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PERSONAL

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German citizenship

U.S. Permanent Resident

ACADEMIC POSITION

2004- Assistant Professor of Sociology, Stanford University (on leave 2008-10).

EDUCATION

2004 Ph.D., Department of Sociology, Columbia University, New York.

2001 M.Phil., Department of Sociology, Columbia University, New York.

1995 M.A. (Diplom), Department of Social Sciences, Humboldt University, Berlin.

RESEARCH GRANTS

2006-09 “Commerce and Crime: States, Property Rights, and the War on Trade, 1700-1815.” Principal Investigator. \$118,209. National Science Foundation (SES-0550848).

2005-07 “Illegal Markets and the State: Evidence from Eighteenth Century Privateering.” Principal Investigator. \$ 24,978. OTL Research Incentive Fund Award, Stanford University.

2005-06 “The Political Economy of Illegal Organization: Evidence from Eighteenth-Century Privateering.” Principal Investigator. \$ 6,450. VPUE Faculty Grant for Undergraduate Research, Stanford University.

2001-02 “Time-variant Effects of Risk and Protective Factors on Sexual Behavior in Adolescent Relationships.” Sexuality Research Fellowship. \$ 28,000. Sponsored by the Social Science Research Council. Funded by the Ford Foundation.

PUBLICATIONS

Hillmann, Henning. 2008. "Localism and the Limits of Political Brokerage: Evidence from Revolutionary Vermont." *American Journal of Sociology*, vol. 114 (September): pp. 287-331.

Hillmann, Henning. 2008. "Mediation in Multiple Networks: Elite Mobilization before the English Civil War." *American Sociological Review*, vol. 73 (June): pp. 426-454.

Hillmann, Henning. 1997. "Between Commitment and Autonomy: Elements toward a Sociology of Intellectuals." *Berliner Journal für Soziologie*, vol. 7(1): pp. 71-86.

WORK IN PROGRESS

Hillmann, Henning, and Christina Gathmann. "From Privateers to Navy: How Sea Power Became a Public Good." *Under review* (Presentations: Cliometrics, MIT, Mannheim, Stanford, ASA, AEA, MPSA, All-UC).

Hillmann, Henning, and Brandy L. Aven. "Fragmented Networks and Entrepreneurship in Late Imperial Russia." *Under review* (Presentations: ASA, Sunbelt, Harvard, Chicago, Mannheim, Berkeley).

Hillmann, Henning. *Merchants and Privateers*. Book manuscript.

Hillmann, Henning, and Denis Trapido. "Status Politics from Economic Collaboration: Evidence from Eighteenth-Century Bristol." (Presentation: Sunbelt, San Diego).

AWARDS AND HONORS

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| 2008-09 | Faculty Fellow, Institute for Research in the Social Sciences, Stanford University. |
| 2004 | Dissertation defended with Distinction. |
| 2003 | Dissertation Fellowship, GSAS, Columbia University.
SSHA-Rockefeller Graduate Student Award, Social Science History Association. |
| 2002 | Alex Inkeles Prize, Department of Sociology, Columbia University.
Dean's Fellowship, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Columbia University. |
| 1998-2001 | Paul F. Lazarsfeld Fellowship, Department of Sociology, Columbia University. |
| 1997 | DAAD Graduate Fellowship, German Academic Exchange Service. |
| 1996 | TEMPUS Exchange Fellowship, European Commission. |
| 1995 | M.A. (Diplom) thesis defended with Distinction. |

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 2009 Department of Sociology, University of California, Berkeley.
- 2008 Center for European Social Research (MZES), University of Mannheim.
- 2007 Conference on the Emergence of Social Organization. Graduate School of Business and Department of Sociology, University of Chicago.
MIT-Harvard Economic Sociology Seminar (Harvard Sociology).
- 2006 Center for European Social Research (MZES), University of Mannheim.
International Seminars Series, Harvard Business School.
MIT-Harvard Economic Sociology Seminar (MIT Sloan).
- 2005 Social Science History Workshop, Department of Economics, Stanford University.
CDDRL-SIEPR Conference, “The Structure and Evolution of Institutions”, Stanford University.
SCANCOR Seminar Series, Stanford University.
Organizational Behavior Seminar Series, Stanford Graduate School of Business.
- 2004 Anthropological Science Department Seminar Series, Stanford University.
- 2003 Chicago Graduate School of Business; Department of Sociology, Princeton University;
Department of Sociology, Stanford University.
- 2002 Comparative Research Workshop, Department of Sociology, Yale University.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2009 International Sunbelt Social Networks Conference, San Diego, CA.
World Economic History Congress, Utrecht, the Netherlands.
- 2008 American Economic Association, Annual Meeting, New Orleans.
- 2007 Cliometrics Society, Annual Meeting, Tucson, Arizona.
All-UC Group in Economic History Conference, UC Davis.
American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting, New York.
- 2006 Midwest Political Science Association National Conference, Chicago.
International Sunbelt Social Networks Conference, Vancouver, BC.
American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting, Montréal.
- 2005 International Sunbelt Social Network Conference Redondo Beach, CA.
American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting, Philadelphia.

- 2003 American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
- 2002 Social Science History Association, Annual Meeting, St. Louis, KS.
Second European Thematic Conference for Network Analysis, Lille, France.

CLASSES TAUGHT

- Soc 126. Introduction to Social Networks. Undergraduate (Winter 07, Fall 07).
- Soc 160. Formal Organizations. Undergraduate (Winter 05, Winter 06).
- Soc 180. Sociological Research Methods. Undergraduate (Spring 05, Fall 05).
- Soc 180b. Evaluation of Evidence. Undergraduate (Spring 07, Winter 08).
- Soc 312. Workshop on Political Sociology. Graduate (Fall through Spring 07/08).
- Soc 324. Social Networks Seminar. Graduate (Winter 05, Fall 05, Spring 07, Winter 08).
- Soc 335. Illegal Organizations and the State. Graduate (Winter 06).

RECENT DISSERTATION COMMITTEES

Brandy L. Aven; Kaisa Snellman; Denis Trapido; Rebecca Hwang (IPER); Sean Everton; Songhua Hu; Byung-Soo Kim; Young-Choon Kim; Jeung-eun Lee; Jennifer Van Stelle.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2008 Session Chair. World Congress of Cliometrics, Edinburgh, Scotland.
- 2002 Session Chair and Organizer, Section on States and Societies, Social Science History Association, Annual Meeting, St. Louis, KS.

Manuscript reviewer: *American Journal of Sociology*, *American Sociological Review*, *International Sociology*, *Mobilization*, *Organization Science*, *Sociological Perspectives*, *Social Science History*, *World Politics*.

DEPARTMENT AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- 2006-08 Graduate Studies Committee. Department of Sociology, Stanford University.
- 2006 University chair, dissertation committee for Rebecca Hwang. Stanford Interdisciplinary Graduate Program in Environment and Resources (IPER).
- 2004-06 Graduate Admissions Committee. Department of Sociology. Stanford University.

2005-06 Organizer, Colloquium Series. Department of Sociology. Stanford University.

REFERENCES

- Peter S. Bearman Cole Professor of the Social Sciences. Columbia University. Phone: +1 212-854-3094. E-mail: psb17@columbia.edu
- Richard Lachmann Professor of Sociology. Department of Sociology. State University of New York at Albany. Phone: +1 518-442-4682. E-mail: r.lachmann@albany.edu
- Harrison C. White Giddings Professor of Sociology. Department of Sociology. Columbia University. Phone: +1 212-854-4115. E-mail: hcw2@columbia.edu