

Hans-Georg Ziebertz

Curriculum Vitae

Hans-Georg Ziebertz was born in 1956. He is Full Professor for Practical Theology/Religious Education at the Faculty of Theology.

Education

1976-1983	Studies of Theology, Pedagogy and Social Sciences University of Münster, Germany
1982	M.A. (Diplom) in Theology, Münster M.A. (Diplom) in Social Sciences / Pedagogy (Münster)
1990	PhD in Theology University of Nijmegen, The Netherlands
1993	PhD in Social Sciences / Pedagogy University of Tübingen, Germany Habilitation in Practical Theology University of Mainz, Germany

(Academic) Employments

1980-1984	Head of the BDJK (Council of Catholic Youth Organisations) in the Diocese of Münster
1984-1990	Official at the Youth-department of the German Bishops' conference
1990-1995	Assistant professor at the Faculty of Theology University of Nijmegen, The Netherlands
1995-1998	Full Professor of Practical Theology Catholic University of Utrecht (KTU), The Netherlands
1998	Call on the chair of Practical Theology / Pedagogy of Religion at the University of Bochum (rejected)
1998	Call on the chair of Practical Theology / Pedagogy of Religion at the University of Würzburg (accepted)
2001	Call on the chair of Pastoral Theology and Empirical Theology at the University of Nijmegen, The Netherlands (rejected)

Academic memberships and activities

since 1989	Member of the AKK/Arbeitsgemeinschaft Kath. Katechetik Dozenten
since 1993	Corresponding Editor Panorama - International Journal for Comparative Religious Education and Values
1990-1996	Co-editor of the Journal of Empirical Theology (JET) (Leuven)

since 1996	Member of the Board of Editors of the Journal of Empirical Theology
since 1995	Member of the Northern European Network of Theological Education
since 1990	Co-editor of the Serie Theologie und Empirie(since 1999 as Empirische Theologie, LIT-Publ., Münster)
1991-1996	Co-editor of the Studien zur Jugendpastoral
since 1994	Member of the European Society of Theology
1996-1997	Member of the Evaluation Committee of Faculties of Theology in The Netherlands and Belgium
since 1997	Member of the International Seminar on Religious Education and Values (ISREV)
1997-2000	Member of the academic council of the DfG Project „Entwicklung des beruflichen Selbstkonzepts und Berufswahlverhalten von TheologInnen“, Prof. Fürst und Prof. Neubauer, Bonn
since 1998	Member of the International Network Education an Ethos (ETHOS)
since 1999	Peer Reviewer of the Journal of Research on Christian Education (JRCE)
since 2000	Member of the Board of Editors of the International Journal of Education and Religion (IJER), Brill
since 2000	Member of the Advisory Board of the Serie New Perspectives in Practical, Pastoral and Empirical Theology
since 2000	Co-editor of the Serie Religionspädagogik in der Pluralität,(Gütersloher Verlagshaus/Herder)
since 2001	Member of the international advisory body at the Centre for Research in Human Rights at the University
2001	Member of the international consultation of education in Bosnia and Herzegowina (Stability Pact Sarajevo)
since 2001	Member of Board of the International Society of Empirical Research in Theology (ISERT)
since 2001	Member of the Board of Editors of the Journal Horizons of Education, Krakov (Poland)
since 2002	Member of the International Academy of Practical Theology (IAPT)
since 2005	Member of the steering committee of TRES-network: Teaching Religion in a multicultural Europe (EU-Socrates programme)
2005-2010	Member of the Programme committee „religions, state and society“ NFP 58, Swiss National Fond
2006-2010	President of the International Society of Empirical Research in Theology (ISERT)
2008-2012	Member of the board Theology, German Science Foundation

2007-2009 Dean of the Faculty of Theology

Research Grants since 2000

German Science Foundation (DFG)	2001-2004: Religious Individualisation and Christian Religion
University of Würzburg – Research Fonds for Humanities	2003: Intercultural and interreligious Education
German Science Foundation (DFG)	2002-2007: Youth in Europe: Religion and Life Perspectives (“The RaLP-Study). A multi-religious empirical Study in 10 countries in Europe.
German Science Foundation (DFG)	2005-2008: Intercultural interaction, Religion and Identity. An empirical Study among Christian and Moslem Youth.
German Science Foundation (DFG)	2006-2009: Human Rights and modern Society. An empirical Study among Christians and Moslems.
European Commission (6th framework programme)	2005-2009: Welfare, Religion and Values in Europe (WAVE). An empirical study in 12 European countries.
Div. Sources	2012-2017: Religion and Human Rights. An international empirical study in about 30 countries. See: www.rhr.theologie.uni-wuerzburg.de

Host of international conferences

German Science Foundation (DFG)	1999: Religious Individualisation and Christian Religion
German Science Foundation (DFG) and Unibund	2000: Imagining God in Europe – Disappearance or change?
German Science Foundation (DFG)	2001: Abduction as a mode of reasoning in empirical research?
German Science Foundation (DFG) and Unibund	2003: Religion and Life Perspectives 1
German Science Foundation (DFG)	2005: Religion and Life Perspectives 2
German Science Foundation (DFG)	2006: Religion and Life Perspectives 3
German Science Foundation (DFG) and Unibund	2006: Europe as a post-secular Society?

German Science Foundation (DFG)	2008: Religious Identity and National Heritage
University of Würzburg / GSiK	2011: Macht Religion den kulturellen Unterschied? Religionssysteme in den USA und in Deutschland
University of Würzburg / GSiK	2011: Fremden Glauben verstehen? Die religiöse Dimension interkultureller Kompetenz
German Science Foundation (DFG)	2012: Kick-off conference of the "Religion and Human Rights" program
University of Würzburg / GSiK	2013: Religion and Politics in Eastern Europe

Awards

Riksbankens Jubileumsfond and Alexander von Humboldt Stiftung	2013: Swedisch-German Research Award
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Research interests

Subjects	<p>Socialization and Education Religion and Culture in Modernity, Identity Intercultural and Interreligious Dialogue, Religion and Human Rights. Methods: hermeneutical and empirical research (quantitative and qualitative) (For further information see the website Research / Forschung)</p>
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