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**Education:**

Dr. phil., University of the German Armed Forces, Munich-Neubiburg (Germany).  
M.A., Leipzig University (Germany).

**Employment:**

Curator, National Air and Space Museum – Smithsonian Institution, Aeronautics Division, current.  
Verville Fellow/Guggenheim Fellow, National Air and Space Museum, Aeronautics Division, 2008 to 2010.  
Research Fellow, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum. Center for Advanced Holocaust Studies, 2001 to 2008.

**Professional Memberships:**

Society for the History of Technology  
Association of German Women Pilots (supporting member)

**Awards, Scholarships and Honors:**

2008 – 2010: Verville and Guggenheim Fellowships at the National Air and Space Museum – Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC.  
2008: Hugo-Junkers-Award of the German Aviation Press, for “*Schneidige deutsche Mädel.*” *Fliegerinnen zwischen 1918 und 1945*. Award sponsored by the German Aerospace Industries Association and the German Aviation Press Club.  
2007: Golden Badge of Honor, Association of German Women Pilots.  
2004 - 2005: Scholar in Residence Fellowship, *Deutsches Museum*, Munich, Germany.  
2004: Research Grant, German Historical Institute, Washington, DC.  
1990 -1992: Full Scholarship, German School of Journalism, Munich, Germany.

**Select Publications:**

- ‘*Schneidige deutsche Mädel.*’ *Fliegerinnen zwischen 1918 und 1945*, Göttingen: Wallstein, 2007.
- German Women Pilots at War, 1939 to 1945. *Air Power History*, winter 2009 (vol. 56), no. 4, 10-27.
- *Deutsche Luftfahrtpioniere, 1900 bis 1950* [German Pioneers of Aviation, 1900 to 1950] (with co-author Hans-J. Hormann), Bielefeld: Delius-Klasing, 2008.
- ‘The Holy Desire to Serve the Poor and Tortured Fatherland.’ German Women Motor Pilots of the Inter-War Years and Their Political Mission. *German Studies Review*, October 2007, 579-596.
- Die andere Hälfte des Himmels: Frauen in der deutschen Luftfahrt. [The Other Half of the Skies: Women in German Aviation] In: *Ein Jahrhundert im Flug: Luft- und Raumfahrt in Deutschland*, edited by Helmuth Trischler and Kai-Uwe Schrogel, Frankfurt/New York: Campus, 2007, 70-87.

- 'Im übrigen sind die Erfahrungen, die wir mit fliegenden Frauen gemacht haben, die allerbesten.'  
Geschlechterverhältnisse und –konkurrenzen in der deutschen Luftfahrt 1918 – 1945. [Gender Relations and Gender Competition in German Aviation]. In: *Technikgeschichte*, vol. 73 (2006), issue 3/4, 253-282.

**Films and Multi-Media:**

- "*Mein Gott! Eine Frau!*" - *Fliegerinnen zwischen 1918 und 1945* [My God! A Woman! Women Pilots between 1918 and 1945]. DCIP-Productions, Arte (Germany/France), 2008.
- *Hanna Reitsch. Hitlers Fliegerin*. ORF (Austria) 2010, also in English as *Hanna Reitsch. Hitler's Pilot*.
- *Himmelsstürmerinnen. Deutsche Fliegerinnen, ihre Rekorde und Tragödien* [Women Storming the Skies. German Women Pilots, their Records and Tragedies]. ZDF (Germany), 2010.