WZB”, with Martin Ehlert and Christian Rauh.
- 2014 **WZB Flexible Funds**, Grant for seminar series “[CO:STA] Colloquium for Statistical Analyses at the WZB”, with Martin Ehlert and Christian Rauh.
  - . **EQUALSOC grant**, for two workshops at MZES and WZB, with Benjamin Schulz.
- 2011 **Travel Grant**, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD).
- 2010 **WZB Flexible Funds**, Visiting Scholarship at Harvard University, 2010.
  - . **Travel Grant**, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD).
- 2009 **Travel grant**, University of Manchester, Workshop on Inequality and Social Change.
  - . **Travel Grant**, Goethe Institute.

## Management & Supervision

### Leadership & Supervision

- Ph.D. students Mikkel Haderup Larsen (2020-23), Jonas Wiedner (2016-20).
- Postdocs Jonas Wiedner (2020-22), Judith Kas (2020-22).
- Mentoring Tenure-track Assistant professor Friedolin Merhout (2020-).

### PhD assessment

- 2023 Mathias Kruse, Aarhus University, Denmark
- 2021 Jesper Fels Birkelund, University of Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2021 Snorre Ralund, University of Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2020 Frederik Jørgensen, Aarhus University, Denmark
- 2019 Stephan Dochow, University of Bremen, Germany

### Academic Management

- Since 2023 **Head of Studies**, As "Studieleder" (in Danish) I am responsible for the administration and development of the BSc and MSc programs of the Department of Sociology at KU. This includes, developing and implementing the curriculum, quality assurance, student counseling, faculty development, and budget management.
- Since 2022 **Research Ethics Committee**, Founder (with Mathias Wullum Nielsen) and Chair of the Research Ethics Committee of UCPH's Department of Sociology.
  - 2022-23 **Study Board**, Elected member of the study board of UCPH's Department of Sociology.
  - 2019-23 **International Coordinator**, International coordinator of all student and staff exchange programs (e.g., Erasmus) of UCPH's Department of Sociology.
  - 2019 **Chair of assessment committee**, Assistant Professor in "Sociology with a specialization in social data science and digital sociology".
- 2012-2014 **Academic Council**, Elected representative of the PostDocs of WZB's Academic Council.

## Professional Services

2018-23 **Associate Editor**, Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies.

Since 2023 **Editorial Board**, Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies.

### Ad-hoc Reviews

**Journals** American Journal of Sociology (6x), American Political Science Review, American Sociological Review (5x), British Journal of Political Science, Cities, City & Community, Environment and Planning B: Urban Analytics and City Science, Ethnic and Racial Studies, European Political Science Review, European Sociological Review (14x), Geoinformatics & Geostatistics, International Journal of Sociology, International Migration Review, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies (5x), Journal of European Social Policy, Journal of Family Research, Journal of Happiness Studies (2x), Nationalism and Ethnic Politics, Proceeding of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, Research in Social Stratification and Mobility (2x), Social Forces, Social Indicators Research (4x), Social Networks, Social Science Research, Sociological Methods and Research, Sociological Science (3X), Soziale Welt, Survey Research Methods, Swiss Political Science Review, Urban Research and Practice, Zeitschrift für Soziologie.

**Publishers** Routledge, Ashgate (2x).

**Research foundations** Estonian Research Council (ETAg), Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG), Norwegian Research Council (NRC) (3x), La Caixa Foundation (3x).

