

Martin Wolf (Academic curriculum vitae)

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Personal

Date of birth: December 3, 1988

Citizenship: German

Marital status: married, 2 children

Research interests

International macroeconomics, monetary and fiscal policy, economic growth

Current positions and memberships

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| Assistant Professor of Monetary Economics (tenure track), University of St Gallen | 2021- |
| Research Affiliate, Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR), London | 2019- |
| Member, International Section, German Economic Association | 2025- |

Previous positions and memberships

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| Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Vienna | 2017-2021 |
| PhD candidate at Bonn Graduate School of Economics (BGSE) | 2011-2017 |
| Research assistant at University of Tuebingen | 2015-2017 |
| European Doctoral Program (EDP) exchange student at LSE | 2014-2016 |
| External consultant and PhD intern at Bank of England | 2015-2016 |

Visiting positions

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| Visiting scholar, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (October-December) | 2024 |
| Visiting scholar, Bank of Finland (August) | 2024 |
| PhD intern, Bank of England (June-August) | 2015 |

Education

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| PhD in Economics (summa cum laude), University of Bonn | 2017 |
| MSc in Economics (with distinction), University of Bonn | 2016 |
| BSc in Economics, University of Konstanz | 2011 |

Awards and grants

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| University of St Gallen Latsis price for outstanding early-career research , CHF 25'000 | 2025 |
| University of St Gallen Financial Times 50 Success Fee for publication in American Economic Review, CHF 10'000 | 2024 |
| SNSF Starting Grant (grant no. 226520) , “Debt, growth, and the macroeconomy: A unified perspective”, CHF 1'066'914 | 2024-2028 |
| SNSF Scientific Exchanges Grant (grant no. 229207) , “Supply-side effects of monetary policy”, CHF 12'000 | 2024 |
| University of St Gallen GFF Project Grant (grant no. 2030783), “Exchange rates and rational expectations”, CHF 44'883 | 2024 |
| SEPS Excellence in Teaching Award | 2023 |
| NOeG young economist award (with Leopold Zessner-Spitzenberg) | 2022 |
| Heinrich Graf Hardegg'sche Doktorenstiftung | 2017-2019 |
| PhD scholarship (German research foundation) | 2011-2015 |
| German academic exchange service (DAAD) foreign exchange scholarship | 2011-2012 |

Publications

[The global financial resource curse](#) (*American Economic Review* 115(1): 1–43, January 2025, with Gianluca Benigno and Luca Fornaro)

[Delayed overshooting: The case for information rigidities](#) (*American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics*, Vol.16, No.3, July 2024, with Thomas Hettig and Gernot Müller)

[The scars of supply shocks: Implications for monetary policy](#) (*Journal of Monetary Economics*, November 2023, *SI: Inflation: Drivers and Dynamics 2022*, with Luca Fornaro)

[Reserve accumulation, growth, and financial crises](#) (*Journal of International Economics* 139, November 2022, *SI: Financial frictions: Macroeconomic implications and policy options for emerging economies*, with Gianluca Benigno and Luca Fornaro)

[Pecuniary externalities in economies with downward wage rigidity](#) (*Journal of Monetary Economics* 116, 219-235, December 2020)

[Exit expectations and debt crises in currency unions](#) (*Journal of International Economics* 121, November 2019, with Gernot Müller and Alexander Kriwoluzky)

[Step away from the zero lower bound: Small open economies in a world of secular stagnation](#) (*Journal of International Economics* 116, 88-102, January 2019, with Giancarlo Corsetti, Eleonora Mavroeidi and Gregory Thwaites)

[Deleveraging, deflation and depreciation in the euro area](#) (*European Economic Review* 88, 42-66, September 2016, *SI: the post-crisis slump*, with Dmitry Kuvshinov and Gernot Müller)

Working papers

[Fiscal stagnation](#) (*CEPR DP 20149*, April 2025, with Luca Fornaro)

[Fear of hiking? Rising interest rates in times of high public debt](#) (*CEPR DP 16834*, January 2024, with Leopold Zessner-Spitzenberg)

[Monetary policy in the age of automation](#) (*CEPR DP 16416*, September 2022, with Luca Fornaro)

