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Curriculum Vitae

Chair of Empirical Economics
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Research Interests

Economics of Personality Traits, Empirical Economics and Microeconometrics, Experimental Economics

Education

- since 10/2016 **Doctoral Studies in Economics**, *University of Potsdam, Germany.*
10/2014 - 09/2016 **Graduate Studies in Economics**, *University of Potsdam, Germany*, Degree: M.Sc.
04/2012 - 09/2014 **Undergraduate Studies in Economics**, *University of Bonn, Germany*, Degree: B.Sc.

Professional Experience

- since 10/2016 **Research Assistant at the Chair of Empirical Economics**, *University of Potsdam, Germany.*
05/2015 - 09/2016 **Student Research Assistant at the Chair of Empirical Economics**, *University of Potsdam, Germany.*
02/2014 - 03/2014 **Internship at the Bundesamt für Infrastruktur, Umweltschutz und Dienstleistungen der Bundeswehr**, *Bonn, Germany.*

Publications

Policy Reports

H. Bonin, I. Isphording, A. Krause, A. Lichter, N. Pestel, U. Rinne, M. Caliendo, C. Obst, M. Preuss, C. Schröder, and M. Grabka 2018. *Auswirkungen des gesetzlichen Mindestlohns auf Beschäftigung, Arbeitszeit und Arbeitslosigkeit*. Studie im Auftrag der Mindestlohnkommission, Projektvergabe durch die Bundesanstalt für Arbeitsschutz und Arbeitsmedizin (BAuA), Vergabe-Nr. 525576, Abschlussbericht.

P. Buraue, M. Grabka, C. Schröder, M. Caliendo, C. Obst, and M. Preuss, 2018. *Auswirkungen des gesetzlichen Mindestlohns auf die Lohnstruktur*. Studie im Auftrag der Mindestlohnkommission, Projektvergabe durch die Bundesanstalt für Arbeitsschutz und Arbeitsmedizin (BAuA), Vergabe-Nr. 525549, Abschlussbericht.

Work in Progress

Joint with M. Caliendo, D. Cobb-Clark and A. Uhlendorff. *"Risk Attitudes and Investments into Training"*

Conference and Workshop Participation

- 04/2019 *Potsdam Research Seminar in Economics* (Potsdam, Germany)
- 11/2018 *8th BeNA Labor Economics Workshop* (Berlin, Germany)
- 10/2018 *PCQR Workshop: Introduction to R (Dag Tanneberg)* (University of Potsdam)
- 07/2018 *SABE-IAREP Joint Conference* (London, Great Britain)
- 06/2018 *PCQR Workshop: Python for text mining (Nikos Askitas, IZA)* (University of Potsdam)
- 05/2018 *7th BeNA Labor Economics Workshop* (Berlin, Germany)
- 07/2017 *5th Potsdam PhD Workshop in Empirical Economics* (University of Potsdam)
- 05/2017 *5th BeNA Labor Economics Workshop* (Berlin, Germany)
- 11/2016 *PCQR Workshop: Generalized Propensity Score Matching and its Implementation in Stata (Michela Bia, LISER)* (University of Potsdam)
- 10/2016 *PCQR Workshop: Advanced do-file programming/Introduction to ado-file programs/Introduction to Mata (Ulrich Kohler)* (University of Potsdam)
- 05/2016 *3rd BeNA Labor Economics Workshop* (Potsdam, Germany)
- 10/2015 *4th Potsdam PhD Workshop in Empirical Economics / EVA-Min Summer School* (Potsdam, Germany)

Teaching Experience

- Summer 2019 *Statistics* (Practical Session, undergraduate level)
- Winter 2018 *Applied Econometrics* (Seminar, graduate level)
- Winter 2017 *Introductory Econometrics* (Practical Session, undergraduate level)
Applied Econometrics (Seminar, graduate level)
- Summer 2017 *Applied Econometrics* (Seminar, undergraduate level)
Statistics (Lecture Coordination, undergraduate level)
- Winter 2016 *Introductory Econometrics* (Practical Session, undergraduate level)
Replication Class (Seminar, graduate level)

Languages

German Native
English Fluent

Services to the Profession

- Professional Membership Berlin Network of Labour Market Research (BeNA)
- Workshop Organization Berlin Network of Labor Market Research (BeNA), Berlin, Germany (Summer 2017)

2016-present Advising students writing their bachelor and master theses