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Research Interests

Digital Markets, Algorithmic Pricing, E-Commerce, Empirical IO

Working Paper and Articles

Wieting, M., & Sapi, G. (2021). "Algorithms in the Marketplace: An Empirical Analysis of Algorithmic Pricing in E-Commerce" NET Institute *Working Paper* No. 21-06. 1(1). Link

Malek, J., Newham, M., Seldeslachts, J., Wieting, M. (2020). US and EU secure vaccine production on home soil., DIW Focus Link

Education

- **KU Leuven**   Leuven, BE
  PhD Candidate in Business Economics and scholarship holder   *Sep. 2020 –*

- **University of Amsterdam**   Amsterdam, NL
  M.Sc. Economics   *Aug. 2018 – Aug. 2019*

- **Goethe University**   Frankfurt, DE
  B.Sc. Economics & Business Administration   *Apr. 2014 – July. 2017*

- **KU Leuven**   Leuven, BE
  ERASMUS+ scholarship holder in the Economics programme   *Aug. 2015 – Feb. 2016*

Employment History

- **European Commission, DG Competition**   Brussels, BE
  (Blue Book) Trainee, Chief Economist Team   *Oct. 2019 - Feb. 2020*

  - Merger Analysis - Economic and Econometric analysis of merger cases within the merger control procedure of the European Commission.

- **de Kansspelautoriteit, Dutch Gambling Regulator**   Den Haag, NL
  Master Thesis Student, Economist   *May 2019 - Sep. 2019*

  - Research in online advertisement in the Dutch market for online gambling in the context of an upcoming market reform. Analysis of Online Traffic Data using R and web-scraping techniques.

- **German Council of Economic Experts (GCEE)**   Wiesbaden, DE
  Intern, Public Finance   *Jun. 2018 - Aug. 2018*

  - Research on topics in the field of public finance for the annual report to the federal government on the general state of the economy.

- ○ **Research Topics:** Allowance for corporate equity in Europe, patent boxes and tax incentives in R&D.

- **Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW)** Mannheim, DE
  Research Intern, Public Finance and Corporate Taxation *Jan. 2018 - Apr. 2018*

  - ○ Research in public finance and political economy.
    Prepared and implemented a survey on educational advancement opportunities in Germany using LimeSurvey.
  - ○ **Research Topics:** Tax privileges of corporations within the German energy tax scheme, the economic effects of border reforms, police reforms and crime deterrence

- **360T, Deutsche Brse Group** Frankfurt, DE
  Working Student in Derivative Trading, Regulatory *Mar. 2016 - Jan. 2018*

- **KPMG AG Germany** Frankfurt, DE
  Intern, Consulting Financial Services *Mar. 2017 - Jun. 2017*

Skills

- **IT:** Stata, R, MS Excel, Web-scraping, Matlab, Python

- **Languages:** German (Mother Tongue), English (Fluent), French (Very Good), Dutch (Basics)

Ongoing Projects

- Racing to the First Jab - Empirical Evidence on Innovation Races from the COIVD-19 Pandemic; joint with J.Malek

- (Financial) Sentiment Analysis on Progress of Vaccine Candidates using Twitter Content

Teaching

- **University of Amsterdam, Empirical Market Analysis** Amsterdam, NL
  Tutorial Instructor and TA *Jan. 2021 –*

  - ○ Empirical Methods in Industrial Organization, Demand Estimation / Discrete Choice / Entry Models

- **KU Leuven** Leuven, BE
  Master Thesis Coach, M.Sc. Business Economics *Sep. 2020 –*

  - ○ Best Master Thesis Award 2020

References

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