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Current Positions Assistant Professor & CERGE-EI Foundation Teaching Fellow

Department of Economics, Faculty of Law Charles University; since 03/2020 (TF: 09/2021)

Researcher

IDEA, think tank of the Economic Institute of the Czech Academy of Sciences; since 06/2018

Researcher

Occupational Safety Research Institute; since 05/2021

Economist

Roklen Holding a.s; since 09/2016

Past Positions Short-Term Consultant

World Bank, DE JURE program; 09/2021 – 08/2022

Education Ph.D. in Economics

Center for Economic Research and Graduate Education - Economics Institute (CERGE-EI); 2017 – 2021

M.A. in Economics

Center for Economic Research and Graduate Education - Economics Institute (CERGE-EI); 2015 – 2017

Mgr. in Economics

Institute of Economic Studies, Charles University; 2014 – 2016

Bc. in Economic Theories

Institute of Economic Studies, Charles University; 2011 – 2014

Published Papers Drápal Jakub, Šoltés M. (in press). Sentencing Decisions Around Quantity Thresholds: Theory and Experiment. *Journal of Experimental Criminology*

Svitáková Klára, Šoltés M. (in press). Ranking of Candidates on Slates: Evidence from 20,000 Electoral Slates. *Party Politics*

Šoltés Michal (2023). Consequences of Inconvenient Information: Evidence from Sentencing Disparity. *Economica*, 90, 1307–1334.

Berec, L. et al. (2022). Delays, Masks, the Elderly, and Schools: First Covid-19 Wave in the Czech Republic. *Bulletin of Mathematical Biology* 84, 75.

Working Papers and Preprints De Jaegher Kris, Šoltés M., Titl V. (2023). Easing Renegotiation Rules in Public Procurement: Evidence from a Policy Reform (*under review*)

Pertold Filip, Grossmann J., Šoltés M. (2023). Parental Allowance Increase and Maternal Labour Supply: Evidence from a Czech Reform (*under review*)

Šoltés Michal (2017). Does Unemployment Insurance Affect Productivity?

Conferences and Seminars 2023: SIDE (scheduled); EALE, Berlin; EEA, Barcelona; CESifo Area Conference on Public Economics; Masaryk University, Brno (invited); 12th ifo Dresden Workshop on Labor Economics and Social Policy; Interdisciplinary Public Procurement Forum,

Utrecht; X. Kriminologické dny

2022: Hertie School, Berlin (PELS); Conference of the Czech Economic Society; Co-operatio workshop

2021: EMLE MTM Academic Conference (online); EPCS (online); PhD-Economics Virtual Seminar; SMYE (online); GLEA (online); EALE (online); Utrecht University (Lunch Seminar); Erasmus School of Economics, Rotterdam; University Paris Nanterre (invited; Law, Institutions and Economics Seminar)

2020: EPCS (cancelled); SMYE (cancelled); YEM (cancelled); World Congress; EEA Virtual; ERoS Seminars; Workshop on Empirical Public and Political Economics, KU Leuven

Professional Activities

Public Policy: NERV 4.0 (external member of a working group); consulting for ministries (Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, Ministry of Industry and Trade); PAQ Research

Other Services: Study committee, Faculty of Law, Charles University (since 2023); Financial market inflation expectations respondent for the Czech National Bank (since 2016); External author and opponent SCIO s.r.o. (2016 – 2022); Student representative, CERGE-EI (2016 – 2017)

Thesis Supervised: Tadeáš Štěpán (Faculty of Law, Charles University), Vít Kubů (Institute of Economic Studies, Charles University), Tomáš Karhánek (Institute of Economic Studies, Charles University)

Refereeing

Journals: Humanities & Social Sciences Communications; JBNST: Journal of Economics and Statistics; FÓRUM sociální politiky

Grant Agencies: Technology Agency of the Czech Republic (Rapporteur); Charles University Grant Agency; IGA, Prague University of Economics and Business

Conferences: SMYE 2022, MYE 2023

Research Grants and Fellowships

Evolution of Inmates' Perceptions and Preferences Over Time: Evidence from Czech Prisons

Research Support Budget WORLD BANK; 2021 – 2022; PI is Daniel L. Chen

Career Integration Fellowships

CERGE Foundation; 2021 – 2024

The Role of Institutional Factors and Information in Public Procurement Markets

JUNIOR STAR Grant of the Czech Science Foundation; 2021 – 2025; PI is Vita Titl

Determinants and Effects of the Choice of Parental Leave Length in the Czech Republic

Ministry of Labor and Social Affairs; 2021 – 2023

Mapping the Effects of the Economic Crisis and Optimizing the Systems of Taxes, Benefits, Executions and Insolvencies to Mitigate Its Adverse Effects

Technology Agency of the Czech Republic; 2020 – 2022; PI is Klára Kalíšková

Does Sentencing Disparity Cause Institutional (Dis)Trust? Evidence from a Survey Experiment

Teaching Fellow Research Grant, CERGE Foundation; 2020

Information Acquisition in Economics: An Experiment

Charles University Grant Agency, 2018 – 2020

Endogenous Growth Model, Distance to Frontier, and Labor Market Institutions

Charles University Grant Agency, 2016 – 2017

Teaching Fellow

CERGE Foundation; 2018 – 2021

Awards

Karel Engliš Award (Czech Economic Society)

the best paper on Czech economic policy; 2019

Young Economist Award (Czech Economic Society)

