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Postgraduate Employment History

- Since 08/2021: Scientific employee at the Research Center [Sustainability-Transformation-Transfer], Eberswalde University for Sustainable Development
- 07/2013 – 07/2021: Scientific employee, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Faculty of Life Sciences¹, Albrecht Daniel Thaer-Institute of Agricultural and Horticultural Sciences, Systematic Zoology Division
- 07/2007 – 07/2013: Scientific employee, Museum für Naturkunde², Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Chair of Systematic Zoology

Studies and Academic Degrees

- 2011: Dissertation (Dr. rer. nat.), University of Veterinary Medicine Hannover, Foundation
'On the acclimatisation of African rhinoceros after re-introduction to former livestock farmland in Namibia'
- 2005: Diplom-Biologe (Dipl.-Biol.), Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg (courses in main studies: animal ecology, plant physiology, nature conservation, soil sciences)

Areas of Expertise

- Human-wildlife conflicts
- Interrelations between biodiversity and land use
- Ecological aspects of mammal communities (various organismic groups)
- Comparative considerations of ecosystems / “comparative ecology”

¹ Until 2014: Faculty for Agriculture and Horticulture, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

² Since Jan. 2009: Museum für Naturkunde, Leibniz-Institute for Research on Evolution and Biodiversity

Selected Publications

Articles in peer-reviewed journals

- Roque DV, Götttert T, Zeller U, Macandza VA. in press. Modelling the drivers of large herbivore distribution in human-dominated southern African savannas. *Ecosphere*
- Götttert T 2023. Cross-Landscape Approaches to Human Wildlife Conflicts—Naïve or Necessary? *Diversity*, 15(5):653. <https://doi.org/10.3390/d15050653>
- Götttert T, Perry G. 2023. Going Wild in the City—Animal Feralization and Its Impacts on Biodiversity in Urban Environments. *Animals*, 13(4): 747. <https://www.mdpi.com/2076-2615/13/4/747>
- Götttert T, Starik N. 2022. Human–wildlife conflicts across landscapes—general applicability vs. case specificity. *Diversity*, 14(5): 380. <https://doi.org/10.3390/d14050380>
- Roque DV, Macandza VA, Zeller U, Starik, N, Götttert T. 2022. Historical and current distribution and movement patterns of large herbivores in the Limpopo National Park, Mozambique. *Frontiers in Ecology and Evolution*, 10: 939408. <https://doi.org/10.3389/fevo.2022.939408>
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- Starik N, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2021. Spatial behavior and habitat use of two sympatric bat species. *Animals*, 11(12), 3460. <https://doi.org/10.3390/ani11123460>
- Zeller U, Götttert T. 2021. Humans, megafauna and landscape structure—Rock engravings from Namibia encourage a comparative approach to central Europe and southern Africa. *Vertebrate Zoology*, 71, 631-643. <https://doi.org/10.3897/vz.71.e72811>
- Starik N, Mbango O, Bengsch S, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2020. Landscape transformation influences responses of terrestrial small mammal communities to land use changes in north-central Namibia. *Diversity*, 12(12): 488. <https://doi.org/10.3390/d12120488>
- Rottstock T, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2020. Relatively undisturbed African savannas - an important reference for assessing wildlife responses to livestock grazing systems in European rangelands. *Global Ecology and Conservation*, 23: e01124. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.gecco.2020.e01124>
- Stoldt M, Götttert T, Mann C, Zeller U. 2020. Transfrontier conservation areas and human-wildlife conflict: the case of the Namibian component of the Kavango-Zambezi (KAZA) TFCA. *Scientific Reports*, 10: 7964. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41598-020-64537-9>
- Zeller U, Götttert T. 2019. The relations between evolution and domestication reconsidered - Implications for systematics, ecology, and nature conservation. *Global Ecology and Conservation*, 20: e00756. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.gecco.2019.e00756>
- Mannetti LM, Götttert T, Zeller U, Esler KJ. 2019. Identifying and categorizing stakeholders for protected area expansion around a national park in Namibia. *Ecology and Society*, 24(2): 5. <https://doi.org/10.5751/ES-10790-240205>

