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CV and Publications

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Research Interests:

Athens and its Benefactors
Emperor and Senators in Late Antiquity
Speech Acts of Ancient Rulers
Roman Gender History
Greek and Roman Epigraphy
Prosopography, Resilience Theory
Spatial Strategies in Antique Cities

Employment

since 09/2013	Assistant Professor of Ancient History (Akad. Rätin auf Zeit), Historisches Seminar, Goethe-Universität Frankfurt, (Chair: Professor Hartmut Leppin); Working title of habilitation: <i>Athens and its Benefactors, 80 BC to AD 68</i> . From 07/2019 to 07/2020 on parental leave; from 01/2015 to 12/2018 concomitantly director of the <i>Subproject A 02</i> ‘The Past as a Political Resource: Remembering as a Strategy in Greece under Rome’ within the <i>SFB 1095 ‘Discourses of Weakness and Resource Regimes’</i> at Goethe-Universität Frankfurt
04/2012 – 08/2013	Research and teaching associate (Wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin) in Ancient History , Historisches Seminar, Goethe-Universität Frankfurt (Chair: Professor Hartmut Leppin)

Academic Education

2008-2013	PhD in Classics at the University of Cambridge, UK (without corrections) 2011-2012: Scholar at the Historisches Institut of the Universität zu Köln 2009 : Scholar (Auditrice étrangère) at the ENS-Rue d’Ulm, Paris
2006-2007	MPhil in Classics, University of Cambridge (with distinction)
2003-2006	BA (Hons) in Classics, University of Cambridge (Corpus Christi College)

Academic Degrees

2013	PhD in Classics, University of Cambridge, UK. Without corrections. Thesis title: <i>Pristinam auctoritatem reddidisti. The Roman Senatorial Aristocracy from Constantine to Constantius II.</i>
2007	MPhil in Classics, University of Cambridge, UK. First class. Thesis title: Constantius II and his Officials.
2006	BA (Hons.) in Classics, University of Cambridge, UK
2002	Abitur, Humboldt-Gymnasium Ulm, Germany

Fellowships, Peer Review Activities, Memberships

Fellow	Johanna Quandt Young Academy at Goethe-University, Frankfurt (2019-2022)
Peer review	Cambridge University Press, Palgrave Macmillan Journal of Late Antiquity Polish National Foundation
Member	British Epigraphic Society, Deutscher Hochschulverband, Verband der Historiker und Historikerinnen Deutschlands, Mommsen-Gesellschaft, Forschungszentrum Historische Geisteswissenschaften Frankfurt, GRADE Centres Frankfurt, DFG-Network <u>Resources of Resilience in the Ancient World</u>

Conference Organisation

Oxford, 07/2022	International workshop on <i>Spatial Strategies in Late-Antique Rome II</i> , co-organized with Dr Monica Hellstrom (Oxford)
Bonn, 06/2022	International conference on <i>Women and Justice: Female Agency in Late Antique Legal Cultures (c. 280-c. 700)</i> , 10-11 June 2022, co-funded by the Bonn Centre for Dependency and Slavery Studies of the University of Bonn and the Johanna Quandt Academy at Goethe University Frankfurt. Co-organized with Prof Julia Hillner (Bonn) and Dr Nadine Grotkamp (Frankfurt)
Zoom/Online, 11/2021	International workshop on <i>Spatial Strategies in Late-Antique Rome II</i> , co-organized with Dr Monica Hellstrom (Oxford)
Zoom/Online 05/2021	<i>BES Third Epigraphic Conversation: 'Why were inscriptions reused or reinscribed?'</i> Organisation and hosting of an expert panel on the question of the reuse and reinscription of inscriptions in Antiquity for the British Epigraphic Society. A description of the panel, the presenters and their papers can be found <u>here</u> .
Frankfurt (Zoom) 02/2021	„ <i>Frauen in der Politischen Öffentlichkeit. Damals und Heute</i> “ Co-organisation of an online discussion by the Johanna Quandt Young Academy and the Cornelia Goethe Centrums der Goethe-Universität Frankfurt. An overview of the programme and a recording of the event can be found <u>here</u> .
Athens, 10/2016	<i>Strategies of Remembrance in Greece under Rome</i> International and interdisciplinary conference, in cooperation with the University of Groningen, The Netherlands Institute in Athens (NIA) and the German Archaeological Institute Athens. 19-21/10/2016, Athens. Funded through the NIA and the SFB 1095. <u>Conference report</u> . The papers of the conference have been published in 2017 in a collective volume <u>Strategies of Remembering in Greece under Rome (100 BC to 100 AD)</u> within the Publications of the NIA.
Frankfurt, 06/2016	<i>Vergangenheit als politische Ressource: Erinnern als Strategie in Griechenland unter römischer Herrschaft</i> Graduate conference, 17/06/2016, Goethe-Universität Frankfurt. Funded through the Mommsen-Gesellschaft. <u>Conference report</u> .
Frankfurt, 03/2015	<i>Imperial Presence in Late-Antique Rome, 3rd to 6th Century AD</i> International and interdisciplinary <u>conference</u> , 20-22 March 2015, Goethe-Universität Frankfurt. Funded through the DFG Reinhardt-Kosellek-Projekt

