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Education

- University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark** 09/2019 - 09/2022
M.Sc. Economics (GPA: 10.5, top decile)
- Thesis: Wage flexibility and external shocks in an open economy HANK model (Supervisor: Jeppe Druedahl; FG: 12, excellent) [↗](#)
- Seminar papers: SVAR analysis of unconventional monetary policy and inequality, Comparative analysis of European growth models during the pandemic
- University College Freiburg, Freiburg, Germany** 10/2014 - 08/2018
B.A. Liberal Arts and Sciences (GPA: 1.5, excellent)
- Courses in philosophy, politics, and economics
- Thesis: Philosophy of science and the evolution of finance theory (Supervisor: Lars Feld; FG: 1.0, excellent)
- Universidad de Buenos Aires, Buenos Aires, Argentina** 03/2017 - 07/2017
Courses in human rights, development economics, international economics
- Harvard Summer School, Freiburg, Germany** 06/2016 - 08/2016
Courses in sustainability, science and technology studies

Work Experience

- Bruegel, Brussels, Belgium** Since 10/2022
Research Assistant – Data analysis and visualization, database and model building, co-authored various publications (macroeconomics, EU governance, trade), external presentation of research (Python, R, Excel)
- Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, Panama City, Panama** 11/2021 - 01/2022
Economic Research Consultant – Co-authored chapter on US-China trade tension spillovers (Stata, Python)
- United Nations ECLAC, Washington DC, USA** 06/2021 - 10/2021
Economic Affairs Consultant – Co-authored paper on export competition, exponential mean models with endogenous regressors (Stata, Python)
- United Nations ECLAC, Washington DC, USA** 09/2020 - 03/2021
Carlo Schmid Fellow – Literature review, database building, empirical trade modeling, drafted news and policy briefs (Stata)
- Copenhagen Business School, Washington DC, USA** 01/2020 - 09/2021
Research Assistant – Drafted reports and resources for SMEs and policymakers as part of EU-Horizon 2020 circular economy project
- European Central Bank, Frankfurt am Main, Germany** 09/2018 - 03/2019
Trainee, Market Infrastructure and Payments – Release and risk management, drafting strategy and mandates, descriptive statistics, presentations for senior management
- Walter Eucken Institute, Freiburg, Germany** 03/2018 - 09/2018
Research Assistant – Literature review, translation, data analysis, administrative tasks (R)
- Benteler Automotive, Puebla, Mexico** 01/2014 - 05/2014
Intern, Global Supply Chain Management – Worked on material traceability, hardware and software testing, training of staff

Selected Publications

- Artecona, Raquel, Daniel E. Perrotti, and Lennard Welslau (2022). *China and Latin America and the Caribbean: Export competition in the United States market*. ECLAC SERIES 99/23. United Nations. URL: <https://repositorio.cepal.org/handle/11362/48356>.
- (2023). “Chapter 7: Trade Tensions between China and the United States: An Opportunity for Latin America and the Caribbean in the United States Market?” In: *Challenges and opportunities for Latin America and the Caribbean in post-pandemic international trade*. KAS & ECLAC (forthcoming).
- Claeys, Grégory, Conor McCaffrey, and Lennard Welslau (2023). *The rising cost of European Union borrowing and what to do about it*. Briefing for the Committee on Budgets (BUDG) PE 749.450. URL: <https://www.bruegel.org/policy-brief/rising-cost-european-union-borrowing-and-what-do-about-it>.
- Darvas, Zsolt and Lennard Welslau (2023). *First lessons from the Recovery and Resilience Facility lessons for the EU economic governance framework*. Economic Governance Support Unit (EGOV) Study PE 741.478. European Parliament. URL: [https://www.europarl.europa.eu/thinktank/en/document/IPOL_IDA\(2023\)741748](https://www.europarl.europa.eu/thinktank/en/document/IPOL_IDA(2023)741748).
- Zettelmeyer, Jeromin and Lennard Welslau (2023). *Internationale Staatsverschuldung, Schuldenrestrukturierungen und mögliche Handlungsoptionen für das BMZ*. Policy Paper for the German Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development. URL: <https://www.bruegel.org/external-publication/internationale-staatsverschuldung-schuldenrestrukturierungen-und-moegliche>.
- Zettelmeyer, Jeromin et al. (2023). *The longer-term fiscal challenges facing the European Union*. Bruegel Policy Brief 10/23. URL: <https://www.bruegel.org/policy-brief/longer-term-fiscal-challenges-facing-european-union>.

Additional Experience

Kritiske Politter , Copenhagen, Denmark	09/2019 – 09/2020
Organizing economics reading circles and invited speaker seminars	
TriRhena Consulting , Freiburg, Germany	04/2015 – 08/2016
Internal auditing, social network analysis, balance sheet analysis	
Geneva Model United Nations , Geneva, Switzerland	04/2015 – 09/2015
MUN Delegate to the Legal Committee	
FT 1844 Freiburg e.V. , Freiburg, Germany	07/2009 – 08/2018
Competitive volleyball player in Germany's 3rd division	

Skills and Interests

Languages

- German (native); English, Spanish (fluent); Danish, French (basic); Latin (diploma)
- Python, Stata, Excel (advanced); Matlab, R, Git, L^AT_EX (intermediate); SQL, Java/ TypeScript, HTML (basic)

Certificates

GRE (Quant 161/170 Verbal 157/170 Analytical 5.0/6), PM² (European Commission Project Management Methodology C1 - C4)

Awards

Carlo Schmid scholarship (DAAD, German Academic Scholarship Foundation), DAAD scholarship, UCPH International scholarship, e-fellows.net scholarship, McKinsey Firsthand membership

Interests

Sports (surfing, swimming, running), travel (>1 year in Europe, Latin America, North Africa, West Asia), data science, international affairs, political theory