Other writings

[Covid-19 Coronavirus and Macroeconomic Policy](#) (*CEPR DP 14529*, March 2020, with Luca Fornaro), read a [summary](#) on Voxeu

Seminars and workshops

Seminars: U Konstanz; Workshops and conferences: Leuven Summer Event Macroeconomics (Leuven), SED Annual Meeting (Kopenhagen), Annual Meeting International Section German Economic Association (Kiel) 2025

Seminars: Dutch National Bank (Amsterdam), Bank of Finland (Helsinki), University of California, Davis, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco; Workshops and conferences: BSE Summer Forum (Barcelona), 55'th Konstanz Seminar on Monetary Theory and Policy (Insel Reichenau) 2024

Seminars: Schumpeter seminar (HU Berlin), U St Gallen, U Konstanz; Workshops and conferences: NBER International Seminar on Macroeconomics (Ispra), PSE Macro days (Paris), HeiTueHo (U Tuebingen) 2023

Seminars: Bank of Greece, HEC Lausanne, U Tuebingen, Bundesbank; Workshops and conferences: Inflation: Drivers and Dynamics (FRB of Cleveland), BSE Summer Forum (Barcelona), HeiTueHo (U Hohenheim) 2022

Seminars: CAMA/ANU (Canberra), U Konstanz, U St Gallen, U Maryland, UC3M (Madrid); Workshops and conferences: SED (Minneapolis), Heterogeneity of Macroeconomic Expectations (Nuremberg) 2021

Seminars: U St Gallen, U Vienna; Workshops and conferences: VMACS junior online 2020

Seminars: U Tuebingen, U Vienna, Schumpeter seminar (TU Berlin); Workshops and conferences: T2M (Nuremberg), 50'th Konstanz Seminar on Monetary Theory and Policy (Insel Reichenau) 2019

Seminars: OeNB (Vienna); Workshops and conferences: CEPR European Summer Symposium in International Macroeconomics (Oslo), Vienna Macro Café (Vienna) 2018

Workshops and conferences: RIDGE (Montevideo), CESifo Summer Institute (Venice), IM-TCD (Trinity College Dublin), AEA ASSA meeting (Chicago) 2017

Seminars: LSE (London), U Bonn, U Konstanz; Workshops and conferences: RES Annual Junior Meeting (Fulham), IAAE (Milan), EconCon 2016 (Princeton), EDP jamboree (Barcelona), SAE (Bilbao) 2016

Workshops and conferences: RES Annual Meeting (Manchester), EDP jamboree (London), Tsinghua-CAEPR conference on monetary and fiscal policy (Beijing) 2015

Workshops and conferences: Doctoral workshop in Dynamic Macro (Strasbourg), 45'th Konstanz Seminar on Monetary Theory and Policy (Insel Reichenau), EDP jamboree (Paris), Center for Macroeconomics (CFM) workshop (Cambridge) 2014

Workshops and conferences: Inflation Developments after the Great Recession (Bundesbank, Eltville) 2013

Teaching

Monetary Economics (BSc and MSc level, University of St Gallen), International Macroeconomics (MSc level, University of St Gallen) 2024, 2025

Monetary Economics (BSc and MSc level, University of St Gallen), International Macroeconomics (BSc and MSc level, University of St Gallen) 2022-2023

Monetary Economics (MSc level, University of St Gallen), International Finance (BSc level, University of St Gallen) 2021

Monetary Economics (MSc level, University of Tuebingen), International Macroeconomics (MSc level, University of Vienna) 2019-2020

Monetary Economics (MSc level, University of Tuebingen), Macroeconomics (BA level, University of Vienna), Class teacher: Growth and Business Cycles (MSc level, University of Vienna) 2018

Monetary Economics (MSc level, University of Tuebingen), Class teacher: Growth and Business Cycles (MSc level, University of Vienna) 2017

Computer class teacher: The Essentials & Advanced Tools - Tools for Macroeconomists (PhD level, LSE) 2016

Teaching assistant: Macroeconomics for PhD students (PhD level, University of Bonn), EC210 Macroeconomic Principles (BA level, LSE) 2014-2015

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