

Dr Annett Fleischer

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CURRICULUM VITAE

Personal information

Born 22/12/1976 in Eisenach/Germany
Married, one daughter

Education

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| 03/2013 | Coursera Long Distance Course "Introduction to Sustainability"
University of Illinois |
| 04/2010 | Ph.D. in Social Anthropology/Demography
Free University Berlin, Germany
Thesis: <i>"Making families among Cameroonian 'bushfallers' in Germany: marriage, migration, and the law"</i> |
| 10/2004 - 03/2008 | Ph.D. Student
Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, Rostock, Germany
Research project: <i>"Transnational Vital Events: Birth, Law, and Migration between Africa and Europe"</i> |
| 2003 | Magister Artium
Free University Berlin, Germany
Thesis: <i>"Bonne a tout faire: The socio-economic situation of housemaids in Ségou, Mali"</i> |
| 1997-2003 | Study of Social Anthropology, Public Relations and Communication
Free University Berlin, Germany |
| 1995 | General certificate of education (Abitur)
Albert-Schweitzer Gymnasium Ruhla, Germany |

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Employment

- 10/2011 - 01/2013 **Researcher, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, Florence, Italy**
- Project: Cross-Regional Information System on the Reintegration of Migrants in their Countries of Origin (CRIS)
 - Coordination of qualitative and quantitative research on return migration, reintegration and development
 - Cooperation with research partners in Armenia, Mali and Tunisia
- 06 - 08/2011 **Consultant, UNFPA, Kathmandu, Nepal**
- Secondary Analysis of Gender Related Research on the Ministry of Health and Population (MOHP) as an Institution and its Tools
- 07/2009 - 05/2011 **Consultant, German International Cooperation (GIZ, former GTZ)**
- Analytical report on population growth and its implications for development cooperation in Uganda (German Embassy in Kampala)
 - Concept paper on the relevance of demography and population dynamics for German Development Cooperation in Tanzania
 - Study on aging and pension systems in Sub-Saharan Africa
 - Part of the organizing team for the NGO Forum on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Development in Berlin, Germany
 - Active participation on the satellite session „Climate Change and Population Dynamics“ in Berlin, Germany
 - Poster presentation at the XXVI International Population Conference in Marrakesh, Morocco
- 11/2009 - 06/2010 **Regional Manager, National Community of Women Living with HIV/AIDS (NACWOLA), Lira, Northern Uganda**
- Advising on organisational development and networking
 - Coordination and management of regional activities
 - Development, implementation, M&E of a child rights and a women to justice project in two sub-counties in Lira district
- 01 – 07/2009 **Technical Advisor, Population Dynamics, Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights, German Technical Cooperation (GTZ), Eschborn, Germany**
- Initiation and organization of the side event “Sub-Saharan Africa’s Demographic Challenges: Meeting the Demand for Sexual and Reproductive Health Information and Services in Africa”, 42. UN-Commission for Population and Development, New York
 - Supervision and presentation of the studies: “Demography and Food Security”, “Demography and Climate Change”
 - Consultancy for Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development in the field of population dynamics
 - Participation in the design and planning of the business strategy “Migration and Development”

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- 04/2008 - 12/2008 **Project Coordinator, Demography and Development
German Technical Cooperation (GTZ), Eschborn, Germany**
- Project management, budget and leadership responsibility
 - Initiation, organization and management of the Expert Talk “Demography as Focus in Development Cooperation”
 - Design, implementation and presentation of the study “Fertility Decline in Bangladesh”
 - Cooperation in the design of the instrument “Umfeldanalyse” in Capacity WORKS
- 10/2004 – 03/2008 **Research Assistant, Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research,
Rostock, Germany**
- Scientific studies in the fields of migration, transnationalism, fertility and family formation
 - Cooperation with University Yaoundé II (SOA) and Institute for Demographic Training and Research (IFORD) in Yaoundé, Cameroon
 - Lecturer at the University of Rostock
- 03 - 09/2004 **Research Scientist, Institute of Arctic Biology, Center for Alaskan Native
Health Research (CANHR) at the University of Alaska, Fairbanks, USA**
- Design and implementation of a case study on food habits and health care
 - Participative and community-based research methods

Research and work experience abroad

Armenia, Australia, Bangladesh, Benin, Cameroon, Ghana, Indonesia, Italy, Mali, Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, United States of America

Language skills

German	mother tongue
English	fluent
French	good
Spanish	basic knowledge
Russian	basic knowledge
Bamana	basic knowledge

Software skills

WinOS	advanced
Word	advanced
Excel	capable
Access	user knowledge
LyX on Linux OS	user knowledge

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Pagemaker user knowledge
Powerpoint advanced

SPSS, Stata, experience with the usage of data base, event-history analysis (EvHA)

Membership of professional bodies

American Anthropology Association (AAA)
International Migration, Integration and Social Cohesion (IMISCOE)
International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP)

Reviews

Migration Studies
Journal of Sociology
African Diaspora

Selected academic publications

Fleischer, Annett (2012): *Migration, marriage, and the law. Making families among Cameroonian 'bush fallers' in Germany*. Regiospectra Verlag Berlin.

