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Education

2/2009 – 11/2014	University of Vienna PhD in Education and Special Needs Education (Summa cum Laude)
2006 – 2008	University of Vienna Master (MA) in Erasmus Mundus Global Studies
2004 – 2008	University of Vienna complementary studies in Social and Cultural Anthropology
2002 – 2004	University of Vienna complementary studies in Journalism and Communication Sciences
2000 – 2006	University of Vienna Master (Magister) in Education and Special Needs Education

Employment History

11/2014 – today	University of Vienna, Department of Education, Research Unit Special Needs and Inclusive Education: Assistant Professor (PostDoc)
9/2013 – 10/2014	Maternal leave and completion of PhD study
2/2013 – 8/2013	University of Vienna, Department of Education, Research Unit Special Needs and Inclusive Education: Project Assistant
2/2009 – 1/2013	University of Vienna, Department of Education, Research Unit Special Needs and Inclusive Education: Assistant Professor (PraeDoc)
3 – 6/2008	Ethnological Museum Vienna Organisation: Guest Service
6/2006 – 5/2007	University of Vienna, Department of Art History: Project Assistant, e-Learning Project

2004 – 2006	University of Vienna, Department of Education, Research Unit Media Education: Teaching Assistant, course title „Aesthetics and dramaturgy for didactics of audio-visual media”
5 – 6/2006	Foreign Ministry Austria: Liaison Officer, assisting the Portuguese and Brazilian delegations on minister and head of state levels
2001-2003	“Arbeitskreis für Vorsorge und Sozialmedizin“ (Organisation): Carer, Ski school for children with disabilities, each year one week

Stay Abroads (Internships, Employment etc.)

3/2010, 11/2010–1/2011, 11–12/2011, 3-4/2012, 12/2014	University of Vienna Department of Education, Research unit Special Needs and Inclusive Education field research (barriers and facilitators for children with disabilities in primary schools) in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
9–12/2008	Austrian Development Agency/Grupo Madal Internship in an HIV/AIDS project in Quelimane, Mozambique
7–12/2007	Macquarie University Erasmus Mundus exchange student (Global Studies) Sydney, Australia
12/2005	University of Vienna, Department of Education, Research unit Media Education Teaching assistant for a course in Cluj, Romania
2–6/2003	Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam Erasmus Student (Education), The Netherlands
7/2001	Associação Social Recreativa Juventude de Vila Fonche working with adolescents challenged by social problems, Arcos de Valdevez, Portugal
10/1999–5/2000	European Voluntary Service work with children and adolescents in Arcos de Valdevez, Portugal

Languages

German	mother tongue
English	fluent (spoken and written)
Portuguese	very good (spoken) good (written)
French	very good (spoken and written)
Spanish	conversational (spoken)
Dutch	basics
Austrian Sign Language	basics
Amharic	basics

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Publications (selection)

- Schiemer, M. (2013): Zur Bedeutung von Individuum und Gemeinschaft in einer fremden Kultur am Beispiel Bildung für Kinder mit Behinderung. In: Sehrbrock, P., Erdélyi, A., Gand, S. (Ed.): *Internationale und vergleichende Heil- und Sonderpädagogik und Inklusion*. (Bad Heilbrunn, Klinkhardt), 184-191
- Schiemer, M. (2013): Zur Problematik der Interpretation von Daten aus fremden Kulturen. In: Graf, O. (Hrsg.): *Globale Perspektiven auf Behinderung*. Berlin, epubli, 129-146.
- Schiemer, M., Proyer, M. (2013): Teaching Children with Disabilities: ICTs in Bangkok and Addis Ababa. *Multicultural Education & Technology Journal*, Vol. 7 (2/3), 99-112
- Schiemer, M. (2011): Including Capabilities. *Journal for Disability and International Development*. Issue 3/2011, pp. 17-21.
- Proyer, M., Schiemer, M. & Luciak, M. (2011) CLASDISA – Classifications of Disabilities in the Field of Education in Different Societal and Cultural Contexts: Insights Into the Current State of Research. *Austrian Journal of South-East Asian Studies / Österreichische Zeitschrift für Südostasienwissenschaften, ASEAS Vol. 4(1)*, 158-165 .
- Kramann, M., Proyer, M., Schiemer, M. (2011): Inklusion und die ICF. In: Lütje-Klose, B. et al. (Hg.): *Inklusion in Bildungsinstitutionen. Eine Herausforderung an die Heil- und Sonderpädagogik*. Bad Heilbrunn, Klinkhardt, S.107-114
- Schiemer, M. (2010): "ICF - Instrument für eine interkulturell vergleichende Heilpädagogik?" In: Schildmann, Ulrike (Hrsg.): *Umgang mit Verschiedenheit in der Lebensspanne. Behinderung - Geschlecht - kultureller Hintergrund - Alter/Lebensphase*. Klinkhardt, Bad Heilbrunn. S. 312 - 318.

