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Employment

since 2021	Assistant Professor, Rotterdam School of Management, Erasmus University,
	Rotterdam, Netherlands
2019 - 2021	Postdoctoral Researcher, Center for Decision Sciences, Columbia Business
	School, Columbia University.
	Supervisor: Eric J. Johnson

Education

2016 - 2020	Ph.D., Marketing and Management, University of Geneva.
	Supervisor: Prof. Benjamin Scheibehenne.
	Title: Relevant consumer research: prediction, explanation, and replication.
2012 - 2015	Ph.D., Social Psychology, University of Bern.
	Supervisor: Profs. Margit Oswald and Karl Christoph Klauer.
	Title: The Influence of the Ease of Mental Imagery on Source Memory and Item
	Memory
2010 - 2012	MSc, Psychology, University of Bern
2007 - 2010	BSc, Psychology, University of Hamburg

Research Interests

I study the impact of individual differences on responses to marketing policy interventions to improve targeting and segmentation. My substantive focus is on sustainable consumer behavior and how to make persuasive messages such as emails and text messages as well as incentives more effective. I also investigate methodological problems to improve the validity of preference measurements and the generalizability of experimental methods in consumer research.

Publications

- 1. Krefeld-Schwalb, A., Hua X. & Johnson E.J. (in press). Measuring population heterogeneity requires heterogeneous populations. Proceedings of the National Academy of Science.
- 2. Krefeld-Schwalb, A., Sugerman E. & Johnson, E.J. (2024). Exposing omitted moderators: Explaining why effect sizes differ in the social sciences. Proceedings of the National Academy of Science, 121 (12). https://doi.org/10.1073/pnas.2306281121
- 3. Krefeld-Schwalb, A., & Scheibehenne, B. (2023). Tighter nets for smaller fishes: Mapping the development of statistical practices in consumer research between 2008 and 2020. Marketing Letters, 34, 351–36. https://doi.org/10.1007/s11002-022-09662-3
- 4. Li, Y.*, Krefeld-Schwalb, A.*, Wall, D. G., Johnson, E. J., Toubia, O., & Bartels, D. M. (2022). The More You Ask, the Less You Get: When Additional Questions Hurt

External Validity. Journal of Marketing Research, 59(5), 963-982. https://doi.org/10.1177/00222437211073581 [*Shared first authorship]

- 5. Krefeld-Schwalb, A., Scheibehenne, B., & Pachur, T. (2022). Structural Parameter Interdependencies in Computational Models of Cognition. Psychological Review, 129(2), 313–339. https://doi.org/10.1037/rev0000285
- 6. Krefeld-Schwalb, A., & Rosner, A. (2020). A new way to guide consumer's choice: Retro-cueing alters the availability of product information in memory. Journal of Business Research, 111, 135–147. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jbusres.2019.08.012
- 7. Krefeld-Schwalb, A., Donkin, C., Newell, B. R., & Scheibehenne, B. (2019). Empirical comparison of the adjustable spanner and the adaptive toolbox models of choice. Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory, and Cognition, 45(7), 1151–1165. https://doi.org/10.1037/xlm0000641
- 8. Krefeld-Schwalb, A., Witte, E. H., & Zenker, F. (2018). Hypothesis-Testing Demands Trustworthy Data A Simulation Approach to Inferential Statistics Advocating the Research Program Strategy. Frontiers in Psychology, 9(March), 1–14. https://doi.org/10.3389/fpsyg.2018.00460
- 9. Krefeld-Schwalb, A. (2018). The Retro-Cue Benefit for Verbal Material and Its Influence on the Probability of Intrusions Under Dual-Task Conditions. Experimental Psychology, 65(3), 128–138. https://doi.org/10.1027/1618-3169/a000400
- 10. Krefeld-Schwalb, A., Ellis, A. W., & Oswald, M. E. (2015). Source memory for mental imagery: Influences of the stimuli's ease of imagery. PLoS ONE, 10(11), 1–14. https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0143694.

Research in Progress

Krefeld-Schwalb, A., Constantino, S. & Paolacci, G. (RR at Journal of Marketing). The evidence you see is all there is: Selective reporting in applied market research.

