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FIELDS OF CONCENTRATION

Primary: Macroeconomics, Family Economics,
Secondary: Development, Demography, Consumer Credit

POSITIONS

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|----------------|---|
| 2010 – present | Full Professor, University of Mannheim Director of Graduate Studies, 2019 – 2020 Maternity Leave: January - May 2017 Placement Director, 2011 – 2016 |
| Fall 2016 | University of Chicago (BFI), Sabbatical |
| 2003 – 2011 | Assistant Professor, Dpt. of Economics, Stanford University |
| 2007 – 2008 | Hoover National Fellow |
| 2006 – 2007 | Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Pennsylvania |

CURRENT PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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| 2024 – present | Council of the Econometric Society, Member. |
| 2021 – present | Structural Transformation and Economic Growth (STEG), Advisory Board |
| 2020 – present | BREAD Fellow (Affiliate since 2004) |
| 2019 – present | Research Professor at Deutsche Bundesbank |
| Sept 2018 – present | CESifo Fellow |
| 2014 – present | University of Chicago, HCEO, Family Inequality Group, Member |
| Nov 2014 – present | IZA Research Fellow |
| October 2014 – present | CEPR Research Fellow DE, MG and PE |
| June 2013 – present | European Development Research Network, Member |
| March 2010 – present | Associate Editor, Journal of Development Economics |
| 2011 – present | Family Inequality Network, Member |

PAST PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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| 2021 – 2024 | Director, Review of Economic Studies |
| 2020 – 2023 | European regional standing committee, Econometric Society |
| 2020 – 2023 | Scientific Committee of the UniCredit Foundation |
| 2019 – 2021 | NBER Study Group “Gender and the Economy,” Advisory Board |
| 2013 – 2017 | Managing Editor (joint), Review of Economic Studies |
| 2013 – 2017 | EEA Council Member |
| 2011 – 2024 | Editorial Board, Review of Economic Studies |
| 2007 – 2014 | CEPR Research Affiliate (IM, PP) |
| 2007 – 2013 | NBER Faculty Research Fellow (EFG, DEV) |
| 2009 – 2011 | Affiliate Professor, University of Munich |
| 2004 – 2011 | Affiliated Faculty, Clayman Inst. for Gender Research, Stanford |
| 2007 – 2011 | SIEPR Faculty Fellow, Stanford |
| 2010 | Associate Editor, Macroeconomic Dynamics |
| 2010 – 2011 | Associate Editor, Journal of the European Economic Association |

EDUCATION

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| 2003 | Ph.D. Economics, University of Minnesota |
| 2003 | M.A. Economics, University of Minnesota |
| 1997 | M.A. Economics (Diplom), Bielefeld University, Germany |

TEACHING

Lecture in the “International Cultural Studies Seminar CRISES” (Mannheim)
2nd Year Ph.D. Course “Economics of Pandemics” (Mannheim: Fall 2021)
Lecture in STEG virtual course (Spring 2021)
Bachelor Seminar “Family Policy: An Economic Perspective” (Mannheim: Spring 2019)
2nd Year Ph.D. Course “Consumer Finance: A Macro Perspective” (Mannheim: Fall 2018)
CDSE Seminar (3rd year seminar for PhD Students): Fall 2015, Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Spring 2020
Family Economics (Stanford: 2008, 2010, Mannheim: 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014)
Bachelor Seminar “The Economics of Financial Crises” (Mannheim: 2013)
Intermediate Macroeconomics (Stanford: 2004, 2005, 2005, UPenn: 2006, 2007)
2nd Year Ph.D. Course “Growth, Development and Demography” (Mannheim: 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014)
2nd Year Ph.D. Course “Topics in Macroeconomics” (Stanford: 2004, 2005, 2008)
2nd Year Ph.D. Course “Topics in Development” (Stanford: 2010)
Ph.D. Macroeconomic Theory (Stanford: 2004, 2005, 2005, 2009, 2010)
MA Seminar “Macroeconomics of Growth and Development” (Mannheim: 2011, 2012)
Principles in Macroeconomics (University of Minnesota: Summer 1999)

