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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Education Economics, Labor Economics, Gender Economics and Economics of Inequality

EDUCATION

PhD Student in Economics Leibniz Institute for Economic Research Halle (IWH) Supervisors: Simon Wiederhold and Amelie Wuppermann	Apr 2023 - present
Visiting Researcher Yale University (invited by Christopher Neilson)	December 2024
PhD Student in Economics Catholic University Eichstätt-Ingolstadt, Germany Supervisor: Simon Wiederhold	Oct 2022 - Mar 2023
MSc in International Economics and Economic Policy Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany	Oct 2020 - Aug 2022
Visiting student University of Copenhagen, Denmark	Sep 2021 - Jan 2022
BSc in Economics and Business Administration Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany	Apr 2015 - Aug 2019
Visiting student Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University, Port Elizabeth, South Africa	Jan 2017 - Jul 2017

PUBLICATIONS & WORKING PAPERS

Mergele, Lukas et al. (2020). "Gleicht Schulbildung soziale Unterschiede aus?" In: *Wirtschaftsdienst* 100.12, pp. 932–936.

WORK IN PROGRESS

"College application choices in a repeated DA setting: empirical evidence from Croatia"
with Dejan Kovac and Christopher Neilson

"School books and career choices"
with Simon Wiederhold

"Geographic determinants of College Field Choice"
single-authored

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (AS TEACHING ASSISTANT)

Seminar: Behavioral Economics of Education (Master)	2023/24 & 2024/25
Seminar: The Effect of New Technologies on the Labor Market (Master)	2023 & 2024 & 2025
Tutorial in Introduction to Economics (Bachelor)	2022/23
Tutorial in Economics of Innovation (Master)	2022/23

PAST POSITIONS

Student Research Assistant Goethe University Frankfurt, Chair of Economic Policy and Quantitative Methods Berlin Institute for Population & Development Intern	Jan 2021 - Sep 2022 Jul 2020 - Sep 2020
Ifo Institute, Department of Economics of Education Intern	Apr 2020 - Jun 2020
German Corporation for International Cooperation GmbH Intern at the Chief Economic Department of the Africa Unit	Aug 2019 - Feb 2020

CONFERENCES & PRESENTATIONS

EEA Congress Bordeaux, France	2025
Toulouse School of Economics 2nd Economics of Education Workshop Toulouse, France	2025
XXXIII Meeting of Economics of Education Association Milan, Italy	2025
20th Matching in Practice Workshop Messina, Italy	2025
ZEW Werkstattseminar Mannheim, Germany	2025
CGDE Doctoral Workshop Leipzig, Germany	2025
IWH Doctoral Research Seminar Halle, Germany	2023, 2024, 2025
Workshop for Young Scientists on "Applied Economics" Hannover, Germany	2024, 2025

SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT

Women in Economics Member of the research team	Aug 2023 - now
Studieren ohne Grenzen Deutschland e.V. Leader of the Frankfurt Group Active Member since 2016	Jan 2018 - Aug 2019

SKILLS

Data Analysis	STATA, Matlab, Python
Software	LaTeX, MS Office
Languages	German (native), English (fluent), French (intermediate)