

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Birth	14. October 1998 in Flensburg, Germany
Pronouns	she/they
Hobbies	Queerfeminist activism, Nude Painting, Photography, Reading

EDUCATION

2004-2008	Südenseeschule, Sörup, Germany
2008-2016	Bernstorff-Gymnasium, Satrup, Germany
Graduation 2016	High School (Abitur)
2016-2020	B.A. Scenography, Muthesius Academy of Fine Arts and Design, Kiel
Graduation 2020	Bachelor of Arts in Scenography
2020-2021	M.A. Spatial Strategies, Muthesius Academy of Fine Arts and Design, Kiel
2020-2021	Guest student in gender & diversity studies, Christian-Albrechts-University, Kiel, Germany
2021-today	M.A. Gender- & Queerstudies, Universität zu Köln, Germany

LANGUAGES

German	Mother tongue
English	Full working proficiency
French	Elementary proficiency
Danish	Elementary proficiency

PROGRAM SKILLS

Adobe Photoshop <i>advanced</i>	Adobe Premiere <i>basic knowledge</i>	Vectorworks <i>advanced</i>	Rhinoceros <i>advanced</i>
Adobe Indesign <i>advanced</i>	Adobe Illustrator <i>basic knowledge</i>	Cinema 4D <i>advanced</i>	HTML & CSS3 <i>basic knowledge</i>

WORKING EXPERIENCE

September 2012	Internship at Trendwerk Photography in Flensburg, Germany
March 2015	Internship at architecture office Hofmann in Flensburg, Germany
2013-2019	Part-time job as a waitress at Landgasthaus Bönstrup, Germany
2014-2015	Part-time job as a temporary worker at Douglas, Flensburg, Germany
2017-2019	Part-time job as a lingerista at Hunkemöller, Kiel, Germany
March 2018	Winning the competition „Die Kultheisen der Wernensers“ - designing an exhibition at the Werner Festival 2018
Mai-June 2018	Assistance in the construction of a studio set, Film University Babelsberg KONRAD WOLF, Potsdam, Germany
since October 2019	Student representation of the Gender Equality Commission, Muthesius University of Arts and Design, Kiel, Germany
July 2020	Moderation, program planning and recording of the Einblick/Ausblick Podcast, Muthesius University of Arts and Design, Kiel, Germany
December 2020	Art direction of the LGBTIAQ* magazine „Mutmacher:innen“ by HAKI + Echte Vielfalt, Kiel, Germany
March/September 21	Moderation of Study Information Days, Muthesius University of Arts and Design, Kiel, Germany
August 2021	Layout of the flyer for the advisory service for LGBTIAQ* in HAKI, Kiel
November 2021	Layout of the event series „Diversity in Aktion“ organized by the diversity officers of the universities in Kiel, Germany

VOLUNTARY WORK

- 2014-2016** Linguistic and social support for young refugees in and around Flensburg, Germany
- since 2018** Planning member of the CSD Kiel e.V.: organization of the pride demonstration, design of the poster and social media
(Instagram @csdkiel)
- October 2020** Foundation of the feminist collective „Zwischenfunken Kollektiv“ in Kiel: management, event-organisation, public relations
(Instagram @zwischenfunken.kollektiv)
- June 2021** Organisation of the Anstimmen Festival with the Zwischenfunken Kollektiv, Kiel

EXHIBITIONS

- July 2016** Nude paintings in the art room of the VHS Sörup, Germany
- 2017-2020** Once a year „Einblick/Ausblick“, Muthesius University of Fine Arts and Design, Kiel, Germany
- July 2019** Interactive spatial installation „stereotyp*in“ at the Habitat Festival, Itzehoe, Germany
- February 2020** Bachelor projekt „DO IT YOURSELF“: Spatial installation of the female orgasmic intoxication through masturbation, Muthesius University of Fine Arts and Design, Kiel, Germany

PUBLICATIONS

- March 2020** Guest blog post „DO IT YOURSELF: Orgasm Installation“, evulving.com
- July 2020** Article „Handgemachte Glücksgefühle“ by Janina Gatzky about bachelor project „DO IT YOURSELF“, Separée Magazin
- January 2021** Article „Der Sound der weiblichen Orgasmen“ about bachelor project „DO IT YOURSELF“ with Marlene Bruhn, Sound/Idea #3