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Professor of European Ethnology/Social Anthropology and Human-Environment Relations

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Academic degrees

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| 2012-2016 | Juniorprofessorship: European Ethnology, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, |
| 1998-2001 | PhD Environmental Sciences, University of East Anglia, 2001, Committee: Gerrard, Bateman, Bentham; Examiners: Pidgeon, Wiedemann |
| 1995-1998 | BSc Environmental Sciences, School of Environmental Sciences, University of East Anglia, UK, Thesis: O’Riordan |

Professional experience

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| Since 2017 | Director of IRI THESys, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin |
| Since 2016 | Professor of Social Anthropology and Human-Environment Relations |
| 2010-2011 | Guest Professor for the Anthropology of Knowledge, Institute of European Ethnology, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin |
| 2007-2010 | PI and Coordinator of the BMBF Research Cluster Preventive Self at HU Berlin |
| 2004-2007 | Head of the Collaboratory: Social Anthropology & Life Sciences, HU Berlin |
| 2003-2004 | Research Associate, Max Delbrueck Center for Molecular Medicine |
| 2001-2003 | Research Associate, Programme on Understanding Risk, School of Environmental Sciences, University of East Anglia, UK |
| 1998–2003 | Research Associate, Centre for Environmental Risk, University of East Anglia, UK |

Research Grants

- DFG Grant “Bedürfnisse erkennen – Peer Berater_innen und die Umsetzung des Bundesteilhabegesetzes für Menschen mit psychiatrischen Behinderungen in Berlin“, 2022-2024.
- Einstein Research Unit “Climate and Water under Change”, Co-Speaker, Berlin University Alliance, 2022-2024.
- VW Foundation, “Water Security for Whom?”, Principal Investigator, 2021-2024.
- DFG Grant “Urban everyday life of people with psychosis experience – a collaborative-ethnographic inquiry by anthropology and psychiatry”, 2020-2023.
- Principal Investigator in the Cluster of Excellence “Matters of Activity” 2019-2025.
- H2020 Innovation Action: “EdiCitNet. Integrating Edible City Solutions for socially resilient and sustainably productive cities” (H2020-SCC-2018-2023); work package lead.
- BMBF Research Cluster: “Food for the Future”, BMBF, 2019-2023, Principal Investigator Subproject.
- KOSMOS Summer University 2014, HU Berlin funded through Excellence Initiative

- DFG Grant "The production of chronicity in the everyday life of psychiatric care and research in Berlin.", DFG, 2010-2016, Co-Applicant and Principal Investigator (together with Prof. Beck, Prof. Zaumseil/FU, Dr. med. von Peter/Charité)
- EU Grant: "Seismic. Societal engagement in science, mutual learning in cities" EU FP7, PI subproject, 2013-2016.
- BMBF Research Cluster: "Preventive Self" Coordinator/PI with Prof. Beck, WZB, Charité Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Universität Hamburg. BMBF, 2007-2010.

Academic Offices and Duties

Since 4/2021	Head of Department, Institute of European Ethnology, HU Berlin
Since 2013	Founding Member of HU Berlin's Integrative Research Institute on Transformations of Human-Environment Systems
2016-2019	Dean of Academic Affairs, Faculty of the Humanities, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
2012-2019	Board Member of the Georg Simmel Centre for Metropolitan Studies
Since 2009	Editor of the Journal Science & Technology Studies Editor of the book series MatteRealities (transcript) Editor of the book series Wissenschafts- und Technikforschung (Nomos) Editorial board: BioSocieties

Selected Publications

- Niewöhner, J. (2021). "Making Evidence in the Future Perfect." *Historical Social Research/Historische Sozialforschung* 46(2): 35-58.
- Bieler, P., et al. (2021). "Distributing Reflexivity through Co-laborative Ethnography." *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography* 50(1): 77-98.
- Ocaklı, B., et al. (2020). "Shades of Conflict in Kyrgyzstan: National Actor Perceptions and Behaviour in Mining." *International Journal of the Commons* 14(1).
- Niewöhner, J. (2020). Situating Biologies: Studying Human Differentiation as Material-Semiotic Practice. *Biosocial Worlds: Anthropology of Health Environments Beyond Determinism*. J. Seeberg, A. Roepstorff and L. Meinert. London, UCL Press. 1: 44-68.
- Niewöhner, J. (2019). After practice. Thinking through matter(s) and meaning relationally. *After Practice*. L. A. o. E. H. Relations. Berlin, Panama. I: 10-26.
- Niewöhner, J. (2019). Situierete Modellierung. *Ethnographische Ko-Laboration in der Mensch-Umwelt Forschung*. Zusammen arbeiten. Praktiken der Koordination und Kooperation in kollaborativen Prozessen. S. Groth and C. Ritter. transcript: 23-50.
- Sørensen, E., et al. (2018). "From scholastic to emic comparison: Generating comparability and handling difference in ethnographic research." *The SAGE handbook of qualitative data collection*: 148-163.
- Niewöhner, J. and M. Lock (2018). "Situating local biologies: Anthropological perspectives on environment/human entanglements." *Biosocieties* 13(4): 681-697
- Hauer, J., et al. (2018). "Landscapes of hoping – urban expansion and emerging futures in Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso." *Anthropological Theory* 18(1): 59-80
- Bieler, P. and J. Niewöhner (2018). *Universal Biology, Local Society? Notes from Anthropology*. The Palgrave Handbook of Biology and Society, Springer: 641-662.