RESEARCH GRANTS

| | |
|----------------|---|
| 2020 – 2027 | Leibniz Prize, German Science Foundation |
| 2018 – present | Principal Investigator in Collaborative Research Center TR 224 “Economic Perspectives on Societal Challenges: Equality of Opportunity, Market Regulation, and Financial Stability,” funded by the German Science Foundation |
| 2013 – 2018 | ERC Consolidator Grant “Gender Differences: A Macroeconomic Perspective” |
| 2009 – 2010 | World Bank Gender Action Plan, Short-Term Consultant for project “Does Female Empowerment Promote Economic Development?” |
| 2008 – 2013 | NSF CAREER Grant “Macroeconomic Implications of Gender Roles and Consumer Credit Markets: Using Quantitative Life-Cycle Models for Policy Analysis” |
| 2008 | VPUE Grant, Stanford University |
| 2006 | Grant from the Iris F. Litt, M.D. Fund of the Michelle Clayman Institute for Gender Research, Stanford University |
| 2005 – 2008 | NSF Grant “Macro Models of Household Formation and Fertility” |
| 2004 | Grant from the Iris F. Litt, M.D. Fund of the Institute for Research on Women and Gender, Stanford University |

ACADEMIC HONORS & AWARDS

Birgit Grodal Award of the EEA, 2024
German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina, Elected Member, January 2023
Heidelberger Academy of Sciences and Humanities, Elected Member, November 2021
Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz Prize, awarded by the German Science Foundation in 2019
Fellow of the Econometric Society, since November 2017
Yrjö Jahnsson Award in Economics, 2017
Bavarian Academy of Sciences, Elected Member, since 2015
Gossenpreis, Verein fuer Socialpolitik, 2013
Fellow of the European Economic Association, since 2013
Alfred P. Sloan Research Fellow, 2009-2011
Hoover National Fellow, 2007-2008
Best Dissertation Award, University of Minnesota, May 2004
Doctoral Fellowship, Graduate School, University of Minnesota, 2001-2002
Fellowship in Applied Economics, Social Science Research Council, 1999-2000
Doctoral Fellowship, German National Merit Foundation, 1998-1999
Graduate School Block Grant, University of Minnesota, 1997-1998
Fellowship, German National Merit Foundation, 1996-1997
Scholarship, German Academic Exchange Service, 1995-1996

PUBLISHED AND FORTHCOMING PAPERS

1. “Policy Concerns in an Era of Low Fertility,” with Minchul Yum and Lukas Mahler, forthcoming as *Brookings Paper on Economic Activity*.
2. “Consumer Credit with Over-Optimistic Borrowers,” with Florian Exler, Jim MacGee and Igor Livshits, *Journal of the European Economic Association*, December 2024.
3. “Status Externalities in Education and Low Birth Rates in Korea,” with Seongeun Kim and Minchul Yum, *American Economic Review*, Vol. 114 (6), June 2024.
4. “How Families Matter for Understanding Inequality,” with Cezar Santos, Commentary, IFS Deaton Review on Inequalities, May 2023.

