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German citizenship, 2 children (born 2013 and 2016)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macroeconomics, International Macro and Finance, Financial Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics

EDUCATION

- 2018 **Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin**, Germany
Ph.D. in Economics, *summa cum laude*
Title: “Three Essays on Financial Intermediation in the Open Economy”
Advisors: Lutz Weinke, Tommy Sveen
Berlin Doctoral Program in Economics and Management Science (BDPEMS)
- 2018 **Columbia University**, USA
Visiting Ph.D. Student, invited by Martín Uribe
- 2010 **Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen**, Germany
M.Sc. in Political Science
- 2009 **Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen**, Germany
M.Sc. in Economics
- 2006 **Pontificia Universidad Católica**, Buenos Aires, Argentina
International Exchange Student
- 2004 **FOM Hochschule**, Germany
B.Sc. in Business Administration

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2011-present Research and teaching assistant, Institute of Economic Policy (Lutz Weinke), Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany
- 2007-2009 Student research assistant, department “International Integration and Regional Development”, IAW Tübingen, Germany
- 2009 Student teaching assistant, Chair of International Macroeconomics and Finance (Claudia Buch), Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, Germany
- 2005 Internship, Corporate Treasury, Risk & Cash Management, Lanxess AG, Germany
- 2003-2004 Assistant to the marketing and supply chain manager, Business Unit Ion Exchange Resins, Bayer Chemicals/Lanxess AG, Germany
- 2003 Market research analyst, Sybron Chemicals (branch of Bayer AG), USA
- 2001-2003 Vocational training in industrial management, Bayer AG, Germany

CURRENT RESEARCH

- **Unconventional Monetary Policy in a Monetary Union**, 2018 (Job Market Paper); BDPEMS Working Paper 2018-01, current version available [on my website](#)
- **Endogenous Portfolio Choice by Banks and the International Risk-Sharing Puzzle – A Role for Macroprudential Policy?**, 2018; current version available on request
- **Banks’ Balance Sheets and the International Transmission of Shocks**, 2016; BDPEMS Working Paper 2016-03, current version available [on my website](#)

PLANNED RESEARCH

- International Business Cycles in a DSGE Model with Financial Frictions – The Role of Balance Sheet Exposure
- Macroprudential Policy and the Frequency of Crises in Open Economies
- Macroprudential Policy and the Frequency of Crises (joint with Jelena Živanović, Bank of Canada)
- Government Debt Purchases in a Monetary Union (joint with Felix Strobel, Goethe Universität Frankfurt)

PRESENTATIONS

- 2018 Financial Economics Colloquium at Columbia University; Verein für Socialpolitik - Jahrestagung; SCE 24th International Conference on Computing in Economics and Finance (CEF); Dynare Conference; Vigo Workshop on Macroeconomic Dynamics; Brownbag Seminar Macroeconomics at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin; 4th Berlin Internal Macroeconomics Workshop; 12th ifo Dresden Workshop on Macroeconomics and the Business Cycle
- 2017 Brownbag Seminar Macroeconomics at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- 2016 European Economic Association (EEA) meeting; SCE 22nd International Conference on Computing in Economics and Finance (CEF); Rimini Centre for Economic Analysis (RCEA) Macro-Money-Finance Workshop; Research in International Economics and Finance (RIEF) Doctoral Meeting, Florence; Ruhr Graduate School of Economics (RGS) Doctoral Conference
- 2015 Dynare Conference; Brownbag Seminar Macroeconomics at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- 2014 Brownbag Seminar Macroeconomics at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- 2012 Brownbag Seminar Macroeconomics at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
- 2009 European Regional Science Association (ERSA) Conference, Lodz

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Tutorial (grad.) *Introduction to Advanced Macroeconomic Analysis* (with Lutz Weinke), Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, winter 2011
- Seminar (grad. and undergrad.) *Topics in Dynamic Macroeconomics* (with Lutz Weinke), Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, summer 2013, summer 2015, summer 2016
- Tutorial (undergrad.) *Monetary Economics* (with Lutz Weinke), Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, winter 2014, winter 2015
- Tutorial (undergrad.) *Macroeconomics II* (with Lutz Weinke and Michael C. Burda), Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, summer 2011, summer 2013, summer 2015, summer 2017, summer 2018
- Tutorial (undergrad.) *Macroeconomics II* (with Claudia Buch), Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, summer 2009
- Tutorial (undergrad.) *Macroeconomics I* (with Lutz Weinke and Michael C. Burda), Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, winter 2012, winter 2014, winter 2017, summer 2018
- Lecture (undergrad.) *International Labor Policy*, Rhine-Waal University of Applied Sciences, winter 2011

COURSES AND TRAINING

- 2018 *Short Course in International Macroeconomics* by Stephanie Schmitt-Grohé and Martín Uribe; *Introduction to Regime-Switching DSGE Modelling using the RISE toolbox* by Junior Maih
- 2017 *Models with Occasionally Binding Constraints* by Mateo Iacoviello
- 2016 *Simulating and Estimating Stochastic Non-linear Models with DYNARE* by Michel Juillard and Stéphane Adjemian; *Introduction to the Heterogeneous Agents Resources Toolkit* by Christopher Carroll and Nathan Palmer

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- 2015 *Princeton Initiative: Macro, Money and Finance* by Markus Brunnermeier and Yuliy Sannikov;
Advances in Empirical Macroeconomics by Karel Mertens and Francesco Bianchi (Bonn Summer School)
- 2013 *Heterogenous Agent Models in Macroeconomics* by Michael Reiter
- 2011 *Reassessing macroeconomics and macroeconomic policy* by Roel Beetsma, Giancarlo Corsetti, Paul de Grauwe, Philip Lane, Frank Smeets (Kiel Institute Summer School on Economic Policy)

SCHOLARSHIPS

- 09/2015 Princeton Initiative travel grant
- 10/2010-03/2011 BDPEMS scholarship for Ph.D. dissertation
- 08/2006-12/2006 State of Baden-Württemberg scholarship for students studying abroad

OTHER SKILLS

Software: MATLAB, Dynare, Stata, L^AT_EX, MS-Office.
Languages: German (native), English (fluent), Spanish (proficient), Portuguese (intermediate),
French (elementary)

REFERENCES

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