CV HENNING HERMES

Personal Information

Name Dr. Henning Hermes
Email hermes@dice.hhu.de

Affiliations Postdoc at DICE, HHU Düsseldorf

Affiliated Researcher at FAIR, NHH Bergen Research Affiliate at CEPR | CESifo | IZA

Social Media Website | Twitter

Research Behavioral Economics, Experimental Interests Economics, Economics & Psychology,

Public Goods & Cooperation, Noncognitive Skills, Education

Family Married, one daughter



Publications & Working Papers (selected)

Behavioral Barriers and the Socioeconomic Gap in Child Care Enrollment (with Philipp Lergetporer, Frauke Peter & Simon Wiederhold). VoxEU, FAZ [German]

Revise & Resubmit at the Journal of the European Economic Association

The Impact of Working Memory Training on Children's Cognitive and Noncognitive Skills

(with Eva Berger, Ernst Fehr, Daniel Schunk & Kirsten Winkel).

Revise & Resubmit (2nd round) at the Journal of Political Economy

Early Child Care and Labor Supply of Lower-SES Mothers: A Randomized Controlled Trial (with

Marina Krauss, Philipp Lergetporer, Frauke Peter & Simon Wiederhold) Under review.

Males should Mail? Gender Discrimination in Access to Childcare (with Philipp Lergetporer, Fabian

Mierisch, Frauke Peter & Simon Wiederhold). Accepted at AEA Papers & Proceedings

Teaching Self-regulation (with Eva Berger, Ernst Fehr, Daniel Schunk & Kirsten Winkel).

Nature Human Behaviour, 2022, 6, 1680–1690.

Self-regulation Training and Job Search Input: A Natural Field Experiment Within an Active Labor

Market Program (with Eva Berger, Günther König, Felix Schmidt & Daniel Schunk).

Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics, 2022, 98, 101858.

If you could read my mind—An Experimental Beauty-Contest Game with Children

(with Daniel Schunk). Experimental Economics, 2022, 25, 229-253.

Motivating Low-Achievers—Relative Performance Feedback in Primary Schools

(with Martin Huschens, Franz Rothlauf & Daniel Schunk).

Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, 2021, 187, 45–59.

Do Children Cooperate Conditionally? Adapting the Strategy Method for First-Graders

(with F. Hett, M. Mechtel, F. Schmidt, D. Schunk & V. Wagner).

Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, 2020, 179, 638-652.

Work in Progress (selected)

Free to Fail? Paternalistic Preferences in the United States

(with Björn Bartling, Alexander W. Cappelen, Marit Skivenes & Bertil Tungodden)

Discrimination on the Child Care Market: A Nationwide Correspondence Study

(with Philipp Lergetporer, Fabian Mierisch, Frauke Peter & Simon Wiederhold).

Positions Held	
11/2021 – today	Postdoc at DICE (Düsseldorf Institute for Competition Economics), HHU Düsseldorf/Germany
11/2017 - 10/2021	Postdoc at FAIR Excellence Cluster & Department of Economics, NHH Bergen/Norway
07/2017 - 10/2017	Postdoc at the Chair of Public and Behavioral Economics, Johannes Gutenberg University of Mainz
09/2011 - 06/2017	Doctoral researcher at the Chair of Public and Behavioral Economics, Johannes Gutenberg University of Mainz
08/2008 - 09/2008	Internship in China at the Helaba Shanghai Representative Office (setup of the office, marketing and research activities)
01/2007 - 01/2009	Trainee at Helaba Frankfurt in the Human Resources Development department (main project: talent management)

Education and Training	
09/2011 – 06/2017	PhD in Economics at the Johannes Gutenberg University of Mainz Title: "Fostering Non-Cognitive Skills to Affect Economic Outcomes — Evidence from Randomized-Controlled Field and Lab Experimental Studies" (final grade: summa cum laude) Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Daniel Schunk & Prof. Dr. Ernst Fehr (University of Zurich)
09/2013 - 10/2016	Several research stays at the University of Zurich , Chair of Microeconomics and Experimental Economic Research, Prof. Dr. Ernst Fehr (> 6 months)
10/2008 - 03/2013	Diploma in Psychology (equiv. to BSc $+$ MSc) at the University of Mainz (final GPA: 1.5)
04/2007 - 08/2011	Diploma in Economics (equiv. to BSc $+$ MSc) at the University of Mainz (final GPA: 1.1, with distinction)
08/2005 - 01/2007	Apprenticeship as a qualified bank clerk at Landesbank Hessen-Thüringen (Helaba), Frankfurt (final GPA: 1.0)
08/1995 – 06/2004	Abitur (A levels) at humanistic secondary school in Darmstadt, specialized courses: Mathematics and Physics (final GPA: 1.0)

Teaching Experience	
Fall 2022 Spring 2022 Fall 2021 2018–2021 Fall 2017 Spring 2017 Fall 2016 Spring 2015 Spring 2014 Spring 2013 Fall 2012	Lecture on "Experimental Economics" (MSc and PhD) Lecture on "Experimental Economics" (BSc) Tutorial and Seminar on "Empirical Public Economics" (BSc) 5x Lecture on "Behavioral Economics" (MSc) Seminar on "Inequality – Economic Analysis and Policy Recommendations" (BSc) Tutorial on "Behavioral Economics" (MSc) Tutorial on "Principles of Public Economics" (MSc) Lecture and Tutorial on "Behavioral Economics" (MSc) Seminar on "Scarcity — Why Having Too Little Means So Much" (BSc) Seminar on "Public Economic Theory" (MSc) Seminar on "Theories and Models on Intertemporal Choice" (MSc)
Spring 2012 Fall 2011	Seminar on "Social Preferences" (MSc) Tutorial on "MATLAB in Public Economics" (BSc)
All courses for MSc were taught in English, courses for BSc in German.	

