

# **Curriculum vitae Sören Urbansky**

## **Academic Appointment**

Since 2012

Associate Researcher within the North Asian Borders Network based at the Mongolia and Inner Asia Studies Unit (University of Cambridge)

Since 2009

Research Associate and Lecturer (Wissenschaftlicher Mitarbeiter) of East Asian History at the University of Freiburg

## **Education**

2008–2012

PhD student, Associated member of the Cluster of Excellence “Asia and Europe in a Global Context” at the University of Heidelberg

2006–2007

Student, Tsinghua University Beijing, Inter-University Program for Chinese Language Study

2005–2006

Visiting student, University of California at Berkeley (United States), Department of History

2004–2005

Visiting student, Heilongjiang University Harbin (China), Department of Chinese as a Foreign Language

Spring 2003

Visiting student, Kazan’ State University (Russia), Department of History and Department of Russian as a Foreign Language

2001–2006

Student, European University Viadrina Frankfurt/Oder, Department of Social and Cultural Studies, Diploma in Social and Cultural Studies

## **Grants, Fellowships, Awards**

August–September 2010

Research Fellowship, German Historical Institute Moscow

2007–2009

PhD-Fellowship, German National Academic Foundation

Summer 2007

Asia-Fellowship, Haniel Foundation

2006–2007

Fellowship for the Inter-University Program, Beijing, from UC Berkeley

2005–2006

Study and Research-Fellowship, German Academic Exchange Service

2004–2005

Hölderlin-Fellowship, German National Academic Foundation

2003–2006

Study-Fellowship, German National Academic Foundation

Spring 2003

Study-Fellowship, German Academic Exchange Service

Spring 2002

Winner of the First German-Russian University Essay Contest, Moscow and Berlin

### **Membership in professional organizations and committees**

German Association for Eastern European Research, since 2008

Selection Committee Member of the Scholarship Programme “Metropolises in Eastern Europe” (Alfried Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach-Foundation and German National Academic Foundation), since 2010

### **Language proficiencies**

English, Chinese, Russian and Polish: speaking, reading, writing

French: reading only