Christianisierungen im römischen Reich. The papers of the conference are published alongside 4 additional contributions in *Antiquité Tardive* 25 (2017/18).

Publications

Monographs	M. Moser (2018) <i>Emperor and Senators in the Reign of Constantius II. Maintaining Imperial Rule Between Rome and Constantinople in the Fourth Century AD</i> , Cambridge Classical Studies, Cambridge University Press. <i>Reviews (known to me): Gymnasium</i> 126.5 (2019), R. Brendel; <i>H-Soz-Kult</i> 21.10.2019, R. Westall; <i>Journal of Late Antiquity</i> 13.1 (2020), R.M. Frakes; <i>Classical Review</i> 70.1 (2020), Chr. L. Greenlee; <i>Plekos</i> 22 (2020), J. Weisweiler; <i>Clio</i> 103.1 (2021), C. Begass.
Edited volumes	M. Moser (2017) with T.M. Dijkstra, I.N.I. Kuin, M. Moser and D. Weidgenannt, <i>Strategies of Remembering in Greece under Rome (100 BC to 100 AD)</i> , <i>Publications of the NIA</i> VI, Sidestone Press, Leiden. <i>Reviews (known to me): Museum Helveticum</i> 75.2 (2019) U. Walter; <i>Sehepunkte</i> (2019) 19.2 A. Spawforth; <i>Historische Zeitschrift</i> 301.1 (2020) M. Osmers.
Themed collection of papers (in peer-reviewed journal)	M. Moser (2017) with S. Corcoran und M. McEvoy, <i>Imperial Presence in late-antique Rome (2nd to 6th centuries AD)</i> , <i>AnTard</i> 25, S. 11-262. . <i>Reviews (known to me): BMCR</i> 2019.06.27 S. Levante
Journal articles (peer-reviewed)	M. Moser (2017) Ein Kaiser geht auf Distanz: Zur Rompolitik Constans' I., in <i>AnTard</i> 25: 41-58. M. Moser (2017) with M. McEvoy: 'Imperial presence in late-antique Rome, 2nd to 6th centuries AD', in <i>AnTard</i> 25: 15-21. M. Moser (2016) 'Landownership and Power in the Senate of Constantinople', <i>Journal of Late Antiquity</i> , Vol. 9.2: 436-61.
Contributions to edited volumes	<i>Submitted:</i> M. Moser (2023) Boosting Constantinople: Imperial Intervention and Urban Development in (early) Late Antiquity, in J. Oberste und S. Ehrich Hg., <i>Herrscher in der Metropole. Spannungsfelder zwischen politischer Zentralität und urbaner Diversität in der Vormoderne</i> (Forum Mittelalter-Studien), Regensburg. M. Moser (2023) Augustan Cultural Memory in Roman Athens, in M. Dinter et al. (eds.) <i>Cultural Memory in Republican and Augustan Rome</i> , Cambridge University Press (peer-reviewed). M. Moser (2023), <i>Senatus consulta</i> , Prätur und <i>collatio glebalis</i> . Der Senat in Konstantinopel von Constantius II. bis Justinian, in P. Buongiorno/M. Miglietta (eds.), <i>Byzantinische Quellen für das Studium der senatus consulta: Wege zwischen Jurisprudenz und Historiographie</i> , Acta Senatus – Reihe B, Studien und Materialien 4, Steiner Verlag, Stuttgart (peer-reviewed) <i>In print:</i> M. Moser (2020) with A. Klein, Modern scandal theory: A means of understanding ancient Rome? in A. Haller/H. Michael (eds.), <i>Scandalogy</i> , Bd. 2, von Halem Verlag, Köln: 82-103.