Presentations

2012

- **Research in Ethiopia: Exploring the situation of teachers of children with disabilities in different school settings.** Paper presented together with Alemayehu T. (Addis Ababa University) at the "World Education Research Association Focal Meeting" - AARE – APERA 2012, University of Sydney, Australia, December 2, 2012
- **Behindert sein oder Behindert werden. Inklusive Bildung im globalen Kontext.** Workshop at the Amnesty International Conference „Fokus Vielfalt- Inklusion als Menschenrecht“. November 8/9, 2012.
- **Mind the Gap...: Accessibility of Schools for Children with Disabilities in Addis Ababa.** Together with Bekele Y. (Addis Ababa University). Paper presented at the "European Conference on Educational Research" - ECER 2012 "Access to education for Students with Disabilities in Cross-Cultural Perspective", Cádiz, Spain, September 20, 2012

- **Education for Children with Disabilities, their Participation and Relevance of Capabilities - Experiences from an International Research Project involving Bangkok and Addis Ababa.** Together with Proyer M. (University of Vienna). Lecture at the "Human Development and Capability Association Conference, Jakarta, Indonesia, September 5, 2012
- **Field-work in Ethiopia and Thailand.** Presentation in a research seminar with Erich Otto Graf und Raphael Zahnd an der IFE, University Zurich, Switzerland April 4, 2012
- **Classifications of Disability in the Field of Education (CLASDISA) Comparing Factors Influencing Participation and Activity of Children with Disabilities in Educational Environments in Austria, Ethiopia and Thailand.** Presentation together with Kramann M. (University of Vienna) Lecture at a ICF Workshop in Zurich with Judith Hollenweger, PH Zurich., Switzerland, January 26/27, 2012

2011

- **Inclusive education and common welfare in Ethiopia.** Paper presented at the Conference for development: Gemeinwohl entwickeln; Der Staat zwischen Gemeinschaft und Weltgesellschaft in Krems. Organiser: Mattersburger Kreis für Entwicklungspolitik an den österreichischen Universitäten. Oktober 16, 2011
- **Zur Bedeutung von Gemeinschaft und Individualität in einer fremden Kultur.** Paper presented at the Symposium of international Special Needs Education at the Carl von Ossietzky University Oldenburg, September 29, 2011
- **Die UN-Behindertenrechtskonvention und das Recht auf Bildung.** Lecture held together with G. Biewer at the second study group „Inklusion von Menschen mit Behinderungen in der Österreichischen Entwicklungszusammenarbeit (OEZA)“ – Inklusion im Bildungssektor, Austrian Development Agency (ADA), Vienna. September 23, 2011
- **Barriers and facilitators in educational environments for children with disabilities – a comparative study in Vienna, Bangkok and Addis Ababa.** Paper presented together with G. Biewer and M. Proyer at the ECER: European Conference on Educational Research at the Freie Universität Berlin. September 15, 2011
- **Education for children with disabilities in Addis Ababa/Ethiopia.** Paper presented at the Emerging Researcher's Conference Berlin, ECER: European Conference on Educational Research, September 12, 2011
- **Disability, Ability, Capability? Presentation at the European Educational Research Summer School.** Paper presented at the summer school "Writing educational research for international journal publications, conferences, book chapters and theses". University of Gothenburg in collaboration with EERA, 16.Juni 2011.

2010

- **Inklusion und die ICF-CY.** Paper presented at the 46th Conference of assistant professors for special needs education in German speaking countries. September 27, 2010 at the University Bielefeld, Germany.

2009

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- **ICF - Instrument für eine interkulturell vergleichende Heilpädagogik?** Paper presented at the 45th Conference of assistant professors for special needs education in German speaking countries. October 2, 2009 at the University Dortmund, Germany.
- **The ICF - Instrument for Intercultural Comparative Research?** Paper presented at the "International Conference on Educational Research for Development", May 13-15, 2009 in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.