5. "The Economics of Fertility: A New Era," with Matthias Doepke, Anne Hannusch and Fabian Kindermann, Chapter in Handbook of the Economics of the Family, Vol. 1, 151-254, March 2023.
6. "The Economics of Women's Rights," with Matthias Doepke, Anne Hannusch and Laura Montenbruck, *Journal of the European Economic Association*, Vol. 20(6), 2271-2316, December 2022.
7. "Covid-19 und das Arbeitsmarktverhalten von Frauen und Männern," *Perspektiven der Wirtschaftspolitik*, March 2022, Vol. 23(1), 10-19.
8. "Gendered Impacts of Covid-19 in Developing Countries," with Titan Alon, Matthias Doepke, and Kristina Manysheva, *American Economic Association, Papers and Proceedings*, May 2022, Vol. 112, 272-276.
9. "From Mancession to Shecession: Women's Employment in Regular and Pandemic Recessions," with Titan Alon, Sena Coskun, Matthias Doepke and David Koll, *NBER Macroeconomics Annual 2021*, May 2022, Volume 36.
10. "Consumer Debt and Default: A Macro Perspective," with Florian Exler, *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Economics and Finance*, October 2020.
11. "The Impact of COVID-19 on Gender Equality," with Titan Alon, Matthias Doepke and Jane Olmstead-Rumsey, *Covid Economics: Vetted and Real-Time Papers*, April 2020, Issue 4, 62-85.
12. "Does Female Empowerment Promote Economic Development?," joint with Matthias Doepke, *Journal of Economic Growth*, December 2019, Vol. 24 (4), 309-33.
13. "An Equilibrium Model of the African HIV/AIDS Epidemic," with Jeremy Greenwood, Philipp Kircher and Cezar Santos, *Econometrica*, July 2019, Vol. 87, No. 4, 1081-1113.
14. "Women's Empowerment, the Gender Gap in Desired Fertility, and Fertility Outcomes in Developing Countries," joint with Matthias Doepke, *American Economic Association, Papers and Proceedings*, 2018, Vol. 108, 358-362.
15. "The Role of Marriage in Fighting HIV: A Quantitative Illustration for Malawi," joint with Jeremy Greenwood, Philipp Kircher and Cezar Santos, *American Economic Association, Papers and Proceedings*, 2017, Vol. 107 (5), 158-162.
16. "Families in Macroeconomics," joint with Matthias Doepke, chapter in *Handbook of Macroeconomics*, Vol. 2, Elsevier, 2016.
17. "The Democratization of Credit and the Rise in Consumer Bankruptcies," joint with Igor Livshits and Jim MacGee, *Review of Economic Studies*, 2016, Vol. 83(4), 1673-1710.
18. "Gender Gaps in Completed Fertility," with Erica Field, Vera Molitor and Alice Schoonbroodt, February 2016, *Journal of Demographic Economics*, June 2016, Vol. 82 (2), pp. 167-206.
19. "The Association between Own Unemployment and Violence Victimization Among Female Youths," with Gerard van den Berg, *Journal of Economics and Statistics* July 2015, Vol. 235 (4-5), 499-513.
20. "Property Rights and Efficiency in OLG Models with Endogenous Fertility," with Alice Schoonbroodt, *Journal of Economic Theory*, March 2014, Vol. 150, 551-582.
21. "The Economics and Politics of Women's Rights," with Matthias Doepke and Alessandra Voena, *Annual Review of Economics*, July 2012, Vol. 4, 339-372.
22. "Families as Roommates: Changes in U.S. Household Size from 1850 to 2000," with Alejandrina Salcedo and Todd Schoellman, *Quantitative Economics*, 2012, Vol. 3,

133-175.

23. "Accounting for the Rise in Consumer Bankruptcies," with Igor Livshits and Jim MacGee, *American Economic Journal Macro*, Vol. 2, No. 2, 165-193, April 2010.
24. "Fertility Theories: Can they explain the Negative Fertility-Income Relationship?" with Larry E. Jones and Alice Schoonbroodt, chapter in book "Demography and the Economy," edited by John Shoven, University of Chicago Press, November 2010, 43-100. (Also available as NBER Working Paper # 14266.)
25. "Women's Liberation: What's in it for Men?," with Matthias Doepke, *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, November 2009, Vol. 124, No. 4, 1541-1591.
26. "A Note on Marriage Market Clearing," with Urvi Neelakantan, *Economic Letters*, 2008, Vol. 101, pp. 103-105.
27. "An Economic History of Fertility in the U.S.: 1826-1960," with Larry E. Jones, in book "Frontiers of Family Economics, Vol. 1" edited by Peter Rupert, Emerald Press, 2008. (Also available as NBER Working Paper # 12796.)
28. "Efficiency with Endogenous Population Growth," with Mikhail Golosov and Larry Jones, *Econometrica*, July 2007, Vol. 75 (4), 1039-1071.
29. "Consumer Bankruptcy – A Fresh Start," with Igor Livshits and Jim MacGee, *American Economic Review*, March 2007, Vol. 97 (1), 402-418.
30. "Polygyny, Women's Rights, and Development," *Journal of the European Economic Association*, May 2006, Vol. 4(2-3), 523-530.
31. "Marriage Laws and Growth in Sub-Saharan Africa," with Todd Schoellman, *American Economic Review, Papers and Proceedings*, May 2006, Vol. 96(2), 295-298.
32. "Polygyny, Fertility, and Savings," *Journal of Political Economy*, December 2005, Vol. 113 (6), 1341-1371.
33. "IPUMS - CPS, An Integrated Version of the March Current Population Survey, 1962-2002", with Miriam L. King, *Historical Methods*, Winter 2003, Vol. 36, 35-40.

