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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2017- **Associate Professor (with tenure)**, Cornell University, Department of Policy Analysis and Management (PAM)
2011-2017 **Assistant Professor**, Cornell University, PAM
2011 **Research Associate**, DIW Berlin, SOEP Department, Berlin, Germany
2010-2011 **Research Associate**, TU Berlin, Chair for Applied Empirical Research
2004-2006 **Research & Teaching Assistant** (part-time), TU Berlin, Chair for Macroeconomics

EDUCATION

2011 **PhD Economics** (*Doctor rerum oeconomicarum*), TU Berlin
Thesis: "Sickness Absence and Economic Incentives"
Grade: with distinction (*summa cum laude*)
Committee: Prof. Dr. Gert G. Wagner; Prof. Dr. Regina T. Riphahn
UPJOHN INSTITUTE DISSERTATION AWARD 2011

2006 **MSc Economics** (Diplom-Volkswirt), TU Berlin,
ranked #1 among 2006 graduates

2006 **MSc Business Studies** (Diplom-Kaufmann), TU Berlin,
ranked #1 among 2006 graduates

2003 – 2004 ESCP-EAP Paris, Economic studies

2003 **BSc Economics** (Vordiplom VWL), HU Berlin

2003 **BSc Business Education** (Vordiplom Wirtschaftspädagogik), HU Berlin

OTHER ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

2016-	RWI - Leibniz Institute for Economic Research (RWI Essen), Research Fellow
2014-	NBER Disability Research Center Affiliate
2014-	Canadian Centre for Health Economics, Faculty Associate
2011-	Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Research Fellow
2011-	German Institute for Economic Research (DIW Berlin), Research Fellow
2009-	Health, Econometrics and Data Group (HEDG), University of York (UK)
2016-	Cornell University, Member of Field of Public Affairs
2014-	Cornell University, Atkinson Center for a Sustainable Future (ACSF), Faculty Fellow
2013-	Cornell University, Center for the Study of Inequality, Faculty Affiliate
2011-	Cornell University, Member of Field of Economics & the Graduate Faculty
2011-	Cornell University, Cornell Population Center (CPC), Faculty Affiliate
2011-	Cornell University, Institute for Health Economics, Health Behaviors and Disparities

RESEARCH FIELDS

Health Economics:	health insurance, sick leave insurance, disability insurance, health behavior, population aging, population health, measurement of health, health expenditures
Labor Economics:	labor market & social insurance, labor supply, human capital
Economics of Risk:	health risks, risk perception biases, risky health behavior
Microeconometrics:	program evaluation, causal inference

AWARDS AND PRIZES (~\$35 THOUSAND)

2018	Health Economics Science Award 2018 (<i>Wissenschaftspreis Gesundheitsökonomie</i>), best health econ paper in 2017, German Association of Health Economists (dggö); €5,000
2017	<u>2017 Raymond Vernon Memorial Award</u> for best paper in JPAM in 2017, \$1000
2017	Best Reviewer 2016 (<i>#1 out of 25 Excellence in Reviewing Prizes</i>), <i>Labour Economics</i> , €1,000
2017	Ranked #33 in <u>Handelsblatt Ranking</u> of German economists under the age of 40.
2017	Ranked #9 by <u>IDEAS Repec, Top Economists by Cohort</u> 12/2017, Cohort 2011
2017	Ranked #87 (top 0.5%) by <u>IDEAS Repec Top Young Economists</u> 12/2017
2015	Small Area Variation Health Services Research Award 2015 (<i>ZI-Wissenschaftspreis Regionale Versorgungsforschung</i>) for paper on Modeling of Spatial Health Effects, €5,000
2014	FEEM Award 2014 for Fukushima paper presented by Chris Krekel, €5,000
2014	CINCH Academy Award 2014 for Fukushima paper presented by Chris Krekel
2014	CELS Best Poster Award 2014 for Food Stamp paper presented by Kyle Rozema
2012	Nominated for the Leibniz Dissertation Prize 2012 (<i>10 candidates out of 600 graduates</i>)
2012	Upjohn Institute Dissertation Award 2011, First Prize, \$2,500
2011	VdF-Prize 2011 for the best publication by a DIW researcher in 2010, €2,500
2011	Health Economics Science Award 2011 (<i>Wissenschaftspreis Gesundheitsökonomie</i>), best health econ paper in 2010, German Association of Health Economists (dggö); €5,000
2011	Participant of “ <i>Encounters in Berlin—Interdisciplinary Workshop for Excellent Young Scientists</i> ”, Einstein Foundation, Berlin Senate for Education, Science, & Research
2010	Young Scientist Award 2010 of the State North Rhine-Westphalia, €1,500
2010, 2009, 2008	Conference Presentation Award for Young Researchers (<i>Vortragsprämie</i>), VfS, €500
2008	Erwin-Stephan Prize for outstanding degree in economics, TU Berlin, €4,000
2007	Book prize for best degree in Economics in 2006, TU Berlin
2007	Book prize for best degree in Business Studies in 2006, TU Berlin

