



# Prof. Dr. phil. Theresa Summer

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## Education

**University of Würzburg**  
Certificate of Higher Education at  
Bavarian Universities  
2018

**Second State Exam for Teaching**  
2012

**University of Würzburg**  
Ph.D. in English Language  
Education  
Dr. phil.  
2011

**The Language House Prague**  
Internationale TEFL Certificate  
2005

**University & Music College of  
Würzburg**  
First State Exam in English & Music  
2002-2007

**European School, Oxfordshire**  
European Baccalauréat  
2001

## Language Skills

German (L1)  
English (bilingual)

## ORCID-ID

0000-0002-8081-6266

## Curriculum Vitae

**University of Bamberg**  
since April 2021

### Associate Professor of English Language Education

- Research and teaching in the field of TEFL
- Speaker of the ZLB (*Zentrum für Lehrerinnen- und Lehrerbildung*) (since 10/23)
- Project coordination: DiSo-SGW/EFT A (lernen:digital) since 07/23
- Project coordination: School Practical Studies (10/21-12/23)
- Organization of conferences, TEFL lectures
- Supervision of Ph.D. theses

**University of Würzburg**  
Aug. 2016 - March 2021

*Parental leave: 01/16-07/17,  
04/18-08/18 (two children)*

### Post-Doc Researcher in English Language Education (A13, RS)

- Teaching and research
- Organization of conferences

**Secondary school teacher**  
Sept. 2013 - Dec. 2016  
Sept. 2012 - Aug. 2013

### English and Music teacher at secondary schools / Realschulen

- Full-time teacher
- Teacher training (Second State Exam)

### Publishing activities

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### Author, editor & consultant

- Editor of several international and national volumes
- Author of several research papers
- Consultant of the publisher Klett, Stuttgart
- Co-editor of the journal *Englisch 5-10*, Friedrich
- Reviewer for international journals

### Research interests

[ResearchGate](#)

- Learner perspectives of ELT
- Digital technologies (immersive virtual reality)
- Pop culture and songs
- Global citizenship education
- Grammar teaching and learning

## Memberships

AKED  
Deutscher Anglistikverband  
DGFF  
E&M

- *Arbeitskreis der Englischdidaktiker\*innen an bay. Universitäten*
- *Förderung anglistischer Forschung und Lehre*
- *Deutsche Gesellschaft für Fremdsprachenforschung*
- *Verband Englisch & Mehrsprachigkeit*

## Scholarships & Certificates

**Bildungsforschungspreis**  
2012

### Educational Research Prize, University of Würzburg

- Ph.D. thesis: *An Evaluation of Methodological Options for Grammar Instruction in EFL Textbooks* (Winter)

**Scholarship**  
2007-2010  
2003-2007

### Stiftung der Deutschen Wirtschaft (SDW, Berlin)

- Full-time scholarship (Ph.D.)
- Full-time scholarship (University degree)

## Stays Abroad

**Research visits**  
April – May 2009  
(Hong Kong & Auckland)  
April 2008 (London)

### Guest Lecturer

- Academic exchange, Prof. Peter Skehan (*Chinese University of Hong Kong*), Prof. Rod Ellis (*University of Auckland*)
- Research at the *British Library*, London

**Erasmus**  
Sept. 2006 - Feb. 2007  
(Barcelona, Spain)

### Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona

- *Department of English Language and Literature*

**School education**  
1994-2001  
(Culham, England)

### European School Culham, Oxfordshire

- Bilingual education in a multicultural environment
- Completion of the European Baccalauréat