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THIRD PARTY FUNDING

RESEARCH FUNDING

Period	Role	Source (* indicates competitive grants)	Title	Duration
2020– 21	Project partner	Data Literacy Education.NRW state level competition	DataCampus University of Duisburg-Essen	1 year
2020 – 21	Principal Investigator (Partner: Anthony Harris, Monash U, Australia)	German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD PPP Program)*	Advancing machine-learning methods to benchmark health care expenditure profiles and technology adoption to inform health care policy and practice	2 years
2020 - 24	Project partner (collaborators: Martin Karlsson, Christoph Kronenberg, both University of Duisburg-Essen)	Leibniz Foundation*	Leibniz Science Campus Ruhr: Health-care challenges in regions with declining and ageing populations, sub-project 3: Fragmentation of health care, health care utilization and health outcomes	4 years
2020 - 24	Co-Investigator, member of the management committee	European Cooperation in Science and Technology (COST)*	CA19132 - European Network to Advance Best practices & technoLogY on medication adherence	4 years
2020 – 21	Co-Investigator (with Prof. Dr. Stefan Felder, University of Basel)	WWZ Forum (University of Basel)*	Drug Shortages and their Consequences on Quality and Cost of Treatment	1 1/3 years

2019 – 22	Principal Investigator	Deutsche Krebshilfe (German Cancer Aid)*	Determinants of innovative capacity and standardization in specialized cancer care	3 years
2016 – 21	Project lead (since 2019)	German Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF)*	CINCH Health Economics Center, Junior Research Group Empirical Analysis of Competition in Health Care Markets	4 years
2017 – 18	Principal Investigator	Central Research Institute of Ambulatory Health Care (Zi)*	The impact of regulation at the regional level using the example of biosimilars	1 year
2015 – 16	Principal Investigator	DocMorris Online Pharmacy (ZurRose Group)	Medical care innovations, medication adherence, and health outcomes	1 years
2014 – 17	Principal investigator (partner Tom Stargardt, University of Hamburg)	German Research Foundation (DFG)*	Early benefit assessment of innovative pharmaceuticals according to AMNOG in Germany: empirical analysis of the decision-making process	2.5 years
2012 – 16	Project lead	German Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF)*	Hamburg Center for Health Economics, Junior Research Group Pharmacoeconomics	4 years

FUNDING FOR CONFERENCE TRAVELS

- German Academic Exchange Association (DAAD), travel stipend: 2012-2014, 2017
- German Health Economics Society (DGGÖ), travel stipend: 2017-2019
- Travel support for internationalization of research agenda, King's College London, Faculty of Economics & Business Administration, University of Duisburg-Essen, November 2017

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PROMOTION OF YOUNG RESEARCHERS

Supervision of Master's Theses at the Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, University of Duisburg-Essen (2016-2020)

STUDY PROGRAMMES

MSC HEALTH ECONOMICS	23
MSC ECONOMICS	2
MSC MEDICINE MANAGEMENT	1
<i>TOTAL</i>	<i>25</i>

Dissertations

Completed

- Victoria Lauenroth, "Regulatory Decision-Making, Pricing and Physician Prescribing Behavior in Germany's Prescription Drug Market", thesis defended in March 2020, co-supervisor at University of Hamburg, Hamburg Business School

Ongoing

- Maryna Ivets, "The essays in empirical health economics"
- Friederike Arndt, "Regional variation of cost-control measures and physician behavior"
- Tim Brand, "Innovative capacity and standardization in specialized cancer care"
- Rucha Vadia, title pending
- Eva Goetjes, title pending

OUTREACH AND DISSEMINATION

ACTIVITIES AS GLOBAL HEALTH SYSTEM ADVISOR

Regular speaker and advisor at community, industry, and health system level to provide guidance how to develop governance systems for health technology assessment, technology adoption and implementation, selected collaborating partners:

- International Association of Mutual Benefit Societies
- German-Peruvian Trade Chamber, Peru
- Global initiatives to advise communities in Ukraine
- Robert Bosch Foundation, Projekt Neustart, Germany
- Commonwealth Fund, USA
- Janssen-Cilag Co.Lab Disease Interception
- Expert opinion for journalists (LA Times, Stern, Handelsblatt)

PRESS COVERAGE

- (1) [Versorgung in Gefahr?: Diabetes-Gesellschaft schlägt Alarm. \(2017, March 21\). Handelsblatt.](#)
- (2) [Universität Duisburg-Essen: Wer schafft es auf den Gesundheitsmarkt? \(2016, November 3\). Duisburger Rundschau.](#)