GRANTS AND STIPENDS (~\$1.2 MILLION)

2017-2019	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, PI, Policies for Action 2017, \$200,000
2017-2018	Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, Early Career Research Award, \$5,000
2017	Grant Development Program Fellow, Cornell Population Center, \$15,000
2014-2017	Atkinson Center for a Sustainable Future (ACSF), Co-PI, AVF Grant, \$100,000
2016-2017	Rapid Response Grant, Cornell Population Center, \$2,000
2015-2016	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (with Kurt Lavetti), Co-PI, PRIS, \$150,000
2015-2016	Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, Early Career Research Award, \$5,000
2015-2016	Mario Einaudi Center for Int. Studies, Cornell University, Seed Grant, \$5,000
2015-2016	Institute for the Social Science, Cornell University, Small Grant, \$5,000
2014-2015	Rapid Response Grant, Cornell Population Center, \$1,500
2013-2014	NBER Disability Research Center (with Tim Moore), Co-PI, Grant, \$45,000
2012-2013	Cornell Population Center, Seed Grant, \$7,800
2012-2013	Institute for the Social Science, Cornell University, Small Grant, \$10,000
2011-2016	Open Research Area in Europe for the Social Sciences <i>ANR-DFG-ESRC-NOW</i> , German Research Foundation (DFG), Co-PI Germany, \$600,000 (total: \$2.1M).
2010-2011	Research Promotion Fund for Young Researchers, TU Berlin, postdoc, €25,000
2009	Stiftung der deutschen Wirtschaft (sdw), grant for research stay in Sweden, €1,000
2007-2009	PhD stipend, Federal Ministry of Education and Research (sdw), 36 months, €40,000
2006-2007	PhD stipend, DIW Berlin, 12 months, €12,000

