

# Curriculum Vitae

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### CURRENT POSITIONS

- since 05/2011 Senior Researcher, Austrian Foundation for Development Research (ÖFSE), Research Department, Global Economy and Development, Vienna  
*(includes parental leaves from 10/2013-05/2014 and 08/2016-02/2017)*
- since 01/2013 Research Associate, University of Cape Town, Policy Research on International Services and Manufacturing (PRISM), Cape Town

### EDUCATION

- 2005-2008 Ph.D. in Economics *with honors*, New School for Social Research, New York  
(Dissertation title: 'Financial Structure, Investment, and Economic Development - A Flow of Funds Analysis of Emerging Countries')
- 2003-2011 Doctorate in Economics, Vienna University of Economics and Business, Vienna  
(Dissertation title: 'Working in Global Production Networks: Industrial and Social Upgrading in Apparel and Electronics in Central and Eastern Europe')
- 1999-2003 Master in Economics, Vienna University of Economics and Business
- 1998-2003 Master in Commerce, Vienna University of Economics and Business

### PAST POSITIONS

- 10/2008-10/2010 Economist (JPO Programme), The World Bank, International Trade Department, Poverty Reduction and Economic Management Network, Washington D.C.
- 09-11/2007 United Nations University World Institute for Development Economics Research (UNU WIDER), Helsinki, PhD Research Intern
- 07-08/2005 International Monetary Fund (IMF), Washington D.C., Research Intern
- 09/2003-06/2005 Research Assistant, Vienna University of Economics and Business, Department of Economics

### VISITING POSITIONS

- 09/2008 Institute for Human Sciences, Vienna, Visiting Junior Fellow
- 05/2008 University College London, School for Slavonic and Eastern European Studies, Visiting Junior Fellow
- 01-04/2008 University of Manchester, Centre for the Study of Political Economy, Visiting Junior Fellow
- 07/2007 University of Cambridge, Cambridge Advanced Programme on Rethinking Development Economics (CAPORDE)
- 01-05/2006 United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA), New York, Research Intern

01/2006 Summer Institute 'Development, Democracy and Diversity', Transregional Center for Democratic Studies (New School) & EDGE Institute (University of Johannesburg), Cape Town

01-05/2001 University of Wisconsin, Visiting MA Student

### **THIRD-PARTY FUNDS**

01/2016-12/2018 Danish Council for Independent Research, 'Getting out of the Learning Trap: African-owned firms building capabilities in global value chains (AFRICAP)', Roskilde University (part of research team)

12/2016-11/2018 Jubilee Fund of the Austrian National Bank, 'Financialising commodity markets and global value chains in cocoa and coffee? The role of commodity trading houses', ÖFSE (principal investigator)

09/2012-05/2015 Jubilee Fund of the Austrian National Bank, 'Financial Markets and the Commodity Price Boom: Macroeconomic and Development Implications for Low-Income Countries', ÖFSE (principal investigator)

01/2009-12/2012 UK Department for International Development, 'Capturing the Gains: Economic and Social Upgrading in Global Production Networks and Trade', University of Manchester (part of researcher team)

09/2009-06/2010 'Netzwerk Wissenschaft', Austrian Chamber of Labour: Securing Labour Rights in Global Production Networks (co- principal investigator)

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### **FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS**

07/2007-09/2008 Ph.D. Fellowship of the Austrian Academy of Sciences (DOC-team), The Accountability of States and Transnational Corporations for Labour Rights in Global Production Networks

07/2006-09/2008 New School for Social Research, New York

- Ph.D. Graduation Award
- Dissertation Scholarship
- India China Institute Research Fellowship
- Summer Research Award

08/2005-06/2006 Fulbright Scholarship for Ph.D. studies in the United States

01/2001-06/2003 Vienna University of Economics and Business

- Merit Scholarship
- Study Abroad Scholarship

### **RESEARCH CONSULTANCIES**

2016-2017 *German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ): Preferential Market Access and Sustainable Development in Global Value Chains*

2016-2017 *German Society for International Cooperation (GIZ): Enhancing the Quality of Industrial Policies 2 (EQUIP 2) Toolbox Module: Institutional Setup*

2016 *United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD): Background Paper 'Global value chains, industrialization and industrial policy in developing countries' for the 'Trade and Development Report 2017*

- 2015-2016 *International Centre on Trade and Sustainable Development (ICTSD):* Global Value Chains, end markets and economic and social upgrading in Ethiopia's apparel export sector
- 2015-2016 *International Centre on Trade and Sustainable Development (ICTSD):* Global Value Chains and Gender
- 2015-2016 *The Commonwealth Secretariat:* Clothing Global Value Chains and Sub-Saharan Africa: Global Exports, Regional Dynamics, and Industrial Development Outcomes
- 2014-2015 *The World Bank, Finance and Private Sector Development Unit:* Benchmarking of South Asia's textile and apparel sector for inclusive development
- 2013 *United Nations Industrial Development Organisation (UNIDO):* Review of the South Africa's Manufacturing Competitiveness Enhancement Program (MCEP)
- 2012-2013 *United Nations Industrial Development Organisation (UNIDO):* Thematic evaluation of UNIDO projects related to Industrial Upgrading
- 2012-2013 *Inter-American Development Bank (IADB):* Challenges for Global Value Chain Interventions in Latin America
- 2012 *African Development Bank (AfDB):* Challenges and Opportunities to Private Sector Development in Lesotho: Clothing and Textile Value Chains
- 2011-2013 *The World Bank, International Trade Department (PRMTR):* Making foreign investment work for Sub-Saharan Africa: Local spillovers and competitiveness in global value chains
- 2010-2012 *The World Bank, International Trade Department (PRMTR):* Global value chains, economic upgrading, and gender: case studies of the horticulture, tourism, and call center industries
- 2010-2011 *The World Bank, Poverty Reduction and Equity Department (PRMPR):* Sewing success? Employment, wages, and poverty following the end of the Multi-fibre Arrangement

#### **ACADEMIC TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- 2015-2016 Commodities and Development, Master's Degree Program in International Development, Department of Development Studies, University of Vienna
- 2012 European Economic Integration, Bachelor's Degree Program in International Banking and Finance, University of Applied Sciences bfi Vienna
- 2011-2012 International Economics, Master's Degree Program in European Economy and Business Management, University of Applied Sciences bfi Vienna
- 2008-2010 Economic Development in the Context of Global Production and Trade Networks, Project "International Development", University of Vienna
- 2006 Financial Markets, Trade, and Economic Development, Project "International Development", University of Vienna
- 2003-2005 Development Economics, Project "International Development", University of Vienna
- 2003-2005 International Macroeconomics, Department of International Economics and Development, Vienna University of Economics and Business

### **SUPERVISED THESES**

Master Thesis by Michael Vysin, Department of Development Studies, The role of development cooperation for upgrading in Uganda's organic fruit value chain, submitted February 2017.

### **REVIEW WORK**

Journal of Development Studies	The European Journal of Development Research
Review of International Political Economy	European Urban and Regional Studies
Review of African Political Economy	African Affairs
World Trade Review	Journal of International Trade & Economic Development
Austrian Journal of Development Studies	

### **EDITORIAL WORK**

since 2011	Part of editorial team, <i>Kurswechsel – Zeitschrift für gesellschafts-, wirtschafts- und umweltpolitische Alternativen</i> (Journal for Societal, Economic and Environmental Policy Alternatives)
2003-2005	Part of editorial team, <i>Journal für Entwicklungspolitik</i> (Austrian Journal of Development Studies)