Invited Presentations		
2023	Research Seminar at the University of Bologna (scheduled)	
2022	Research Seminar at the KU Eichstätt-Ingolstadt	
2022	Reserach Seminar at the CESifo Institute Munich	
2022	Citizen's University HHU Düsseldorf ("Bürgeruniversität"), format to promote	
	dialogue between science and society	
2022	FAIR Midway Conference in Sommarøy, Norway	
2022	Research Seminar at the University of Regensburg	
2022	Economics of Education Field Committee of the German Economic Association	
2021	Research Seminar at ZEW Mannheim	
2021	Research Seminar at the Department of Economics, NTNU Trondheim	
2020	Learning and Work Webinars, Maastricht University, SBE	
2020	Virtual Applied Economics Research Seminar, Universities of Cambridge and Essex	
2019	Research Seminar at University of Stavanger, UiS Business School, Norway	
2019	Research Seminar at Max Planck Institute, Experimental Economics Group, Bonn	
2017	Research Seminar at CESifo Institute for the Economics of Education, Munich	
2017	Research Seminar at German Youth Institute DJI, Munich	
2016	Colloquium on Economics of Education at SBE, Maastricht University, Netherlands	
2016	Economic Colloquium at IAAEU Trier	

Conferences & Workshops	
2022	CIDER Conference in Luxemburg; 3rd IZA/ECONtribute Human Capital Meeting; Verein für Socialpolitik Annual Conference in Basel; ECONtribute Workshop on Autonomy & Paternalism; Workshop on "Early childhood education and social inequalities" at PSE, Paris; M-BEES in Maastricht, Netherlands; Workshop on Microeconomics at Leuphana University of Lueneburg
2021	CESifo Area Conference in Behavioral Economics, Munich; 5th Annual WZB Workshop on "Experiments in Education and Labor Market Research"; Verein für Socialpolitik Annual Virtual Conference; EALE Annual Conference; EEA-ESEM Virtual Conference; ESA Global Online Around-the-Clock Conference; ifo Conference on Genes, Social Mobility, and Inequalities across the Life-Course; Berlin-Bergen Behavioral Economics Workshop; Workshop on Microeconomics at Leuphana University of Lueneburg
2020	Verein für Socialpolitik Annual Virtual Conference "Gender Economics"; ESA Global Online Around-the-Clock Conference; EALE/SOLE/AASLE World Virtual Conference
2019	14th Nordic Conference on Behavioral and Experimental Economics, Kiel; KIDS Workshop on the Formation of Preferences in Children, Hornbaek, Denmark; briq/IZA Workshop on Behavioral Economics of Education, Bonn; Workshop on Microeconomics at Leuphana University of Lueneburg; ESA Asia-Pacific Meeting, NYU Abu Dhabi, UAE
2018	ESA World Meeting, HU Berlin; 5th IMEBESS, EUI Florence, Italy; Workshop on Microeconomics at Leuphana University of Lueneburg
2017	2nd IZA Workshop on the Economics of Education, IZA Bonn; Maastricht Behavioral and Experimental Economics Symposium, Netherlands; Workshop on "Education, Skills, and Labor Market Outcomes", NTNU, Norway; Workshop on Microeconomics at Leuphana University of Lueneburg
2016	Research Symposium for Empirical Research in Education, University of Augsburg; Social and Biological Roots of Economics Workshop, IfW Kiel; Young Scholar at Jacobs Foundation Conference on "Economizing Education Policy"; Spring Meeting of Young Economists in Lisbon, Portugal; Workshop on Microeconomics at Leuphana University of Lueneburg

Scholarships & Awards		
since 2022 since 2019 2014 - 2016 2013 - 2016 2011 2008 - 2013	Add-on Fellowship of the Joachim Herz Foundation (15'000 EUR) Fellow of CIDER (College for Interdisciplinary Education Research) Member of the Gutenberg Academy for Young Researchers, University of Mainz Full Doctoral Scholarship of the German National Academic Foundation Award for best diploma of the graduating class and outstanding diploma thesis Full Student Scholarship of the German National Academic Foundation	

Organization of Scientific Events, Refereeing, Memberships		
Events	Co-organizer "Workshop on Field Experiments in Economics & Business" 09/2022 at TU Munich / Campus Heilbronn 09/2023 at DICE / Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf	
Refereeing	Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Political Economy Microeconomics, European Economic Review, Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, Experimental Economics, Education Economics	
Memberships	German Economic Association (VfS), American Economic Association (AEA), European Economic Association (EEA), Economic Science Association (ESA)	