

Immigrant Sentiment and Labour Market Vulnerability

Economic Perceptions of Immigration in Dualized Labour Markets

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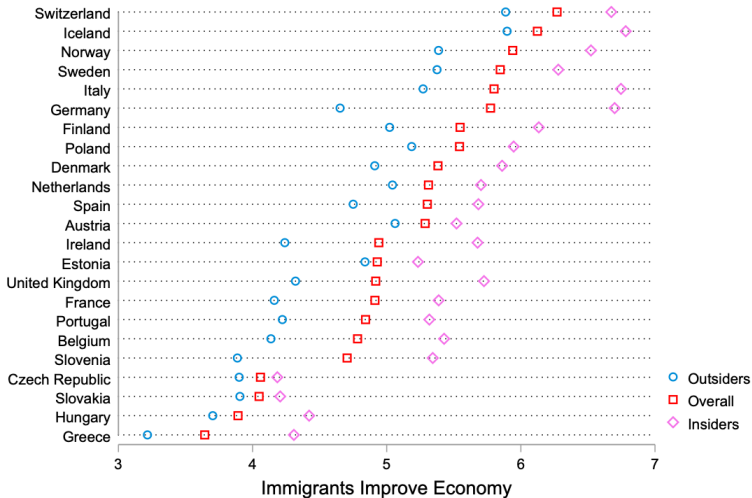
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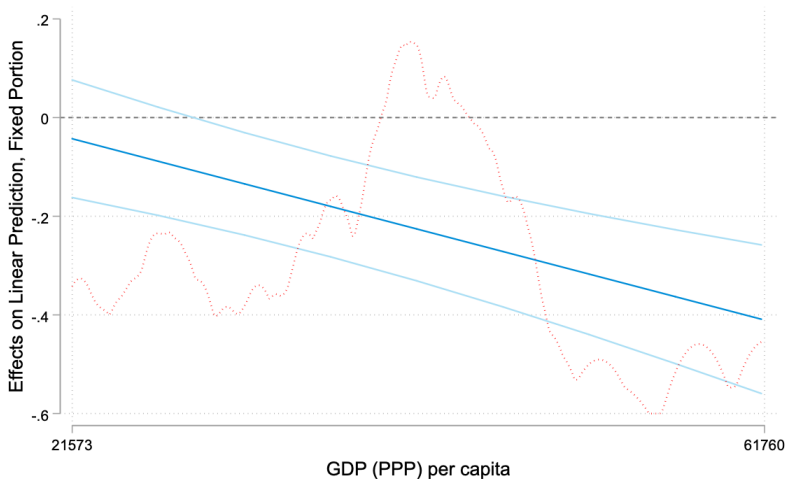
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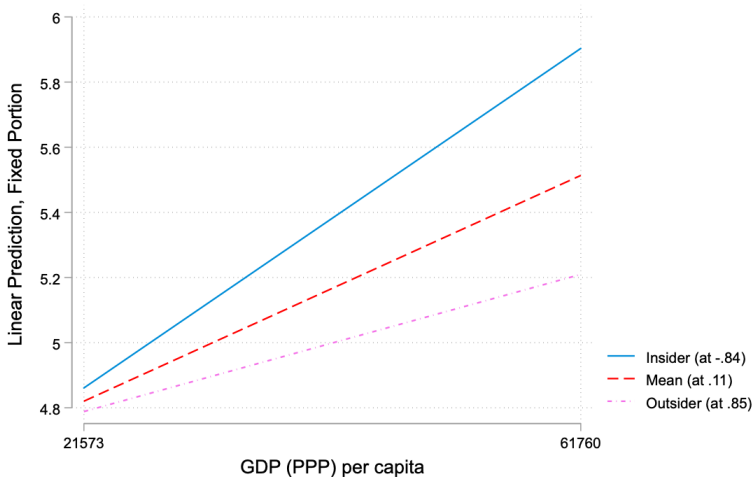
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Marginal Effect of Outsiderness



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