

# Curriculum Vitae | M.A. Robin Brehm

## Personal details

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Major research interests:

- ✓ Impact, challenges, and contingencies of open and collaborative research practices
- ✓ East Asian regional studies and development
- ✓ Open-source intelligence (OSINT)

## Current employment

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01.2020-to date	<b>Ludwig Boltzmann Gesellschaft</b> Open Innovation in Science Center (LBG OIS Center) Research assistant (full-time)	Vienna, Austria
10.2021-to date	<b>University of Vienna</b> Master Program for “East Asian Economy and Society (EcoS)” Student	

## Degrees

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10.2017-03.2020	<b>Master of Arts (M.A.)</b> Master Program for “Development Studies” Final grade: 1.2 [A] Thesis: “Where are we going, Comrade? A Content Analysis of North Korean Propaganda for Economic Development”	University of Passau, Germany
10.2012-09.2016	<b>Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)</b> Bachelor Program for “Political and Social Studies” Final grade: 2.3 [B] Thesis: “The Denuclearization of North Korea? - A Review and Prospect on the Measures and Negotiations to Prevent Further Nuclearization and Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons”	Julius-Maximilians-University Würzburg, Germany

## Other Education

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09.2015-01.2016	<b>Hankuk University of Foreign Studies</b> Exchange Program for “International Studies”	Seoul, Rep. of Korea
09.2003-07.2011	<b>Friedrich-Alexander-Gymnasium</b> A-Levels	Neustadt a. d. Aisch, Germany

## **Previous work experience (and selected tasks)**

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- 04.2012-01.2019 **Chair of Southeast Asian Studies, University of Passau** Passau, Germany  
Research Assistant for Prof. Rüdiger Korff
- » Organization of the Interdisciplinary Myanmar Conference 2019
  - » Research assistance on the issue of “Postcolonialism” and “Media in Myanmar”
  - » Preliminary Selection of applications for the 2019 cohort of the M.A. Development Studies program
- 07.2018-10.2018 **NK News, Korea Risk Group** Seoul, Rep. of Korea  
News Trainee, Part-time internship
- » Month in review and analysis for North Korean issues
  - » NK Pro analysis: “North Korean Miniso store rebranding process continuing, photos show”
  - » Advisory whitepaper for companies on sub-contracted North Korean entities and involvement in international sanctions violations
- 06.2017-09.2017 **Hanns Seidel Foundation Korea** Seoul, Rep. of Korea  
Researcher, Full-time internship
- » Research project: Business directory on North Korean entities
  - » Guest speaker at the “Non-Summit Conference of Youth – Unification and North Korea” (July 20, 2017)
  - » Analysis and archiving of North Korean products, technical devices, and propaganda
- 06.2010-08.2010 **Administrative District Office** Neustadt a. d. Aisch, Germany  
Social Security Office, Subject Area 24  
Full-time internship
- » Aiding local asylum seekers
  - » Disbursement of governmental funds to asylum seekers
- 10.2011-04.2012 **Ateneo de Naga University** Naga City, Philippines  
Assistant teacher at the Department of Philosophy
- » Seminar: “German language and ethics”
  - » Seminar: “Conflict prevention and intervention”
- 08.2011-10.2011 **Bavarian Red Cross** Neustadt a. d. Aisch, Germany  
Full-time service aiding people with special needs

## **Organization of and participation in scientific conferences**

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- 7-9.04.2021 **Open Innovation in Science (OIS) Research Conference** Virtual  
Organizational and technical support
- 23-25.05.2019 **Interdisciplinary Conference on Myanmar** Passau, Germany  
Co-organization and technical support
- 20.07.2017 **Non-Summit Conference of Youth – Unification and North Korea** Seoul, Rep. of Korea  
Speaker on “*The German Reunification and the Question of Korea – A Retrospective Assessment of the German Scenario and its Implications for the Korean Unification*”

## **Other merits**

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### **Software and programming skills**

- » MS Office (excellent)
- » TYPO3 (excellent)
- » ATLAS.ti, NVIVO (excellent)
- » Unipark (good)
- » Adobe Audition, Ableton Live (good)
- » SPSS, Stata (good)
- » Citavi, JabRef, Zotero (good)
- » Wordpress (basic)
- » R (basic)

### **Language skills**

- » German (native)
- » English (excellent)
- » Korean (intermediate)
- » Vietnamese (basic)