- Fiderer C, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2019. Spatial interrelations between raccoons (*Procyon lotor*), red foxes (*Vulpes vulpes*), and ground-nesting birds in a Special Protection Area of Germany. *European Journal of Wildlife Research*, 65: 14. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10344-018-1249-z>
- Starik N Götttert T, Heitlinger E, Zeller U. 2018. Bat community responses to structural habitat complexity resulting from management practices within different land use types - a case study from north-eastern Germany. *Acta Chiropterologica*, 20(2): 387-405. <https://doi.org/10.3161/15081109ACC2018.20.2.010>
- Mannetti L, Götttert T, Zeller U, Esler K. 2017. Expanding the protected area network in Namibia: An institutional analysis. *Ecosystem Services*, 28(B): 207-218. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ecoser.2017.08.008>
- Zeller U, Starik N, Götttert T. 2017. Biodiversity, land use and ecosystem services - an organismic and comparative approach to different geographical regions. *Global Ecology and Conservation*, 10(C): 114-125. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.gecco.2017.03.001>
- Götttert T, Grothmann P, Zeller U. 2015. Faecal corticosterone responses of black rhinos (*Diceros bicornis*) to a transfer between housing facilities within a zoo. *Journal of Zoo and Aquarium Research* 3(1): 25-28. <https://doi.org/10.19227/jzar.v3i1.92>
- Schwabe F, Götttert T, Starik N, Levick S, Zeller U. 2015. A study on the post-release behavior and habitat preferences of black rhinos (*Diceros bicornis*) reintroduced into a fenced reserve in Namibia. *African Journal of Ecology*, 53(4): 531-539. <https://doi.org/10.1111/aje.12245>
- Götttert T, Mensing N, Petersen H, Zeller U. 2011. Observations on bird species occurrence in combination with rhino monitoring on former livestock farmland: implications for developing a buffer zone at the south-western border of the Etosha National Park in Namibia. *Lanioturdus*, 44(5): 27-35.
- Götttert T, Schöne J, Zinner D, Hodges JK, Böer M. 2010. Habitat use and spatial organisation of relocated black rhinos in Namibia. *Mammalia*, 74(1): 35-42. <https://doi.org/10.1515/mamm.2010.012>
- Götttert T, Zeller U. 2008. Das Etosha Pufferzonenprojekt – ein Konzept zur Unterstützung der Bemühungen zur Anbindung des Etosha Nationalparks an das transnationale Netzwerk von Schutzgebieten im südlichen Afrika. *Beiträge zur Jagd & Wildforschung*, 33: 283-292.

(Extended) abstracts and conference proceedings

- Michaelis T, König B, Hobelsberger C, Götttert T, Nölting B 2023. Transformationshemmnisse für nachhaltigere Ernährungssysteme – neue oder alte Bekannte des Ökolandbaus? In: One Step Ahead - einen Schritt voraus! Beiträge zur 16. Wissenschaftstagung Ökologischer Landbau, Frick (CH), 7. bis 10. März 2023, Verlag Dr. Köster, Berlin. <https://orgprints.org/id/eprint/50589/>
- Götttert T, Zeller U. 2020. Species-specific requirements vs. intra-specific variability – on the organismic dimension in large herbivore reintroductions and its importance for conservation and landscape development: 18-22. In: Zeller U, Perry G, Starik N, Götttert T. (Hrsg.). Organisms in nature-evolutionary perspective and ecological significance. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Berlin.
- Rottstock T, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2020. Livestock-wildlife interactions: a synthesis of four case studies from central Europe and Sub-Sahara Africa: 44-45. In: Zeller et al. (Hrsg.). Organisms in nature-evolutionary perspective and ecological significance. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Berlin.
- Starik N, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2020a. Organismic responses of insectivorous bats to local land use: 48. In: Zeller et al. (Ed.). Organisms in nature-evolutionary perspective and ecological significance. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Berlin.
- Starik N, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2020b. Similar is not the same - Case study on long-eared bats in Brandenburg reveals challenges for their conservation: 49. In: Zeller et al. (Ed.). Organisms in nature-evolutionary perspective and ecological significance. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Berlin.
- Zeller U, Perry G, Starik N, Götttert T. 2020. Synopsis: 3-9. In: Zeller et al. (Ed.). Organisms in nature-evolutionary perspective and ecological significance. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Berlin.
- Zeller U, Perry G, Götttert T. 2019. Epilogue: synthesis & emerging themes: 59-64. In: Zeller U, Perry G, Götttert T. (Ed.). Biodiversity and the urban-rural interface: conflicts vs. opportunities. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Berlin.
- Starik N, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2019. Distribution and activity of bats along an urban-rural gradient: 53-56. In: Zeller et al. (Ed.). Biodiversity and the urban-rural interface: conflicts vs. opportunities. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Berlin.
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- Fiderer C, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2019. Movement patterns and habitat preferences of red foxes (*Vulpes vulpes*) and raccoons (*Procyon lotor*) in a Special Protection Area in the close vicinity of Berlin: 16-17. In: Zeller et al. (Ed.). Biodiversity and the urban-rural interface: conflicts vs. opportunities. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Berlin.
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- Rottstock T, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2018. A comparative approach to livestock-wildlife interactions in central Europe and sub-Saharan Africa: 229. In: Gesellschaft für Ökologie GfÖ (Ed.). Verhandlungen der Gesellschaft für Ökologie Vol. 47/48: 229.

