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Research fellow at the German Historical Institute in Washington, DC. He earned his PhD at the University of Konstanz in 2011 and was a fellow and lecturer at the University of Konstanz as well as a visiting researcher at the School of Oriental and African Studies in London and at the Institut de Recherche sur le Maghreb Contemporain in Tunis. His main research interests concern the comparative history of the European colonial empires and decolonization with a particular focus on North Africa, the Mediterranean, and the Atlantic World. He is the author of Erobern und Erinnern: Symbolpolitik, öffentlicher Raum und französischer Kolonialismus in Algerien 1830-1950 (2013) and recently completed Decolonization: A Short History (co-authored with Jürgen Osterhammel, forthcoming with Princeton University Press in 2017). He is currently engaged in a research project on crossborder sociability in the Atlantic World during the age of revolutions (circa 1770s-1850s).

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