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#### Education

09/2017-ongoing	PhD Candidate
	• University of Munich (LMU)
10/2014-12/2016	Master of Science, Mathematical Finance & Actuarial Science
	• Technical University of Munich (TUM)
08/2014-12/2014	Semester abroad: Universidade de São Paulo (USP)
, ,	• Institute for Mathematics and Statistics (IME)
10/2012-09/2015	Complementary Studies: Bachelor of Arts, Political Science (LMU)
	Minor: Economics
10/2011-09/2014	Bachelor of Science, Mathematics (TUM)

#### References

• Oliver Falck University of Munich & ifo Insitute falck@ifo.de Lukasz Grzybowski
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## Job market paper

 Digital Infrastructure and Local Economic Growth: Early Internet in Sub-Saharan Africa with Goldbeck, M.

#### **Publications**

Refereed journal publications

• Is high-speed Internet an infrastructure of general interest? Information Economics and Policy (available online)

 $Non\mbox{-}peer\mbox{-}reviewed\ published\ work$ 

- Ist Deutschland abgeschlagen im Rennen um 5G? with Falck, O., published in ifo Schnelldienst, 2019, 72, Nr. 21
- Digitalisierung in deutschen Unternehmen: Eine Bestandsaufnahme with Heimisch, A. and Schricker, J., published in ifo Schnelldienst, 2017, 70, No. 21

## Current research

- New region, new chances: Does moving regionally for university shape later job mobility? with Ehrenfried, F. (under review)
- Mobile phones and financial inclusion in Sub-Saharan Africa with Grzybowski, L. & Mothobi, O.
- Democratic Participation and Access to the Polling Station with Alipour, J.-V.

## Working experience

09/2017-ongoing Junior Economist: ifo Institute

• Center for Industrial Organisation and New Technologies

08/2013-10/2013 Internship: Hypovereinsbank (UniCredit)

• Credit Risk Control at the Department of Rating Technology

# Third-party projects

Current research projects

 $01/2021\text{-}06/2022 \quad \textbf{Digital Infrastructure: Regional Socioeconomic Effects of Mobile Internet}$ 

in Germany

• Funded by the Bavarian Institute for Digital Transformation (bidt)

01/2021-06/2022 PILLARS - Pathways to Inclusive Labor Markets

• Funded by the European Commission (Horizon 2020)

• Scientific heads: Oliver Falck

 $Completed\ projects$ 

09/2020-06/2021 Evaluation of the Next Generation Access Programme

• Collaboration with EY and WIK-Consult

• Policy evaluation of national state aid for broadband rollout in Germany

09/2017-08/2020

**Economics of Innovation in Telecommunications** 

Thesis promotion funded by Deutsche Telekom AG

## Teaching experience

07/2018-ongoing Supervisor: term papers and Bachelor's theses (LMU)

10/2017-03/2019 Lecturer: Introduction to Microeconomics (LMU)

• Task: Exercise classes and examination

04/2015-07/2017 Teaching Assistant: Introduction to Micro- and Macroeconomics (LMU)

• Task: Tutorials, supplementary to the lecture and exercise classes

10/2016 Teaching Assistant: Mathematics for Economics (LMU)

• Task: Preparatory course for first-year students (lecture and exercise class)

International conferences, workshops, seminars, and summer schools

2021

July 9th Meeting of the Society for the Study of Economic Inequality (ECINEQ)

• virtual

April 10th European Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (UEA)

• virtual

April 3rd International Workshop: Market Studies and Spatial Economics (HSE)

virtual

March Doctoral Conference Ruhr Graduate School in Economics (RGS)

virtual

2020

August World Congress of the Econometric Society (ESWC)

• virtual

July Seminar invitation: Economic Research South Africa (ERSA)

• Industrial Organization and the Economics of Digital Transformation

ullet virtual

June Labour Economists World Conference (EALE/SOLE/AASLE)

virtual

January Workshop: Meeting on Public Economics (EEP)

• Barcelona, Spain

2019

September Verein für Socialpolitik (VfS)

• Leipzig, Germany

September Italian Society of Public Economics (SIEP)

• Turin, Italy

September Jornadas de Economia Industrial (JEI)

• Madrid, Spain

July Bavarian Graduate Program in Economics Research Workshop

• Regensburg, Germany

2018

September European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE)

• Athens, Greece

August International Telecommunications Society (ITS)

• Trento, Italy

May Competition and Innovation Summer School (CISS)

• Ulcinj, Montenegro

May Doctoral Workshop on "The Economics of Digitization"

• Telecom ParisTech, France

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