

# **The Situation of Gender Archaeology in Germany**

## **Facts and Prospects**

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## Institutions and Projects

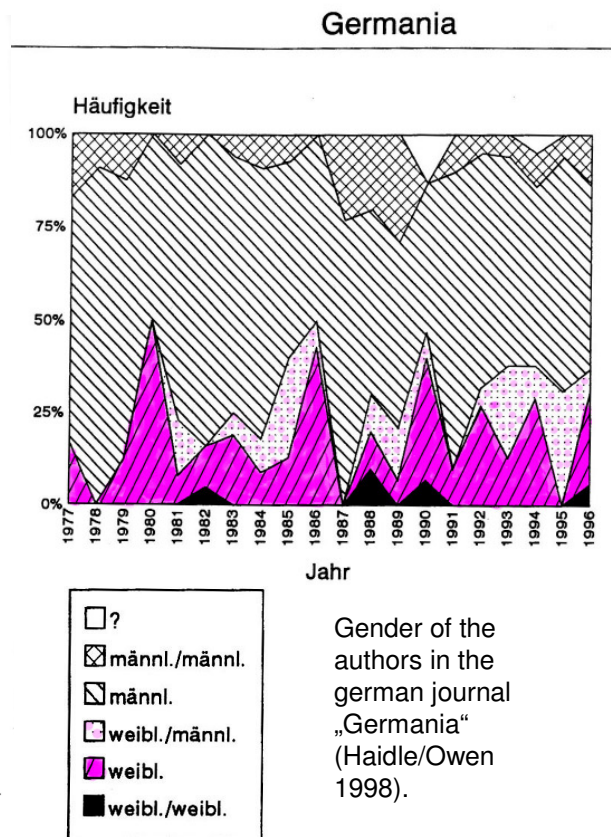
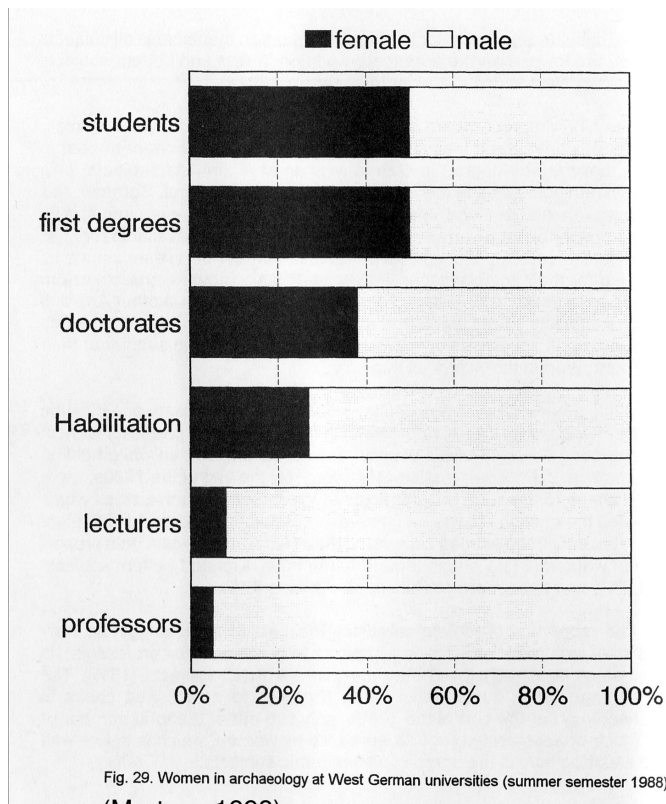


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(1828-1909)



- individual female archaeologists
- FemArc-Network of archaeological working Women e.V. (since 1991)  
newsletters, work shops and conferences, monograph-serie „Frauen-Forschung-Archäologie“, [www.femarc.de](http://www.femarc.de)
- study group „gender archaeology“ (since 2003)
- study group „women in archaeology“ (since 2009)
- no common part of study curriculum, but few exams projects
- prehistoric women and children get more visible in exhibitions

# Professional Situation



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