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RESEARCH FIELDS

Applied Microeconomics, Economic History, Political Economy

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- Postdoc, University of Cologne, 2025–

EDUCATION

PhD in Economics, University of Zurich, 2025

PhD Dissertation: Essays in Economic History and Political Economy

Committee Members: Hans-Joachim Voth, David Yanagizawa-Drott, and Ernst Fehr

MSc in Economic Theory and Econometrics, Toulouse School of Economics, 2019

ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

- Member of the Center for Social and Economic Behavior (C-SEB), 2025–

WORKING PAPERS

- [Fairness and Cooperation: Draft Dodging by the Rich and War Morale in World War II](#)

WORKING IN PROGRESS

- Better Beings: Education, Progressive Reform and Eugenics in the United States (with Elliott Ash, Hans-Joachim Voth, and Noam Yuchtman)
- Red Tails, Broken Wings: Talent Misallocation Among America's Most Talented African-Americans (with Elisabeth Perlman, Hans-Joachim Voth, and Jennifer Withrow)
- The Politics of Indian Textbooks (with Cyril Thomson)

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS & SCHOLARSHIPS

- C-SEB Junior Start-Up Grant, €3,979, 2025
- EHS Annual Conference Bursary, 2024
- Early Stage Dissertation Grant, Economic History Association, \$2,500, 2023
- Director's Grant, University of Zurich, CHF 10,000, 2023
- UZH Doc.Mobility Fellowship, CHF 51,373, 2022
- UBS Scholarship, CHF 42,500 per annum, 2019-24
- Bourse d'Excellence, Université Toulouse 1 Capitole, €1,500, 2019
- L'Association Jean-Jacques Laffont Scholarship, €6,000, 2018

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Conferences

2025: CEPR Applied Micro-Economic History Workshop; Yale Inclusive Nationalism Workshop; Workshop on Cultural Economics and Economic History at CEEH-TUM; Venice Summer Institute
2024: EHS Annual Conference 2024; 2024 Development and Political Economics Conference, Stanford; York Economic History & Political Economy Workshop (poster); EEA-ESEM Rotterdam; CEPR-YSI Economic History Job Market Workshop

Seminars

2025: PKU HSBC; Stockholm IIES; CUHK; University of Cologne
2024: UBC Dev/PE Lunch; Northwestern Economic History Lunch; YSI-EHES Econ Hist Graduate Webinar; Oxford Nuffield; LSE Econ Hist Graduate Seminar
2023: ETH Zurich Online Seminar in Economics + Data Science; Northwestern Economic History Lunch

Referee

EJ, JEEA

Academic Visits

UBC Vancouver, January–April 2024
Northwestern Kellogg, September–December 2023

Summer Schools

ACES Summer School, Berkeley, August 2023
CAGE Summer School, Warwick, June 2023
ASREC Graduate Student Workshop (Virtual), Chapman University, April 2022

Services

Co-organizer, Political Economy Reading Group, University of Zurich, 2021-22
Culture and Diversity Committee, Department of Economics, University of Zurich, 2021-22

TEACHING

University of Zurich

Research Frontiers in Economic History (MA), Instructor, 2022 Fall & 2023 Spring
Advanced Microeconomics I (MA), TA for Roberto Weber, 2021 Fall
Auction Theory (BA), TA for Christian Ewerhart, 2021 Spring

Toulouse School of Economics

Macroeconomics II (BA), TA for Sumudu Kankanamge, 2019 Spring

OTHERS

Languages: Chinese, English

Software: Stata, R, Python, QGIS

Citizenship: China

REFERENCES

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