



# Meet the Arden Berlin team

# Dr Tobias Kliem

Dr Tobias Kliem is the Head of Arden University's Berlin Campus. After graduating with a Law Degree at the Universität Bremen, he went to the University of Kent (UK) to complete an LLM and then a PhD in Law. He has since worked at Canterbury Christ Church University and Oxford Brookes University as a Programme Lead, and started at Arden Berlin in April 2020.

Tobias is interested in Academic Management, Learning and Teaching, and European, International and Constitutional Law. In the little free time his job and parenting responsibilities leave him, Tobias enjoys cycling, reading and a little amateur programming on Linux machines. He supports Werder Bremen, but would prefer not to talk about this until his team's fortunes get considerably better!





# Dr Phungmayo Horam

Dr Phungmayo Horam is Academic Lead at Arden Berlin and advisor to Steinbeis Renewable Energy Centre, India. He is a Resource Economist with a PhD from Humboldt University, and has over four years' experience in project implementation under the Sustainable Future-Megacities project sponsored by the German Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF).

Horam specialises in Project Management and the application of Economics and legal frameworks for evaluating policy design and transaction risks in the renewable energy sector. He takes great pleasure in collaborating with students and inspiring them to think and question the status quo. In his free time, he enjoys playing badminton, cycling and facilitating discussions on sustainable development through the Sustainability Discourse Berlin discussion forum.



# Dana Alomari

Dana Alomari has been working as a Lecturer at Arden Berlin since 2018, teaching subjects on Marketing and Management and supervising students' Research Projects on Marketing and Digital Media topics. Originally from Bahrain, Dana worked in Media and Marketing before moving to Germany in 2014 to obtain her Master's degree in Media and Communication Management from Macromedia University, Berlin. After completing her degree she worked at the same university as a Lecturer for a semester before joining the Arden Berlin family.

Away from work, Dana loves traveling; she has so far visited 15 different countries around the world, leaving her with only 180 more to visit!





# Dr Sara Ravan Ramzani

Dr Sara Ravan Ramzani teaches on a variety of modules in the areas of Management, Business, and Accounting. She was educated at University Putra Malaysia, where she received her PhD in Economics and Information Systems in 2015, and became an assistant professor in the same year. Sara has published 84 papers to date, and received the “best innovative paper award” from the Sydney International Business Research Conference in 2018. She is also the Chief Executive Editor of the Journal of Development Economics, Horizon journals from 2019 -2022.

Sara has several years of experience as a senior lecturer, programme leader and postgraduate director at international universities, and has supervised 24 PhD students, primarily in the fields of Project Management, Business, and Finance.

Outside of the classroom, Sara enjoys long walks and traveling around the world.



# Tobias Stähler

Tobias Stähler has a professional background that comprises corporate communications and roles in management and higher education alike. He has been teaching international students in a variety of management-related subjects for more than nine years, and has also worked as a PR freelancer for companies from the Food & Beverages and Public Health industries. Tobias is a fully trained merchant in wholesale and foreign trade, and holds a Master Artium from Georg-August-University Göttingen in Sociology, Communication Sciences and Cultural Anthropology.

His research and publications are focused on political and organisational communications and qualitative empirics; his academic memberships include INSNA, NAPOKO, IISM Berlin.

In his personal life, Tobias is passionate about badminton, food, and hiking around the Scottish Highlands.





# Dr Ourania Papasozomenou

Dr Ourania Papasozomenou joined Arden Berlin in 2019. She primarily lectures on the Sustainability in Theory and Practice module, as well as supervising students' Research Projects. With a PhD in Institutional Economics and MSc in Resource Management, Ourania worked as a researcher in international projects focusing on water and energy policies. After some years doing research, she gave teaching a try - and has not looked back since.

One of the things Ourania enjoys the most is supervising her students and helping them complete their courses successfully. She also enjoys learning to play the guitar, taking long walks, and pretending to be good at knitting.