**Scholarships** Cusanuswerk (1x), Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes (4x).

## Teaching experience

Title	Language	Students		Role	Course Type	Evaluation		Year	University
		ECTS	Appr. Nr.			Best Grade:	DE: 1.0		
<b>Bachelor level</b>									
Multiple Regression Analysis and Foundations of Causal Inference	English	7.5	110	Teacher & Coordinator	Lecture	3.2	2023		
Sociology in the Age of Big Data	English	7.5	40	Teacher & Coordinator	Seminar	60%	2021		
			29			-	2019		
			100			-	2023		
			110			-	2022		KU
Gender, Ethnicity & Postcolonialism	English	7.5	110	Co-teacher	Lectures	-	2021		
			110			-	2020		
			110			-	2019		
Sociological theory and history of ideas	English	7.5	100	Guest lecturer	Lecture	-	2023		
			110			-	2022		
Methodology and design of inquiry	English	7.5	100	Guest lecturer	Lecture	-	2022		
			110			-	2022		
Data and Regression Analysis A	German	6	300	Teacher & Coordinator	Lecture	1.6/5	2017		
			300			1.5/5	2016		
Demographic Transition and Immigration	German	6	12	Teacher & Coordinator	Seminar	1.1/5	2017		UoC
			11			*	2016		
Introduction to Sociology		4	120		Lecture	1.69/5			
Applied Introduction to Sociology	German	2	45	Teacher & Coordinator	Exercise	1.78/5	2014		KIT
Immigration, Integration & Acceptance		3	16		Seminar	1.78/5			
Immigration and Integration		5	25	Co-Teacher & Coordinator		1.67/6	2016		
Introduction to Social Theory	German	2.5	30	Teacher & Coordinator	Seminar	1.14/6	2009		HU



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		ECTS	Appr. Nr.			Best Grade:	DE: 1.0		
<b>PhD level</b>									
Statistics consulting	English	-	6	Expert	Indiv. consulting	-		2021	EUI
Sociological Analysis in Progress	English	7.5	20	Co-Teacher	One day workshop	-		2020	KU
Advanced Sociological Theory	English	6	15	Teacher	Seminar	2/5		2017	
Social Science at its Best	English	6	15	Teacher & Coordinator	Seminar	-		2017	UoC
Multilevel Data – What to Do?	English		20	Teacher & Coordinator	One day workshop	-		2016	
								2015	GUF
<b>Workshops</b>									
Introduction to Statistics with R	English		20	Co-teacher & Coordinator	Three day workshop			2022	Gesis
					Two day workshop	1.5		2021	
<b>Supervision</b>									
Bsc theses			16						
Msc theses	English & German		20						KU & UoC
PhD	English		2						
PhD co-supervisor	English		2						Uni Bremen & Uni Bamberg

Note: - Course was not evaluated. Deusto: University of Deusto Bilbao; EUI: European University Institute; Gesis: Leibniz-Institut für Sozialwissenschaften; GUF: Goethe Universität Frankfurt am Main; HU: Humboldt University Berlin; KIT: Karlsruhe Institute of Technology; KU: University of Copenhagen; TUD: Technical University Darmstadt; UoC: University of Cologne.