WORK IN PROGRESS

34. "The Effect of Mandatory Breaks on Female Labor Supply," with Sena Coskun and Yiwei Yin.
35. "The Role of Social Norms and Externalities for Fertility Choice: Theories and Evidence," with Kanato Nakakuni and Minchul Yum.
36. "Protection for Whom? The Political Economy of Protective Labor Laws for Women," with Matthias Doepke, Hanno Foerster and Anne Hannusch, *submitted*, July 2025.
37. "Fertility and Growth," with Minki Kim and Tom Vogl, Manuscript in Preparation for *Handbook of Economic Growth*.
38. "Optimal Age-based Policies for Pandemics: An Economic Analysis of Covid-19 and Beyond," with Luiz Brotherhood, Philipp Kircher and Cezar Santos, June 2025, revised and resubmitted, *Review of Economic Studies*.
39. "What is the Aggregate Impact of Pandemic Education Disruptions in Developing Countries?," joint with Titan Alon, Matthias Doepke, and Kristina Manysheva.
40. "This Time It's Different: The Role of Women's Employment in a Pandemic Recession," with Titan Alon, Matthias Doepke, and Jane Olmstead-Rumsey, IZA Discussion Paper 13562, August 2020.
41. "The Short-Run Macro Implications of School and Child-Care Closures," with Nicola Fuchs-Schündeln and Moritz Kuhn, IZA Discussion Paper 13353, May 2020.

42. “Domestic Violence over the Business Cycle,” with Bettina Siflinger and Gerard van den Berg.
43. “Asymmetric Information in Couples,” with Suzanne Bellue and Matthias Doepke.

SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

2025: Leuven, Copenhagen Business School, *planned* University of Minnesota, *planned* Minneapolis Fed, *planned* University of Hamburg.

2024: Toulouse, Science Po, Paris I, virtual fertility seminar (Chicago), Luiss, EIEF, Bergen.

2023: UC3M, University of Uppsala, Yale, Harvard, joint seminar at Hitotsubashi University and KIER of Kyoto University (virtual), IMF (virtual).

2022: University of Cambridge, EGROW Foundation (India, virtual), Bocconi University.

2021: Warwick, NYU, USC, Rochester, Columbia University, GAO, University of Chemnitz–Physics Department, joint IAB/OECD seminar, Cambridge University, Colorado State University, Vanderbilt University, Cornell, National University of Singapore, Mannheim, University of Cologne, Singapore Management University.

2020: COVID S&M seminar Chicago, 3D Seminar series Göttingen, Northwestern University, John Hopkins University, IDB, Princeton, ITAM, IFS-UCL, IMF, Stony Brook, University of Michigan, FGV.

2019: University of Wisconsin, CERGE-EI, EUI, Bonn briq, Tel-Aviv University, Hebrew University.

2018: University of Vienna, University of Zurich, ifo Institute Munich, CEMFI, University of Bonn.

2017: Stockholm University.

2016: Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong Baptist University, CEMFI, University of Chicago macro seminar, NYU, University of Pittsburgh, Chicago Fed, University of Chicago family seminar, Wharton.

2015: University of Western Ontario, LSE-UCL joint seminar, University of Munich, University Autonoma de Barcelona, UPF, Toulouse.

2014: ETH Zuerich, EUI, MPI Bonn, Science Po, Oxford, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis Fed, Paris School of Economics, University of Regensburg.

2013: Stockholm School of Economics, Aalto University, Bocconi, University of Marburg, University of Hannover, University of Chicago, University of Mannheim, Tilburg University.

2012: University of Bern, CEMFI, IIES Stockholm, LSE, UCL, University of Bristol, University of Oslo, University Autonoma Barcelona, CEU Budapest.

2011: UC Louvain, Northwestern University, University of Vienna, University of Basel, ReStud Boarding Meetings, University of Edinburgh.

