

CURRICULUM VITÆ

PERSONAL DATA

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EDUCATION

Jan 2022 - now

Technical University of Berlin

Postdoctoral researcher in the Department of Digital Transformation in Energy Systems

May 2021 - Dec 2021

Frankfurt Institute for Advanced Science

Postdoctoral researcher (Theoretical Physics)

Oct 2017 - May 2021

Frankfurt Institute for Advanced Science

PhD program (Theoretical Physics)
final grade "summa cum laude"

Feb 2016 - Aug 2017

Goethe University Frankfurt

Master of Science (Physics)
final grade 1,0

Aug 2015 - Jan 2016

Chalmers University Gothenborg

Master of Science (Physics)
semester abroad

Sep 2011 - Jul 2015

Goethe University Frankfurt

Bachelor of Science (Physics)
final grade 1,3

Sep 2011 - Sep 2012

Goethe University Frankfurt

Bachelor of Arts (History)

Aug 2001 - Sep 2010

Carl-Schurz-Schule Frankfurt

final grade 1,3

NOTABLE PROJECTS

Phd Project

In the course of the research project "Net-Allok" funded by the German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy, I intensively worked on the implementation and evaluation of flow and cost allocation methods in cost-optimized, renewable power systems. During the project, I also acquired basic knowledge in machine learning and artificial intelligence.

Software Development

I steadily work on the development and improvement of the multiple open-source projects related with energy system modeling, mainly implemented in *python*. In particular these are

- [PyPSA](#) (Python for Power System Analysis)

- [PyPSA-EUR](#)
- [Atlite](#)
- [PowerPlantMatching](#)
- [NetAllocation](#)

The main focus areas are optimization, data analysis, data visualization and distributed workflow management.

Masters Project	<p><i>“Principal Component Analysis of the European Power System”</i> As part of a team modeling the European power system, I analysed principal components of the power generation in highly renewable power systems.</p>
Bachelor Project	<p><i>‘Predicting the final spin of a black-hole binary system’</i> As part of an astrophysical research group, I studied and improved a formula predicting the final spin of a black-hole merger.</p>
Voluntary Service	<p>In 2010, I did a one-year-long voluntary service in Arusha (Tanzania). The project offered free sport and art classes to youths and children, who did not have the opportunity to go to school.</p>

LANGUAGES

German	native speaker
English	highly proficient
French	very good working knowledge
Swahili	basic communication skills

SOFTWARE LANGUAGES

Python	highly proficient
Julia/Matlab/bash	good working knowledge
C/Java/HTML	basic knowledge

NOTABLE PUBLICATIONS

Hofmann, Fabian: *Tracing Prices: A Flow-Based Cost Allocation for Optimized Power Systems*. In: *arXiv:2010.13607 [physics]* (Oct. 2020). arXiv: [2010.13607 \[physics\]](#).

Hofmann, Fabian, Enrico Barausse, and Luciano Rezzolla: *The Final Spin from Binary Black Holes in Quasi-Circular Orbits*. In: *The Astrophysical Journal* 825.2 (July 2016), p. L19. ISSN: 2041-8213. DOI: [10.3847/2041-8205/825/2/L19](#).

Hofmann, Fabian et al.: *Flow Allocation in Meshed AC-DC Electricity Grids*. en. In: *Energies* 13.5 (Mar. 2020), p. 1233. ISSN: 1996-1073. DOI: [10.3390/en13051233](#).

Hofmann, Fabian et al.: *Principal Flow Patterns across Renewable Electricity Networks*. In: *EPL (Europhysics Letters)* 124.1 (Nov. 2018), p. 18005. ISSN: 1286-4854. DOI: [10.1209/0295-5075/124/18005](#).

Hörsch, Jonas et al.: *PyPSA-Eur: An Open Optimisation Model of the European Transmission System*. en. In: *Energy Strategy Reviews* 22 (Nov. 2018), pp. 207–215. ISSN: 2211467X. DOI: [10.1016/j.esr.2018.08.012](#).

Schäfer, Mirko et al.: "Principal Cross-Border Flow Patterns in the European Electricity Markets". In: *2019 16th International Conference on the European Energy Market (EEM)*. Ljubljana, Slovenia: IEEE, Sept. 2019, pp. 1–6. ISBN: 978-1-72811-257-2. DOI: [10.1109/EEM.2019.8916334](https://doi.org/10.1109/EEM.2019.8916334).

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