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- Starik N, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2017. Linking biodiversity beyond borders – bats in an urban-rural context: 14. In: Systematic Zoology Division (Ed.). Workshop "Connecting biodiversity and improving human livelihood beyond boundaries - a global perspective" Linde, 11th -14th September 2017.
- Götttert T, Robischon M, Zeller U. 2017. Physical and immaterial dimensions of the avifauna – implications for transboundary nature conservation: 13. In: Systematic Zoology Division (Ed.). Workshop "Connecting biodiversity and improving human livelihood beyond boundaries - a global perspective" Linde, 11th -14th September 2017.
- Zeller U, Götttert T. 2017. Transboundary protected areas: potential, limitations and approaches for future development: 11. In: Systematic Zoology Division (Ed.). Workshop "Connecting biodiversity and improving human livelihood beyond boundaries - a global perspective" Linde, 11th -14th September 2017.
- Götttert T, Zeller U. 2016. Human-wildlife conflicts on a global scale – implications for comparative approaches: The example of carnivore-livestock interactions: 14. In: Systematic Zoology Division (Ed.). Workshop "Biodiversity and land use – a comparative approach" Linde, 26th -29th September 2016.
- Zeller U, Götttert T. 2016. Biodiversity and land use – a comparative approach: an introduction to the concept: 13. In: Systematic Zoology Division (Ed.). Workshop "Biodiversity and land use – a comparative approach" Linde, 26th -29th September 2016.
- Mannetti L, Esler K, Zeller U, Götttert T. 2015. Expanding the Protected Area Network in Namibia: Institutional development for rangeland management surrounding Etosha National Park: 18, Book of abstracts of the 8th ESP World Conference, Stellenbosch, South Africa.
- Götttert T. 2015. Die Avifauna als Gegenstand kultureller Reflexion in Afrika und Europa. Tagung zum Immateriellen Naturerbe, Linde, 26.-28. Mai 2015: 24.
- Ferner K, Zeller U, Götttert T. 2013. Measuring glucocorticoid metabolites in pachyderms in zoos and in the wild: chances and limitations: 62. – In: Schumann A, Wachter B, Ortmann S, Hofer H. (Ed.). Contributions to the 9th International Conference on Behaviour, Physiology and Genetics of Wildlife, 18th – 21st September 2013, Berlin.
- Götttert T, Grothmann P, Zeller U. 2013. Signs for eustress but not distress in black rhinos (*Diceros bicornis*) moved into new housing facilities at the Magdeburg Zoo, Germany: 72. – In: Schumann A, Wachter B, Ortmann S, Hofer H. (Ed.): Contributions to the 9th International Conference on Behaviour, Physiology and Genetics of Wildlife, 18th – 21st September 2013, Berlin.
- Schwabe F, Götttert T, Starik N, Zeller U. 2013. Assessing the re-introduction of a black rhino (*Diceros bicornis*) starter group in Namibia: 178. – In: Schumann A, Wachter B, Ortmann S, Hofer H. (Ed.). Contributions to the 9th International Conference on Behaviour, Physiology and Genetics of Wildlife, 18th – 21st September 2013, Berlin.