ARTICLES IN ECONOMIC JOURNALS

1. Atal, J.P.; Fang, H.; Karlsson, M.; and N. R. Ziebarth (2018): “Exit, Voice, or Loyalty? An Investigation into Mandated Portability of Front-Loaded Private Health Plans,” *Journal of Risk & Insurance*, forthcoming.
2. Guardado, J. R. and N. R. Ziebarth (2018): “Worker Investment in Safety, Workplace Accidents, and Compensating Wage Differentials,” *International Economic Review*, conditionally accepted.
3. Ziebarth, N. R. (2018): “Biased Lung Cancer Risk Perceptions: Smokers are Misinformed,” *Jahrbücher für Nationalökonomie und Statistik* (Special Issue: *Empirical Health Economics*), forthcoming
4. Pichler, S. and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “The Pros and Cons of Sick Pay Schemes: Testing for Contagious Presenteeism and Noncontagious Absenteeism Behavior,” *Journal of Public Economics*, 156: 14-33.
HEALTH ECONOMICS SCIENCE AWARD for best health economics paper in 2017
5. Pilny, A., Wübker, A. and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “Introducing Risk Adjustment and Free Health Plan Choice in Employer-Sponsored Health Insurance: Evidence from Germany,” *Journal of Health Economics* (Special Issue edited by Tom McGuire and Richard van Kleef: *Health Plan Payment in Managed Competition*), 56: 330-351.
6. Bünnings, C., Schmitz, H., Tauchmann, H., and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “The Role of Prices Relative to Supplemental Benefits in Health Plan Choice,” *Journal of Risk & Insurance*, forthcoming.
7. Rozema, K. and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “Taxing Consumption and the Take-Up of Public Assistance: The Case of Cigarette Taxes and Food Stamps,” *Journal of Law & Economics*, 60(1): 1-27.
8. Jones, L. and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “US Child Safety Seat Laws: Are They Effective, and Who Complies?” *Journal of Policy Analysis & Management*, 36(3): 584–607.
RAYMOND VERNON MEMORIAL AWARD for best JPAM paper in 2017
9. Schmitz, H. and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “Does Price Framing Affect the Consumer Price Sensitivity of Health Plan Choice?” *Journal of Human Resources*, 52(1): 89-128.

10. Dragone, D. and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “Non-Separable Time Preferences, Novelty Consumption and Obesity: Evidence from the East German Transition to Capitalism,” *Journal of Health Economics*, 51: 41-65.
11. Karlsson, M.; Klein, Tobias and N. R. Ziebarth (2016): “Skewed, Persistent and High before Death: Medical Spending in Germany,” *Fiscal Studies* (Special Issue: *Medical Expenditures around the World*), 37(3-4): 527-559.
12. Jones, L. and N. R. Ziebarth (2016): “Successful Scientific Replication and Extension of Levitt (2008): Child Seats Are Still No Safer than Seat Belts,” *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 31(5):920-928.
13. Goebel, J., Kregel, C., Tiefenbach, T. and N. R. Ziebarth (2015): “How Natural Disasters Can Affect Environmental Concerns, Risk Aversion, and Even Politics: Evidence from Fukushima and Three European Countries,” *Journal of Population Economics*, 28(4): 1137-1170.
FEEM AWARD 2014 to Christian Kregel
CINCH ACADEMY AWARD 2014 to Christian Kregel
14. Ziebarth, N. R. and M. Karlsson (2014): “The Effects of Expanding the Generosity of the Statutory Sickness Absence Insurance,” *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 29(2): 208-230.
15. Ziebarth, N. R. (2013): “Long-Term Absenteeism and Moral Hazard – Evidence from a Natural Experiment,” *Labour Economics*, 42: 277-292.
16. Ziebarth, N. R. (2010): “Estimating Price Elasticities of Convalescent Care Programmes,” *The Economic Journal*, 120(545): 816-844.
HEALTH ECONOMICS SCIENCE AWARD for best health econ paper in 2010
NRW YOUNG SCIENTIST AWARD 2010 for best paper by a young economist
VDF-PRIZE 2011 for the best publication by a DIW researcher in 2010
17. Ziebarth, N. R. and M. Karlsson (2010): “A Natural Experiment on Sick Pay Cuts, Sickness Absence, and Labor Costs,” *Journal of Public Economics*, 94(11-12): 1108-1122.
18. Ziebarth, N. R. and M. M Grabka (2009): “In Vino Pecunia? The Association Between Beverage-Specific Drinking Behavior and Wages,” *Journal of Labor Research* 30(3): 219-244.

