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#### Education

2017 - present PhD Candidate in Economics, University of Zurich Main fields: Public Economics, Labor Economics Advisors: Josef Zweimüller and Florian Scheuer
 2013 - 2014 MSc in Economics, Pompeu Fabra University

2009 – 2013 BA in Economics, Charles University

### **Research Experience**

| 2019        | Research Assistant to Josef Zweimüller, University of Zurich                |
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| 2015 - 2017 | Researcher, Institute for Democracy and Economic Analysis, CERGE-EI, Prague |
| 2014 - 2015 | Research Assistant, DG/Research, European Central Bank, Frankfurt           |

### **Working Papers**

"Public procurement auctions with bidder selection: Collusion by exclusion?" (with Regina Seibel).

"Elections Speed Up the COVID-19 Pandemic: Evidence from a Natural Experiment" (with René Levínský and Ján Palguta), Revise & Resubmit, *Journal of Population Economics*.

#### **Journal Articles**

"Do women face a glass ceiling at home? The division of household work among dual-earner couples" (with Tomáš Lichard and Filip Pertold), Forthcoming, *Review of Economics of the Household*.

"Scientific publication performance of post-communist countries: Still lagging behind after so many years" (with Štěpán Jurajda, Stanislav Kozubek and Daniel Münich), *Scientometrics*, 2017, 112(1), 315-328.

#### In Progress

"Insuring the self-employed: Evidence on asymmetric information in UI".

"Random or directed job search?: Evidence from an online job portal".

"Fiscal multipliers in the European Union: Evidence from the use of European structural and investment funds in Slovakia".

### **Teaching**

2020-2021, University of Zurich: Labor Economics (MA), TA for David Dorn 2019-2020, University of Zurich: Econometrics for Policy Analysts (MA), TA for David Yanagizawa-Drott Autumn 2016, CERGE-EI: Lecturer for Introductory Econometrics for Talented High School Students (a short popularization course)

#### **Conferences**

IZA/University of Luxembourg Workshop 2020, Luxembourg; European Public Choice Society Annual Meeting 2017, Budapest; Wage Dynamics Network Conference 2015, London

## **Grants & Fellowships**

| 2020 | Doc.Mobility fellowship, Swiss National Science Foundation      |
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| 2019 | Director's grant, Department of Economics, University of Zurich |
| 2013 | Full scholarship, Barcelona Graduate School of Economics        |
| 2010 | Merit scholarship, Charles University                           |

# **Policy Work**

Contributor to the "Spending review of education" by the Ministry of Finance of the Slovak Republic, 2017; Co-authored multiple policy papers at the Institute for Democracy and Economic Analysis, CERGE-EI, Prague (quoted by the President of the Slovak Republic)

#### **Professional Activities**

Referee Economic Journal