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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION

- ❑ **Habilitation in Economics 2002**, University of Regensburg
Habilitation thesis: “Unemployment Compensation, Real Wages and Unemployment. Macroeconomic Implications of Earnings-Related and Flat-Rate Benefit Systems”
- ❑ **Dr. rer. pol. (PhD) in Economics 1996**, University of Regensburg
Dissertation: “Inflation and Unemployment in Germany – An Analysis Based on Models with Imperfect Competition in Goods and Labor Markets” (in German)
- ❑ **Diploma (equivalent to M.A.) in Economics 1992**, University of Regensburg

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- ❑ Since Oct. 2005 Professor, University of Hohenheim
- ❑ April 2005 – Sept. 2005 Assistant Professor, European University Viadrina
- ❑ April 2003 – March 2005 Assistant Professor, University of Kaiserslautern
- ❑ Sept. 2002 – March 2003 Assistant Professor, University of Regensburg
- ❑ July 1996 – July 2002 Post-Doc, University of Regensburg
- ❑ June 1992 – June 1996 Research and Teaching Assistant at the Chair of Prof. Joachim Möller, University of Regensburg

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

- ❑ Since 2001 Research Fellow, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Bonn
- ❑ Since 2020 Research Fellow, Global Labor Organization (GLO)

VISITING POSITIONS

- ❑ Jan. 1998 – March 1998 University of Maastricht
- ❑ Jan. 2004 – Feb. 2004 Research Visit at CEPS/INSTEAD in Differdange, Luxembourg
- ❑ Feb. 2006 Research Visit at the Institute for Social and Economic Research (ISER) of the University of Essex, UK

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- ❑ The Impact of Automation and Globalization on Labor Markets
- ❑ Macroeconomics of Unemployment (Search and Matching Models; Models of Union Wage Determination; NAIRU)
- ❑ Extent and Implications of Nominal and Real Wage Rigidities

AWARDS

- ❑ Feb. 2003 Scientific Award of the Bayerische Landesbank for the habilitation thesis "Unemployment Compensation, Real Wages and Unemployment"
- ❑ July 2005 Teaching Award of the Department of Economics of the European University Viadrina, Frankfurt/Oder

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Labor Economics	Advanced Macroeconomics	Growth Theory
Service Economics	Intermediate Macroeconomics	Economic Policy
Empirical Macroeconomics	Intermediate Microeconomics	Statistics
Applied Econometrics		

REFEREE FOR

- ❑ *Empirica*, *Empirical Economics*, *European Economic Review*, *FinanzArchiv* (Public Finance Analysis), *German Economic Review*, *Journal of Economics*, *Journal of the European Economic Association*, *Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics*, *Journal for Labour Market Research* (*Zeitschrift für Arbeitsmarktforschung*), *Journal of the Economics of Aging*, *Journal of Population Economics*, *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, *Sozialer Fortschritt*, *The Economists' Voice*, among others.

BOOKS

- ❑ "Unemployment Compensation, Real Wages and Unemployment. Macroeconomic Implications of Earnings-Related and Flat-Rate Benefit Systems". Habilitation thesis, University of Regensburg, 2002.
- ❑ "Inflation und Arbeitslosigkeit in der Bundesrepublik Deutschland. Eine Analyse anhand von Modellen mit unvollkommenen Wettbewerb". Marburg: Metropolis Verlag, 1996.

ARTICLES IN REFEREED JOURNALS

- ❑ "A new sectoral unit labour cost indicator based on global value chains" (with Martyna Marczak), *Applied Economics Letters*, 29(13), 1152-1157, 2022.
- ❑ "Bidirectional Relationship between Investor Sentiment and Excess Returns: New Evidence from the Wavelet Perspective" (with Martyna Marczak). *Applied Economics Letters*, 23(18), 1305-1311, 2016.
- ❑ "Offshoring and Labour Market Reforms in Germany: Assessment and Policy Implications" (with Nathalie Chusseau and Joël Hellier). *Economic Modelling*, 53, 314-333, 2016.

- “Fairness Considerations in Labor Union Wage Setting – A Theoretical Analysis” (with Matthias Striffler). *Scottish Journal of Political Economy*, 63(3), 303-330, 2015.
- “Real Wages and the Business Cycle in Germany” (with Martyna Marczak). *Empirical Economics*, 44(2), 469-490, 2013.
- “Does Downward Nominal Wage Rigidity Dampen Wage Increases” (with Heiko Stueber). *European Economic Review*, 56(4), 870-887, 2012.
- “Downward Nominal Wage Rigidity in Europe: an Analysis of European Micro Data from the ECHP 1994-2001” (with Christoph Knoppik). *Empirical Economics*, 36(2), 321-338, 2009.
- “Sind Nominallöhne starr? Neuere Evidenz und wirtschaftspolitische Implikationen” [Are Nominal Wages Rigid? New Evidence and Policy Implications] (with Christoph Knoppik). *Perspektiven der Wirtschaftspolitik*, 6(2), 171-188, 2005.
- “Dynamic Wage Bargaining if Benefits are Tied to Individual Wages” (with Hartmut Egger). *Oxford Economic Papers*, 56, 437-460, 2004.
- “How Rigid Are Nominal Wages? Evidence and Implications for Germany” (with Christoph Knoppik). *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, 58(4), 619-641, 2003.
- “Strukturelle Arbeitslosigkeit in Europa: Eine Bestandsaufnahme” [Structural Unemployment in Europe: A Survey]. *Mitteilungen aus der Arbeitsmarkt- und Berufsforschung*, 36(4), 411-427, 2003.
- “Bismarck versus Beveridge: Which Unemployment Compensation System is more Prone to Labor Market Shocks?” (with Oliver Buesse). *Finanzarchiv*, 58(1), 78-102, 2001.
- “Downward Nominal Rigidity in West-German Earnings 1975-1995” (with Christoph Knoppik). *German Economic Review*, 2(4), 385-417, 2001.

