

Dr. Sara Alice Möser

Curriculum Vitae (June 2024)

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PERSONAL DETAILS

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RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND EMPLOYMENT

Project Management DAB Panel Study since 2017
University of Bern
Department of Sociology of Education, Institute of Educational Science

Postdoctoral Researcher since 2021
University of Bern
Department of Sociology of Education, Institute of Educational Science

Research Visit 10.-12.2023
University of Bamberg and LfBi (Leibnitz Institute for Educational Trajectories)
with Prof. Dr. Cornelia Kristen (Chair of Sociology, Social Stratification)
and the National Educational Panel Study (NEPS)

Research Assistant 2017-2021
University of Bern
Department of Sociology of Education, Institute of Educational Science

Student Research Assistant 2016-2017
University of Bremen
Winners of Globalization? A Study on the Emergence of a Transnational Elite in Europe. Junior research group of Prof. Céline Teney

EDUCATION

Doctoral Student

2017-2021

University of Bern

Doctor philosophiae, Summa cum laude, September 30, 2021

Title of dissertation: Social Inequality of Educational Trajectories, Vocational Choices and Occupational Aspirations.

Committee: Prof. Dr. Rolf Becker and Prof. Dr. Cornelia Kristen

Master of Arts: Sociology and Social Research

2015-2017

University of Bremen

Overall Grade: very good (1.4)

Master Thesis: Transition to Vocational or Higher Education - a Mixed Methods Analysis of Criteria and Influences of Decision Making

Bachelor of Arts: Sociology

2012-2015

Heidelberg University

Overall Grade: very good (1.5)

Bachelor Thesis: Leitideen des bayerischen Gymnasiallehrplans. Eine kultursoziologische Analyse der Lehrpläne vor und nach der G8-Reform in Bayern

PUBLICATIONS

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

Rolf Becker, Sara Möser, David Glauser

Does the targeted Early Bird catch two Worms? A randomized experiment on the effects of combined prepaid and time-limited postpaid monetary incentives on survey participation.

under review.

Madlaina Jost und Sara Möser

Salary, Flexibility or Career Opportunity? A choice experiment on gender specific job preferences.

2023. *Frontiers in Sociology - Work, Employment and Organizations* (8).

DOI:10.3389/fsoc.2023.1154324

Sara Möser

Naïve or Persistent Optimism? - The Changing Vocational Aspirations of Children of Immigrants at the Transition from School to Work

2022. *Swiss Journal of Sociology*, 48(2), 255-284.

DOI:10.18148/srm/2022.v16i1.7896

Rolf Becker, Sara Möser, Nora Moser, David Glauser

Survey Participation in the Time of Corona: A Natural Experiment Concerning the Effect of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Survey Participation in a Swiss Panel Study.

2022. *Survey Research Methods*, 16 (1).

DOI: /10.18148/srm/2022.v16i1.7896

Sara Möser, David Glauser, Rolf Becker

Valuation of Labour Market Entrance Positions among (Future) Apprentices - Results from two Discrete Choice Experiments

2019. *Journal of Choice Modelling* (33).

DOI: 10.1016/j.jocm.2019.100180

Rolf Becker, Sara Möser, David Glauser

Cash vs. Vouchers vs. Gifts in Web Surveys of a Mature Panel Study—Main Effects in a Long-Term Incentives Experiment Across Three Panel Waves

2019. *Social Science Research* (81), pp. 221-234.

DOI: 10.1016/j.ssresearch.2019.02.008.

BOOK CHAPTERS

Edith Kotitschke, Sara Möser, Sandra Gilgen, Rolf Becker

Familie und Bildung

2022. In: O. Arránz Becker, K. Hank, A. Steinbach (eds) *Handbuch Familiensoziologie*. Springer VS, Wiesbaden.
DOI: 978-3-658-35215-8_31-1

Rolf Becker, David Glauser, Sara Möser

Determinants of Educational Choice and Vocational Training Opportunities in Switzerland. Empirical Analyses with Longitudinal Data from the DAB Panel Study.

2020. *Against the Odds – (In)Equity in Education and Educational Systems*.
Dortmunder Symposium der Empirischen Bildungsforschung, Band 5

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Sara Möser

Platz für berufliche Träume. Entwicklung von Berufsaspirationen bei Jugendlichen.

