

# Katrin Stötter

## Curriculum Vitae

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### Education

#### M.Sc. Interactive Media Technology

Aug 2024 - Present

📍 KTH Royal Institute of Technology

- Selected among the top 12% of applicants.
- Developed an AR application for learning human anatomy using Unity, followed by user testing & statistical analysis (JASP).
- Designed an e-textile prototype for grocery store staff using the Double Diamond process and user testing methods.

#### B.Sc. Human-Computer-Interaction

Oct 2020 - Nov 2023

📍 Julius-Maximilians-University of Würzburg

- Final Grade: 1.6 (GPA 3.64)
- Thesis: Investigating the effectiveness of sonification in the emotional contextualization of emojis for blind and visually impaired people. (Grade: 1.0 (A), Best Presentation Award by Professors).

#### Apprenticeship: Digital & Print Media Clerk

Sept 2018 - July 2020

📍 SWMH Service GmbH, Stuttgart

- Rotated through commercial departments: digital publishing, e-commerce, project management, procurement, and advertising sales.
- The school-based training emphasized business fundamentals and general education.

#### Wilhelms-Gymnasium Stuttgart-Degerloch

Sept 2010 - July 2018

General higher education entrance qualification

### Experience

#### Software Development Working Student

Dec 2022 - July 2023

📍 Nimbits GmbH, Würzburg

- Developed frontend & backend solutions using Shopware6 (Twig, Sass, PHP) and Shopware5 (Smarty, PHP, Less).
- Created internal developer guides to streamline onboarding and plugin development.

#### Usability Research Assistant

Nov 2021 - 30 May 2022

📍 WIVW GmbH (Traffic Science Institute), Germany

- Conducted usability testing & co-design for truck simulator UI in driving schools.
- Applied Nielsen's 10 Heuristics to evaluate interface design.

#### Research Assistant – Psychological Ergonomics

Feb 2022 - April 2022

📍 Julius-Maximilians-University of Würzburg

- Supervised a remote tourism prototype project in an online seminar with Japanese university students.
- Applied Double Diamond methodology in project supervision.

#### Media Clerk (Freelance)

July 2020 - Sept 2020

📍 ALABET Management Consultancy GmbH

- Updated websites using Contao CMS and Google Analytics.
- Conducted image editing and website optimization.

## Skills

### Research & UX

- **Qualitative:** Heuristic Evaluation, Cognitive Walkthrough, Think-aloud studies, Focus Groups, Contextual Inquiry, Cooperative Evaluation
- **Quantitative:** Usability Benchmarking, A/B testing, Statistical Analysis (JASP, Excel, Pandas)

### Prototyping & Design

- Contextual Design, Double Diamond Process.
- Tools: Figma, Adobe CC, Notion, Miro.

### Programming

- Languages: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, Python, Java, PHP, SQL, C#.
- Frameworks & Tools: React, Svelte, TailwindCSS, Bootstrap, Unity, Git, Docker.

### Project Management & Tools

- Scrum, SAP Applications, Asana, MS Office.

## Volunteering & Leadership

### Event & Youth Program Coordinator

2017 - 2022

📍 Protestant Youth Organization, Stuttgart

- Organized weekly programs (e.g., cooking club) and annual events (e.g., dance ball).
- Contributed to the Marketing Team
- Actively participated in youth work committees, including merchandise, gender initiatives, and accommodation planning for future camps.

### Student Mentor

2021 - 2022

📍 Julius-Maximilians-University of Würzburg

- Mentored first-year students, helping them navigate university life and build peer connections.

## Publications

Emotion Sonification as Opportunity for Inclusive Texting: Replacing Emoji with Vocal Bursts and Prosodic Voices. [DOI](#)

## Languages

- German (Native) | English (C2, TOEFL: 115/120) | Spanish (B1) | Swedish (A2)

## Hobbies

📖 Reading | 🎵 Jazz and Funk concerts | 🍳 Collaborative Cooking | 🏠 Interior Design

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