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## AFFILIATION

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Assistant Professor, *Friedrich-Alexander University Erlangen-Nürnberg* 2023–present

## EDUCATION

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*Cornell University*, Department of Statistics and Data Science 2020–2023  
Postdoctoral Associate  
Advisors: Dr. David Matteson, Dr. Gennady Samorodnitsky

*Ruhr-University Bochum*, Faculty of Mathematics 2016–2020  
Ph.D. Mathematics  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Thesis: *High-dimensional time series under long-range dependence and nonstationarity*  
Advisor: Dr. Herold Dehling

*The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*, 2018–2019  
Department of Statistics and Operations Research  
Visiting Scholar  
Advisor: Dr. Vlasas Pipiras

*Ruhr-University Bochum*, Faculty of Mathematics 2014–2016  
MS Mathematics with Minor Economics  
*Summa Cum Laude*

*Ruhr-University Bochum*, Faculty of Mathematics 2011–2014  
BS Mathematics with Minor Economics

## PUBLICATIONS

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### PUBLISHED PAPERS

- [1] C. Baek, M.-C. Düker, and V. Pipiras. Local Whittle estimation of high-dimensional long-run variance and precision matrices. *The Annals of Statistics*, 51(6):2386–2414, 2023.
- [2] Y. Xu, M.-C. Düker, and D. S. Matteson. Testing simultaneous diagonalizability. *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, 0(0):1–13, 2023.

- [3] C. Baek, M.-C. Düker, S.-O. Jeong, and T. Lee. Detection of multiple change-points in high-dimensional panel data with cross-sectional and temporal dependence. *Statistical Papers*, 1–33, 2023.
- [4] M.-C. Düker, V. Pipiras, and R. R. Sundararajan. Cotrending: testing for common deterministic trends in varying means model. *Journal of Multivariate Analysis*, page 104825, 2021.
- [5] M.-C. Düker. Limit theorems in the context of multivariate long-range dependence. *Stochastic Processes and their Applications*, 130(9):5394–5425, 2020.
- [6] M.-C. Düker and V. Pipiras. Asymptotic results for multivariate local Whittle estimation with applications. *8th IEEE International Workshop on Computational Advances in Multi-Sensor Adaptive Processing (CAMSAP)*, pages 1–5, 2019.
- [7] M.-C. Düker. Limit theorems for Hilbert space-valued linear processes under long-range dependence. *Stochastic Processes and their Applications*, 128(5):1439–1465, 2018.

#### PREPRINTS

- [8] M.-C. Düker and V. Pipiras. Testing for common structures in high-dimensional factor models. *Preprint*, 2024.
- [9] A. Betken and M.-C. Düker. Second order asymptotics of the empirical process under long-range dependence. *Preprint*, 2023.
- [10] M.-C. Düker, R. Lund and V. Pipiras. High-dimensional latent Gaussian count time series: Concentration results for autocovariances and applications. *Preprint*, 2023.
- [11] M.-C. Düker. Sample autocovariance operators of long-range dependent Hilbert space-valued linear processes. *Preprint*, 2022.

#### INTERDISCIPLINARY PAPERS

- [12] M. Davidow, M. Cory, J. Che-Castaldo, T. Schafer, M.-C. Düker, D. Corcoran, D. S. Matteson. Clustering Future Scenarios Based on Predicted Range Maps. *Methods in Ecology and Evolution*, 2023.
- [13] C. Goolsby, J. Losey, A. Fakharzadeh, Y. Xu, M.-C. Düker, M. Sherman Getmansky, D. S. Matteson, M. Moradi. Addressing the embeddability problem in transition rate estimation from Markov state models. *Journal of Physical Chemistry A*, 127(27), 5745–5759, 2023.