2023. *Transfer - Berufsbildung in Forschung und Praxis*.
Online Version

Sara Möser, David Glauser, Rolf Becker

Geld, Sicherheit oder regelmässige Arbeitszeit? Worauf junge Leute achten, wenn sie eine (Lehr-) Stelle wählen

2019. *SGAB Newsletter 03*.
Online Version

Sara Möser, Céline Teney

Wer sind die europäischen Ärzte, die in Ost- und Westdeutschland arbeiten?

2017. *Arzteblatt Sachsen (11)*, pp. 494 - 495.
Online Version

Céline Teney, Katharina Bürkin, Regina Becker, Sara Möser, Sven Lenkewitz

Ärztinnen und Ärzte in Deutschland: erste Ergebnisse einer bundesweiten Umfrage zu beruflichen Erfahrungen, Zufriedenheit und Einstellungen.

2017. *Forschungsbericht. SOCIUM Forschungszentrum, Universität Bremen*.
Online Version

DATA PUBLICATIONS

DAB Panel Study: W1 - W10 [Dataset]

2024. *University of Bern, Department of Sociology of Education*.
Distributed by SWISSUbase, Lausanne: available soon.

DAB Panel Study: W1 - W9 [Dataset]

2022. *University of Bern, Department of Sociology of Education*.
Distributed by SWISSUbase, Lausanne. DOI: 10.48573/dqgk-ja58

DAB Panel Study: W1 - W8 [Dataset]

2021. *University of Bern, Department of Sociology of Education*.
Distributed by SWISSUbase, Lausanne. DOI: 10.48573/cf4p-6s72

DAB Panel Study: W1 - W7 [Dataset]

2020. *University of Bern, Department of Sociology of Education*.
Distributed by FORS, Lausanne. DOI: 10.23662/FORS-DS-946-5

DAB Panel Study: W1 - W6 [Dataset]

2019. *University of Bern, Department of Sociology of Education*.
Distributed by FORS, Lausanne. DOI: 10.23662/FORS-DS-946-4

DAB Panel Study: W1 - W5 [Dataset]

2019. *University of Bern, Department of Sociology of Education.*
Distributed by FORS, Lausanne. DOI: 10.23662/FORS-DS-946-3

DAB Panel Study: W1 - W4 [Dataset]

2018. *University of Bern, Department of Sociology of Education.*
Distributed by FORS, Lausanne.. DOI: 10.23662/FORS-DS-946-2

WORK IN PROGRESS

Sara Möser and Corinna Kleinert

The qualification and gender structure of occupational aspirations in Germany and Switzerland. Implications of differences and commonalities in institutional contexts.

Sara Möser and Julia Mayr

The political interest of young people in Germany and Switzerland.

Sara Möser and Magdalena Pratter

The Distribution and Allocation of Opportunities in tracked Education Systems. A Comparison of Germany and Switzerland.

Sara Möser, David Glauser and Robin Samuel

Life satisfaction in turbulent times: school to work trajectories after vocational education.

Sara Möser, Christoph Homuth and Felix Bittmann

The development of occupational aspirations at the transition from school to work.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

The DAB Panel Study - Design and Research Potential

Invited talk at Leibniz Institute for Educational Trajectories, Departmental Colloquium of Division 2, 10.2023

Salary, Flexibility or Career Opportunity? A choice experiment on gender specific job preferences

Oral presentation at Knowledge Societies – 4th Conference of the Academy of Sociology at University Bern, 08.2023

Forced or Unforced Choice? Including an Opt Out Alternative in a Choice Experiment on Gender Specific Job Preferences

Oral presentation at the ESRA conference at the University of Milan-Bicocca in Milan, 07.2023

Use of Incentives in the DAB Panel Study

Oral presentation at the ESRA conference at the University of Milan-Bicocca in Milan, 07.2023

The DAB Panel Study - Design and Research Potential

Invited talk at University of Bamberg, Chair of Sociology, area Social Stratification, 07.2023

Salary, Flexibility or Career Opportunity? A choice experiment on gender specific job preferences

Oral presentation at the ISA RC28 Spring Meeting 2023 at Science Po Paris, 05.2023

Nutzen von Incentives in der DAB Panelstudie

Oral presentation at the 15. Workshop der Panelsurveys im deutschsprachigen Raum at DIW Berlin, 03.2023

Salary, Flexibility or Career Opportunity? A choice experiment on gender specific job preferences
Oral presentation at the 4th Annual Conference on Experimental Sociology in Utrecht University, 08.2022

