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### Research interests:

intergenerational family – kinship demography – life course – social inequality – migration

### Current Positions

Research group 'Kinship Inequalities', Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, DE <i>Post-doctoral Research Scientist</i>	since April 2023
Institute of Sociology and Social Psychology, University of Cologne, DE <i>Post-doctoral Research Scientist</i>	since April 2023

### Education

<i>Ph.D.</i> in Social Sciences (summa cum laude), University of Cologne, DE	2023
<i>M.Sc.</i> in Population Studies (with distinction), University of Groningen, NL	2018
<i>M.Sc.</i> in Sociology and Social Research, University of Cologne, DE	2018
<i>B.Sc.</i> in Social Sciences, University of Cologne, DE	2016

### Professional Experience

Norwegian Institute of Public Health, Centre for Fertility and Health, Oslo, NO <i>Research stay</i>	2022
Institute of Sociology and Social Psychology, University of Cologne, DE <i>Research assistant and lecturer</i>	2021 – 2022
<i>Student research assistant</i> , German Family Panel pairfam	2016 – 2018
<i>Student teaching assistant</i> , Introduction to Statistics for Social Scientists	2014 – 2017

### Awards and Grants

3 <sup>rd</sup> place in the ECSR Thesis Prize 2024 for PhD thesis	2024
Best Poster Award at the Population Association of America 2024 (PAA) Annual Meeting for "Generational Placement Trajectories in Norway: Combining Empirical and Simulated Data" (with Diego Alburez-Gutiérrez)	2024
Best Paper Award of German Demographic Society (DGD) for journal article "A new perspective on the generational structures of families – Generational placements over the life course" (€250)	2024

Advances in Life Course Research Young Scholar Award for journal article “A new perspective on the generational structures of families – Generational placements over the life course“ (\$500)	2023
DAAD research grant for doctoral students for research stay at the Norwegian Institute of Public Health, NO (~ €3,000)	2022
Cologne Graduate School doctoral scholarship at University of Cologne (~ €50,000)	2019 – 2023
Master Thesis Award from the Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute (NIDI) and the Netherlands Demographic Society (NVD) (€500)	2018
Best Poster Award at the German Demographic Society (DGD) 2018 Annual Meeting for “Mismatch between public childcare-related attitude and behavior – A comparative analysis between eleven Central Eastern and Western European countries”	2018
DAAD scholarship for studying in Master programme at University of Groningen, NL (~ €7,500)	2017
Dean’s Award (top 5% of study cohort) in Master program Sociology and Social Research, University of Cologne	2017
Dean’s Award (top 10% of study cohort) in Bachelor program Social Sciences, University of Cologne	2014

### Peer-reviewed Publications

**Hünteler, B.** Nutz, T. & Wörn, J. (in press) Intergenerational Family Life Courses and Wealth Accumulation in Norway. *Social Forces*.

**Hünteler, B.** & Hank, K. (2023) Life Course Generational Placements in the Family System and Individuals’ Well-being in Later Life. *Ageing & Society*

Wetzel, M. & **Hünteler, B.** (2022) The Blind Spot: Studying the Association Between Survey Non-Response and Adherence to COVID-19 Governmental Regulations in a Population-based German Web-Survey, *Survey Research Methods*.

**Hünteler, B.** (2022) A New Perspective on the Generational Structures of Families: Generational Placements over the Life Course, *Advances in Life Course Research*.

Wetzel, M., Wörn, J., **Hünteler, B.** & Hank, K. (2022) Heterogeneity in Trajectories of Life Satisfaction After Reunification: The Role of Individual Resources and Life Stage in Former East Germany, *Social Indicators Research*.

**Hünteler, B.\*** & Wetzel, M.\* (2020) Relationship-based Selective Participation of Secondary Respondents in a German Multi-Actor Panel Study, *Journal of Marriage and Family*. (\*shared first authorship)

**Hünteler, B.** & Mulder, C. H. (2020) Geographic Proximity to Parents, Intergenerational Support Exchange, and Migration within Germany, *European Journal of Population*.

### Published Book Chapter

Jeesse, L., **Hünteler, B.** & Hank, K. (2024) Family as generational context for social inequality [Familie als generationaler Kontext sozialer Ungleichheiten]. In Handbook *Social Stratification* [*Handbuch Sozialstrukturanalyse*], Eds. Petra Böhnke & Dirk Konietzka.

