

# Johannes Eckstein

Interdisciplinary qualified – versatile experienced – diverse interested

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## Academic professional experience

Since 11/2023      Research Associate in the project  
„**PRoKita - Plural Role Conflicts and Collective Consciousness  
in Organised Childcare**“ at the Berlin School of Economics and Law  
Lead: Prof. Dr. Sigrid Betzelt (HWR Berlin) and Prof. Dr. Ingo Bode  
(University of Kassel), Funded by Hans-Böckler-Foundation

## Academic education

2020 – 2023      **M.A. Sociology** at the University of Potsdam  
Master-Thesis: „The corona vaccination: On the contested constitution of a central phenomenon of the pandemic discourse“

2015 – 2019      **B.A. Sociology und Religious Studies** at the University of Potsdam  
Bachelor-Thesis: „Values in the discourse on growth“

2009 – 2012      Seminaristic **training and study of Theology**, Wuppertal

## Further professional experience

2016 – 2018      **Education consultant** in development education, Berlin

2012 – 2015      **Education consultant** in protestant adult education, Stuttgart

2007 – 2009      **Key-Account-Manager** at an energy broker, Berlin

2005 – 2007      **Commercial apprenticeship**, Berlin

## Memberships

Since 2025      **German Sociological Association (DGS)**

Since 2023      **Institute for International Political Economy**  
at the Berlin School of Economics and Law

Since 2020      **Kinderladen Nido e.V.**  
incl. Board Membership from 2021 – 2023

## Research focus

- Political Sociology
- Social Policy
- Sociology of labour
- Discourse Research

## Publications

Betzelt, Sigrid; Bode, Ingo; Eckstein, Johannes (2025): Inkonsistenter Erwartungsdruck im Kita-Sektor: Eine problemerschließende Scoping Review zur Neuprogrammierung des Arbeitsfelds, in: *HBS Working Paper*, Nr. 361, Düsseldorf, [https://www.boeckler.de/fpdf/HBS-009032/p\\_fofoe\\_WP\\_361\\_2025.pdf](https://www.boeckler.de/fpdf/HBS-009032/p_fofoe_WP_361_2025.pdf).

Betzelt, Sigrid; Eckstein, Johannes; Krause, Jonathan (2025 i.E.): Kita zwischen Wunsch und Wirklichkeit, in: Vera Eling/Michelle Meier/Magdalena Molina Ramirez/Franka Baron (Hrsg.), *Konflikte in der Praxis der Pädagogik der frühen Kindheit*, Weinheim und Basel: Beltz Juventa.

Eckstein, Johannes (2023): Die Corona-Schutzimpfung: Zur umkämpften Konstitution eines zentralen Phänomens des Pandemiediskurses – eine Wissenssoziologische Diskursanalyse, Masterarbeit im Fach Soziologie an der Universität Potsdam, <https://doi.org/10.25932/publishup-62725>.

Eckstein, Johannes (2025): Interdependente Radikalisierung: Dynamiken öffentlicher Meinungsbildung am Beispiel der Corona-Impfung, in: *Leviathan*, Jg. 53 (1): 63-88, <https://doi.org/10.5771/0340-0425-2025-1-63>.