Krefeld-Schwalb, A., Martinovici, A., Orquin, J. L., Aribarg, A., Erdem, T., ... Yang, C. L. (RR at the International Journal of Research in Marketing). Search in service of choice. https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/xw5by

Reeck, C., Lee, B. C., Krefeld-Schwalb, A., Xu, S. & Johnson, E.J.. (RR at Management Science). Information search shapes consumer patience: A novel process model for intertemporal choice.

Wei, S.*, Krefeld-Schwalb, A.*, Gabel, S. *. Global Evidence on the Motives for Sustainable Behaviors. https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/syku6. [* Equal Contribution]

Krefeld-Schwalb, A.* & Gabel, S.* Sustainable future: Fostering sustainable behavior with targeted interventions. https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/nc2bh [* Equal Contribution]

Krefeld-Schwalb, A. & Johnson E. (in preparation). From reproducibility crisis to generality revolution in consumer research.

Krefeld-Schwalb, A, Bergh, B. van den, Constantino, S., Filatova, T., Gabel, S., Johnson, E.J, Newell, .B, Oerlemans, C. & Weber, E. (in preparation) Climate risk labels for real estate: An individual level intervention to induce system change toward adaptation.

Krefeld-Schwalb, A., Bartels, D. & Johnson, E.J.. More than money over time: Consumers' intertemporal preferences for money, health and getting things done. https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/8d2w4

Krefeld-Schwalb, A & Johnson, E.J. (in preparation). Ensembled Preference.

Invited Talks

2025

Yale (planned)

University of Leuven

2024

Booth School of Business, University of Chicago

Technical University Delft

Tilburg University

Ludwig Maximilian University, Munich

2023

Wharton Business School, University of Pennsylvania

Princeton University

Pompeu Fabre

2022

University of Warwick

Uppsala University

Maastricht University

2020

University of St.Gallen

Rotterdam School of Management

TUM School of Management

2019

Boğaziçi University Istanbul

Columbia University

2018

University of Zürich

Max-Planck-Institute of Human Development

Teaching Experience

Year Title Program

2023-2024 Noise: Understanding Errors in Human Judgement and Prediction School of Management

Task: Design and Delivery of the entire course

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2021-2024	Going viral: Ideas that spread around the world Task: Design and Delivery of the entire course	BA/IBA, Rotterdam School of Management
2022-2024	Living Management Project,	MBA, Rotterdam School of
	Task: Supervising student groups working on	Management
	consultancy projects	
	No individual teaching evaluation	
2022-2024	Consumer Behavior	PhD, Rotterdam School of
	Task: Teach one session about research around	Management
	preference measurement. Each session is taught by	
	a different faculty member.	

Thesis Supervision

2021- 2023 10 master theses as main supervisor and 10 master theses as co-reader per year

Individual Scientific Reviewing Activities

Management Science
Journal of Marketing Research
Journal of Marketing
Psychological Review
PNAS
Decision

Computational Brain and Behavior Journal of Business Research

Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory and Cognition

Judgment and Decision Making

Third-Party Funding and Awards

2024	Kilts Center Visiting Faculty Fellow at Chicago Booth
2024	Seed Grant, Convergence - Resilient Delta Initiative, EUR 326,000
	Role: Grant Applicant and Project lead with Sebastian Gabel and Tatiana Filatova
2024	Veni Grant, NWO Dutch Research Council (Nederlandse Organisatie voor
	Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek), EUR 320,000
	Role: Grant Applicant
2023	Various in-kind product sponsors, ~ EUR 30,000
	(https://sustainability.rsm.nl/demo)
2023	Kickstarter grant, Convergence Initiative, EUR 29,954
	Role: Grant Applicant together with Sebastian Gabel
2023	Humboldt Residency Program: Our Precious Resources: Wege zu einer sicheren
	und nachhaltigen Zukunft, Alexander von Humboldt Stiftung
2019	PostDoc mobility Scholarship, Swiss National Science Foundation, CHF 197,000
	Role: Grant Applicant.
2017	Project Grant, Swiss National Science Foundation, CHF 239,721
	Role: Conceptualization of the research plan and writing of the application.
	Grant applicant: Benjamin Scheibehenne; Project Partner: Thorsten Pachur
2017	Travel Grant, Société Académique Genève
	Role: Grant applicant
2016	Travel Grant, Schweizerische Akademie der Geistes- und Sozialwissenschaften

Role: Grant applicant
Student Award, Society for Mathematical Psychology
Doc mobility Scholarship, Swiss National Science Foundation, CHF 40,255