ARTICLES IN MULTIDISCIPLINARY JOURNALS

1. Ziebarth, N. R. (2018): “Lung Cancer Risk Perception Biases,” *Preventive Medicine*, 110: 16-23.
2. E. French, J. McCauley, M. Aragon, P. Bakx, Martin Chalkley, S. Chen, B. J. Christensen, H. Chuang, A. Cote-Sergent, M. De Nardi, D. Echevin E. Fan, P. Geoffard, C. Gastaldi-Ménager, M. Gørtz, Y. Ibuka, N. Izumida, J. B. Jones, M. Kallestrup-Lamb, M. Karlsson, T. J. Klein, G. de Lagasnerie, P. Michaud, O. O'Donnell, Y. Ohtsu, N. Rice, J. Skinner, E. van Doorslaer N. R. Ziebarth, and E. Kelly (2017): “Data from the US and Eight other Developed Countries Show that End-of-Life Medical Spending is Lower than Previously Reported,” *Health Affairs*, 36(7): 1211-1217.
3. Burkhauser, R. V.; Daly, M. C. and N. R. Ziebarth (2016): “Protecting Working-Age People with Disabilities: Experiences of Four Industrialized Nations,” *Journal of Labour Market Research/Zeitschrift für Arbeitsmarktforschung*, (Special Issue edited by Lynn Karoly: *Retirement Policy Reform and the Labour Market for Older Workers - Issues and International Comparative Perspectives*), 49(4): 367-386.
4. Susser, P. and N. R. Ziebarth (2016): “Profiling the US Sick Leave Landscape: Presenteeism among Females,” *Health Services Research*, 51(6): 2305-2317.

5. Wagner, G. G. and N. R. Ziebarth (2016): "Inevitable? Doping Attitudes among Berliners in 2011—The Role of Socialist State Socialization and Personal Factors," *European Journal of Public Health*, 26(3):520-522.
 6. Eibich, P. and N. R. Ziebarth (2014): "Analyzing Regional Variation in Health Care Utilization Using (Rich) Household Microdata," *Health Policy (Special Issue: Geographic variation in health care: 40 years of small-area variation)*, 114(1): 41-53.
 7. Eibich, P. and N. R. Ziebarth (2014): "Examining the Structure of Spatial Health Effects using Hierarchical Bayes Models," *Regional Science and Urban Economics (Special Issue edited by E. McMillen, F. Moscone, and J. Mullaly: Spatial Health Econometrics)*, 49: 305-320.
- Small Area Variation Health Services Research AWARD 2015**
8. Ziebarth, N. R. (2014): "Assessing the Effectiveness of Health Care Cost Containment Measures: Evidence from the Market for Rehabilitation Care," *International Journal of Health Economics & Management (formerly: International Journal of Health Care Finance & Economics)*, 14(1): 41-67.
 9. Frick, J. R. and N. R. Ziebarth (2013): "Welfare-Related Health Inequalities: Does the Choice of Measure Matter?" *European Journal of Health Economics*, 14(3): 431-442.
 10. Eibich, P., Schmitz, H. and N. R. Ziebarth (2012): "Add-On Premiums Increase Price Transparency—More Policy Holders Switch Health Plans," *DIW Economic Bulletin*, 2(2): 15-24.
 11. Ziebarth, N. R. (2010): "Measurement of Health, Health Inequality, and Reporting Heterogeneity," *Social Science & Medicine*, 71(1): 116-124.

POLICY ARTICLES IN GERMAN

1. Eibich, P. and N. R. Ziebarth (2015): "Eine Untersuchung der Struktur regionaler Gesundheitseffekte in Deutschland anhand Hierarchischer Bayes Modelle", Zentralinstitut für die kassenärztliche Versorgung in Deutschland (Zi), *Versorgungsatlas*, Bericht Nr. 15/20.
2. Ziebarth, N. R. (2013): "Gesetzliche Krankenversicherung: Rolle Rückwärts beim Wettbewerb," *Journal for Economic Policy (Wirtschaftsdienst: Zeitschrift für Wirtschaftspolitik)*, 93(12): 804-805.
3. Eibich, P. Schmitz, H. and N. R. Ziebarth (2011): "Zusatzbeiträge erhöhen die Preistransparenz – Mehr Versicherte wechseln die Krankenkasse", *Wochenbericht des DIW Berlin* 51-52: 3-12.
4. Ziebarth, N. R. (2009): "Langzeitkranke verlieren durch Kürzung des Krankengeldes fünf Milliarden Euro", *Wochenbericht des DIW Berlin* 20/2009: 326-332.
5. Houben, I. and N. R. Ziebarth (2005): "Die BA ist dabei, ihre Hausaufgaben zu machen", *Arbeitgeber* 57(1/2): 18-19.

