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Education

University of Copenhagen , <i>Copenhagen, Denmark</i> M.Sc. Economics (GPA: 10.5, top decile) - Thesis: Wage rigidity and shock transmission in open economy HANK models (Supervisor: Jeppe Druedahl; FG: 12, excellent) (Link to PDF) - Courses in advanced economic theory, microeconometrics, programming, SVAR analysis, business cycles, economic growth, public finance, and international political economy	09/2019 - 09/2022
University College Freiburg , <i>Freiburg, Germany</i> B.A. Liberal Arts and Sciences (GPA: 1.5, excellent) - Thesis: Philosophy of science and the evolution of finance theory (Supervisor: Lars Feld; FG: 1.0, excellent) - Courses in mathematics, statistics, economic theory, philosophy of science, political theory, sociology, international relations, and international law	10/2014 - 08/2018
Universidad de Buenos Aires , <i>Buenos Aires, Argentina</i> Courses in human rights, development economics, and international economics	03/2017 - 07/2017
Harvard Summer School , <i>Freiburg, Germany</i> Course on sustainability, science and technology	06/2016 - 08/2016

Work Experience

Bruegel , <i>Brussels, Belgium</i> Research Analyst – Economic and statistical modelling, co-authored publications on macroeconomics, EU governance, trade, and inequality, responsible for developing of Bruegel’s stochastic DSA model, research presented at the ECB, ECOFIN, IMF, European Parliament, and national governments (Python, R, Excel)	Since 10/2022
Konrad Adenauer Stiftung , <i>Panama City, Panama</i> Economic Research Consultant – Co-authored book chapter on US-China trade tensions (Stata, Python)	11/2021 - 01/2022
United Nations ECLAC , <i>Washington DC, USA</i> Economic Affairs Consultant – Co-authored paper on export competition using structural gravity models (Stata, Python)	06/2021 - 10/2021
United Nations ECLAC , <i>Washington DC, USA</i> Carlo Schmid Fellow – Analysed trade data, prepared literature reviews, news and policy briefs (Stata)	09/2020 - 03/2021
Copenhagen Business School , <i>Washington DC, USA</i> Research Assistant – Supported Horizon 2020 circular economy project, prepared reports for policymakers	01/2020 - 09/2021
European Central Bank , <i>Frankfurt am Main, Germany</i> Trainee, Market Infrastructure and Payments – Supported test and release management for TARGET and TIPS, prepared descriptive statistics, drafted strategy and legal documents, presented to senior management	09/2018 - 03/2019
Walter Eucken Institute , <i>Freiburg, Germany</i> Research Assistant – Literature review and data analysis (R)	03/2018 - 09/2018
Benteler Automotive , <i>Puebla, Mexico</i> Intern, Supply Chain Management – Supported material traceability project, tested hardware and software, trained of local staff	01/2014 - 05/2014

Selected Publications

- Artecona, Ragueul, 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 ([Link to PDF](#)).
- (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 ([Link to PDF](#)).
- 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 ([Link to PDF](#)).
- Darvas, Zsolt, Lennard Welslau, and Jeromin Zettelmeyer (2023). *A quantitative evaluation of the European Commission’s fiscal governance proposal*. Working Paper 16/2023, Bruegel ([Link to PDF](#)).
- 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 ([Link to PDF](#)).
- Zettelmeyer, Jeromin et al. (2023). *The longer-term fiscal challenges facing the European Union*. Bruegel Policy Brief 10/23 ([Link to PDF](#)).

Skills and Additional Experience

Languages

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

Extracurriculars

Kritische Politter (Economics student initiative), TriRhena Consulting (Student consulting), Geneva Model United Nations, University College Freiburg Student Council, FT 1844 Freiburg e.V. (Volleyball player)

Interests

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