Fleischer, Annett (2012): Armenian Returnees from Russia: Struggles between Reintegration and Re-emigration. In: *Armenians in Post-Communist Europe* (eds. Siekierski and Troebst). i.p.

Fleischer, Annett (2012): *A Statistical Overview on Return Migration to the Republic of Armenia*. CRIS Analytical Note 2012/01, RSCAS/EUI, Florence.

Fleischer, Annett (2011): *Marriage over space and time among male migrants from Cameroon to Germany*. In: Kraler, Albert; Eleonore Kofman; Martin Kohli and Camille Schmohl (eds.): *Gender, Generations and the Family in International Migration*. IMISCOE Research Serie.

Fleischer, Annett (2007): *Migration nach Europa als familiäre Investitionsstrategie*. Demografische Forschung aus erster Hand, Jg. 4, No. 4.

Fleischer, Annett (2007): *Family, obligations, and migration: The role of kinship in Cameroon*. Demographic Research. Vol.16 (13): 413-440.

Fleischer, Annett (2007): *Illegalisierung, Legalisierung und Familienbildungsprozesse: Am Beispiel Kameruner MigrantInnen in Deutschland*. MPIDR Working Paper Nr. 2007-011.

Fleischer, Annett (2006): *Familienbildungsprozess als Möglichkeit der Legalisierung: Zur Situation Kameruner MigrantInnen in Deutschland*. In: *Migration und Menschenrechte. Illegalisierte MigrantInnen im Schatten*. LIT-Verlag i.p.

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Fleischer, Annett (2003): *Bonne à tout faire: The socio-economic situation of housemaids in Ségou, Mali*. Magisterarbeit. www.grin.com

Selected reports and studies from international development cooperation

Fleischer, Annett (2011): *Secondary Analysis of Gender Related Research on Ministry of Health and Population as an Institution and its Tools*. UNFPA Nepal.

Fleischer, Annett (2010): *Relevance of Demography and Population Dynamics for German Development Cooperation in Tanzania*. On behalf of the Tanzanian-German Programme to Support Health and the Sector Project on Population Dynamics and Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights. Concept paper. GTZ publication.

Fleischer, Annett, Melanie Lutz, Jean-Olivier Schmidt (2010): *Population Dynamics in Bangladesh. A case study on the causes and effects of demographic change in Bangladesh*. GTZ publication.

Fleischer, Annett (2010): *Die aktuelle Alterssicherungsdiskussion in Subsahara-Afrika. Überblick über Akteure und politische Positionen*. GIZ Eschborn, Germany.

Fleischer, Annett (2009): *Demographie und Entwicklung – Herausforderungen und Perspektiven für die Internationale Zusammenarbeit*. Information paper. GTZ publication.

Selected lectures and organized events

The role of administrative “gatekeepers” for Cameroonian migration to Germany. *Panel ‘Intersections of mobility, law and social relations’*. American Anthropological Association (AAA), Montreal, Canada (2011)

The role of education for Cameroonian migration to Germany. *International Research Seminar organized by the Migration Initiative, University of Copenhagen and the Danish School of Education, Aarhus University, Copenhagen, Denmark (2010)*

Ways to avoid unintended pregnancies in developing countries: An example from Cameroon. *XXVI International Population Conference (IUSSP), Marrakesh, Morocco (2009)*

Sub-Saharan Africa’s Demographic Challenges: Meeting the Demand for Sexual and Reproductive Health Information and Services in Africa. *Side Event, UN Commission on Population and Development, New York, USA (2009)*

Fertility Decline in Bangladesh – Causes and Consequences. *Round Discussion, GTZ, KfW, UNFPA, Population Council, USAID, NIPORT, Save the Children, Dhaka, Bangladesh (2008)*

Marriage over space and time among male migrants from Cameroon to Germany. *European Population Conference, Barcelona, Spain (2008)*