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Research Interests

Microeconomics, Labour Economics, Economics of Education, Industrial Relations

Education

The London School of Economics and Political Science

Master of Science Economics

09/2021–06/2022

Ruprecht-Karls-University Heidelberg

Bachelor of Arts Sociology

10/2019–08/2021

Bachelor of Science Economics

10/2018–08/2021

Current Projects

Compressing Education

Former LSE MSc Thesis

I evaluate a reform which reduced school years but not content in German secondary schools. Using administrative wage data and exploiting the staggered introduction of the policy, I find that returns to education were not affected. However, students delay their labor market by 6 months. This explains why they earn 12% less than unaffected graduates in the same graduation cohort, but 10% more than unaffected workers their age.

A Local Projections Approach to Difference-in-Differences Event Studies: The STATA Program `lpdid`

with Daniele Girardi, in collaboration with Arin Dube, Oscar Jorda and Alan Taylor

The accompanying Stata program to the local projections diff-in-diff estimator.

Codetermination at Full Parity

with Chantal Pezold

Realtime Industrial Action

with Jim Frindert, Lukas Lehner, Kilian Weil

Teacher Shortages and Student Outcomes

with Nicolas Hübner and Jakob Schwerter

Languages and IT-Skills

Languages

German (native), English (TOEFL 103/120), Spanish (CEFR B1)

IT-skills

Data Analysis (R, Python, Stata, SAS, NVivo), Webscraping (Python), Economic Games (oTree/Python, zTree), Typesetting (T_EX, MS Office), Webdesign (HTML, WordPress, Hugo)

Data Sets

Current Population Survey, European Structure of Earnings Survey, European Company Survey, Socioeconomic Panel (Germany), IAB matched Employer-Employee Biographies & SIAB (Germany), ALLBUS (Germany), World Inequality Database, Total Economy Database, OECD Database

Academic Employment

Predoctoral Research Associate Simon Jäger (MIT), Benjamin Schoefer (UC Berkeley)	since 01/2022
Research Assistant (remote) Elaine Liu (U of Houston)	08/2022
Research Intern Jan Behringer (Macroeconomic Policy Institute)	07/2021–08/2021
Research Assistant Timo Goeschl (Heidelberg U)	04/2021–05/2021
Teaching Assistant Thomas Klein (Heidelberg U)	11/2020–03/2021
Research Assistant Christiane Schwieren (Heidelberg U)	09/2019–03/2021

Presentations and Summer Schools

2023: Stone Center Summer Institute (at UC Berkeley), IZA Summer School, UC Berkeley (2x Institute for Research on Labor and Employment, 1x European Institute)
 2022: U of Cologne, IZA & ECONtribute Human Capital Workshop, Young Economists Conference Vienna
 2021: Young Economists Conference Linz

Scholarships

PROMOS Scholarship – German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Federal agency for academic foreign exchanges	08/2023–12/2023
Exposé Scholarship – Hans-Boeckler-Stiftung Foundation of the German Trade Union Federation (DGB)	01/2023–06/2023
International Postgraduate Scholarship – DAAD Federal agency for academic foreign exchanges	09/2021–06/2022
Student Scholarship – Hans-Boeckler-Stiftung Foundation of the German Trade Union Federation (DGB)	10/2019–06/2022

Non-Academic Experience

Fiscal Future (Berlin based Thinktank) Head of Climate Policy Division (unpaid Position)	since 01/2023
Institute of Labor Economics (IZA) Bonn IZA Code of Conduct Task Force Member	01/2023–11/2023
Deutscher Bundestag (German Parliament) Internship, Office of Member of Parliament Lothar Binding (SPD)	05/2021–06/2021
ver.di (United Services Trade Union) Baden-Wuerttemberg Representative, Executive Committee of Workers in Science	02/2020–12/2021
German Ministry of Finance Internship, Department of Economic and Fiscal Policy Strategy	02/2020–04/2020
Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands, Hessen Internship, Hessian State Parliament and Party Central	02/2019–04/2019