MONOGRAPHS, BOOK CHAPTERS AND EDITED VOLUMES

1. Ziebarth, N. R. (2018): "Social Insurance and Health," in Baltagi, B. H. and Moscone, F. [Eds.]: *Health Econometrics in Contributions to Economic Analysis*, Emerald Publishing, first edition, Chapter 3, pp: 57-84.
2. McVicar, D., Wilkins, R. and N. R. Ziebarth (2018): "Four Decades of Disability Benefit Policies and the Rise and Fall of Disability Reciprocity Rates in Five OECD Countries," In: Besharov, D. and D. Call: *Labor Activation in a Time of High Unemployment: Encouraging Work while Preserving the Social Safety Net*, Oxford University Press, first edition, Chapter 7, forthcoming.

3. Ziebarth, N. R. (2018): “Die Symbiose von gesundheitsförderndem und gesundheitsgefährdendem Verhalten: Sport und Doping,” in Erlinghagen, M., Hank, K.; and M. Kreyenfeld [Eds.]: *Innovation und Wissenstransfer in der empirischen Sozial- und Verhaltensforschung*, Campus Verlag, first edition, pp: 293-314.
4. Gornet, J., Schupp, J, Spiess, C. K., and N. R. Ziebarth (2013): “Editorial – SOEP 2012: The 10th International Socio-Economic Panel User Conference,” *Journal of Applied Social Science Studies (Schmollers Jahrbuch)*, 133(2): 117-119.
5. Ziebarth, N. R. (2011): *Sickness Absence and Economic Incentives*, approved PhD thesis, TU Berlin.
Winner Upjohn Institute Dissertation Award 2011
6. Ziebarth, N. R. (2009): *Einflussfaktoren der Entwicklung von Gesundheitsausgaben: Der Stand der internationalen Fachliteratur am Beispiel Deutschlands*, Akademische Verlagsgemeinschaft München (AVM), Munich.

WORKING PAPERS IN EDITORIAL PROCESS

1. Pichler, S. and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “Labor Market Effects of US Sick Pay Mandates,” Revise & Resubmit, *Journal of Human Resources*.
2. Dolan, P., Kavetsos, G., Krekel, C., Mavridis, D., Metcalfe, R., Senik, C., Szymanski, S. and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “The Host with the Most? The Effects of the Olympic Games on Happiness,” Revise & Resubmit, *Journal of Public Economics*.
3. Kvasnicka, M., Siedler, T. and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “Population Health Effects of Smoking Bans,” Revise & Resubmit (2nd round), *Health Economics*.
4. Karlsson, M. and N. R. Ziebarth. (2017): “Population Health Effects and Health-Related Costs of Heat Events: Comprehensive Evidence from Germany,” Revised & Resubmitted, *Journal of Environmental Economics & Management*
5. Jin, L. and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “Sleep, Health, and Human Capital: Evidence from Daylight Saving Time” revised version based on IZA DP No. 9088.