2010: New York Fed, NYU, University of Michigan, University of Mannheim, University of Bonn, Bocconi, Toulouse School of Economics.

2009: Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, University of Southern California, Chicago Business School, Northwestern University, University of Calgary, University of Munich, University of Mannheim, University of Frankfurt, University of Wisconsin, World Bank, University of Texas at Austin, Washington University in St. Louis, Center on Democracy, Development and the Rule of Law at Stanford, University of Konstanz, University of Zuerich, University of Cologne.

2008: University of Southampton, Warwick University, LSE-UCL joint seminar, Collegio Carlo Alberto (Turin), Hoover Seminar, UC San Diego, Stanford Economic History Work-

shop, Berkeley Demography.

2007: University of Pennsylvania (macro lunch), University of Texas-Austin, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, Columbia University, Harvard University, University Carlos III (Madrid), University of Washington, Washington University in St Louis, Yale University, University of British Columbia, University of Victoria (Canada), UPenn Population Studies, Columbia University, University of Toronto, University of Western Ontario.

2006: University of Rochester, Penn State University, University of Texas-Austin, Stanford Theory Workshop, Federal Reserve Bank Minneapolis, University of Pennsylvania (theory), Federal Reserve Bank Philadelphia, Wharton (finance), University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Boston University, Brown University, Wharton (public policy), NYU.

2005: Stanford Hoover Lunch, UC Davis, University of Southern California, UC Berkeley (macro), MN Federal Reserve Bank, UC Santa Barbara, UC Berkeley (development).

2004: Yale University, Brown University, NYU, Bielefeld University, Humboldt University (Berlin), UCLA, University of Pennsylvania, University of Western Ontario.

2003: Stanford Macro Bag Lunch, Harvard University, Federal Reserve Bank Minneapolis, Penn State University, University of Wisconsin, Indiana University, Queens University, University of Quebec Montreal, Stanford University, University of Southern California.

KEYNOTE/NAMED LECTURES

(planned) Keynote at Midwest Macro, Cleveland, November 2025.

(planned) Keynote at BGS Academic Year Opening, Berlin, October 2025.

Keynote at Demography Conference, Banque de France, June 2025.

Keynote at BAEM Meeting on Gender, Diversity, and Human Capital, Bristol, May 2025.

Keynote at 18th RGS Doctoral Conference in Economics, February 2025.

Keynote Lecture at 1st International Conference on Macroeconomic Implications of Intra-Household Decision Making, December 2024.

Keynote Lecture at the T2M Conference, Amsterdam, May 2024.

Keynote Speaker at the German Development Economics Conference (GDE), Dresden, June 2023.

Keynote Lecture at the Christmas Meetings of the German Economists Abroad, December 2022.

Marshall Lecture at the Annual Meetings of the EEA, Milano, August 2022.

Keynote Speaker at Experimental Finance Conference in Bonn, June 2022.

CEPR ESSIM Conference in Paris, May 2022.

Keynote Speaker at Dale T. Mortensen Centre Workshop on Interactions between Labor and Marriage Markets, April 2022.

23. Kurt Rothschild Lecture, Linz, November 2021.

Thünen Lecture, Annual Meetings VfS, September 2021.

Tinbergen Institute Lecture “Macro, Family Economics and Gender,” June 2021.

Keynote Lecture at The Essen Health Conference, May 2021.

Keynote Speaker at “Rethinking gender: Economic and social costs of gender inequality,” Kyiv School of Economics, April 2020.

Keynote Speaker at Franco-German Fiscal Policy Seminar, German Ministry of Finance, October 2020.

LISER Household Economics/Labor Workshop in Luxembourg, March 2020.

Erich Schneider Gedächtnis Vorlesung, Kiel, Dezember 2019.

