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Education

University of Copenhagen , <i>Copenhagen, Denmark</i> 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	09/2019 - 09/2022
University College Freiburg , <i>Freiburg, Germany</i> 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)	10/2014 - 08/2018
Universidad de Buenos Aires , <i>Buenos Aires, Argentina</i> Courses in human rights, development economics, international economics	03/2017 - 07/2017
Harvard Summer School , <i>Freiburg, Germany</i> Courses in sustainability, science and technology studies	06/2016 - 08/2016

Work Experience

Bruegel , <i>Brussels, Belgium</i> Research Analyst – Data analysis, visualization, automation, economic modelling, co-authored various publications (macroeconomics, EU governance, trade), presented research externally (Python, R, Excel)	Since 10/2022
Konrad Adenauer Stiftung , <i>Panama City, Panama</i> Economic Research Consultant – Co-authored chapter on US-China trade tension spillovers (Stata, Python)	11/2021 - 01/2022
United Nations ECLAC , <i>Washington DC, USA</i> Economic Affairs Consultant – Co-authored paper on export competition using augmented gravity models (Stata, Python)	06/2021 - 10/2021
United Nations ECLAC , <i>Washington DC, USA</i> Carlo Schmid Fellow – Literature review, trade data analysis, drafted news and policy briefs (Stata)	09/2020 - 03/2021
Copenhagen Business School , <i>Washington DC, USA</i> Research Assistant – EU-Horizon 2020 circular economy project, drafted reports and resources for SMEs and policymakers	01/2020 - 09/2021
European Central Bank , <i>Frankfurt am Main, Germany</i> Trainee, Market Infrastructure and Payments – Release and risk management, 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, translation, data analysis, administrative tasks (R)	03/2018 - 09/2018
Benteler Automotive , <i>Puebla, Mexico</i> Intern, Global Supply Chain Management – Material traceability project, hardware and software testing, trained 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. 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).
- Darvas, Zsolt, Lennard Welslau, and Jeromin Zettelmeyer (2023). *A quantitative evaluation of the European Commission’s fiscal governance proposal*. Working Paper 16/2023, Bruegel. URL: https://www.bruegel.org/sites/default/files/2023-09/WP%2016_1.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. 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>.

Skills and Additional Experience

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

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, Africa, West Asia), data science, international affairs, political theory