3rd place; under 30 years of age; 2016

New Economic Talent - CERGE-EI

2nd place in worldwide competition for Master students; 2016

Performance Stipend

CERGE-EI; 2017 – 2019

Dean Award

outstanding Bachelor's thesis; 2014

Teaching

Právo a ekonomie I (Econ 101)

Faculty of Law, Charles University; 2021 –

Právo a ekonomie II (Law and Econ)

Faculty of Law, Charles University; 2022 –

Ekonomie veřejného sektoru (Public Econ)

Faculty of Law, Charles University; 2021 –

Diplomový seminář (Thesis seminar)

Faculty of Law, Charles University; 2023 –

Vědecký seminář z práva, ekonomie a empirie (Research Seminar)

Faculty of Law, Charles University; 2021 –

Teorie národního hospodářství I (Econ 101)

Faculty of Law, Charles University; 2020

Teorie národního hospodářství II (Econ 101 and Law & Econ)

Faculty of Law, Charles University; 2018 – 2020

Projects in Applied Economics for High School Students

CERGE-EI; Tutor (2016 – 2019), Lecturer (2018 – 2019)

Visiting Stays

Visiting Researcher

Hertie School, Berlin (Germany); 10/2022

Visiting Researcher

Utrecht University, School of Economics (Netherlands); 10/2021

Visiting Student Researcher

UC Berkeley, Department of Economics (California, USA); 02 – 06/2019

Erasmus+ - Economics

Universidad Autonoma de Madrid (Spain); 01 – 06/2016

Exchange program - Economics

Peking University HSBC Business School (China); 08/2015 – 01/2016

Erasmus - Economics

Maastricht University, School of Business and Economics (Netherlands); 09/2013 – 01/2014

Policy Work

Kalíšková Klára, Münich D., Šoltés M. (2023). Pracovně motivační dopady návrhů daňových změn na zaměstnance [Work-Related Motivational Implications of Proposed Tax Changes on Employees] *IDEA Policy brief*

Peňázová Eva, Šoltés M. (2023). Generace X a Y očima dat: Když byli rodiče mladí jako my [Generation X and Y Through the Eyes of Data: When Our Parents Were Young Like Us] *IDEA studie 5/2023*

Prokop Daniel, Kalíšková K., Šoltés M., Münich D., Ostrý M. (2023). Jak zachránit státní rozpočet a napravit nedostatky v danění příjmů? [How to reform employee taxation.] *Czech Tax Papers (IDEA Think-tank a PAQ Research)*

Grossmann Jakub, Pertold F., Šoltés M., Šarboch M., Zapletalová L. (2022). Vliv zvýšení rodičovského příspěvku na participaci žen na trhu práce [What Effects did the Parental Allowance Increase Have on Women's Participation in the Labour Market] *IDEA studie 14/2022*

Pertold Filip, Šoltés M. (2022). Analýza dopadu rodičovství na danění práce pomocí TAXBEN modelu [Analysis of the Impact of Parenthood on Labor Income Tax Using the TAXBEN Model] *Projekt 22 % K ROVNOSTI Ministerstva práce a sociálních věcí*

Kalíšková Klára, Šoltés M. (2022). Spočítali jsem za vás: Dopady zrušení superhrubé mzdy, snížení odvodů na sociální pojištění a zavedení daňových prázdnin [We've Done the Math: Here's What the Abolition of Super-gross Wages, Reductions in Social Security Contributions and the Introduction of Tax Holidays Will Really Mean] *IDEA studie 4/2022*

Šoltés, Michal (2021). Recenze: Základní příjem ve světě: Argumenty, experimenty, dějiny [Review of the Publication "The Basic Income Worldwide: Arguments, Experiments, History"] *Fórum sociální politiky*, 15(6)

Drápal Jakub, Šoltés M. (2021). Rozdíly v ukládání a navrhování trestů: výsledky dvou experimentů [Sentencing Disparities: Evidence from Two Experiments] In Grivna, Tomáš et al. *Trestní právo s lidskou tváří: V upomínku na Marii Vanduchovou*. Prague: Wolters Kluwer

Kalíšková Klára, Münich D., Prokop D., Šoltés M. (2020). Vyhodnocení dopadů návrhů na zrušení superhrubé mzdy [Impact Assessment of Proposals to Abolish the Super-gross Wage] *IDEA Pracovní list 2/2020*

Kalíšková Klára, Münich D., Šoltés M. (2020). Dopady zrušení superhrubé mzdy na daň z příjmu placenou zaměstnanci [Effects of Abolishing Super-gross Wage on Labor Income Tax Paid by Employees] *IDEA Pracovní list 1/2020*

Korbel Václav, Novák V., Šoltés M., Tóth L. (2020). Jak komunikovat vládní krizová opatření: Často opakovat [How to Communicate Government Crisis Measures? Repeat Them] *IDEA antiCOVID #10*

Korbel Václav, Novák V., Šoltés M., Tóth L. (2020). Přístup domácností k nákaze a vládním opatřením: Aktuálně z terénu [Households' Perception of COVID-19 and Government's Measures: From the Field] *IDEA antiCOVID #7*

Novák Vladimír, Šoltés M. (2019). Dichotomie spotřebních daní: Zdroj veřejných rozpočtů a nástroj snižování újmy (diskusní studie) [The Excise Tax as a Dichotomy: Source of Public Budgets and Instrument of Harm Reduction] *IDEA studie 13/2019*

Kalíšková Klára, Šoltés M. (2018). Dopady odkládaného zrušení superhrubé mzdy [The Consequences of the Postponed Abolishment of Super-gross Wages] *IDEA studie 12/2018*

www.jaktrestame.cz - web application about sentencing in the Czech Republic