### Ongoing Research Projects

<b>Hünteler, B.</b> , Wetzels, M. & Cass, A.: Flexible Work Policies and the Division of Housework and Childcare in German Cohabiting Couples.	Under review
<b>Hünteler, B.*</b> , Polizzi, A.* & van Raalte, A.: Changing Kinship Structures in East and West Germany Before and After Reunification. (*shared first authorship) [available as preprint <a href="#">here</a> ]	Under review
<b>Hünteler, B.</b> & Alburez-Gutiérrez, D.: Generational Placement Trajectories in Norway: Combining Empirical and Simulated Data.	In preparation
Maskileyson D., & <b>Hünteler, B.</b> : Examining the Wealth-Health Gradient by Migration Background, Nativity and Reason for Migration in Norway.	In preparation
<b>Hünteler, B.</b> & Sauter, J.: The Associations Between Generational and Marital Placements over the Life Course and Wellbeing in Later Life.	In preparation
<b>Hünteler, B.</b> , Hank, K., Alburez-Gutiérrez, D. & Leopold, T.: Racial-Ethnic Differences in Nuclear and Extended Family Relations in the United States.	In preparation

### Teaching and Supervision

<i>Institute of Sociology and Social Psychology, University of Cologne, DE</i>	
Changing Partnerships and Family, seminar, M.Sc. Sociology and Social Research, language: English	Winter 2021/22
Gender, Work and Family, seminar, B.Sc. Social Sciences, language: German	Winter 2021/22
Introduction to Statistics for Social Scientists (tutorials)	2014 – 2017
First supervisor of one Master thesis	Since 10/2023
First supervisor of one Bachelor thesis	Winter 2021/22
Second supervisor of various Bachelor and Master theses	Since 2021
<i>Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, DE</i>	
PHDS mentor of Andrea Colasurdo, supervised by Diego Alburez-Gutiérrez (MPIDR) and Clara H. Mulder (University of Groningen)	Since 4/2023

### Reviewer Activities

Demography, European Journal of Population, European Sociological Review, Social Forces, The Journal of Gerontology Series B: Psychological Sciences, The Journal of Gerontology Series B: Social Sciences, Journal of Population Ageing, Journal of Family Psychology, Sociological Research Methods, Journal of Family Relations, Advances in Life Course Research, Ageing & Society

### Institutional Responsibilities

Elected representative of academic pre- and postdoc staff members at the Board of Directors, Institute of Sociology and Social Psychology, University of Cologne	2020 – 2022
Active member of student association, Faculty of Economics and Social Science, University of Cologne	2013 – 2016

### Memberships

European Association for Population Studies ([EPAS](#))  
 Family section of German Association of Sociology ([DGS](#))  
 Population Association of America (PAA)  
 German Demographic Society ([DGD](#))  
 Sequence Analysis Association ([SAA](#))

### Science Communication & Outreach

Interview about generational placement trajectories and health and well-being in later life in newspaper "Die Welt": " <a href="#">These family structures align well with life satisfaction and health</a> " (in German)	2024
Publication of research results in infoletter "Demografische Forschung aus erster Hand" (2024/2): " <a href="#">Happy and healthy in the family system</a> " (in German)	2024
Public presentation for non-scientific audience <a href="#">Salon Sophie-Charlotte</a> , Berlin (DE), organized by Berlin-Brandenburgische Academy of Science, "What makes us older? Time and life phases in the generational system" (in German)	2024

### Invited Presentations

Centre for Demographic Studies (CED) Colloquium, "Racial-Ethnic Differences in Nuclear and Extended Family Relations in the United States", Barcelona (ES)	2024
Trinity College Dublin Seminar Series (virtual, hosted by Jan Skopek), "Intergenerational Life-Course Family Structures and Social Inequality"	2024
Sequence Analysis Webinar Series (virtual, hosted by Tim Liao and Matthias Studer), "A New Perspective on the Generational Structures of Families: Generational Placements Over the Life Course"	2022

