

## Curriculum Vitae · Judith Müller

### Employment

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<i>Jun 2023 – present</i>	<b>PostDoc, Heidelberg Center for Ibero-American Studies (HCIAS), Heidelberg University</b>
<i>Oct 2022 – Oct 2023</i>	<b>Managing Director, KIT-Center Humans and Technology, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT)</b>
<i>May 2021- Oct 2023</i>	<b>Research Associate, KIT-Center Humans and Technology, KIT</b>
<i>Apr – July 2023</i>	<b>Lecturer, Dpt. for Regional Studies, KIT</b> Project study course on participatory methodology (M.A.)
<i>Oct 2021 - Apr 2022</i>	<b>Lecturer, Dpt. of Geography, Heidelberg University</b> Introduction to Human Geography (B.Sc.)
<i>Apr - Sep 2021</i>	<b>Research Associate, South Asia Institute (SAI), Heidelberg University</b>
<i>Dec 2020 - Apr 2021</i>	<b>Parental Leave</b>
<i>May - Oct 2019</i>	<b>Academic Assistant, Heidelberg Center for the Environment (HCE), Heidelberg University</b>
<i>Jan - Sept 2017 &amp; Feb - May 2018</i>	<b>Parental Leave</b>
<i>Oct 2014 - Aug 2018</i>	<b>Research Associate, HCE, Heidelberg University</b> Interdisciplinary Junior Research Group: „ <a href="#">Environment and Health in Arid Regions</a> “, group leader: Dr. Juliane Dame
<i>Sep – Dec 2011</i>	<b>Project Associate, Forum Civil Peace Service, Prishtina, Kosovo</b> Media Project “Dealing with the Past”

### Education

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<i>May 2021</i>	<b>Ph.D. in Human Geography, Heidelberg University</b> Title of dissertation: “Urban Mountain Waterscapes in Leh, Indian Trans-Himalaya – The Transformation of Hydro-Social Relations” (Magna cum Laude)
<i>Oct 2014-May 2021</i>	<b>Ph.D. Candidate</b> Heidelberg Center for the Environment and South Asia Institute, Dpt. of Geography, Heidelberg University
<i>Oct 2006- Jun 2014</i>	<b>Magistra Artium (M.A.) in Geography and Communication Studies, Mainz University</b>

Title of thesis: "Identity and National Park. The Gorani in Kosovo" (Graded with Distinction)

*Aug 2008- Jun 2009*

**Political Sciences, Geography and Sociology, Umeå University, Sweden (ERASMUS Programme)**

### **Research Interests**

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Agri-Food Studies, Environmental Justice, Social Movements, Gender Studies, Postcolonial Studies, Urban Studies, Global Change, Sustainable Development, Hydro-Social Relations, Climate Change Adaption

### **Research Experience**

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<i>2014, 2015, 2016 and 2018</i>	Ladakh, India (total of eight months)
<i>2012</i>	Burkina Faso, Ghana, Benin, Togo (one month)
<i>2011, 2012</i>	Kosovo (total of two months)

### **Funding and Awards**

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<i>Oct 2018-Apr 2019</i>	<b>Completion grant</b> within the Excellence Initiative, Heidelberg University, valued at 9018€
<i>May 2018- Feb 2019</i>	<b>Fellowship</b> at the Zukunftskolleg of the Heidelberg Center for the Environment, scholarship for travel expenses, valued at 500€
<i>Aug-Sep 2018</i>	<b>Research travel grant</b> within the Excellence Initiative, Heidelberg University for research in Ladakh, valued at 1400€

### **Teaching Experience**

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<i>Summer term 2023</i>	<b>Project Study on Participatory Methodology</b> MA Regional Studies, KIT
<i>Winter term 2021/22</i>	<b>Introduction to Human Geography</b> BA Geography, Heidelberg University
<i>Summer term 2019</i>	<b>Student Conference</b> MA South Asian Studies, Heidelberg University
<i>Winter term 2018/2019</i>	<b>Qualitative Research Methods: Principal Tools and Case Studies from the Global South</b> MA Geography & South Asian Studies (with Medha Chaturvedi), Heidelberg University
<i>Winter term 2017/2018</i>	<b>Geographical Views on Water Dynamics in Arid Mountains</b> BA/MA Geography & South Asian Studies (with Carina Zang), Heidelberg University

- Winter term 2016/2017*    **Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Agriculture in South Asia during the Anthropocene**  
BA/MA Geography & South Asian Studies (with Julia Poerting), Heidelberg University
- Human-Environmental Research - "Water" from the Perspective of Human and Physical Geography**  
BA/MA Geography & South Asian Studies (with Carina Zang), Heidelberg University
- Winter term 2015/2016*    **Excursion: Bonn – Former Capital and Centre of Development Cooperation**  
BA/MA Geography & South Asian Studies (with Dr. Juliane Dame), Heidelberg University

### Event Organisation

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- 2022/23*                      **Research and Science Communication Tour: "Eucor-MobiLab Roadshow"**, tour through six cities in the Eucor region with the mobile participation laboratory "MobiLab"
- 2019*                         **Conference:** Annual conference of the „Arbeitskreis Südasien“, January 2019, South Asia Institute, Heidelberg
- 2018*                         **Workshop:** Reflexionen empirischer Forschungspraxis in der Geographie: Beispiele aus Südasien. Forschungswerkstatt Kritische Geographie, June 2018. Frankfurt am Main

### Languages

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*German* (native speaker), *English* (fluent), *French* (excellent command), *Spanish* (basic communication skills), *Swedish* (basic communication skills)

### Memberships

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- "Arbeitskreis Südasien" in the German Society for Geography (DGfG)
- International Association for Ladakh Studies (IALS)
- Heidelberger Geographische Gesellschaft (HGG)

### Trainings

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- April 2022*                      **Social Media**  
NaWik (National Institute for Science Communication, Karlsruhe, Germany)
- March 2021*                     **Science Communication**  
NaWik (National Institute for Science Communication, Karlsruhe, Germany)
- May 2018- Feb 2019*        **HCE-Zukunftskolleg**  
Programme to support (Post-)Doctoral fellows in

Environmental Studies (monthly meetings, coachings,  
excursions, mentoring, travel grant), Heidelberg University

*Feb 2016*

**Project management training**

Career Service, Heidelberg University

*Apr-Jun 2011*

**Training for development cooperation**

ASA-Programme/InWEnt GmbH, Germany

*Oct 2010*

**Documentary photography workshop**

NGO Omladinska Nevladina Organizacija, Becej/Serbia