- Dannenber P, Götttert T, Nduru G., Zeller U. 2013. Proceedings of the 2nd international workshop of the quality network biodiversity in Sub-Sahara Africa – Innovative approaches for balancing land use and nature conservation on a trans-national scale: 3-7. - In: Dannenberg P, Götttert T, Nduru G, Zeller U. (Ed.). Land use and nature conservation – Proceedings of the 2nd international workshop of the Quality Network Biodiversity in Sub-Sahara Africa 2012, Arbeitsberichte des Geographischen Instituts der Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Heft 175.
- Noack J, Schwabe F, Götttert T, Starik N, Zeller U. 2013. Investigations on the occurrence and relative abundance of large carnivores and their potential prey using camera traps and line transect sampling: 60-61. - In: Dannenberg et al. (Ed.). Arbeitsberichte des Geographischen Instituts der Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Heft 175.
- Schwabe F, Götttert T, Noack J, Starik N, Zeller U. 2013. Investigating the behavior and physiology of a re-introduced black rhino (*Diceros bicornis*) founder group in Namibia with emphasis on camera traps: 78. In: Proceedings of the 11th Savanna Science Networking Meeting, 3.-8.Mrz.2013, Skukuza, Südafrika.
- Schwabe F, Noack J, Götttert T, Starik N, Zeller U. 2013. Investigating the spatial and temporal behavior of a translocated black rhino (*Diceros bicornis*) starter group on a private game farm in Namibia using camera traps and VHF radio telemetry: 62-63. - In: Dannenberg et al. (Ed.). Arbeitsberichte des Geographischen Instituts der Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Heft 175.
- Starik N, Bengsch S, Mannetti L, Dannenberg P, Götttert T, Zeller U. 2012. Climate change affects the economic and ecological value of savannah ecosystems - a challenge for the sustainable management of protected areas: 85-86. – In: Korn H, Kraus K, Stadler J (Ed.). Proceedings of the European Conference on Biodiversity and Climate Change - Science, Practice & Policy, BfN-Skripten 310.
- Götttert T. 2011. Activity area establishment of a subadult white rhino (*Ceratotherium simum* Burchell, 1817) male after release into a black rhino (*Diceros bicornis* Linnaeus, 1758) area in Namibia: 71. – In: Schumann A, Seet S, Jewgenow K, Hofer H. (Ed.). Contributions to the 8th International Conference on Behaviour, Physiology and Genetics of Wildlife, 14.-17.Sep.2011, Berlin.
- Götttert T, Schöne J, Hodges JK, Böer M. 2011. Diurnal activity and disturbance behaviour of relocated black rhinos (*Diceros bicornis* Linnaeus, 1758) in Namibia: 109. In: Proceedings of the 9th Annual Savanna Science Networking Meeting, 13.-18.Mrz.2011, Skukuza, Südafrika.
- Zeller U, Starik N, Götttert T, Dannenberg P, Fiege K, Hoffmann H. 2010. Innovative strategies to overcome land use-conflicts using the example of protected areas in Sub-Sahara Africa: 37. Biodiversity and the UN Millennium Development Goals: Challenges for Research and Action, 1.-3.Dez.2010, Frankfurt.
- Giberson N, Zeller U, Götttert T. 2010. A study of the ground squirrel's response to the ash tit's alarm calls in a Namibian semi-arid ecosystem: 83. In: Proceedings of the 24th International Congress for Conservation Biology (ICCB 2010), 3.-7.Jul.2010, Edmonton, Kanada.
- Götttert T, Schöne J, Hodges JK, Böer M. 2009. Behavioural acclimatisation of relocated black rhinos in Namibia: 86. – In: Sommer, S., Kretzschmar, P., Seet, S., Hofer, H. (Ed.). Contributions to the 7th International Conference on Behaviour, Physiology and Genetics of Wildlife, 21.-24.Sep.2009, Berlin.

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Book chapters

Zeller U, Ferner K, Götttert T, Starik N. 2018. *Eutherians: placental mammals*. In: Skinner M. (Ed.), Encyclopedia of Reproduction, 2nd edition, Vol. 6, pp. 617-624. Academic Press: Elsevier. <https://doi.org/10.1016/B978-0-12-809633-8.20608-0>

Editorship

Götttert T, Currie B, Backa V, Feldenz L, Klaver M, Munting E, Markides Y, Rolfes O. 2023. Framing growth: exploring the transformative power of photography for students. Eberswalde: Hochschule für nachhaltige Entwicklung Eberswalde (Diskussionspapier-Reihe Nachhaltigkeitstransformation und Nachhaltigkeitstransfer, Nr. 11/23). <https://doi.org/10.57741/opus4-792>