# Dr Stefan Lutz

Dr Stefan Lutz is Professor of Economics at HMKW University in Frankfurt, Germany, and independent consultant for international/business economics, transfer pricing, and business intelligence ([www.lutz-econ.de](http://www.lutz-econ.de)). He teaches international/business economics and related management subjects with a focus on empirical and quantitative methods.

Stefan is a research active economist, in particular in the areas of globalisation and firm performance, and has published over 30 articles in refereed journals and book contributions. He has also acquired diverse international research funding, including from DFG and DAAD.

Stefan is a Fellow of the Higher Education Academy, UK and an honorary Research Fellow at ICAE, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain.







# Dr Alexander Dotsenko

Dr Alexander Dotsenko studied in Novosibirsk and Sydney, and has also undertaken research work in Dresden. Alexander spent more than 20 years working in IT, with a particular focus on Enterprise IT.

Supporting companies across a variety of industries, Alexander has developed a strong background in Telecommunications, Banking, and Public Services, especially within the areas of Operations, Marketing, and Finance, working in such diverse roles as Developer, Consultant, Project Lead and Administrator. Alexander still works in IT and has been teaching at Arden Berlin since October 2018.

With his commitment to his students not leaving a lot of free time, he tries to get some exercise and fresh air whenever and wherever he can. Aside from this, books, travel and chess are his favourite leisure activities.

# Aleksandra Przybylinska

Aleksandra Przybylinska joined Arden Berlin in January 2018 as a Student Support Coordinator, and was the first full-time employee of the Berlin Study Centre. In August 2018, she was promoted to Centre Manager of Arden Berlin. With responsibilities in the areas of managing centre operations and student support, Aleksandra has managed to gain a great deal of experience and has contributed to the growth of the Berlin study centre.

Prior to joining Arden Berlin, Aleksandra studied English Philology, with a focus on language teaching, and also gained work experience in the field of administration working for a local company in Berlin.

Outside of the office, Aleksandra enjoys travelling, cycling and singing although she hasn't had the chance to show off her skills to the wider public yet.







# Sarah Bejkar

Sarah Bejkar is an Arden Alumni and became a Student Support Officer at Arden in 2019.

After her graduation from the National School of Management and Trade (ENCG) in Morocco with a degree in International Business, Sarah came to Germany in 2018 to study for an MSc Data Analytics and Marketing at the Arden Berlin Campus. Her experiences with the Student Support Team were so positive that she decided to join the team after her graduation.

Sarah has had the chance to explore various areas of business, both in Morocco and in Germany, where she worked in areas such as Marketing, Sales, Operations, and Customer service.

Sarah brings great insight and tailored support to our students, and enjoys organising fun parties to celebrate their hard work and achievements.

# Diane Boyes

Diane Boyes joined Arden in 2019 as a dedicated, hardworking and approachable Student Support Officer with a great passion for helping young people succeed. Originally from Hanover, Germany, Diane is an English and German dual national, and is also an Arden Berlin Alumni.

Diane studied Finance and Accounting, after which she decided to further her career in Accounting and therefore studied to become a Chartered Accountant at the Chamber of Commerce in Hanover. Diane has more than 15 years' of professional experience in the commercial field, 11 of which were spent working primarily in Accounting.







# Elena Hernández

Elena Hernández is a Student Support Officer here at Arden Berlin. She has a Master of Arts in Intercultural Communications and Languages, and also holds Certification in Online Marketing and Public Relations.

Besides her work at Arden, Elena is also yoga teacher and a life-skills and business coach. She assists students with any psychological issues they may have, helping them achieve a healthy work-study-life balance. She is also on-hand to help students with any questions about their studies at Arden.

Elena speaks fluent English, German, Spanish, and Russian, as well as good Portuguese and some French and Italian. She has studied at universities in four different countries, an experience which puts her in a great position to help students find ways to better integrate themselves into German culture and society.



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