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Current and past positions

Research Associate (Post-Doc), Institute of Labor Economics (IZA) since Jan 2020
Senior Researcher (Post-Doc), Institute for Employment Research (IAB) since July 2019
Researcher, Institute for Employment Research (IAB) April 2013 – June 2019

Areas of specialization

Labor Economics, Public Economics, Behavioral Labor Economics

Education

PhD. Economics (Dr.), University of Erlangen Nuremberg July 2019
Thesis: Workers' Responses to Unemployment Insurance and Income Taxes
Advisors: Regina T. Riphahn, Johannes F. Schmieder
M.Sc. Economics, University of Regensburg Oct 2010 – Mar 2013
B.Sc. Economics, University of Konstanz Oct 2006 – Sep 2010

Publications

The Speed of Earnings Responses to Taxation and the Role of Firm Labor Demand
(with Matthew Gudgeon) *forthcoming at The Journal of Labor Economics* [Paper](#)

Evidence on Job Search Models from a Survey of Unemployed Workers in Germany
(with Stefano DellaVigna, Joerg Heining and Johannes Schmieder)
The Quarterly Journal of Economics, 2022, Vol. 137, Issue 2. [Paper](#), [Appendix](#)

Job Search during a Pandemic Recession: Survey Evidence from the Netherlands
(with Maria Balgova, Nico Pestel and Christian Zimpelmann)
Labour Economics, 2022, Volume 75. [Older IZA DP](#)

Disincentive Effects of Unemployment Benefits and the Role of Caseworkers
(with Johannes Schmieder)
Journal of Public Economics, 2020, Volume 182. [Publishers' Version](#)

Working Papers

Labor Market Outcomes of Men and Women after Job Displacement

(with Hannah Illing and Johannes Schmieder) [Paper](#), [Appendix](#), Coverage: [IZA Newsroom](#)
R&R at Journal of the European Economic Association

Unemployment Insurance Take-Up and Labor Market Conditions [Draft Available Upon Request]

The Labor Supply Effects of Unemployment Insurance for Older Workers

(with Matthew Gudgeon, Pablo Guzman-Pinto, Johannes Schmieder and Han Ye)
[Paper](#), [Appendix](#)

Selected Work in Progress

Worker Representation[Draft Coming Soon]

(with Julian Budde, Thomas Dohmen and Simon Jäger)

The Impact of Job Disruptions on Households During the Covid-19 Pandemic

(with Hannah Illing, Michael Oberfichtner, Nico Pestel and Johannes Schmieder)
Policy-Transfer: [IZA-Standpunkte](#), [IAB-Kurzbericht](#)

Research Stays

Research Visit at the Institute of Labor Economics (IZA), Bonn

Nov 2018 - Dec 2018

Research Visit at Boston University, Economics Department

Sep 2016 - Dec 2016

Grants, honors & awards

IZA Collaborative Research Grant "Labor Market and Social Consequences of the COVID-19 Pandemic", 2020-2022 (with Hannah Illing, Michael Oberfichtner, Nico Pestel and Johannes Schmieder), 125,000 Euro

Fulltime-Scholarship (3 years) IAB Graduate Program (GradAB)

Teaching Experience

Lecturer for Labor Economics, U-Bonn (Master)

Spring 2021

Lecturer for Introductory Econometrics, U-Nuremberg (prep. course, Master)

Fall 2017

Teaching Assistant for Introductory Econometrics, U-Nuremberg

Spring 2015

3 × Co-Supervision of Master Thesis

Referee Service

Review of Economic Studies, AEJ-Micro, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Public Economics, ILR-Review

Conferences, Workshops and Presentations

Evaluation of Labor Market Policy Workshop 2022, Sheffield (Presentation), CRC-TR Workshop 2022 (Presentation), ECONtribute Public Economics Symposium 2022 (Presentation), CEPR Labor Symposium 2021 (Presentation), SOLE-Conference 2021, Philadelphia (Presentation, online); IZA, Bonn; 2 x IAB, Nuremberg (Presentation); EALE-Conference, Lyon (Presentation); IZA-Brownbag Seminar, Bonn (Presentation); EALE-Conference, St. Gallen (Presentation); 20th IZA-Summer School, Ammersee (Poster); Boston University, Boston (Presentation); SOLE-Conference, Seattle (Presentation)

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