## Schaeffer - List of publications

### Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- 2023 **Schaeffer, M.** & Kas, J.: The Integration Paradox: A Review and Meta-Analysis of the Complex Relationship between Integration and Discrimination. *International Migration Review*, doi: <https://doi.org/10.1177/01979183231170809>.
- **Schaeffer, M.** & Haderup Larsen, M.: Who Should Get Vaccinated First? Limits of Solidarity During the First Week of the Danish Vaccination Program. *European Sociological Review*. doi: <https://doi.org/10.1093/esr/jcac025>.
  - Jünger, S. & **Schaeffer, M.**: Immigration and Social Integration: What are the Consequences of Ethnic Residential Boundaries and Ha-las for Social Integration in Germany? *Kölner Zeitschrift für Soziologie und Sozialpsychologie*, doi: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11577-023-00888-1>.
  - Power, S. A., **Schaeffer, M.**, Heisig, J. P., Udsen, R., & Morton, T.: Why trust? A mixed-method investigation of the origins and meaning of trust during the COVID-19 lockdown in Denmark. *British Journal of Social Psychology*, doi: <https://doi.org/10.1111/bjso.12637>.
  - Power, S. A., **Schaeffer, M.**, Heisig, J. P., Ordóñez-Bueso, L., Udsen, R., & Morton, T.: Imagining life beyond a crisis: A four quadrant model to conceptualize possible futures. *Culture & Psychology*, doi: <https://doi.org/10.1177/1354067X231177459>.
- 2022 Wiedner, J.; **Schaeffer, M.** & Carol, S.: Ethno-Religious Neighborhood Infrastructures and the Well-being of Immigrants and their Descendants in Germany. *Urban Studies*. 59(14): 2985–3004
- Breznau, N.; Rinke, E. M.; Wuttke, A.; ... **Schaeffer, M.** ...: Observing Many Researchers Using the Same Data and Hypothesis Reveals a Hidden Universe of Uncertainty. *PNAS Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America*. 119(44): e2203150119.
- 2021 Haderup Larsen, M. & **Schaeffer, M.**: Healthcare Chauvinism During the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*. 47(7): 1455–1473.
- Elff, M., Heisig, J.P., **Schaeffer, M.** & Shikano, S.: Multilevel Analysis with Few Clusters: Improving Likelihood-based Methods to Provide Unbiased Estimates and Accurate Inference. *British Journal of Political Science*, 51(1)412 - 426.
  - Elff, M., Heisig, J.P., **Schaeffer, M.** & Shikano, S.: Rejoinder to Stegmüller. *British Journal of Political Science*, 51(1): 460 - 462.
- 2020 Wiedner, J. & **Schaeffer, M.**: Career Trajectories into Undereducation. Which Skills and Resources Substitute Formal Education in the Intergenerational Transmission of Advantage? *Research in Social Stratification and Mobility*, 68: 100526.
- Dinesen, P., **Schaeffer, M.** & Sønderskov, K.: Ethnic Diversity and Social Trust: A Narrative and Meta-Analytical Review. *Annual Review of Political Science* 23: 441–465.
  - Heisig, J.P. & **Schaeffer, M.**: The Educational System and the Ethnic Skills Gap Among the Working-Age Population: An Analysis of 16 Western Immigration Countries. *Socius* 6: 1–18.
- 2019 Heisig, J.P. & **Schaeffer, M.**: Why You Should Always Include a Random Slope for the Lower-Level Variable Involved in a Cross-Level Interaction. *European Sociological Review* 35(2): 258–279.

Runner Up to Best ESR Article in 2019 Our monte carlo simulation on shortfalls of recent comparative work in sociology was awarded as the runner up (2nd place) to the best article published in 2019 in the European Sociological Review.

- **Schaeffer, M.**: Social Mobility and Perceived Discrimination: Adding an Intergenerational Perspective. *European Sociological Review* 35(1): 65–80.



- 2017 Heisig, J.P., **Schaeffer, M.** & Giesecke, J.: The Costs of Simplicity: Why Multilevel Models May Benefit from Accounting for Cross-Cluster Differences in the Effects of Controls. *American Sociological Review* 82(4): 796–827.
- Klinger, J., Mueller, S. & **Schaeffer, M.**: The Halo Effect: Are People Who Live in Homogeneous Neighborhoods that Border Ethnically Diverse Neighborhoods More Xenophobic? *Zeitschrift für Soziologie* 46(6): 402–419.
- 2016 Legewie, J. & **Schaeffer, M.**: Contested Boundaries: Explaining Where Ethno-Racial Diversity Provokes Neighborhood Conflict. *American Journal of Sociology* 122(1): 125–161.
- ASA Mathematical Sociology Award 2018 *Our analysis of neighborhood conflict at fuzzy boundaries between ethnically homogeneous enclaves was awarded the Outstanding Article Publication in Mathematical Sociology Award 2018 of the American Sociological Association (ASA).*
- ASA Population Award 2017 *Our article was also awarded the Distinguished Contribution to Scholarship in Population Award 2017 of the American Sociological Association (ASA).*
- **Schaeffer, M.**, Höhne, J. & Teney, C.: Income Advantages of Poorly-Qualified Immigrant Minorities. Why school drop-outs of Turkish origin earn more in Germany. *European Sociological Review* 32(1): 93–107
- Anatol Rapoport Prize 2016 *Our analysis of income advantages among less-qualified persons of immigrant origin was awarded the Anatol Rapoport Prize 2016 of the Section "Model Building and Simulation" of the German Sociological Association.*
- Koopmans, R. & **Schaeffer, M.**: Statistical and Perceived Diversity and Their Impacts on Neighborhood Social Cohesion in Germany, France and the Netherlands. *Social Indicators Research* 125(3): 853–883
- 2015 Koopmans, R. & **Schaeffer, M.**: Relational Diversity and Neighbourhood Cohesion. Unpacking Variety, Balance and In-Group Size. *Social Science Research* 53: 162–176
- 2014 **Schaeffer, M.**: The Social Meaning of Inherited Assets. Moral Ambivalences of Intergenerational Transfers. *Forum Qualitative Sozialforschung/Forum Qualitative Research* 15(1): Art. 13
- Reprint in *Historical Social Research*, 39(3/4)
- 2013 **Schaeffer, M.**: Can Competing Diversity Indices Inform us About Why Ethnic Diversity Erodes Social Cohesion? A Test of Five Diversity Indices in Germany. *Social Science Research* 42(3): 755–774
- **Schaeffer, M.**: Inter-Ethnic Neighbourhood Acquaintanceships Between Migrants and Natives in Germany. On the Brokering Roles of Inter-Ethnic Partners and Children. *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 39(8): 1219–1240
  - **Schaeffer, M.**: Which Groups are Mostly Responsible for Problems in Your Neighbourhood? The Use of Ethnic Categories in Germany. *Ethnic and Racial Studies* 36(1): 156–178