	<p>M. Moser (2017) Reused Statues for Roman Friends: The Past as a Political Resource in Roman Athens, in T.M. Dijkstra, I.N.I. Kuin, M. Moser and D. Weidgenannt (eds.) (2017) <i>Strategies of Remembering in Greece under Rome (100 BC – 100 AD)</i>, <i>Publications of the NIA VI</i>, Sidestone Press, Leiden: 169-81.</p> <p>M. Moser (2017) with N.T.I. Kuin: Strategies of Remembering in Greece under Rome: Some conclusions, in T.M. Dijkstra, I.N.I. Kuin, M. Moser and D. Weidgenannt (eds.) (2017) <i>Strategies of Remembering in Greece under Rome (100 BC – 100 AD)</i>, <i>Publications of the NIA VI</i>, Sidestone Press, Leiden: 183-5.</p> <p>M. Moser (2017) with T.M. Dijkstra, I.N.I. Kuin und D. Weidgenannt: Introduction, in T.M. Dijkstra, N.T.I. Kuin, M. Moser and D. Weidgenannt (eds.) (2017) <i>Strategies of Remembering in Greece under Rome (100 BC – 100 AD)</i>, <i>Publications of the NIA VI</i>, Sidestone Press, Leiden 13-7.</p> <p>M. Moser (2016) Le concept de dynastie d'après les inscriptions de Constantin et des Constantinides, in O. Brandt (ed.) <i>Constantino e i Constantinidi: l'innovazione Constantiniana, le sue radici e i suoi sviluppi. 2 vols. Atti del XVI Congresso Internazionale di Archeologia Cristiana / Acta XVI Congressus internationalis archaeologiae christiana (Romae 22-28.9. 2013)</i>, Rome: 1235-43.</p> <p>M. Moser (2014) ‘Eine spätantike lateinische Inschrift aus Laodikea-ad-Mare als Dokument der zentralen Rolle von Häfen in der römischen Militärlogistik’, in W. Eck and P. Funke, (eds.) <i>Öffentlichkeit – Monument – Text. Akten des XIV Congressus Internationalis Epigraphiae Graecae et Latinae 27.-31. August MMXII</i>, De Gruyter, Berlin: 445-8.</p>
Entries to Dictionaries	<p>M. Moser (2018) Praefectus Praetorio and Praetorian Prefecture; Largitiones, Sacrae; Defensor Civitatis; Adoratio; Oriens [diocesis]; Domesticus; Tabularii, in O. Nicholson (ed.) <i>Oxford Dictionary of Late Antiquity</i>, Oxford University Press.</p> <p>M. Moser (2016) Konstantin I., in F. Daim (ed.) <i>Byzanz. Historisch-kulturwissenschaftliches Handbuch. Der Neue Pauly Supplemente 11</i>, Metzler Verlag, Stuttgart: 324-9.</p>
Reviews	<p><i>In print:</i></p> <p>F. K. Maier (2019) Palastrevolution. Der Weg zum hauptstädtischen Kaisertum im Römischen Reich des vierten Jahrhunderts. <i>Antike Imperien 1</i>, Paderborn, in <i>Clio</i> 2021, <i>Klio</i> 4.1 (2022): S. 415-419</p> <p>J. Alison Rosenblitt (2019) Rome after Sulla. London/New York/ Oxford/ New Delhi/ Sydney, in <i>Gnomon</i> 24.1 (2022), pp. 82-84.</p> <p>L. Meurer (2019) Vergangenes Verhandeln. Spätantike Statusdiskurse senatorischer Eliten in Gallien und Italien, <i>Millennium Studien</i> 79, Berlin/Boston, in: <i>AnTard</i> 29 (2021), pp. 331-333.</p> <p>B. Roller, Models from the Past in Roman Culture. A World of Exempla, Cambridge, in <i>HZ</i> 311 (2020), pp. 722-3.</p> <p>F. Ursin (2019) Freiheit, Herrschaft, Widerstand. Griechische Erinnerungskultur in der Hohen Kaiserzeit (1.-3. Jahrhundert n. Chr.), <i>Historia Einzelschriften</i> 255, Stuttgart, in: Sehepunkte 20 (2020) 15.09.2020.</p>

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- D. Burgersdijk, A. J. Ross, Hg., (2018) Imagining Emperors in the Later Roman Empire. Cultural interactions in the Mediterranean, Volume 1. Leiden/Boston, in: BMCR 2019.03.33.
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- P. Rousseau, Hrsg. (2009) A Companion to Late Antiquity. Wiley-Blackwell, in: CR 60.2, 2010, pp. 546-549
- H. Cotton, R. Hoyland, J. Price und D. Wasserstein, Hrsg. (2009) From Hellenism to Islam. Cultural and Linguistic Change in the Roman East. Cambridge University Press, in: H-Soz-u-Kult, 25.05.2010.
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