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RESEARCH FIELDS

Primary: Labor Economics, Behavioral Economics

Secondary: Family Economics, Household Finance

EMPLOYMENT AND AFFILIATION

2024– **Postdoctoral researcher**, University of Hamburg, Germany
2024– **Research fellow**, IZA, Bonn, Germany

PAST EMPLOYMENT, AFFILIATION, AND VISITS

2019–2024 **Researcher then postdoctoral researcher**, IZA, Bonn, Germany
2023 **Visiting researcher**, University of Oxford, UK (invited by Hamish Low)
2021–2023 **Deputy program coordinator**, IZA Program Area “Gender and Family”
2018–2019 **Researcher**, Institute for Applied Microeconomics, Bonn, Germany

EDUCATION

2021 **Ph.D. in Economics**, Bonn Graduate School of Economics, Germany
2015 **M.S. in Economics**, University of Bonn, Germany
2014–2015 Two exchange semesters at the University of Toronto, Canada
2013 **B.S. in Industrial Engineering**, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Germany

PUBLICATIONS

- “Skewness Expectations and Portfolio Choice”, with Tilman H. Drerup and Matthias Wibral, *Experimental Economics* 26 (2023)
- “Job Search during a Pandemic Recession: Survey Evidence from the Netherlands”, with Maria Balgova, Simon Trenkle, and Nico Pestel, *Labour Economics* 75 (2022)
- “Working Hours and Income Dynamics during the COVID-19 Pandemic: The Case of the Netherlands”, with Hans-Martin von Gaudecker, Radost Holler, Lena Janys, and Bettina Sifflinger, *Labour Economics* 73 (2021)

WORKING PAPERS

- “How Gender Role Attitudes Shape Maternal Labor Supply”, with Tim Mensinger
- “Can Work from Home Help Balance the Parental Division of Labor?”, with Hans-Martin von Gaudecker, Radost Holler, and Lenard Simon
- “Proud to Not Own Stocks: How Identity Shapes Financial Decisions”, with Luca Henkel, Revise and Resubmit at *Review of Financial Studies*

- "The Distribution and Relevance of Ambiguity Attitudes", with Hans-Martin von Gaudecker and Axel Wogrolly
- "Stock Market Beliefs and Portfolio Choice in the General Population"

WORK IN PROGRESS

- *"Sorting in Marriage Markets: The Role of Job Characteristics"*, with Andrew Judy, Iris Kesternich, and Isadora Mathevet
- *"Part Time Traps"*, with Mareen Bastiaans, Jan Berendsen, and Iris Kesternich
- *"Bargaining over the Timing of Babies"*

TEACHING

Lecturer

- Empirical health economics (co-lecturer), University of Hamburg, 2025
- Empirical evaluation of market outcomes (co-lecturer), University of Hamburg, 2025
- Applied econometrics I (in German, co-lecturer), University of Hamburg, 2024
- Household economics, University of Bonn, 2019
- Stata introductory course, University of Bonn, 2015

Teaching assistant

- Effective programming practices for economists, University of Bonn, 2018/2019
- Microeconometrics, University of Bonn, 2018
- Microeconomics, University of Toronto, 2015

Student teaching assistant

- Mathematics for industrial engineers, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, 2011–2013

INVITED SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES

2024–2025: Seminar, CPB, Den Haag; FREDa conference, Wiesbaden; VfS-Annual Conference, Cologne; Nuremberg Research Seminar, Nuremberg; Labour Economics Seminar, Hamburg; Research Seminar, University of Economics and Business, Prague; Informal seminar, Heidelberg; EALE, Bergen; IAB Conference social inequalities, Nuremberg

2022–2023: Postdoctoral Fellows Seminar, Oxford; VfS-Annual Conference, Regensburg; M-BEES/M-BEPS, Maastricht; Collaborative Research Center Transregio 224 conference, Montabaur; GETTSIM Workshop, Munich; Research Day in Applied Microeconomics Bonn/Cologne; Bonn; BSE Summer Forum, Barcelona; PSL Demo Day, virtual; Collaborative Research Center Transregio 224 conference, Mainz; ECONtribute Young Economist Workshop, Cologne

2019–2021: IAB Corona Seminar Series, virtual; ESPE, virtual; D-TEA, virtual; RUD, virtual; Collaborative Research Center Transregio 224 conference, Mainz; LISS panel information event, virtual; SAFE-ECONtribute Household Finance Workshop, Bonn; VfS-Annual Conference, virtual; Workshop on Expectations and Decisions, DIW, Berlin; Family Economics Research Workshop, Mannheim

GRANTS, AWARDS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- Gender Prize for the paper 'How Gender Role Attitudes Shape Maternal Labor Supply' (EUR 500), WiSo Faculty University Hamburg, 2025
- Add-on Fellowship (EUR 9,200), Joachim Herz Stiftung, 2026–2027
- Ideas and Venture Fund (EUR 28,630), University of Hamburg, 2025
- Selten Seeding Grant (EUR 3,250), with Luca Henkel, 2022
- IZA Research Grant (EUR 3,250), with Luca Henkel, 2022
- Research Grant (EUR 18,950), CRC Transregio 224, with Luca Henkel, 2021
- ECONtribute Research Grant (EUR 4,820), with Luca Henkel, 2021
- Scholarship, German Academic Scholarship Foundation, 2010–2015

MEDIA AND PUBLIC OUTREACH

- 'Wie sich der Child-Care-Gap lösen lässt', Wirtschaftswoche 23, 2023
- 'Job search during a pandemic recession' (with Maria Balgova, Simon Trenkle, and Nico Pestel), IZA World of Labor, April 26, 2021
- 'Entgrenzung von Arbeit in Zeiten der Pandemie – das Coronavirus und der Anspruch auf Homeoffice', Symposium University Bonn, February 4, 2021
- 'Thuiswerken vóór, tijdens en ná de coronacrisis' (with Egbert Jongen and Paul Verstraten), CPB Background Document, 2021
- 'From pandemic shock into recession' (with Hans-Martin von Gaudecker, Radost Holler, Lena Janys, and Bettina M. Siflinger), IZA Newsroom, September 30, 2020
- 'Low-income earners suffer most from the COVID-19 crisis' (with Hans-Martin von Gaudecker, Radost Holler, Lena Janys, and Bettina M. Siflinger), IZA Newsroom, April 17, 2020

PROFESSIONAL AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Committee work

- **Deputy equal opportunity representative** at Faculty of Business, Economics and Social Sciences, University of Hamburg, 2024–today
- **Graduate student representative** at Bonn Graduate School of Economics, 2018
- **Student representative in the academic senate** of the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, 2012–2013

Organisation of conferences and seminar series

- IZA coffee (weekly, internal seminar series) 2023–2024
- GETTSIM Workshop 2022, 2023
- IZA Workshops on Gender and Family Economics 2021, 2022
- Open Source Economics Hackathon (seminar series), 2019

Refereeing

Economic Journal, Labour Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Journal of Banking and Finance, Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Finance, Journal of Economic Inequality, Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics, Journal of Labour Market Research