### Peer-Reviewed Monographs

- 2014 **Schaeffer, M.**: *Ethnic Diversity and Social Cohesion: Immigration, Ethnic Fractionalization and Potentials for Civic Action*. Aldershot: Ashgate
- Reviews of the Book
- "I will be including it in the reading list for substantive courses both on diversity and neighbourhood effects and research methods discussing measurement techniques, model building, the use of open-ended questions, and the graphical presentation of results", *Neli Demireva (University of Essex), European Sociological Review*.
- "This is both a thorough and very thoughtful book, with much to recommend it to scholars interested in the impacts of ethnic diversity on social cohesion and trust from a range of disciplines, and it deserves the very positive cover endorsements from Robert Putnam, Miles Hewstone and Michael Banton", *Paul Thomas (University of Huddersfield), Ethnic and Racial Studies*.
- "The book comprises significant empirical work and has considerable theoretical depth. [...] Scholars and policy-makers who engage in these topics will benefit from this book", *Yunus Kaya (University of North Carolina-Wilmington), Contemporary Sociology*.
- "Overall, Ethnic Diversity and Social Cohesion should be an essential read for social scientists studying social change in European societies brought about by international mobility and ethnic diversification", *Aneta Piekut (University of Sheffield), Central and Eastern European Migration Review*.

## Edited Volumes

- 2015 Koopmans, R., Lancee, B. & **Schaeffer, M.**: *Immigration and Social Cohesion in Europe and North America: Mechanisms, Conditions and Causality*. London: Routledge.

## Peer-Reviewed Book Chapters

- 2022 Jünger, Stefan & **Schaeffer, M.**: Der Halo-Effekt in Deutschland – Revisited: Sind Menschen, die in der Nähe von – aber nicht in – ethnisch diversen Nachbarschaften leben besonders Xenophob und Rassistisch? In J. Teltemann & H. Kruse: *Differenz im Raum*. Wiesbaden: Springer.
- 2016 **Schaeffer, M.**: Diversity erfassen: Statistische Diversitätsindizes. In T. Ringeisen & P. Genkova: *Handbuch Diversity Kompetenz: Perspektiven und Anwendungsfelder*. Wiesbaden: Springer.
- 2015 Lancee, B. & **Schaeffer, M.**: Moving to Diversity: Residential Mobility, Changes in Ethnic Diversity and Concerns about Immigration. In R. Koopmans, B. Lancee & M. Schaeffer: *Immigration and Social Cohesion in Europe and North America: Mechanisms, Conditions and Causality* London: Routledge.
- Koopmans, R., Lancee, B. & **Schaeffer, M.**: Ethnic Diversity in Diverse Societies: An Introduction. In R. Koopmans, B. Lancee & M. Schaeffer: *Immigration and Social Cohesion in Europe and North America: Mechanisms, Conditions and Causality*. London: Routledge

## Presentations

You can also browse through my recent [presentations online](#).