Keynote Speaker at ADRES Doctoral Conference in Marseille, February 2019.
Keynote Speaker at 12th French Macro Workshop, Paris, December 2018.
2nd International Conference on Globalization and Development, Göttingen, May 2018.
Yrjö Jahnsson Award Lecture, Helsinki, December 2017.
65th Annual Meeting of the French Economic Association, Nancy, June 2016.
Keynote Lecture in Tübingen, “Female Empowerment and Economic Development,”
October 2015.
COSME Talk, Spanish Economic Association Meetings, December 2014.
ESPE, Braga, Portugal, June 2014.
ZEW Conference “Family Economics and Family Policy,” Mannheim, November 2013.
Kiel Conference “Income Distribution and the Family,” August 2008.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2025: SEHO in Zaragoza, Brookings Conference.
2024: CRC Conference in Bingen, New Advances in Family Economics, Paris, SED Conference in Barcelona.
2023: New Advances in Family Economics, Ravello, Christmas Meeting of the German Economists Abroad, Mannheim, “Christmas Meeting of German Economists Abroad,” Mannheim.
2022: CRC Conference in Offenbach, Heidelberger Akademie der Wissenschaften, Nobel Symposium “Covid-19 and the Economy: Policies and Impacts,” Stockholm, Annual Economics Conference at Ashoka University (India).
2021: Virtual CRC-ZEW Workshop on Policies to Cope with the COVID-19 Crisis, “Does economics have to change after the Covid-19 crisis? A discussion with pluralistic perspectives” Conference in Zurich, SED Conference, IV. Workshop of the Spanish Macroeconomics Network.
2020: MacCaLM Workshop, Edinburgh: Economics of Covid-19, Fifth ECB Annual Research Conference, STL Fed-WashU conference on the macroeconomics of inequality, CRC Conference, Atlanta Fed Conference, International Macro Workshop of RIDGE and Central Bank of Uruguay.
2019: IZA/DFID LIC Launch Workshop (London), Day-Ahead conference at St. Louis Fed, SED (St. Louis), 3rd International BFH Conference on Discrimination in the Labor Market (Bern).
2018: Collaborative Research Center Conference, Montabauer.
2017: Workshop on Gender Economics, Edinburgh.
2016: AEA Meetings, SED Conference (Toulouse).
2015: Handbook of Macroeconomics Conference (Chicago), Gender and Development Conference (Helsinki), Families and the Macroeconomy (Edesheim), SED Conference (Warsaw), EEA Meetings in Mannheim, Verein für Socialpolitik (Münster)
2014: Demographic Economics Conference (Iowa), Workshop on “Communication and Family Violence: Economics meets Psychology” (Mainz), Makroausschuss Verein für Socialpolitik (Berlin), Frankfurt-Mannheim Macro Conference
2013: AEA Meetings (San Diego), CEPR ESSIM Conference (Izmir, Turkey), CEAR-FINet-MOVE Workshop on Family Economics (Barcelona), Larry E. Jones’ Birthday Conference in Minnesota, EEA Meetings (Gothenburg, Sweden)
2012: SED Conference (Cyprus), Financial Market Imperfections and Macroeconomic Per-

formance (University of Mannheim)

2011: Growth Conference (Zuerich), SED Conference (Ghent), ESSIM Conference (Gerzensee), Frankfurt-Mannheim Macro Conference, ICREA-MOVE Conference on Family Economics (Barcelona)

2010: Seventh Annual Vienna Macroeconomics Workshop (Rome), Cologne Workshop in Macroeconomics, SITE Conference on “Women and the Economy,” Minnesota Macro Workshop, SED Meetings (Montreal), NBER Economic Growth Conference (San Francisco)

2009: German Christmas Conference, (University of Heidelberg), LACEA-LAMES in Buenos Aires (invited session), SITE Workshop “Growth and Development,” (Stanford), SED Meetings (Istanbul), Philadelphia Workshop on Monetary and Macroeconomics, NBER Economic Growth Conference

2008: NEUDC (Boston University), NBER Summer Institute, Income Distribution and Macroeconomics, SED Meetings (Boston), NBER Demography and Economics Conference (Napa, California), AEA Meetings (New Orleans)

2007: German Christmas Conference (University of Mannheim), Conference on Economic Development (University of Pittsburgh), NBER Demography and Economics Conference (Boston), WEA Meetings invited session on “Gender Economics,” (Seattle), NBER conference “Macroeconomics Across Time and Space,” (Cleveland), LAEF conference on “Households, Gender and Fertility: Macroeconomic Perspectives,” (Santa Barbara)

