

Curriculum Vitae

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Date and place of birth 6th December 1988, Erlangen, Germany

Parents Franziska Susanne Bente, Pharmacist
Rainer Bente, Entrepreneur

School September 1999 till July 2008
Clavius Gymnasium Bamberg
High school

University October 2008 till September 2011
Free University of Berlin
History and Political Science
Bachelor of Arts

Since October 2011
Goethe-University Frankfurt am Main
Political Theory
Master of Arts

Language English (fluent)
Latin (advanced)
Spanish (basic)
Italian (basic)

Experience abroad August till Dezember 2005, USA
High School Exchange, Jesuit High School, New Orleans, Louisiana and Father Lopez Catholic High School, Daytona Beach, Florida

September 2013 till March 2014, Czech republic
Erasmus semester, Charles University Prague

Practical experience October 2010 till February 2011, April 2011 till July 2011
Tutor
History of Political Thought
Prof. Dr. Klaus Roth
Free University of Berlin

February till September 2011
Student aid
Prof. Dr. Jochen Brüning
Humboldt University of Berlin

April till June 2013
Internship
Second Federal German Television (ZDF)/ PHOENIX
Bonn

June till August 2013
Internship
FDP fraction in the Bavarian State Parliament
Munich

Since July 2014
Administrative Assistant
Bird & Bird LLP
Assisting the Banking & Finance department, focus on marketing
Frankfurt a.M. & Munich

Political Activities and Memberships

December 2008 till November 2011
LHG at the Free University of Berlin
November 2009 till November 2010: Treasurer
November 2010 till November 2011: President

Since November 2010
Association of Liberal Academics (VLA)
Since May 2015: Board member

Since November 2011
LHG at the Goethe-University Frankfurt
January 2012 till January 2013
Member of the student parliament at the Goethe-University Frankfurt

January 2012 till January 2015
Federal Association of Liberal Students in Germany (LHG)
January 2012 till January 2013: Vice President
January 2013 till January 2015: International Officer

Since July 2012
Free Democratic Party Germany (FDP)

Since May 2013
LYMEC – European Liberal Youth
Individual Member
2015: IMS Delegate

July 2013 till January 2015
European Liberal Students Network
Coordinator

Since May 2014
NEOS Austria and JUNOS Austria

Since June 2014
Young Initiative for education and science policies
Co-founder and board member

Munich, Germany 1st March 2016