### Invited Talks (past three years)

- 2023 “Correcting Misperceptions About Ethnic Discrimination: The Limits of Awareness Raising to Promote Support for Equal Treatment Policies”. CRIS Scientific Seminar *Sciences Po Paris, France*: April 07th
- “Correcting Misperceptions About Ethnic Discrimination: The Limits of Awareness Raising to Promote Support for Equal Treatment Policies”. Research Seminar *Vive, Denmark*: March 15th
- 2022 “An fehlender Wokeness liegt es nicht: Fehleinschätzungen des Ausmaßes an ethnischer Diskriminierung und Zustimmung zu Anti-Diskriminierungsmaßnahmen”. Max Weber Institute of Sociology *University of Heidelberg, Germany*: November 21<sup>st</sup>h
- “How accurate do persons of immigrant origin perceive ethnic discrimination?”. The Politics of Inequality Colloquium at *University of Konstanz, Germany*: May 31<sup>st</sup>
- 2021 “Misperceived Discrimination: The Two Proximate Causes of Over- and Underperceived Ethnic Discrimination”. Colloquium for Analytical Sociology at *European University Institute, Italy*: November 11th
- “The Integration Paradox: First results from a Meta-Analysis and Proposal of a New Experimental Research Design”. Seminars Series at *Swedish Institute for Social Research (SOFI), Sweden*: June 8th
  - “The Integration Paradox: First results from a Meta-Analysis and Proposal of a New Experimental Research Design”. Nuffield College, *University of Oxford, UK*: May 29th
  - “Welfare Chauvinism During the COVID-19 Pandemic”. *Collegio Carlo Alberto, Italy*: April 29th
  - “Who Should Get Vaccinated First? Welfare Chauvinism Against Universal Preventive Healthcare During the COVID-19 Pandemic”. *Institut for Menneske Rettigheder, Denmark*: March 3rd

## Conference presentations (past three years)

- 2023 “Correcting Misperceptions About Ethnic Discrimination: The Limits of Awareness Raising to Promote Support for Equal Treatment Policies”. *CEPDISC’23 Conference on Discrimination* at Aarhus University, Denmark: October 12th to 13th
- “Correcting Misperceptions About Ethnic Discrimination: The Limits of Awareness Raising to Promote Support for Equal Treatment Policies”. *ACES 2023: The Annual Conference of Experimental Sociology* at Centro de Ciencias Humanas y Sociales Madrid, Spain: August 30th to September 1st
- 2022 “Do Far-Right Mayors Promote Informal Healthcare Chauvinism? Ethnic Discrimination in Access to Basic Healthcare in Italy”. *CEPDISC’22 Conference on Discrimination*, at Aarhus University, Denmark: October 24th
- “How accurate do persons of immigrant origin perceive ethnic discrimination?”. *CEPDISC’22 Conference on Discrimination*, at Aarhus University, Denmark: October 24th
  - “How accurate do persons of immigrant origin perceive ethnic discrimination?”. *ACES 2022: The Annual Conference of Experimental Sociology* at Utecht University, The Netherlands: August 31 31st to September 2nd
  - “Measuring trust and ethnic discrimination using investment games”. *International Conference on Social Dilemmas* at University of Copenhagen, Denmark: July 19th
  - “How accurate do persons of immigrant origin perceive ethnic discrimination?”. *14th Annual Conference of International Network of Analytical Sociologists (INAS)* at European University Institute, Italy: May 26th
- 2021 “Ethno-Religious Minority Infrastructures in Germany”. *ECSR Annual Conference*, Full online format: October 7th
- “The association between actual and perceived discrimination”. *Centre for the Experimental-Philosophical Study of Discrimination* at Aarhus University, Denmark: August 20th

## Public Dissemination

Under the following links you can access my TV and radio interviews, or read newspaper article that draw on me as an expert or report about my research.