Distribution and Allocation of Opportunities in the Swiss Education System
Poster presentation at the ISA RC28 Spring Meeting 2022 at LSE London, 04.2022

Bewertung von Lehr- und Arbeitsstellen beim Eintritt in den Arbeitsmarkt – Ergebnisse zweier Choice Experimente
Invited talk at PH St. Gallen, 04.2022

Distribution and Allocation of Opportunities in the Swiss Education System
Oral presentation at the 4th International TREE Conference: Life Course in the Making in Bern, 11.2021

Social selectivity on the path to higher vocational education
Oral presentation at the 11th International Conference of Panel Data Users in Switzerland at FORS Lausanne, 06.2021

Social selectivity on the path to higher vocational education
Oral presentation at the ISA RC28 Spring Meeting 2021, online, 06.2021

Naïve or persistent optimism? - The Changing Vocational Aspirations of Children of Immigrants at the Transition from School to Work
Oral presentation at the ISA RC28 Spring Meeting 2021, online, 06.2021

Valuation of Labour Market Entrance Positions among (future) Apprentices – Results from two Discrete Choice Experiments
Forschungskolloquium Soziologie at the University of Bern, 04.2021

Social selectivity on the path to higher vocational education
Oral presentation at the 5th International NEPS conference, online, 12.2020

Social selectivity on the path to higher vocational education
Oral presentation at SOCEDUC 2020 - Conference organised by the Sociology of Education Research Network of the Swiss Sociological Association (SSA), online, 11.2020

Value of further training opportunities
Oral presentation at the 40. DGS conference, online, 09.2020

Naïve or persistent optimism? - The Changing Vocational Aspirations of Children of Immigrants at the Transition from School to Work
Oral presentation at the digital ECSR conference, online, 07.2020

Naïve or persistent optimism? - Changing Vocational Aspirations of Children of Immigrants at the Transition from School to Work
Oral presentation at the 4th International NEPS conference in Bamberg, 11.2019

Educational Trajectories and Subjective Career Satisfaction
Oral presentation at the international conference "The Social Structure of Subjective Well-Being" in Luxembourg, 10.2019

Valuation of Labour Market Entrance Positions among (Future) Apprentices
Poster presentation at the ECSR conference in Lausanne CH, 09.2019

Cash vs. Vouchers vs. Gifts in Web Surveys of a Mature Panel Study — Main Effects in a Long-Term Incentives Experiment across Three Panel Waves

Oral presentation at the ESRA conference in Zagreb, 07.2019

Evolution of Educational and Vocational Aspirations of Immigrants

Round table talk at the International Conference on Immigrants' Integration: Educational Opportunities & Life Chances in Ascona, 06.2019

Evolution of Educational and Vocational Aspirations of Immigrants

Oral presentation at the 10th International Conference of Panel Data Users in Switzerland in Lausanne, 06.2019

Determinants of educational choice and vocational training opportunities - DAB panel study

Project presentation and Hands on Workshop at the Second Swiss Longitudinal Data Fair in Lausanne, 02.2019

Valuation of Apprenticeship and Job Attributes

Poster presentation at the conference "Analytische Soziologie: Theorie und empirische Anwendungen" in Venice, 11.2018

Valuation of Apprenticeship and Job Attributes

Poster presentation at the SERI Conference on VET research: Technological change and VET in Lausanne, 10.2018

DOI: 10.13140/RG.2.2.18690.94405

Transition from General Education to Vocational Training - Results from a Discrete Choice Experiment on Apprenticeship Positions

Oral presentation at the 26th annual workshop of the European Research Network on Transitions in Youth in Mannheim, 09.2018

Netzwerkkzusammensetzung und sozialer Herkunftseffekt

Poster presentation at the first congress of the Akademie für Soziologie: „Wachsende Ungleichheit – gespaltene Gesellschaft?“ in Munich, 04.2018

DOI: 10.13140/RG.2.2.23127.57766

CONFERENCE ORGANISATION

Immigrants' Integration: Educational Opportunities & Life Chances.

Member of the Scientific Committee of the international conference
from 23 June – 28 June 2019 at Monte Verità, Ascona, Switzerland.

