

## Renke Schmacker

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INTERESTS	Behavioral Economics, Public Economics, Experimental Economics	
CURRENT POSITION	<b>University of Lausanne</b> Post-doc (SNF Senior Researcher)	<i>since 08/20</i>
EDUCATION	<b>Berlin School of Economics (Free University Berlin and DIW Berlin)</b> Ph.D. in Economics (summa cum laude) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dissertation Topic: “Essays in Behavioral Public Economics”</li><li>• Supervisors: Peter Haan, Dorothea Kübler</li></ul> <b>Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin</b> M.Sc., Economics (ECTS Grade: A) <b>University of Copenhagen</b> Exchange Semester <b>Leuphana University Lüneburg</b> B.Sc., Economics (with distinction, ECTS Grade: A) B.Sc., Business Psychology (ECTS Grade: A)	<i>10/15-06/20</i>    <i>10/12-05/15</i>  <i>09/13-01/14</i>  <i>10/09-09/12</i> <i>10/08-09/12</i>
RESEARCH VISITS	<b>New York University, CESS</b> visiting Andrew Schotter <i>Short Visits</i> CEBI and IFRO at University of Copenhagen, FAIR at NHH Bergen, IFS London	<i>09/18-12/18</i>
REFERENCES	<b>Prof. Dr. Peter Haan</b> Head of Department “Public Economics” DIW Berlin phaan@diw.de  <b>Prof. Georg Weizsäcker, Ph.D.</b> Professor of Economics Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin weizsaecker@hu-berlin.de	<b>Prof. Dr. Dorothea Kübler</b> Head of Unit “Market Behavior” WZB Berlin kuebler@wzb.eu  <b>Prof. Andrew Schotter, Ph.D.</b> Professor of Economics New York University andrew.schotter@nyu.edu
PUBLICATIONS	Do prices and purchases respond similarly to soft drink tax increases and cuts? (with Sinne Smed), <b>Economics and Human Biology</b> , 37, 2020, 100864. Social Image Concerns and Welfare Take-Up (with Jana Friedrichsen and Tobias König), <b>Journal of Public Economics</b> , 168, 2018, pp. 174-192.	
WORKING PAPERS	Sin Taxes and Self Control (with Sinne Smed), <i>CRC TRR 190 Discussion Paper No. 250</i> , July 2020. Fair Procedures with Naive Agents: Who Wants the Boston Mechanism? (with Tobias König, Dorothea Kübler and Lydia Mechtenberg), <i>CRC TRR 190 Discussion Paper No. 222</i> , December 2019.	

	Protecting the Ego: Motivated Information Selection and Updating (with Alessandro Castagnetti), May 2020.	
	Earn More Tomorrow: Overconfident Income Expectations and Consumer Indebtedness (with Antonia Grohmann, Lukas Menkhoff and Christoph Merkle), <i>CRC TRR 190 Discussion Paper No. 152</i> , April 2019.	
POLICY REPORTS	Fear of Stigmatization Prevents Individuals from Claiming Benefits (with Jana Friedrichsen), DIW Weekly Report 26-27/2019, June 2019	
	Softdrinksteuer: Proportionale Steuer ist der vielversprechendste Ansatz, DIW Aktuell 10, May 2018	
	Eine Softdrinksteuer zur fiskalischen Konsumsteuerung, DIW Roundup 103, November 2016	
MEDIA COVERAGE	hr-Info (radio, 03/20), RND (newspaper, 03/20), NDR Info (radio, 06/18), WDR (TV, 04/18), Die Welt (newspaper, 04/18)	
PRESENTATIONS	University of Warwick	2020
	ZEW Mannheim	
	MPI for Tax Law and Public Finance, Munich	
	University of Vienna	
	University of Essex	
	Risky Health Behaviors Workshop, Hamburg	2019
	CEBI at University of Copenhagen	
	FAIR at NHH, Bergen	
	EEA-ESEM Annual Congress 2019, Manchester	
	IIPF 2019, Glasgow	
	Institute for Fiscal Studies (IFS), London	
	Applied Micro Workshop, Hertie School of Governance, Berlin	
	Retreat of the CRC TR 190 "Rationality and Competition", Schwanenwerder	
	Food and Health Economics Workshop 2018, Toulouse	2018
	DIW Cluster Seminar, Berlin	
	Behavioral Welfare Economics Workshop, Berlin	2017
	EEA-ESEM Annual Congress 2017, Lisbon	
	(Ce)2 Workshop 2017, Warsaw	
	University of Copenhagen	
	IMEBESS Meeting 2017, Barcelona	
	ESA 2016, Bergen	2016
	Micro Reading Group, DIW Berlin	
TEACHING	TA for Tax & Transfer System - Empirical Policy Evaluation (Master level)	2019
	TA for Mathematics 2 for Economists (Undergraduate level)	2011
	TA for Academic Research and Writing (Undergraduate level)	2010
REFEREING	Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization	
WORKSHOP ORGANIZATION	Workshop "Eating Meat 2019 - Determinants, Consequences, and Interventions", October 8-9, 2019, DIW Berlin (joint with Jana Friedrichsen, Manja Gärtner, and Steffen Huck)	

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	<b>German Institute for Economic Research (DIW)</b> , Berlin <i>Research Associate</i> , Department “Public Economics” <span style="float: right;">10/16-07/20</span>
	<b>Berlin Social Science Center (WZB)</b> , Berlin <i>Research Assistant</i> , Research Unit “Market Behavior” <span style="float: right;">01/13-09/15</span>
	<b>Lower Saxony Institute for Economic Research</b> , Hannover <i>Intern</i> <span style="float: right;">01/12-02/12</span>
	<b>European Parliament</b> , Brussels <i>Intern</i> <span style="float: right;">09/11-12/11</span>
	<b>Leuphana University</b> , Lüneburg <i>Teaching and Research Assistant</i> <span style="float: right;">10/09-09/11</span>
GRANTS, AWARDS AND AFFILIATIONS	Warwick University PhD Conference Grant for “Protecting the Ego” (with Alessandro Castagnetti), 03/19
	Team member of Collaborative Research Center SFB TRR 190 (DFG) “Rationality and Competition: The Economic Performance of Individuals and Firms”, since 01/17
	PhD Studies Scholarship of German Institute for Economic Research, 10/15-09/16
	Basic Studies Scholarship (“Deutschlandstipendium”), 04/13-05/15
	Scholarship of Lower Saxony for excellent course achievements, 12/09 & 12/10
SKILLS	Languages: German (native), English (Fluent)
	Software: Stata, Matlab, LaTeX, Microsoft Office

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