Götttert T, Hobelsberger C, König B, Nölting B, Roose I. 2023. Kartierung von Nachhaltigkeitstransfer? Entwicklung einer Methode zur Sichtbarmachung von Nachhaltigkeitstransferaktivitäten. Eberswalde: Hochschule für nachhaltige Entwicklung Eberswalde (Diskussionspapier-Reihe Nachhaltigkeitstransformation und Nachhaltigkeitstransfer, Nr. 9/23). <https://doi.org/10.57741/opus4-666>

Currie B, Götttert T. 2023. The value of photography in science and education – photography through the lense of two scholars. Eberswalde: Hochschule für nachhaltige Entwicklung Eberswalde (Diskussionspapier-Reihe Nachhaltigkeitstransformation und Nachhaltigkeitstransfer, Nr. 8/23). <https://doi.org/10.57741/opus4-636>

Götttert T, König B, Nölting B, Roose I, unter Mitarbeit von Crewett W, Demele U, Fritz H. 2022. Konzeptpapier – Perspektiven auf Nachhaltigkeitstransformation und -transfer an der HNEE. Eberswalde: Hochschule für nachhaltige Entwicklung Eberswalde (Diskussionspapier-Reihe Nachhaltigkeitstransformation und Nachhaltigkeitstransfer, Nr. 1/22). <https://doi.org/10.57741/opus4-224>

Roose I, Nölting B, König B, Demele U, Crewett W, Georgiev G, Götttert T, unter Mitarbeit von Hobelsberger C. 2022. Nachhaltigkeitstransfer – ein Konzept für Wissenschafts-Praxis-Kooperationen. Eine empirische Potentialanalyse am Beispiel der Hochschule für nachhaltige Entwicklung Eberswalde. Eberswalde: Hochschule für nachhaltige Entwicklung Eberswalde (Diskussionspapier-Reihe Nachhaltigkeitstransformation & Nachhaltigkeitstransfer, Nr. 2/22). <https://doi.org/10.57741/opus4-272>

- Zeller U, Perry G, Starik N, Götttert T. (Ed.) 2020. Organisms in nature-evolutionary perspective and ecological significance. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Berlin. 55 pp. <http://dx.doi.org/10.18452/21181>
- Zeller U, Perry G, Götttert T. (Ed.) 2019. Biodiversity and the urban-rural interface: conflicts vs. opportunities. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Berlin. 69 pp. <http://dx.doi.org/10.18452/19995>
- Dannenberg P, Götttert T., Nduru G, Zeller U. (Ed.) 2013. Land use and nature conservation. Proceedings of the 2nd international workshop of the Quality Network Biodiversity in Sub-Sahara Africa 2012, Arbeitsberichte des Geographischen Instituts der Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Heft 175.

Popular scientific contributions

- Götttert T., Hobelsberger C, König B, Nölting B, Roose I, Barth M. 2022. Nachhaltigkeits-transfer: Austausch zwischen Wissenschaft und Praxis zum Wohl der Gesellschaft: Hochschule Eberswalde tritt NaWis-Runde bei. *GAIA-Ecological Perspectives for Science and Society*, 31(1): 62-64. <https://doi.org/10.14512/gaia.31.1.16>
- Dannenberg P, Götttert T. 2013. Qualitätsnetz Biodiversität veranstaltet 2. internationalen Workshop in Karatina (Kenia) - Innovative Strategien für den nachhaltigen Umgang mit Biodiversität und natürlichen Ressourcen im südlichen Afrika. *Rundbrief Geografie*, 240: 12-13.
- Götttert T., Zeller U. 2013. Erfahrungen zur Umsiedlung von Spitzmaulnashörnern im Freiland und im Zoo. *Felis-News*, 8: 13-16.
- Zeller U, Götttert T. 2012. Naturschutz als Staatsziel – Qualitätsnetz Biodiversität veranstaltet Sommerschule in Namibia. *HUMBOLDT Die Zeitung der Alma Mater Berolinensis*, 55/3: 5.
- Götttert T., Zeller U. 2010. Der Zoologische Garten Magdeburg unterstützt ein Naturschutzprojekt in Namibia. *Felis-News*, 5: 18-20.
- Götttert T. 2008. Nashornschutz Namibia – Ein Update. Tierärzte und Biologen überwachen namibische Spitzmaulnashörner nach Wiederansiedlung. *WDT-News*, 3/2008: 12-13.
- Zeller U, Götttert T. 2008. Friedliche Nachbarschaft?: 44-47. – In: Deutsche Afrika Stiftung (Ed.): 100 Jahre Etoscha. Schriftenreihe der Deutschen Afrikastiftung 78, Klaus Hess Verlag, Göttingen.