### Miscellaneous

- 2022 “Auf die Infrastrukturen kommt es an: Das Wohlbefinden von Immigrant\*innen und deren Nachkommen ist in migrantisch geprägten Nachbarschaften höher”, *Kooperationsverbund gesundheitliche Chancengleichheit*: <https://bit.ly/3xiIAFs>
  - . “Integration mit der Abrissbirne – wie Dänemark seine „Gettos“ loswerden will”, *Die Welt*: <https://bit.ly/3N1tFov>
  - . “Der Wert der Nachbarschaft: Wie Vereine das Wohlbefinden von Immigrant\*innen steigern”, *WZB-Mitteilungen*: <https://bit.ly/3KWj10G>
- 2021 “Gebetshäuser, Geschäfte, Vereine. Eine Berliner Geografie ethno-religiöser Infrastrukturen”, *WZB-Mitteilungen*: <https://bit.ly/3fgrcrj>
  - . “Forsvaret er stort set kun en organisation for etniske danskere”, *Politiken*: <https://tinyurl.com/pkvy5rev>
  - . “Möjligheter vid gränspendling: Erfarenheter av arbete över Öresund bland personer med utrikes bakgrund”, *Øresunds Institutet*: <https://tinyurl.com/hwpt4vww>
  - . “Denmark evicts ‘ghetto’ residents to integrate them. Will it help?”, *The Christian Science Monitor*: <https://bit.ly/31DRj8a>
  - . “Healthcare Chauvinism during the COVID-19 Pandemic”, *Dagbladet Information*: <https://bit.ly/3ptruh8>
- 2020 “Diversity day”, *Die Welt*: <https://bit.ly/3cpUUX4>
- 2016 “Invisible networks”, *SWR Radio*: (link was deactivated)
  - . “Les événements de Cologne sont un catalyseur”, *Deutsche Welle Afrique Radio*: <http://bit.ly/2mAB2v5>
- 2012 “Eroded Cohesion: What characterizes ethnically diverse neighborhoods”, *WZB-Mitteilungen*: (link was deactivated)
- 2011 “Ethnic Diversity and Social Cohesion in the Netherlands”, *Migration Education*: (link was deactivated)

### COVID-19 Pandemic

- 2022 ZDF TV: <https://bit.ly/3zRUaXS>
  - . RND: <https://bit.ly/347bflz>
  - . RBB Radio Eins: <https://bit.ly/3Hr88mM>
  - . Deutschlandfunk Kultur Radio: <https://bit.ly/3oeUoUs>
  - . Radio Bremen Zwei: (no link, live interview)
  - . Bayerischer Rundfunk 2 (no link, live interview)
  - . Mitteldeutsche Zeitung (no link, print only)
  - . Ruhr Nachrichten: <https://bit.ly/3sCylZd>
  - . RND: <https://bit.ly/33vj4ka>
- 2021 SRF TV: <https://bit.ly/3K42Fnr>
  - . France Info Radio: <https://bit.ly/3z3QMr2>
- 2020 BBC News TV: <https://bit.ly/2MkIh4T>
  - . The Atlantic: <https://bit.ly/2yjBxRv>
  - . CPH Post: <http://cphpost.dk/?p=114475>

## Ethnic diversity and social trust

- 2020 *Merion West*: <https://bit.ly/3BSEhzW>  
2019 *Dagbladet Information*: <https://bit.ly/2IYIuK1>  
. *Berlingske*: <https://bit.ly/2oWiCrr>

## Low qualified employees of immigrant origin have income advantages

- 2016 *Berliner Zeitung*: (link was deactivated)  
. *Köln Stadt-Anzeiger*: <http://bit.ly/2m2QPks>  
. *Mitteldeutsche Zeitung*: (link was deactivated)  
. *Telepolis*: <http://www.heise.de/tp/artikel/46/46102/1.html>  
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