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**Doing a doctorate with a child**
Virtual networking meeting with Alice Bobée (HU) and Anne Vogt (Fiege Logistik)

Doing a doctorate with a child or whilst pregnant is a particular challenge. Therefore, as various studies have pointed out (cf. Nacaps Study 2019/20), many female doctoral candidates who wish to have children postpone family planning until after their doctorate.

However, it is also possible to combine the two: Alice Bobée and Anne Vogt talk about their experiences of balancing family and a doctorate. They will talk about what you need to consider, where can you get financial and advisory support, and will discuss maternity leave and parental leave.

Alice Bobée is a researcher in human and economic geography at the Leibniz Institute for Research on Society and Space (IRS, Erkner). She conducts her PhD in the research project "Constructing Transnational Spaces of Higher Education (TRANSEDU)" and has expertise on transnational higher education, discourse analysis and qualitative methods; and a background in sociological analysis.

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Dr. Anne Vogt studied linguistics and psychology and combined both fields during her PhD at HU Berlin. There she investigated whether the rich experiences we make in our everyday lives influence how we speak and which words we chose when speaking. Furthermore, she is very interested in people's personal development. Therefore, she moved on to a position outside of academia in HR where she can pursue this interest professionally.

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