2006: German Christmas Conference (Munich), SED Meetings (Vancouver), AEA Meetings (Boston)

2005: German Christmas Conference (Berlin), NBER Monetary Economics Meeting, EEA Meetings (Amsterdam), SITE Workshop “Family Macro,” SED Meetings (Budapest), Mathematical Economics: Debreu Legacy Conference

2004: Economic Development Conference (University of Iowa), Minnesota Workshop in Macroeconomic Theory, SED Meetings (Florence), European GE Workshop (Venice), AEA Meetings (San Diego)

2003: Workshop on Income Disparities Across Countries (Rio, Brazil)

2002: Summer School in Economic Theory, (Venice, Italy), Villa Mondragone Workshop, (Frascati, Italy), SED Meetings (New York), AEA Meetings (Atlanta)

2001: SED Meetings (Stockholm)

WEBINARS/PANEL DISCUSSIONS

Plan W Kongress in Berlin, September 2021.

Heller Hurwicz Institute Talk, May 2021.

Munich Economic Debate, ifo, March 2021.

AASLE Panel Discussion on COVID19 and Higher Education, December 2020.

ZEW Policy Discussion (June).

EALE-SOLE-AASLE Panel on COVID-19 and the Female Labor Market, June 2020).

CEPR Webinar: How Covid-19 affects women, May 2020.

The Economics of COVID-19, The Oxford Union, May 2020.

CRC Policy Workshop: Talk and Panel Discussion “Bildungs- und Familienpolitische Maßnahmen – Potentiale ausschöpfen, Ungleichheit verringern,” November 2019.

DISCUSSIONS

NSF workshop on “The Impacts of COVID-19,” May 2021.

AEA Meetings, San Francisco, January 2016.

Frankfurt-Mannheim Macro Workshop, June 2012.
NBER Conference “Micro and Macro Perspectives on the Aggregate Labor Market,” Aarhus, November 2011.
Asset Markets Conference, Munich, June 2009.
EFG Meetings in San Francisco, February 2009.
NEUDC in Boston, November 2008.
AEA Meetings in New Orleans, January 2008.
PIER IGIER Conference “Inequality in Macro: Facts and Theory,” UPenn, November 2007.
WEA Meetings in Seattle, July 2007.
EFG Meetings in San Francisco, February 2007.
Inaugurating Conference for the Center of Human Capital, Buffalo, October 2006.
Conference on Health, Demographics, and Economic Development, Stanford, May 2005.

REFEREEING

AEJ Applied, AEJ Macro, AEJ Micro, AEJ Policy, American Economic Review, ANR (French Science Foundation), Berkeley Electronic Press, Economic Development and Cultural Change, Econometrica, Economic Journal, Economic Theory, European Economic Review, European Research Council, Feminist Economics, International Economic Review, Israeli Science Foundation, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Economic Growth, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of Evolutionary Economics, Journal of Human Capital, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Law and Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Population Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Public Economic Theory, Macroeconomic Dynamics, National Science Foundation, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Research in Economics, Review of Economic Dynamics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economic Studies.

PHD STUDENTS

Mohamed Dhia Khalfallah (current), advisor
Mingjie Xu (current), advisor
Yiwei Yin (current), co-advisor
Marina Hoch (current), co-advisor
Ursula Berresheim (current), advisor
Lukas Mahler (2024), University of Leuven, committee member
Laura Montenbruck (2024), University of Stockholm, co-advisor
Suzanne Bellue (2023), Ecole Polytechnique – CREST, advisor
Tsung-Hsien Li (2022), Max Weber Postdoc at the EUI, advisor
Jan Sun (2022), Oxford Economics, advisor
Moritz Drechsel-Grau (2021, LMU), co-advisor
Fabian Greimel (2020, University of Amsterdam), advisor
Tim Obermeier (2019, IFS), co-advisor
Hanno Foerster (2019, Boston College), advisor
Xue Zhang (2018, KBC Bank), advisor
Xiaodi Wang (2018, Global Legal Entity Identifier Foundation), advisor
Isabel Santana (2017, University of East Anglia), informal advisor
Florian Exler (2017, University of Vienna), advisor

