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EDUCATION	<i>PhD</i> in Economics	since October 2022
	University of Duisburg-Essen, RTG Regional Disparities and Economic Policy Supervisor: Tobias Seidel	
	<i>Master of Science</i> in Economics	2019 - 2021
	University of Vienna, Academic track	
	<i>Erasmus Semester</i>	September 2020 - January 2021
	Aix-Marseille School of Economics, “Econometrics, Big Data, Statistics” track	
CURRENT PROJECTS	<i>Bachelor of Science</i> in Economics	2015 - 2019
	University of Vienna	
	<i>Bakkalaureat of Philosophy</i> in Communication Science	2014 - 2018
	University of Vienna	
	Censorship in Democracy (with Marcel Caesmann, Janis Goldzycher, and Matteo Grigoletto) <i>NOeG Young Economist Award 2023</i>	
	The Rise of Health Economics: Transforming the Landscape of Economic Research (with Björn Hammarfelt, Martin Karlsson, and Mathias Kifmann) Revise and Resubmit at <i>Health Economics</i>	
PRESENT- ATIONS	The Effect of a Vacancy Ban on German Housing Markets (with Jakob Gutschlhofer)	
	Examining Examiner Leniency: Low-Quality Patents, Their Causes, and Their Consequences	
	2025: 18 th RGS Doctoral Conference, Duke Strategy PhD Conference ¹ , BSE Summer Forum Economics of Science and Innovation ¹	
	2024: 7 th PEDD Münster, 17 th RGS Doctoral Conference	

¹scheduled

2023: CINCH Research Agenda for Ukraine Workshop (online), 5th Monash-Warwick-Zurich Text-as-Data Workshop (online), NOeG Salzburg (Annual Conference of the Austrian Economic Association), Digital Democracy Workshop DigDemLab Zurich, 17th CESifo Workshop on Political Economy Dresden, 2nd CESifo/ifo Junior Workshop on Big Data Munich

OTHER WORK [Digital Tasks and ICT Capital: Methodologies and Data](#) (with Dario Guarascio, Stefan Jestl, Alireza Sabouniha, and Roman Stöllinger), wiiw Statistical Report No. 11, January 2023

TEACHING *Teaching Assistant* for Empirical Economics (yearly, since summer term 2023)
Supervision: Bachelor Seminar in Economics (since winter term 2022/'23), Master Seminar Applied Economic Research (summer term 2023)

PREVIOUS POSITIONS *Research Associate* October 2021 - August 2022
Wyss Academy for Nature at the University of Bern
Pre-Doctoral Research Assistant with Kai Gehring
Part-time Research Assistant (50%) July 2021 - September 2021
The Vienna Institute for International Economic Studies (wiiw)

COMPUTER SKILLS Python, STATA, R, Matlab, SQL, Bash Script, LaTeX, and Microsoft Office

LANGUAGES German (native), English