#### GRANTS

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Emerging Talents Initiative Grant (~ 14.000 Euros)	2024
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#### AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

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Outstanding thesis award in STEM, Dr. Heinrich-Kost-Preis Gesellschaft der Freunde der RUB	
Ph.D. Fellowship, DFG (German Research Foundation) funded, Research Training Group 2131 <i>High-dimensional Phenomena in Probability</i>	2016–2019

## EMPLOYMENT

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<i>Assistant Professor, Friedrich Alexander University Erlangen-Nürnberg, Department of Statistics and Data Science</i>	2023–present
<i>Postdoctoral Associate, Cornell University, Department of Statistics and Data Science</i>	2020–2023
<i>Research Assistant, Ruhr-University Bochum, Faculty of Mathematics Research Training Group 2131 High-dimensional Phenomena in Probability</i>	2016–2020
<i>Student Research Assistant, Ruhr-University Bochum, Faculty of Mathematics Collaborative Research Center 823 Statistical modeling of nonlinear dynamic processes</i>	2015–2016
<i>Student Teaching Assistant, Ruhr-University Bochum, Faculty of Mathematics</i>	2015–2016
<i>Student Research Assistant, Ruhr-University Bochum, Institute of Hydrology, Water Resources Management and Environmental Engineering</i>	2014–2015

## TEACHING

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Seminar in Statistical foundations of Data Science (Winter term 2023/24)  
Lecturer Special topics in Statistical learning theory (Summer term 2023 and Winter term 2023/24)  
Teaching Assistant Financial Mathematics (Summer term 2020)  
Teaching Assistant Analysis III (Winter term 2017)  
Teaching Assistant Analysis I (Winter term 2016)  
Co-advisor for the seminar "Statistics in everyday life" (Winter term 2015)

## PRESENTATIONS

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16th International Conference of the ERCIM WG on Computational and Methodological Statistics, Berlin, 16–18th December 2023 (invited).  
Seminar, Department of Mathematics, University of Athens, December 2023 (invited).  
Seminar, Department of Mathematics, EPFL, November 2023 (invited).  
NBER-NSF Time Series Conference, Montreal, September 2023.  
Joint Statistical Meetings (JSM), Toronto, August 2023 (invited).  
6th International Conference on Econometrics and Statistics (EcoSta 2023), Waseda University Tokyo, virtual, August 2023 (invited).  
13th Extreme Value Analysis Conference, Bocconi University Milan, June 2023 (invited).  
Conference "Women in Data Science", Friedrich-Alexander University Erlangen, virtual, April 2023 (invited).  
Seminar, Department of Statistics and Mathematics, University of Massachusetts at Amherst, March 2023 (invited).

Conference “Adaptive and high-dimensional spatio-temporal methods for forecasting”, CIRM Luminy, September 2022 (invited).

Seminar, Econometrics and Statistics, University of Chicago, Booth School of Business, virtual, March 2022 (invited).

Seminar, Department of Statistics, University of Wisconsin Madison, virtual, February 2022 (invited).

Seminar, Department of Statistics, University of Michigan, January 2022 (invited).

10th International Conference of the ERCIM WG on Computational and Methodological Statistics, virtual, 18–20th December 2021 (invited).

Stochastic Seminar, Department of Mathematics, University of Utah, October 2021 (invited).

Joint Statistical Meeting 2021, virtual, 7–12th August 2021.

10th World Congress, virtual, July 19th–23rd.

Graduate Seminar, Department of Statistics and Operations Research, UNC Chapel Hill, September 2019.

40th Conference on Stochastic Processes and their Applications, Gothenburg, 11–15th of June 2018.

13th German Probability and Statistics Days, Freiburg, 27th February–02nd March 2018.

10th International Conference of the ERCIM WG on Computational and Methodological Statistics, London, 16–18th December 2017.

Graduate Seminar, Department of Statistics and Operations Research, TU Dortmund, November 2017.

31st European Meeting of Statisticians, Helsinki, 24–28th July 2017.

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

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Referee for the following journals:

Annals of Statistics	Econometrics and Statistics
Biometrika	The American Statistician
Stochastic Processes and their Applications	Journal of the Korean Statistical Society
Journal of Econometrics	Applications of Mathematics
Journal of Statistical Planning and Inference	ASA Student paper award 2021

Associate Editor for the Journal Data Science in Science.

Co-organizer KDD 2021 Workshop *Risk identification and quantification in complex human-natural systems via convergent data intensive research*.

## LANGUAGES AND COMPUTER SKILLS

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German, English

R, MATLAB, Python, C, VBA

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