Teaching

- WiSe 23/24: Lecture „Grundlagen der Ökologie + excursions to Zoo Eberswalde, B.Sc. module „Landschaftsnutzung und Naturschutz“, Faculty of Landscape Management and Nature Conservation, Eberswalde University for Sustainable Development
- Guest contribution „Biodiversität: Grundlagen, Bedeutung und Gefährdung“ within module "Tourismus, Umwelt und Gesellschaft", Faculty of Sustainable Business, Eberswalde University for Sustainable Development
- SoSe 23: Seminar: „Tierartenseminar“, B.Sc. Landschaftsnutzung und Naturschutz, Faculty of Landscape Management and Nature Conservation, Eberswalde University for Sustainable Development
- WiSe 22/23: Lecture „Grundlagen der Ökologie“ (in support of Prof. U. Schulz) including several excursions, Zoo Eberswalde, Museum für Naturkunde Berlin, Naturkundemuseum Potsdam, B.Sc. Landschaftsnutzung und Naturschutz, Faculty of Landscape Management and Nature Conservation, Eberswalde University for Sustainable Development
- Guest contribution „Biodiversität“ within module „Angewandter Naturschutz im Ökolandbau“, Faculty of Landscape Management and Nature Conservation, Eberswalde University for Sustainable Development
- Guest contribution „Biodiversität: Grundlagen, Bedeutung und Gefährdung“ within module "Tourismus, Umwelt und Gesellschaft", Faculty of Sustainable Business, Eberswalde University for Sustainable Development
- since 2022: Guest contribution: (excursions to Zoo Berlin) within module „Biologie der Tiere“ Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Prof. E. Hillmann)
- Guest contribution, module „Domestikation der Haustiere“ (Prof. E. Hillmann) M.Sc. Prozess- und Qualitätsmanagement, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- SuSe 2022: Teaching & mentoring, international summer school, Lenzen, Elbe, 22.8. – 2. 9.2022; <https://www.elbe-brandenburg-biosphaerenreservat.de/themen/meldungen/internationale-summer-school-in-lenzen/>
- WiSe 2021/22: Guest contributions: „Freilandbasierte ökologische Arbeitsmethoden“ + „ökologischer Vergleich: Eurasien vs. Afrika“
- Module „Grundlagen der Ökologie“ (Prof. U. Schulz) B.Sc. Landschaftsnutzung und Naturschutz, Faculty of Landscape Management and Nature Conservation, Eberswalde University for Sustainable Development
- 2020: Guest contribution: Seminar series “*The Part and the Whole – Systems*” (Prof. P. Nick & Prof. M. Gutmann), Karlsruher Institut für Technologie (KIT) <http://www.botanik.kit.edu/botzell/2724.php>
- 2015-19: Seminars and excursions within the module „Domestikation der Haustiere“ (Prof. U. Zeller)
- M.Sc. Prozess- und Qualitätsmanagement, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- 2014-15: Guest contributions, lecture „Ökologie der Trockengebiete“ (PD Dr. Niels Blaum)
- M.Sc. Plant Ecology & Nature Conservation, University of Potsdam

- 2013-15: Module „*Nutz- und Haustiere aus zoologischer Sicht*” (Prof. U. Zeller), B.Sc. Agrarwissenschaften, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- 2012-19: Module „*Biodiversity: Assessment, Function and Evolution*” (Prof. U. Zeller), M.Sc. Integrated Resource Management, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- 2009-13: Modules ‘*Assessing Biodiversity*’ + ‘*Evolution of Biodiversity*’ (together with Prof. U. Zeller and colleagues from UNAM)
M.Sc. ‘*Biodiversity Management and Research*’, University of Namibia (UNAM)
- 2008-12: Seminar ‘*Evolutionsbiologie und phylogenetische Systematik der Säugetiere*’
M.Sc. ‘*Organismische Biologie und Evolution*’, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- 2007-12: Seminar ‘*Biologie der Kleinsäuger*’
M.Sc. ‘*Organismische Biologie und Evolution*’, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- 2007-19: Student excursions, Tierpark Berlin-Friedrichsfelde and Zoo Berlin
- WiSe 2007/06:
Animal identification training, Institute for Biology, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- Jan.–Oct. 2006:
‘*Veterinärmedizinisch-wildbiologisches Praktikum*’
Etosha Heights / Moesamoeroep, Namibia
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