

Marie-Luise Gätgens
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Present Position

Associate Professor of German, Southern Methodist University, Department of World Languages and Literatures, January 1993--present.

Chair, Southern Methodist University, Department of World Languages and Literatures, 2006-2011, 2012-2015.

Visiting Associate Professor of German, Mount Holyoke College, German Studies Department, 1996-1997.

Assistant Professor of German, Southern Methodist University, Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, 1986-1993.

Education

Ph.D. Comparative Literature, The University of Texas at Austin. Advisor: Professor Barbara Becker-Cantarino. Dissertation: "Recalling Fascism: A Critique of Patriarchy in Contemporary German Women's Literature." 1981-1986.

Zweites Staatsexamen/Referendariat, Hamburg, Germany. Areas of Specialization: German, English, and History. 1979-1980.

M.A. English, Indiana University. Areas of Specialization: English and Women's Studies. 1977-1978.

Erstes Staatsexamen, Hamburg, Germany. Areas of Specialization: English, History, and Pedagogy. Thesis: "Zur Darstellung der Frau in der amerikanischen Literatur der zwanziger Jahre." 1973-1977.

Publication

Women Writers and Fascism. Reconstructing History. Gainesville: University Press of Florida, 1995.

"Eingemauert: Helga Schütz, *Grenze zum gestrigen Tag*." In "Wenn sie das Wort Ich gebraucht. Festschrift für Barbara Becker-Cantarino. Eds. Jon Pustejowski and Jacqueline Vansant. Amsterdam/ New York: Rodopi, 2013.

"*Three Guineas*: Fascism, and the Construction of Gender." In *Virginia Woolf and*

“Helke Sander’s “*Liberators Take Liberties* and the Politics of History.” In *Triangulated Vision: Women in Recent German Cinema*. Eds. Ingeborg Majer O’Sickey and Ingeborg von Zadow. Albany: University of New York Press, 1998.

“Language, Gender, and Fascism: Re-constructing Histories in *Three Guineas*, *The Man in the Pulpit*, and *Patterns of Childhood*.” In *Gender, Patriarchy, and Fascism in the Third Reich: The Response of Women Writers*. Ed. Elaine Martin. Detroit: Wayne State University Press, 1993.

Blickwechsel: A German Reader. Ed. Jaqueline Vansant. Contributions by Janet Swaffar, Katherine Arens, Sandra Shattuck, and Marie-Luise Gätgens. Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 1990.

“Die Rekonstruktion der Geschichte: Der Nationalsozialismus in drei Romanen der siebziger Jahre.” In *Frauen-*

“Kurt Tucholsky: The Role of the Writer in Society.” American Association of Teachers of German Conference. Houston, April 1985.

“Ingeborg Bachmann: *Der Fall Franza*. A Journey through a Disease.” Foreign Language Conference. Lexington, April 1985.

“The Definition of Fascism in Ingeborg Bachmann’s Late Prose and in Virginia Woolf’s *Three Guineas*. Germanic Lecture Series. University of Texas at Austin, 1985.

Teaching

Associate Professor and

University Activities

Chair, Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, 2006--present

Area Chair, German, 1997-1999, 2001-2003, 2005-2006.

Director, SMU in Weimar, Summer in Germany, 2000-present

Preparation of tenure dossiers: 2007, one dossier; 2008, two dossiers, 2009, two dossiers, 2010, two dossiers

Three-Year Reviews: 2007, two reviews; 2010, two reviews

Faculty recruitment: 2007: two tenure track positions, French/Spanish; 2009, two tenure track positions, French/Spanish; 2010, one tenure track position, French

Faculty recruitment: lecturers, 2007 two lecturer in Spanish, two lecturers in Chinese; 2008, one visiting-lecturer in Spanish and one in French; 2009 one lecturer in Spanish, two visiting-lecturers in Chinese

Faculty Senate, 2004-2007, Subcommittee on Benefits

Council on General Education, 1997--2001.

President's Commission on the Status of Women, 1997—present, Co-Chair 1998—2000.

President's Scholars Interviewing Board, 1999, 2000, 2001

Dedman College Faculty Council, 1994-1995.

Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures Executive Committee, 1997--present, 1993-1995, 1990-1992, 1988-1989.

Women's Studies Council, 1990-1992, 1988-1990, 2001-present.

First-Year German Coordinator, 1990-1995, 2000-2001, 2002-2003.

Faculty Advisor German Club, 1986-1989.

Faculty Advisor German Honorary Society, 1987-1988.