### Conference Participations

European Population Conference (EPC), Edinburgh (UK), organization and moderation of Advances in Population Research Session: “Kinship Demography: An Emerging Field of Research?”	2024
European Population Conference (EPC), Edinburgh (UK), “Generational Placement Trajectories in Norway: Combining Empirical and Simulated Data” (with Diego Alburez-Gutiérrez)	2024
Population Association of America Annual Meeting (PAA), “Generational Placement Trajectories in Norway: Combining Empirical and Simulated Data” (with Diego Alburez-Gutiérrez, poster)	2024
Annual Conference of the German Demographic Society (DGD), Hamburg (DE), “Generational Placement Trajectories in Norway: Combining Empirical and Simulated Data” (with Diego Alburez-Gutiérrez)	2024
Autumn meeting of family section of German Association of Sociology (DGS), Cologne (DE), “Changing Kinship Structures in East and West Germany Before and After Reunification” (with Antonino Polizzi and Alyson van Raalte)	2023
EAPS Health, Morbidity and Mortality Working Group Meeting, Budapest (HUN), “For whom does wealth matter more for health? Nativity wealth-health gradient in Norway” (with Dina Maskileyson)	2023
European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR) 2023 conference, Prague (CZ), “For whom does wealth matter more for health? Nativity wealth-health gradient in Norway” (with Dina Maskileyson)	2023
4 <sup>th</sup> Conference of the Academy of Sociology, Bern (CH), “For whom does wealth matter more for health? Nativity wealth-health gradient in Norway” (with Dina Maskileyson)	2023
Gender and Wealth Inequality Network (GWIN) Workshop (ECSR), Birmingham (UK), “It All Runs in the Family? The Interplay of Intergenerational Family Positions and Wealth Trajectories” (with Theresa Nutz and Jonathan Wörn)	2023
41 <sup>st</sup> Congress of the German Sociological Association (DGS), Bielefeld (DE), “The Interplay of Intergenerational Family Positions and Wealth Trajectories in Different Life Phases” (with Theresa Nutz and Jonathan Wörn)	2022
RC28 Spring Conference, London (UK), “The Interplay of Intergenerational Family Positions and Wealth Trajectories in Different Life Phases” (with Theresa Nutz and Jonathan Wörn)	2022

15 <sup>th</sup> Conference of the European Sociological Association (ESA), Barcelona (ES, virtual), “Life Course Generational Placements in the Family System and Individuals’ Well-Being and Health in Later Life” (with Karsten Hank)	2021
IV ISA Forum of Sociology, Porto Alegre (BRA, virtual), “A New Perspective on Family Demography – Changing Compositions and Individual Positions in Multigenerational Families”	2021
Annual Conference of the German Demographic Society (DGD), Cologne (DE), “Participation Patterns of Secondary Respondents: Following Mothers in the German Family Panel Study” (with Martin Wetzel)	2018
Annual Conference of the German Demographic Society (DGD), Cologne (DE), “Mismatch between public childcare-related attitude and behavior - A comparative analysis between eleven Central Eastern and Western European countries” (poster)	2018

### Participations in Workshops & Trainings

Workshop “Matrix Approaches to Modelling Kinship: Theory and Applications”, Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research	2023
Workshop “Superpower Resilience - confident and relaxed on the career path”, Albertus Magnus Centre, University of Cologne	2023
Workshop “Preparing courses“, Center for Advanced Teaching and Learning (ZHD), University of Cologne (via online teaching)	2021
GESIS Summer School Courses: “Mathematical Tools for Social Scientists: A Refresher Course with R” and “Applied Multiple Imputation”, GESIS Cologne (DE, via online teaching)	2020
Workshop “Scientific presentation: presenting and discussing confidently”, Albertus- Magnus-Centre, University of Cologne (DE)	2020
SLLS Summer School on Longitudinal and Life Course Research, NCCR LIVES at the University of Geneva (CH)	2019
Workshop “SOEP@Campus@DIW Berlin 2019”, German Institute for Economic Research DIW, Berlin (DE)	2019

### Languages

German	Native speaker
English	Excellent, C1 (TOEFL 111 points in 5/2016)
Spanish	B2+
Dutch	A2 (beginners-course 9/2017 – 11/2017)

## Computer Skills

### *Scientific*

Advanced user of Stata

Basic user of R with advanced skills in sequence and cluster analysis, formal demographic kinship models (*DemoKin*), microsimulation (*rsocsim*)

Basic user of SPSS with specific skills in survival analysis and structural equation modelling with Amos

### *Other*

Microsoft Office, Overleaf