- Sørensen, E., et al. (2017). From Scholastic to Emic Comparison: Generating Comparability and Handling Difference in Ethnographic Research. Handbook of Qualitative Data Collection. U. Flick, Sage: Chapter 10.
- Niewöhner, J. and S. Beck (2017). Phänomenographie: Sinn-volle Ethnographie jenseits des menschlichen Maßstabs. Kulturen der Sinne. Zugänge zur Sensualität der Sozialen Welt. K. Braun, C.-M. Dieterich, T. Hengartner and B. Tschofen. Würzburg, Königshausen & Neumann: 78-96.
- Liburkina, R. and J. Niewöhner (2017). Laborstudien. Science and Technology Studies - Klassische Positionen und aktuelle Perspektiven. S. Bauer, T. Heinemann and T. Lemke. Frankfurt am Main, Suhrkamp: 173-197.
- Bieler, P. and J. Niewöhner (2017). Universal biology, local society? Notes from anthropology. Handbook of Biology and Society. M. Meloni, J. Cromby, D. Fitzgerald and S. Lloyd. Basingstoke, Palgrave MacMillan: 641-662.
- Niewöhner, J., et al., Eds. (2016). Land use competition. Ecological, economic and social perspectives. Human-Environment Interactions. Dordrecht, Springer.
- Niewöhner, J., et al. (2016). "Phenomenography: Relational investigations into modes of being-in-the-world." Cyprus Review 28(1): 67-84
- Friis, C., et al. (2016). "From teleconnection to telecoupling: taking stock of an emerging framework in land system science." Journal of Land Use Science 11(2): 131-153
- Bister, M. D., et al. (2016). The cosmopolitics of 'niching': Rendering the city habitable along infrastructures of mental health care. Urban Cosmopolitics: Agencements, Assemblies, Atmospheres: 187-205.
- Niewöhner, J. (2015). "Epigenetics: localizing biology through co-laboration." New Genetics and Society 34(2): 219-242
- Niewöhner, J. (2015). Infrastructures of Society (Anthropology of). International Encyclopedia of the Social & Behavioral Sciences 2nd edition Vol 12. J. D. Wright. Oxford, Elsevier. 12: 119-125.
- Klausner, M., et al. (2015). "Choreographies of clinical and urban everyday life. Results of a co-laborative ethnography with social psychiatry." Zeitschrift für Volkskunde 111(2): 214-235.
- Niewöhner, J. (2014). "Ecologies of the city: Ethnographies of bio-And geopolitical practice." Zeitschrift für Volkskunde 110(2): 185-214.
- Pickersgill, M., et al. (2013). "Mapping the new molecular landscape: social dimensions of epigenetics." New Genetics and Society 32(4): 429-447.
- Niewöhner, J., et al. (2012). Science and Technology Studies aus sozial- und kulturanthropologischer Perspektive. Science and Technology Studies. Eine sozialanthropologische Einführung. S. Beck, J. Niewöhner and E. Sørensen. Bielefeld, transcript: 9-48.
- Vailly, J., et al., Eds. (2011). De la vie biologique à la vie sociale. Approches sociologiques et anthropologiques. Les nouvelles frontières de la société française. Paris, La Découverte.
- Niewöhner, J., et al. (2011). "Cardiovascular disease and obesity prevention in Germany: an investigation into a heterogeneous engineering project." Science, Technology & Human Values 36(5): 723-751.
- Niewöhner, J. (2011). "Epigenetics: Embedded bodies and the molecularisation of biography and milieu." Biosocieties 6(3): 279-298.
- Kontopodis, M., et al. (2011). "Investigating Emerging Biomedical Practices: Zones of Awkward Engagement on Different Scales." Science, Technology, & Human Values 36(5): 599-615.

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- Roepstorff, A., et al. (2010). "Enculturing Brains through Patterned Practices." *Neural Networks* 23(8-9): 1051-1059.
- Beck, S. and J. Niewöhner (2009). Localizing Genetic Testing and Screening in Cyprus and Germany: contingencies, continuities, ordering effects and bio-cultural intimacy. *Handbook of Genetics and Society. Mapping the New Genomic Era.* P. Atkinson, P. Glasner and M. Lock. London, Routledge: 76-93.
- Niewöhner, J., et al., Eds. (2008). *Wie geht Kultur unter die Haut? Emergente Praxis am Schnittfeld von Medizin, Sozial- und Lebenswissenschaften. VerKörperungen/MatteRealities: Perspektiven Empirischer Wissenschaftsforschung.* Bielefeld, transcript.
- Lipphardt, V. and J. Niewöhner (2007). "Producing difference in an age of biosociality. Biohistorical narratives, standardisation and resistance as translations." *Science, Technology & Innovation Studies* 3(1): 45-66.
- Beck, S. and J. Niewöhner (2006). "Somatographic investigations across levels of complexity." *Biosocieties* 1(2): 219-227.
- Walls, J., et al. (2005). "The Meta-Governance of risk and new technologies: gm crops and mobile telephones." *Journal of Risk Research* 8(7-8): 635-661.
- Niewöhner, J., et al. (2005). "Participatory prognostics in Germany—developing citizen scenarios for the relationship between biomedicine and the economy in 2014." *Technological Forecasting and Social Change* 72(2): 195-211.
- Poortinga, W., et al. (2004). "The British 2001 Foot and Mouth Crisis: A comparative Study of Public Risk Perceptions, Trust and Beliefs about Government Policy in Two Communities." *Journal of Risk Research* 7(1): 73-90.
- Niewöhner, J., et al. (2004). "Evaluating the efficacy of a mental models approach for improving occupational chemical risk protection." *Risk Analysis* 24(2): 349-361.
- Cox, P., et al. (2003). "The use of mental models in chemical risk protection: Developing a generic workplace methodology." *Risk Analysis* 23(2): 311-324.