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Employment:

Lecturer, Economics Department, University of Mannheim, August 2018 - now
Acting Chair (Lehrstuhlvertretung), Economics Department, University of Mannheim, August 2016 - 2018
Senior Lecturer, Northwestern University, 2009 – August 2016
Teaching Assignment Univ. of Cologne/Univ. of Applied Sciences Mittelhessen, Summer 2016
Visiting Professor (W3), Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, Goethe University Frankfurt, Summer 2015
Lecturer, Northwestern University, 2006 – 2009
Research Fellow, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Bonn, Germany 2003 – present
Assistant Professor (tenure track), University of Nebraska – Kearney, 2004 – 2006
Visiting Assistant Professor, Marquette University, 2002 – 2004

Education:

PhD (Economics), University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee, May 2002
MA (Economics), University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee, December 1998
BA (Vordiplom, Economics), Justus Liebig University, Giessen, Germany, 1994 – 97

Research and Teaching Interests:

Labor Economics, Applied Microeconomics, Applied Econometrics, Macroeconomics

Refereed Publications:

“Rational Inattention and Employer Learning”. *Oxford Economic Papers*, April 2014, pp. 605-26.
“The Speed of Employer Learning and Job Market Signaling Revisited”. *Applied Economics Letters*, Vol. 18 (7), May/June 2011, pp. 607-10.
“Wage Inequality of U.S. Truck Drivers” (with Kristen Monaco). *Labour: Review of Labour Economics and Industrial Relations*, Vol. 25(2), March 2011, pp. 268-85.
“Are there Differences in the Health-Socioeconomic Status Relationship over the Life Cycle: Evidence from Germany” (with Keith A. Bender). *Labour: Review of Labour Economics and Industrial Relations*, Vol. 22 (1), March 2008, pp. 107-25.
“A Post-Deregulation Analysis of Wages in U.S. Freight Transportation” (with Kristen A. Monaco). *Int. Journal of Transport Economics*, Vol. 34(1), February 2007, pp. 133-48.
“More Detail on the Pattern of Returns to Educational Signals”. *Southern Economic Journal*, Vol. 73(1), July 2006, pp. 125-35.

Working Papers:

“Employer Learning Revisited”
“An Examination of Sheepskin Effects over Time.” IZA Working Paper 725.
“Teaching Causal Inference in Undergraduate Econometrics”

Teaching Experience:

University of Mannheim (August 2016 – current):

Labor Market Institutions and Labor Market Outcomes
Economic Effects of Immigration
Mathematical Economics (Principles and Advanced)
Political and Economic Institutions as the Source of Economic Growth [seminar]
Principles of Macroeconomics [1200 students]
Labor Markets

University of Cologne (2016):

Principles of Macroeconomics [for non-economics students, 100 students]

University of Applied Sciences Mittelhessen (2016):

Principles of Economics

Goethe University Frankfurt (2015):

Principles of Macroeconomics [600 students]
Topics in Aggregate Labor Markets [seminar]

Northwestern University (2006 – 2016):

Introduction to Statistics [100 – 250 students, 11 times]
Introduction to Econometrics [100 – 250 students, 17 times]
Advanced Econometrics I [undergraduate, 2 times]
Advanced Econometrics II [undergraduate, 2 times]
Labor Economics [11 times]
Freshmen Seminar [3 times]
Senior Honors Seminar [3 times]

University of Nebraska at Kearney (2004 – 2006):

Principles of Economics
Microeconomics [Principles and Intermediate]
Macroeconomics [Principles and Intermediate]
Mathematical Economics [independent study]
Tourism Economics

Marquette University (2002 – 2004):

Microeconomics [Principles and Intermediate]
Macroeconomics [Principles and Intermediate]
International Economics

University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee (full responsibility as graduate student 1998 – 2002):

Microeconomics [Principles and Intermediate]
Macroeconomics [Principles and Intermediate]
Labor Economics
Introduction to Statistics
Introduction to Econometrics

Teaching Awards:

Fachschaftslehrpreis der Fachschaft VWL (Kategorie Junior-Wissenschaftler/innen), Uni Mannheim 2018

Elected to the 2012 ASG Faculty Honor Roll at Northwestern University

Elected to the 2011 ASG Faculty Honor Roll at Northwestern University

Elected to the 2010 ASG Faculty Honor Roll at Northwestern University

Professional Activities:

Refereeing: *Applied Economics, Contemporary Economic Policy, Economics of Education Review, International Journal of Transport Economics, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Population Economics, Social Science and Medicine.*

Discussant, MEA Meetings Cleveland 2009

Discussant & Session Chair, WEA Meetings, Seattle, June/July 2007

Discussant & Session Chair, MEA Meetings, Chicago, March 2006

Discussant, WEA Meetings, San Francisco, July 2005

Discussant, MEA Meetings, Milwaukee, IL, March 2005

Discussant, MEA Meetings, Chicago, IL, March 2004.

Discussant & Session Chair, MEA Meetings, St. Louis, MO, March 2003.

Discussant, AEA Meetings, Washington, D.C., January 2003

References:

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