ARTICLES IN BOOKS

- “Ursachen, Ausmaß und Implikationen von Abwärtsnominallohnstarrheit” [Causes, Extent and Implications of Downward Nominal Wage Rigidity] (with Heiko Stueber), in: Blien, U. et al. (eds.), *Ökonomie, Technologie und Region*, Regensburg: S. Roderer Verlag, 259-299, 2010.
- “Neue Anforderungen an eine gesamtwirtschaftliche Stabilisierung” [New Challenges for Stabilization Policy], in: von Hauff, M. (ed.), *Die Zukunftsfähigkeit der Sozialen Marktwirtschaft*, Marburg: Metropolis, 283-326, 2007.
- “Unemployment: Theoretical Explanations” (with Joachim Moeller), in: Wagner, H. (ed.), *Globalization and Unemployment*, Berlin: Springer, 89-133, 2000.
- “Die Wechselwirkung von Universität und Wirtschaft in einer dynamischen Region - eine Untersuchung am Beispiel der Universität Regensburg” (mit Oliver Büsse und Joachim Möller), in: Gerald Braun, Eva Voigt (Hrsg.), *Regionale Innovationspotentiale von Universitäten*, Rostocker Beiträge zur Regional- und Strukturforchung, Heft 15, S. 41-65, 2000.
- “Die Regensburger Absolventenbefragung” (mit Oliver Büsse and Joachim Möller), in: Möller, Joachim, Oberhofer, Walter (Hrsg.), *Universität und Region*, Regensburg: Universitätsverlag Regensburg, S. 15 – 26, 1997.

- “Die Universität aus der Sicht ihrer Absolventen” (mit Oliver Büsse und Joachim Möller), in: Möller, Joachim, Oberhofer, Walter (Hrsg.), *Universität und Region*, Regensburg: Universitätsverlag Regensburg, S. 27 – 54, 1997.
- “Herkunft und Verbleib von Absolventen der Universität Regensburg” (mit Oliver Büsse und Joachim Möller), in: Möller, Joachim, Oberhofer, Walter (Hrsg.), *Universität und Region*, Regensburg: Universitätsverlag Regensburg, S. 55 - 94, 1997.
- “Die Regensburger Unternehmensbefragung” (mit Oliver Büsse und Joachim Möller), in: Möller, Joachim, Oberhofer, Walter (Hrsg.), *Universität und Region*, Regensburg: Universitätsverlag Regensburg, S. 171 – 179, 1997.
- “Qualifikation, Innovation und Kooperation - Die regionale Industrie im Wandel und ihr Verhältnis zur Universität” (mit Oliver Büsse), in: Möller, Joachim, Oberhofer, Walter (Hrsg.), *Universität und Region*, Regensburg: Universitätsverlag Regensburg, S. 180 – 223, 1997.
- “Sektorale Preis- und Lohnbildung in der Bundesrepublik Deutschland” [Sectoral Price and Wage Determination in Germany](with Joachim Moeller). In: Gerlach, K. and Schettkat, R. (eds.), *Determinanten der Lohnbildung. Theoretische und empirische Untersuchungen*, Berlin: Edition Sigma, 159-183, 1995.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS (A SELECTION)

- “Geldpolitik und Beschäftigung: Ist niedrige Inflation Gift für den Arbeitsmarkt?” (Monetary Policy and Employment: Is Low Inflation Harmful for the Labor Market?) (with Heiko Stueber), *IAB Kurzbericht*, 2, 2011.
- “Techischer Fortschritt als Ursache sektoralen Wandels” [Technological Progress as Cause for Sectoral Change]. *Wirtschaftswissenschaftliches Studium (WiSt)*, 29(1), 2-7, 2000.
- “Verschiedene Konzepte der Substitutionselastizität” [Different Concepts for the Substitution Elasticity]. *Wirtschaftswissenschaftliches Studium (WiSt)*, 28(8), 390-393, 1999.
- “Die neue Investitionstheorie” [The New Investment Theory] (with Joachim Moeller). *Wirtschaftswissenschaftliches Studium (WiSt)*, 6, 1994.
- Review of Gerlach, K. and R. Schettkat (Hrsg.), *Beiträge zur Neukeynesianischen Makroökonomie*, Berlin: Ed. Sigma, 1996, in: *Politische Vierteljahresschrift*, 38(4), 903-905, 1997.

DISCUSSION PAPERS (A SELECTION)

- “Technical Change, Task Allocation, and Labor Unions” (with Martyna Marczak and Franziska Brall), *IZA Discussion Paper* No. 15632, 2022.
- “Divergence in Labour Force Growth: Should Wages and Prices Grow Faster in Germany?” (with Joël Hellier and Martyna Marczak), *IZA Discussion Paper* No. 13538, 2020.
- “The Impact of Temporary Agency Work on Trade Union Wage Setting: A Theoretical Analysis” (with Philipp Baudy), *IZA Discussion Paper* No. 8802, 2015.
- “The Impact of Labor Market Reforms on Capital Flows, Wages and Unemployment”, *IZA Discussion Paper* No. 390, 2001.
- “Oil Price Shocks and the NAIRU”, *University of Regensburg Discussion Paper* No. 354, 2001.