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EMPLOYMENT Economist, 2017 - present

Vivid Economics

RESEARCH Shocking Racial Attitudes: Black G.I.s in Europe (with David Schindler)

CESIfo Working Paper

Persistence and Activation of Right-Wing Political Ideology (with Davide

Cantoni and Felix Hagemeister)

Munich Discussion Papers in Economics 2017-14

Racism everywhere? Evidence from inside New York taxi cabs

In progress

Persistent Effects of Inter-Religious Contact in the Ottoman Empire (joint

with Avital Livny)

In progress

EDUCATION PhD Student in Economics, 2013-2017

Supervisors: Davide Cantoni, Joachim Winter

Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität Munich

Visiting Student Researcher, 2016-2017

Stanford University (Sponsor: Ran Abramitzky)

MSc in Economics, 2010-2012

Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität Munich

BA in Philosophy, Politics and Economics, 2004-2007

University of Oxford

TALKS 2017: Stanford Economic History Workshop, Berkeley Political Economy

Research Lunch, ASREC Boston, Stanford Lunch Seminar

2016: Oxford Economic and Social History Seminar, ASREC European Meeting, Ohlstadt Natural Experiments and Controlled Field Studies Workshop (poster), EBE Summer Meeting (poster), Stanford Lunch Seminar

2015: Econometric Society World Congress Montreal, EEA Mannheim, Munich PhD Seminar, CEMIR Junior Economist Workshop on Migration Research, Ohlstadt Natural Experiments and Controlled Field Studies Workshop (poster)

2013: Political Economy of the Muslim World, Baker Institute of Public Policy, Rice University

TEACHING Empirical Economics I (undergraduate), tutorial (in German)

Culture and Institutions in Economic History (undergraduate), tutorial

Topics in Applied Econometrics (master/doctoral), tutorial

Economic Analysis using ArcGIS (master/doctoral), seminar

'R' for Applied Economists (master/doctoral), seminar

AFFILLIATIONS Junior Fellow, Analytic Learning on Islam and Muslim Societies (AALIMS),

(2013 - 2017)

Scholar of the Elite Network of Bavaria, (2013 – 2017)

OTHER Work: Research Assistant to Professor Davide Cantoni (2013), Analyst at

Content5 AG (2010-2013), Software Engineer at V7 Technology Ltd (2007-

2010)

Computing: R, Stata, ArcGIS, Ruby, Python, C++, Office, LATEX

Languages: English (native), German (fluent)

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