REVIEWING

European Sociological Review
Frontiers in Sociology
International Journal of Public Opinion Research
Journal of Choice Modelling
Swiss Journal of Sociology
Plos One

FUNDING

Determinanten der Ausbildungswahl und Berufsbildungschancen (DAB V)

951'415 CHF, as co-applicant, Funding period: 60 months (07/2024 - 07/2029)
co-applicants: Prof. Dr. Rolf Becker and Dr. David Glauser

Visiting fellowships for young scholars by Academy of Sociology

2'000€ to finance a research stay at the University Bamberg and NEPS 10.-12.2023

Support for young scientists by the Faculty of Human Sciences at the University of Bern

Funding of a student assistant from 06/2021 to 12/2021

Determinanten der Ausbildungswahl und Berufsbildungschancen (DAB IV)

550'142 CHF, as co-applicant, Funding period: 54 months (01/2020 - 06/2024)
co-applicants: Prof. Dr. Rolf Becker and Dr. David Glauser
SERI project-nr.:131500103

ESRA scholarship to attend the GESIS Summer School 2019

Participation Fee of 300 €

CIDER Summer School at WZB Berlin 2017

Fully funded by CIDER

FURTHER POSTGRADUATE TRAINING

Essentials for Teaching in Higher Education

by Lydria Rufer

University of Bern, Learning and Development

06.2024

Writing and Peer Reviewing for Publication in the Humanities and Social Sciences

by Dr. Anne Zimmermann

University of Bern, Transferable Skills Program for (Post)Docs

04.2024

Project Management – a toolbox for scientists

by Dr. Sina Henrichs

University of Bern, Transferable Skills Program for (Post)Docs

04.2023

Survey Sampling and Weighting

by Dr. Simon Kühne, Jannes Jacobsen

GESIS Summer School in Survey Methodology

08.2020

Applied Panel Data Analysis

by Prof. Dr. Michael Gebel

University of Bern, Doctoral Workshop Phil.hum. Faculty

12.2019

Optimizing your Research Data Management

by Research Data Management Team

University Library Bern

12.2019

Statistical Analysis of Incomplete Data

by Dr. Florian Meinfelder, Angelina Hammon

GESIS Summer School in Survey Methodology ESRA Scholarship 300€

08.2019

Panel Data Analysis for SEM Using Mplus

by Prof. Dr. Elmar Schlüter

GESIS Training Workshop

06.2018

Multilevel Analysis for Longitudinal Data Analysis Using R

by Dr. Jan R. Boehnke

05.2018

University of Bern, Doctoral Workshop Phil.hum. Faculty

Introduction to the Statistics Programme R

by Dr. Andreas Steingötter and Janine Burren

University of Bern, Doctoral Workshop Phil.hum. Faculty

04.2018

Factorial Surveys

by Dr. Valentina Di Stasio

CIDER Summer School at WZB Berlin

07.2017

TEACHING (ALL UNIVERSITY OF BERN)

Geschlechtsspezifische Ungleichheiten in Bildung und Beruf (BA Seminar)

HS 2024 HS 2022 FS 2020 FS 2018¹

Evaluation von Bildungssystemen (BA Seminar)

FS 2024 FS 2022¹ FS 2019¹

Empirische Bildungsforschung – Vorbereitung & Durchführung eigener Datenanalyse (BA Seminar)

HS 2023²

Wie Bildungssysteme Lebenschancen strukturieren (BA Seminar)

FS 2023

Soziale Ungleichheiten in Bildung und Beschäftigung (BA Seminar)

HS 2021 HS 2019¹

Bildungssysteme im sozialen Wandel (BA Seminar)

HS 2018¹ Evaluation

Ethnische Ungleichheiten in Bildung und Beschäftigung¹ (MA Seminar)

HS 2018

Soziale Ungleichheit von Bildungschancen im Lebensverlauf (MA Seminar)

FS 2018¹

¹ with Rolf Becker ² with Madlaina Jost

Supervision of Bachelor theses:

Anuschka Nastassja Bergmann, Svenja Ritter, Alexandra Cristal, Nayana-Maria Chakkalakkal, Jessica DiMeo, May-Madeleine Gysi, Ana Irima, Esperanza Marx, Mara Ann Wiedermann

Supervision of Master theses:

Martina Köhli, Lisa Kummer

SKILLS

Language English and German (native) French (basic)

Statistics Stata, R, MPlus, SAS

Computing LaTeX, Questback Unipark, Endnote, Zotero, MS Office, MAXQDA

MEMBERSHIPS AND PROGRAMMES

Akademie für Soziologie

COMET – Coaching, Mentoring and Training (Career Programme at University of Bern)

EQUAL-NET (An Interdisciplinary Network of Research-Practice-Partnerships)

ESRA - European Survey Research Association

International Sociological Association - RC28