

# David Albrecht (he/him)

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## About me

I am a behavioral economist with professional experience in consulting, interested in generating and applying data-driven insights on trans-contextual questions related to economics, management, and decision-making, to drive change for good in society.

## Personal Info

David Albrecht, 1992  
nationality: German

## Skills

Translate data into narratives  
Analyze quantitative data  
Present to various audiences  
Manage projects and people  
Implement causal research  
Experiments / A-B-Testing  
Design evidence-based policy

## Interests

Behavioral Science  
Data Analysis  
Sustainable Growth  
Effective Altruism  
Bicycles and Cycling  
Food Production  
Urban Gardening  
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## References

**Martin Strobel** ↗ · @  
Associate Professor  
UM, Micro- & Public Economics

**Alexander Brüggen** ↗ · @  
Full Professor  
UM, Accounting & Information Management

**Thomas Meissner** ↗ · @  
Assistant Professor  
UM, Micro- & Public Economics

## CURRENT POSITION & PREVIOUS EXPERIENCES

since 2019 **PhD Candidate - Human Decisions & Policy Design**  
MAASTRICHT UNIVERSITY · Maastricht, NL   
Pursue behavioral economic research on group decision-making and economic preferences using experiments, empirical analysis, structural estimations, Bayesian statistics, and machine learning. Disseminate insights through papers and talks at conferences and seminars. Teach various PBL-based courses facilitating students' understanding of economic concepts.

2017–2019 **Senior Consultant (earlier Consultant)**  
BwCONSULTING · Berlin, Germany   
Delivered management consulting services to the German Ministry of Defence and implemented a goal-oriented program of continuous strategic development to a major organizational area of ~35 000 employees. Structured and led consulting projects with teams of up to three consultants, created internal and client-directed reports and presentations, conceptualized and conducted workshops. Lead-authored papers on behavioral insights for strategic decisions and robotic process automation.

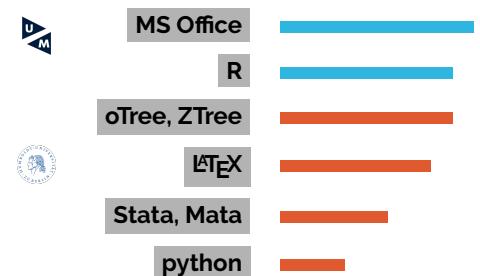
2015–2016 **Research Associate (part-time)**  
NERA ECONOMIC CONSULTING · Berlin, Germany   
Supported competition economics and energy practice case work in data management and analysis, damage quantification, and market share calculation workflows.

2014–2017 **Various internships in Economic and Management Consulting**  
FEHRADVICE & PARTNERS AG, DEUTSCHE BAHN, IGEP · Zurich - CHE, Berlin - GER, Gurgaon - IND   
Supported consulting project work by preparing presentations and reports, conceptualizing client workshops and trade fair events, conducting (experimental) market research and analyzing quantitative business cases.

## DEGREES

2019-24 (expected)	<b>Economics (PhD)</b> MAASTRICHT UNIVERSITY · Maastricht, Netherlands
2014-17	<b>Economics &amp; Management Science (M.Sc.)</b> HUMBOLDT UNIVERSITY · Berlin, Germany
2011-14	<b>Economics &amp; Sociology (B.A.)</b> GEORG AUGUST UNIVERSITY · Göttingen, Germany

## TECHNICAL SKILLS



## LANGUAGES

<b>German</b>	C2	mother tongue
<b>English</b>	C2	• • • • •
<b>Dutch</b>	B2	• • •
<b>Italian</b>	B1	• •
<b>French</b>	A2	•

## RESEARCH PAPERS

- Job Market Paper: Mitigating manipulation in committees: Just let them talk! - [link](#)*  
*Debt Aversion: Theory and Measurement (with Thomas Meissner) - [link](#)*  
*The Debt Aversion Survey Module: An experimentally validated tool to measure individual debt aversion (with Thomas Meissner) - [link](#)*

## INVOLVEMENT

- 2020-22 **Foodsaver** · Fought food waste by collecting and redistributing expired, edible food from retailers.