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PERSONAL DETAILS

German citizen

EDUCATION

- London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)**, London, United Kingdom **Oct. 2006-present**
Doctoral studies in Economics (MRes/PhD Track 1)
Awarded MRes in Sept. 2008. Courses in Econometrics, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Labor Economics
- Johann Wolfgang Goethe University**, Frankfurt, Germany **Apr. 2005-Mar. 2006**
Diplom-Volkswirt (equivalent to MSc in Economics)
Major: Applied Econometrics and International Political Economy; doctoral courses in Econometrics and Labor Economics
Thesis: "Union Coverage and Wages in Germany: Empirical Evidence Based on Linked Employer-Employee Data"
academic advisors: Prof. Bernd Fitzenberger, PhD and Dr. Karsten Kohn
- Free University**, Berlin, Germany **Oct. 2003-Mar. 2005**
Diplomstudium (MSc level studies in Economics)
Spent three semesters at the Free University Berlin (graduate courses in Economic Policy, Economic Theory and Econometrics; doctoral course in Econometrics)
- Johann Wolfgang Goethe University**, Frankfurt, Germany **Oct. 2000-Sep. 2003**
Vordiplom (Undergraduate level dual degree studies in Economics and Political Science)
Attained the Vordiplom in Economics in Oct. 2002, MSc level studies until Sep. 2003;
Double major in Political Science from Oct. 2001 – Mar. 2003 (discontinued after successfully obtaining the Vordiplom).
- University Karlsruhe**, Karlsruhe, Germany **Oct. 1999-Sep. 2000**
Diplomstudium (Undergraduate level studies in Business Economics and Engineering)
Attended first year undergraduate courses in Business Economics and Engineering.
- Schillerschule (Gymnasium)**, Frankfurt, Germany **until June 1999**
Abitur (High school diploma)
Majors: Mathematics, English, History and Computer Science

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Applied Econometrics, Microeconometrics, Labor Economics, Personnel Economics

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- Economics Department Tutorial Fellowship**, London School of Economics, United Kingdom **Oct. 2009-present**
- Economics Department Research Studentship**, London School of Economics, United Kingdom **Oct. 2007-Sep.2010**

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE – ACADEMIC

- Albert-Ludwig University of Freiburg** **Aug. 2007-Sep. 2007**
Research Assistant at the chair of Econometrics (Prof. Bernd Fitzenberger, PhD)
Testing a structural model for the effect of unions on the wage distribution using the German Structure of Earnings Survey (GSES).
- Centre for Economic Performance (CEP)**, London, United Kingdom **Dec. 2006-present**
Occasional Research Assistant in the Labour Market Group
Policy evaluation using the UK Labour Force Survey, Unemployment and the business cycle using US household data (CPS)
- Johann Wolfgang Goethe University**, Frankfurt, Germany **Oct. 2005-Sep. 2006**
Research Assistant at the chair of Labor Economics (Prof. Bernd Fitzenberger, PhD)
Assessment of the effect of unions on the wage distribution in Germany using newly available Linked Employer-Employee data and imputed propensities for union membership derived from the German Socioeconomic Panel (GSOEP)

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE – TEACHING

Econometric Methods (EC486) , London School of Economics, United Kingdom Master of Economics and Management course in Econometrics.	Jan. 2011-Jul. 2012
Labour Economics (EC423) , London School of Economics, United Kingdom Master in Economics course in Labor Economics.	Oct. 2010-Jul. 2011
Quantitative Approaches and Policy Analysis (EC455) , London School of Economics, United Kingdom First year Master of Public Administration (MPA) course in applied Econometrics.	Oct. 2009-Jul. 2011
Introductory Courses in Maths and Statistics (EC400) , London School of Economics, United Kingdom Pre-sessional revision course in mathematics and statistics of master students.	Sep. 2009;2010;2011
First Summer Economics Research Workshop , London School of Economics, United Kingdom Four week research workshop for undergraduate students. Instruction in Econometrics, Stata, general research skills and project supervision.	Jul. 2009-Aug. 2009
Introductory and Advanced Stata , London School of Economics Research Lab, United Kingdom Introduction and advanced Stata usage for members of the London School of Economics Research Laboratory (PhD and Post-Doc level)	Jan. 2009-Mar. 2009
Labour Economics (EC317) , London School of Economics, United Kingdom Third year undergraduate course in Labor Economics	Oct. 2008-June. 2009
Economics of Finance (ECON7002) , University College London, United Kingdom Second year undergraduate course in Finance	Oct. 2008-Dec. 2009
Stata for MRes and MSc students , London School of Economics, United Kingdom Master and PhD level course in Stata	Feb. 2008-Nov. 2009
Introduction to Econometrics (EC220) , London School of Economics, United Kingdom Second year undergraduate course in Econometrics	Oct. 2007-June. 2008
Statistics for Diploma Students , Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany First year undergraduate course in Statistics	Oct. 2005-Mar. 2006

PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE – NON-ACADEMIC

Bayerische Motoren Werke AG (BMW) , Frankfurt, Germany <i>Assistant to the Environmental Protection and Workplace Safety Coordinator</i> Developed databases for waste management and for employee training requirements; Developed tools for the standardization of reporting procedures; Assisted in fire protection and workplace safety evaluations, design of procedures for Quality and Environmental Management Standards (ISO 9002 and 14001), introduction of internal standardized tests for apprentices working in the department of Environmental Protection and Workplace Safety	Mar. 2002-Mar. 2006
Peace Research Institute Frankfurt (HSFK) , Frankfurt, Germany <i>Assistant for PolitikON.org</i> Setting up of modules for web supported courses in Political Science	Apr. 2003-Oct. 2003
Intercontact Werbegesellschaft mbH , Frankfurt, Germany <i>Assistant</i> Responsible for design and maintenance of customers' web pages	Mar. 2001-Dec. 2001
Febbex AG , Freigericht-Horbach, Germany <i>Assistant in the Marketing Department</i> Developed and implemented a marketing strategy including printed advertisements, web page and on site presentations	Nov. 2000-July 2001

MISCELLANEOUS

Languages German mother tongue, English fluent, basics in French
IT skills Stata, R, Latex, VBA, Access, Excel, TSP, EViews, Limdep, HTML, Java, C++
Activities Squad leader in the Voluntary Fire Brigade Frankfurt (Fechenheim), Former member of the competitive rowing team of the Germania rowing club (Frankfurt)

PUBLICATIONS

**“Wage Distributions by Bargaining Regime: Linked Employer-Employee Data Evidence from Germany”,
AStA (Band 1 Heft 3-4), 2007**

joint with Karsten Kohn (extended version: IZA Discussion Paper No 2849)

Evaluation of the effect of union coverage on wages for different labor market groups by means of conditional and unconditional kernel density estimations and variance decompositions in West and East Germany using the German Structure of Earnings Survey 2001

**“The Vision of War without Casualties – On the Use of Casualty Aversion in Armament Advertisements”,
Journal of Conflict Resolution, 2006; 50(2), 204-227**

joint with Niklas Schörnig

Evaluation of the change in the casualty aversion after the end of the cold war using data on arms advertisement and discrete choice models

WORK IN PROGRESS AND DISCUSSION PAPERS

“Taking a step back: What determines union coverage in Germany?”

joint with Karsten Kohn

Work in progress

**“Unionization, Stochastic Dominance, and Compression of the Wage Distribution: Evidence from Germany”
SFB 649 Discussion Paper 2008-041, June 2008**

joint with Michael Burda, Bernd Fitzenberger and Thorsten Vogel

“The Impact of Paid Holiday Entitlement on Employment. The UK Working Time Regulation 1998.”

Work in progress

**“Union Density and Varieties of Coverage: The Anatomy of Union Wage Effects in Germany”
IZA Discussion Paper No 3356, February 2008**

joint with Bernd Fitzenberger and Karsten Kohn

Presented at WPEG conference 2007 (Manchester, United Kingdom), Conference of the Research Centres of the Statistical Offices of the Federal States 2006 (Berlin, Germany)