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Employment

2017 - Assistant Professor (tenure track)
Department of Economics, Universität Mannheim

Education

2011 - 2017 Ph.D. in Economics (summa cum laude), Universität Bonn
Main advisors: Christian Bayer, Keith Kuester
Visiting student at New York University, sponsor: Gianluca Violante

2007 - 2011 Diplom (M.A.) in Economics, Universität zu Köln
Erasmus student at Boğaziçi Üniversitesi, Istanbul

Research fields

Macroeconomics: Business Cycles, Monetary Economics, Firm Heterogeneity
Econometrics: Structural VAR models

Published papers

Delta-Method inference for a class of set-identified SVARs, with Bulat Gafarov (UC Davis) and José Luis Montiel Olea (Columbia), *Journal of Econometrics*, 2018
– Best Paper Award in Applied Economics, Econometric Society European Meeting 2016

Working papers

Monetary Policy, Markup Dispersion, and Aggregate TFP, with Timo Reinelt (Mannheim)
– 2019 Lamfalussy Fellowship of the ECB
– R&R at Review of Economics and Statistics

Corporate Debt Maturity Matters for Monetary Policy, with Joachim Jungherr (Bonn), Timo Reinelt (Mannheim), and Immo Schott (Montreal)

Covid-19 Supply Chain Disruptions, with Eugenio Pinto (Fed Board)
– CEPR Covid Economics

Supply Chain Disruptions, Time to Build, and the Business Cycle

Misallocation, Markups, and Technology, with Christian Bayer (Bonn) and Ariel Mecikovsky (Ford)
– Best Paper Award (runner-up), European Workshop on Efficiency and Productivity Analysis 2013

Do plants freeze upon uncertainty shocks?, with Ariel Mecikovsky (Ford)

- Best Student Paper Award, Real Options Conference 2015
- Best Paper Award (runner-up), Spring Meeting of Young Economists 2014

Projection inference for set-identified SVARs, with Bulat Gafarov (UC Davis) and José Luis Montiel Olea (Columbia)

Work in progress

Labor Market Effects of Monetary Policy: Evidence from Austrian Social Security Data, with Andreas Gulyas (Mannheim) and Mykola Ryzhenkov (Mannheim)

Foreign cash, business cycle propagation, and policy implications, with Vadym Lepetyuk (National Bank of Ukraine)

Seminar and conference presentations

2022: (incl. scheduled) Exeter Workshop on Firm Heterogeneity and Monetary Policy, CBS Netherlands

2021: University of Zurich, University of Hamburg, Banque de France/CompNet, University of St. Gallen, CRC virtual retreat, National Bank of Ukraine, LMU Munich, Ghent University's 8th Workshop on Empirical Macroeconomics, SED conference, 6th Annual Research Conference NBU-NBP 2021, NASM, ESEM, AMES

2020: University of Tübingen, Cleveland Fed/ECB conference, Oslo Macro Workshop, National Bank of Ukraine, European Midwest Micro/Macro Mini Conference

2019: CEPR Challenges in Understanding the Monetary Transmission Mechanism, CRC conference Mainz, E1Macro-QMQM, San Francisco Fed, Minneapolis Fed, National Bank of Ukraine, Macroeconomy and Financial Markets at NAC Analytica Kazakhstan, Heidelberg University, FINPRO London, DIW Berlin Macroeconometric Workshop

2018: T2M Paris, ADA University, Central Bank of the Republic of Azerbaijan, University of Mannheim, ESEM Congress, Vienna Macroeconomic Workshop, Leipzig University, Fall Midwest Macro

2017: Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, European Central Bank, University of Mannheim, KU Leuven, Uppsala University, Central European University, McMaster University, Université du Québec à Montréal, National University Singapore, Australian National University, University of Melbourne, Deutsche Bundesbank, Spring Midwest Macro, SAET Conference, NASM, EEA Congress, VfS Jahrestagung, HU Berlin

2016: Impact of uncertainty shocks on the global economy at UCL, CEF Conference, Econometric Society European Meeting, New York University, Rhineland Workshop in Economics, Ifo Conference on Macroeconomics and Survey Data, Econometric Society European Winter Meeting, Simposio de la Associación Española de Economía

2015: New York University, Spring Midwest Macro, Real Options Conference, SITE: Macroeconomics of Uncertainty and Volatility, Ifo Conference on Macroeconomics and Survey Data

2014: New York University, SED Conference

2013: Warwick PhD Conference, University of Zurich, CEF Conference, EEA Congress, Ifo Conference on Macroeconomics and Survey Data

Short academic visits

National Bank of Ukraine (IMF-Canada Visiting Researcher Program; July/November 2020. July 2021), University of California, Davis (July-August 2019), Central Bank of the Republic of Azerbaijan (April 2018), Australian National University (January 2018)

Grants, fellowships, and scholarships

Principal investigator of the Collaborative Research Center “Economic Perspectives on Societal Challenges”, currently applying for a second DFG funding period (2022-2025, ~20 mln. EUR)
Member of the Collaborative Research Center “Economic Perspectives on Societal Challenges”, DFG funded, joint between Bonn and Mannheim (2017-2021)
Lamfalussy Fellowship of the ECB (2019)
UniCredit and Universities Foscology Top-Up Fellowship (2017-present)
Grants by the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) and German Science Foundation (DFG) to visit NYU (2014-2015)
Travel grant by the Deutsche Bundesbank (2013, 2017)
Doctoral scholarship by the DFG (2012-2015)
Doctoral scholarship by the German Universities Excellence Initiative (2011-2012)

Other professional activities

Organizer of the Mannheim Workshop on Firm Heterogeneity and Macroeconomics (2022)
Organizer of the Mannheim Quantitative Macro Workshop (2018)
Research Development Advisor of the International Monetary Fund (2020-21)
Organizer of the Mannheim Quantitative Macro Workshop (2018)
University of Mannheim: Assistant Professor recruitment (2017, 2019)
University of Mannheim: Ph.D. and M.Sc. admissions (2018-22)
Member of the User Steering Committee of the high-performance BW Cluster (2018-21)

Referee: Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Studies, European Economic Review, Macroeconomic Dynamics, Journal of Money, Credit and Banking, Journal of International Money and Finance, International Journal of Central Banking, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Econometric Methods, Econometrics Journal, National Institute Economic Review, Acta Oeconomica; VfS Jahrestagung 2020

Teaching

University of Mannheim:
Advanced Macroeconomics: Heterogeneous Agent Economics (Ph.D.), 2018-22
Macroeconomic Shocks and Propagation (Ph.D.), 2017-22
Empirical Macroeconomics (M.Sc.), 2018-22
Macroeconomics Reading Group (Ph.D.), joint with M. Yum, 2018-20
Seminar: Topics in Business Cycles (M.Sc.), 2017-20

Ph.D. supervisor (first placement): Timo Reinelt (ECB Economist Graduate Program), Marina Hoch (ongoing)

University of Bonn:
Proseminar: Why are some countries poor and others rich? (B.A.), 2015-16
Introduction to Macroeconomics (B.A.), *tutor*, 2016
Macroeconomics B: Business Cycles (B.A.), *tutor (Excellence in Teaching Award)*, 2015
Macroeconomics A: Growth and Labor (B.A.), *tutor (Excellence in Teaching Award)*, 2013-2014

University of Cologne:
Probability Calculus and Inference (B.A.), *tutor*, 2010-2011
Descriptive Statistics (B.A.), *tutor*, 2009-10