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#### **EDUCATION AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

Since Jan 2023 TU Munich

Jun 2020 - Dec 2022 ETH Zurich

Apr 2019 – May 2020 University of Regensburg

Aug 2016 - Oct 2016 University of Regensburg

Oct 2015 – Apr 2019 University of Leipzig Liebig Junior Research Group Leader "Carbene-substituted heterocycles for sustainable catalysis"

Postdoctoral researcher in the group of Prof. Hansjörg Grützmacher, Research on main-group biradicaloids

Postdoctoral researcher in the group of Prof. Robert Wolf, Computational and experimental investigations on first-row transition-metal complexes

Research stay at the group of Prof. Robert Wolf (collaboration as part of the PhD project)

Doctoral project (A carboranesubstituted 1,2-Diphosphetane Building Block for the Development of new Ligands with Potential Application in Homogeneous Catalysis, grade: summa cum laude) under the supervision of Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. mult. E. Hey-Hawkins, associated member of the Leipzig Graduate School of Natural Sciences - Building with Molecules Nano-objects and (BuildMoNa)

Jul 2014 – Sep 2014 and May 2015 – Jul 2015

University of St. Andrews

Research stays as part of the M.Sc. chemistry studies (advanced laboratory course and experimental for the M.Sc. thesis in the group of Dr. Petr Kilian)

Oct 2013 - Sep 2015 University of Leipzig

M.Sc. Chemistry (overall grade: 1.3, Masters's Thesis: Reactivity of rigid Backbone-supported Diphosphanes, grade: 1.0

Oct 2010 – Sep 2013 University of Leipzig B.Sc. Chemistry (overall grade: 1.4, B.Sc. Thesis: Synthese *P*-chiraler Phosphansulfide als Vorläufer von Phosphanliganden für die Homogene Katalyse, grade: 1.0))

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May 2010 High school degree (Abitur, grade:

1.0)

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

April 2012 – Dec 2014 University of Leipzig

Tutorials and seminars in Physical Chemistry, Inorganic Chemistry and

Organic Chemistry for undergraduate				
chemistry	students	(2 <sup>nd</sup>	to	4 <sup>th</sup>
semester)				

Dec 2015 – Dec 2018

Supervision of several students in advanced laboratory courses in Inorganic and Organometallic

Chemistry

Oct 2018 - Mar 2019 Seminar in General Chemistry for

University of Leipzig Medicine students

Jun 2019 Supervision of a laboratory course in University of Regensburg analytical chemistry for biologists (first

semester students)

Feb 2021 Supervision of a high school research

ETH Zurich project

# **SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS**

2005 – 2010	Distinctions and Awards in several olympiads (mathematics, physics, chemistry) at school (Federal State level)
2010	Award of the "Gesellschaft Deutscher Chemiker" for the best high school exams in Chemistry at the Gymnasium Greiz; entry in the honorary book of the grammar school Greiz
2013	Recognition award of the Freundeskreises der Fakultät für Chemie und Mineralogie for the second-best overall mark in the chemistry studies (B. Sc.)
2014	Deutschlandstipendium of the University of Leipzig
2014 – 2015	Fellowship of the Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes (chemistry studies)
2016 – 2019	PhD fellowship of the Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes

2020 BuildMoNa Award (3rd place) for

"Outstanding Scientific Results"

**2020 - 2022** Research Fellowship (Postdoc) of the

Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft

since 2023 Liebig fellowship of the FCI

#### ATTENDED CONFERENCES AND SUMMER SCHOOLS

## **Oral Presentations**

March 2017 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Graduate

School BuildMoNa (ABC), Leipzig, Germany. "Ortho-Carborane as backbone for the development of hemilabile ligands"

August 2017 Inorganic Colloquium at Hirschegg, Austria.

"Oxidative Additionsreaktion von carboransubstituierten Diphosphetanen mit Bis(1,5-

cyclooctadien)cobaltat(-I)"

March 2018 15<sup>th</sup> European Workshop on Phosphorus

Chemistry (EWPC), Uppsala, Sweden. "Oxidative P-P Bond Addition to Cobalt(-I)

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March 2018 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Graduate

School BuildMoNa (ABC), Leipzig, Germany, Schweden. "Oxidative P-P Bond

Addition to Cobalt(-I) "

**September 2018** 16<sup>th</sup> Mitteldeutsches Anorganiker-

Nachwuchssymposium (MANS), Jena, Germany. "Neue Zugänge zu Phosphanliganden mit nido-

Carboranrückgraf"

August 2019 Inorganic Colloquium at Hirschegg, Austria.

"Oxidative P-P Bindungsaddition an 3d-

Übergangsmetalle"

August 2022 42<sup>nd</sup> Internation Conference on

Coordination Chemistry (ICCC), Rimini, Italy. "From Wade-Mingos clusters to Huckel-Aromatics in single-electron transfer steps"

## Poster Presentations

March 2016 13<sup>th</sup> European Workshop on Phosphorus

Chemistry (EWPC), Berlin, Germany. "Synthesis of new Bisphosphanes starting from carborane-substituted 1,2-

Diphosphetanes "

**July 2016** 42<sup>nd</sup> Internation Conference on

Coordination Chemistry (ICCC), Brest, France. "Synthesis of Tetradentate Ligands starting from Carborane-substituted 1,2-

Diphosphetanes"

**July 2017** 22<sup>nd</sup> European Conference on

Organometallic Chemistry (EuCOMC), Amsterdam, Netherlands. "Synthesis and Characterisation of a Homoleptic

Cobalt(III)-phosphanido Complex"

September 2017 Summer School "Electronic Structure and

Spectroscopy of Transition Metal Complexes", Gelsenkirchen, Germany.

**September 2022** 18<sup>th</sup> European Workshop on Phosphorus

Chemistry (EWPC), Rostock, Germany. "Redox-chemistry of a carbene-stabilised

Triphosphinine Dianion"

# **OUTREACH**

**April 2022 – Feb 2023** Joint author of the "Blickpunkt Anorganik"

for the "Nachrichten aus der Chemie" (monthly issued magazine of the German

Chemical Society).

Oct. 2013 – Oct. 2015 Organisation and supervision of the

"Vierländerwettbewerb, Berlin, Brandenburg, Sachsen, Sachsen-Anhalt" (chemical Olympiad for senior high school students).

since 2013 Member of the "Friends of the Chemical

Olympiad" (Förderverein Chemie-

olympiade, FChO).

since 2010 Member of the German Chemical Society

(Gesellschaft Deutscher Chemiker,

GDCh).