

## Experts at CHA



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Key topics:

- Policy and strategic capacity of German humanitarian actors
- Syria crisis
- Humanitarian reform & Grand Bargain
- Global food security
- Humanitarian donor policies
- Humanitarian-Development-Peace Nexus

Focus countries/regions:

MENA, Syria, Mali, South Sudan, Ethiopia, Kenya, Mozambique, South Africa



**Sonja Hövelmann**, Research Fellow  
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Key topics:

- German humanitarian action
- International humanitarian system
- Shrinking Humanitarian Space
- Effects of counterterrorism
- Education in emergency aid
- Normative change in the humanitarian sector

Focus countries/regions:

India, Belarus, Lebanon, Pakistan



**Dr Andrea Steinke**, Research Fellow

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Key topics:

- Religion in humanitarian action
- South-South cooperation
- Legitimacy of interventions
- Civil-military cooperation
- Anthropology of humanitarianism
- Humanitarian-Development-Peace-Nexus

Focus countries/regions:

Haiti, Brazil, Mali



**Darina Pellowaska**, Research Fellow

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Key topics:

- Localisation and participation
- Humanitarian access und humanitarian diplomacy
- Data and information management in humanitarian contexts
- Anti-racism in humanitarian action
- Risks in humanitarian project networks

Focus countries/regions:

South Sudan, Sudan, Syria



**Mike Yousef**, Research Fellow

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Key topics:

- Digitalisation and humanitarian action
- „Digital Literacy“ of German humanitarian actors
- New technologies und innovations in the humanitarian context
- Security situation of medical care in crisis and conflict areas
- Conflicts in the MENA region

Focus countries/regions:

MENA (esp. Syria and Yemen)