Johannes Pöschl (2017, Danish Central Bank), co-advisor
Wieland Hoffmann (2016, Sparkassen Rating & Risikosysteme), co-advisor
Anna Hammerschmid (2016, DIW), informal advisor
Henning Roth (2016, Alte Leipziger-Hallesche), advisor
Giuseppe Corbisiero (2015, Central Bank of Ireland), advisor
Vera Molitor (2014, Ernst & Young), advisor
Daniel Harenberg (2012, ETH Zuerich), committee member
Alessandra Voena (2011, University of Chicago), co-advisor
Patricia Lassus (2010, private sector), co-advisor
Alejandrina Salcedo (2009, Mexican Central Bank), co-advisor
Soohyung Lee (2008, University of Maryland), informal advisor
Todd Schoellman (2007, Clemson University), advisor
Felix Reichling (2007, Analysis Group), informal advisor
Ben Malin (2006, Board of Governors), committee member
Prakash Kannan (2006, IMF), committee member
Amar Nair (2006), committee member
Wentong Zheng (2005, Steptoe & Johnson LLP), committee member
Cameron Shelton (2005, Wesleyan University), committee member
Zhu-Qin Zhou (2004, ERS), committee member
Ilhyock Shim (2004, BIS), committee member

CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION

Co-Organizer of “Families and the Macroeconomy,” Edesheim, Germany, September 2025.
Local Co-Organizer, “Christmas Meeting of German Economists Abroad,” Mannheim, Germany, December 2023.
Co-Organizer of “Families, Human Capital and Inequality Workshop,” Bad Dürkheim, Germany, July 2023.
Co-Organizer of “Consumer Finance: Micro and Macro Approaches,” University of Chicago, May 2019.
Co-Organizer of Workshop “Families and the Macroeconomy,” Mannheim, October 2018.
Program Co-Chair ESEM in Cologne, August 2018.
Co-Organizer of Workshop “Families and the Macro Economy,” Edesheim, June 2015.
Organizer of the “Kerntagung,” Jahrestagung des Vereins für Socialpolitik, Münster, 2015.
Local Organizing Committee, EEA in Mannheim, 2015.
Organizing Committee, Mannheim Workshop in Quantitative Macroeconomics, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2018, 2024.
Program Committee, EEA 2013, 2014.
Program Committee, ESEM 2012, 2013, 2014.
Program Committee, Jahrestagung des Vereins für Socialpolitik 2012, Göttingen.
Co-Organizer of “Cultural Change & Economic Growth in the Long Run,” Munich, 2011.
Co-Organizer, Annual Meeting Verein für Socialpolitik, Frankfurt, September 2011.
Program Co-Chair SED in Montreal, July 2010.
Program Committee SED: 2006, 2008, 2009.
Co-Organizer of Annual Christmas Conference for German Economists, 2004-2013
Co-organizer of SITE (Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics) Workshops:
“Women and the Economy,” August 2010.
“Growth and Development: Micro and Macro Approaches,” August 2009.

“Family Behavior and the Aggregate Economy,” August 2007.

“The Nexus between Household Economics and the Macro Economy,” August 2005.

“Aggregation in Macroeconomics,” August 2004

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Patronage (Schirmherrschaft) for student-organized seminar series “Migration and Refugees,” Spring 2016.

UNU-WIDER, “Gender and Development” Project, Scientific Committee Member, 2015.

Women in Economics Workshop (EEA), Mentor, 2013, 2015, 2018.

Junior recruiting committee: 2010 – 2015, 2017/18, 2019/20, 2022/23, 2024/25.

Senior recruiting committee: 2012, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2020, 2022, 2024, 2025.

Co-organizer of the Departmental Seminar Series in Mannheim, Spring 2011 – Spring 2016.

Co-organizer of Applied Economics and Econometrics Seminar, Mannheim, 2014-2015, 2018.

Co-organizer of Mannheim Applied Seminar – since Spring 2019.

Co-Founder of *Network of German Economists Abroad* (with Berthold Herrendorf).

Co-organizer of the Macroeconomic Seminar Series at Stanford, Spring Quarter 2004, Spring 2005, Autumn 2005, Fall 2008, Spring 2010.