WORKING PAPERS OUTSIDE OF EDITORIAL PROCESS

1. Arni, P., Dragone, D., Goette, L. and N. R. Ziebarth. (2017): “Health Overconfidence and Risky Health Behaviors,” *mimeo*
2. DeLeire, T., Lavetti, K. and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “Demand Elasticities in Health Care: Evidence from the ACA Exchanges,” *mimeo*.
3. Atal, J.P.; Fang, H.; Karlsson, M.; and N. R. Ziebarth (2017): “Long-Term Health Insurance: Theory Meets Evidence from Germany.” *Mimeo*.
4. Lavetti, K. and N. R. Ziebarth (2016): “The Dynamic Efficiency of Health Insurance Generosity,” *mimeo*.
5. Lavetti, K. and N. R. Ziebarth (2016): “Taxpayer Subsidized Health Insurance and the Crowding-In and Out of Coverage on the ACA Exchanges,” *mimeo*.
6. Moore, T. and N. R. Ziebarth (2016): “The Consumption Patterns of Disability Beneficiaries” *mimeo*.

MEDIA COVERAGE AND INTERVIEWS (SELECTION)

“Employers who don’t offer paid sick leave are making flu season worse and hurting their own bottom line,” by Christopher Ingraham, Washington Post, February 13, 2018

“Koch-backed group fights paid sick leave laws as flu sweeps US,” by Renée Feltz, The Guardian, February 11, 2018

“Tenure ist ein großer Meilenstein für WissenschaftlerInnen: Nicolas Ziebarth wurde in the USA zum Associate Professor ernannt,” TU Intern, Januar 2018.

“Hidden Brain: How Cigarette Taxes Affect Food Buying,” by Shankar Vedantam, NPR, September 7, 2017.

“Car Seat Laws for Older Kids Have Limited Impact--Education, Access to Seats Might Be Better Route, Study Author Says,” Science News, June 29, 2017

“Proof Daylight Saving Time Is Dumb, Dangerous, and Costly: The Case against Changing the Clocks Keeps Getting Stronger,” by Ben Steverman, Bloomberg, March 10, 2017

“The High Costs of Not Offering Paid Sick Leave,” by Austin Frakt, New York Times, October 31, 2016

“Worst sick-day excuses: Spider scare, excess cake,” by Aimee Picchi, CBS News, October 20, 2016

“Obama Administration Announces Paid Sick Leave for Government Contractors — and a New Policy to Address Pay Disparities” by Danielle Paquette, Washington Post, September 29, 2016.

“Seriously, Don’t Come to Work If You’re Sick,” by Rebecca Greenfield, Bloomberg, August 30, 2016

“When Workers Don’t Get Paid Sick Days, Everyone Else Is More Likely to Get Sick,” by Danielle Paquette, Washington Post, August 26, 2016.

“Paid Sick Leave Reduces the Flu Rate ‘Significantly,’ Paper Says,” by Shayndi Raice, Wall Street Journal, Aug 23, 2016

“Does Hosting the Games Make Us Happier?” Tim Harford, Financial Times, August 17, 2016

“Kurzlebiges Olympia-Glück,” by Patrick Bernau, FAZ, August 1, 2016

“Rio 2016: The High Price of Olympic Glory,” by Murad Ahmed and Joe Leahy, Financial Times, July 31, 2016.

“The Case for Mandating Paid Sick Leave in Minneapolis,” by Nicolas R. Ziebarth and Aaron Sojourner, Star Tribune, April 19, 2016.

“Doping’s Lingering Effects—and Not Just among Aging Athletes,” by H. Roger Segelken, Cornell Chronicle, April 22, 2016

“Flu Rates Would Drop if Congress Mandated Paid Sick Leave,” by Susan Kelly, Cornell Chronicle, Dec 10, 2015

“Flu Rate Would Decline Significantly If the US Mandated Paid Sick Leave,” by Emily Peck, Huffington Post, October 22, 2015.

“Why People Still Go to Work When They Are Sick,” by Mark Brodie, KJZZ, January 9, 2015.

“Climate change’s heat – not cold – is the real killer,” Cornell Chronicle, Jan 30, 2014, article on “The Short-Term Population Health Effects of Weather and Pollution.”

“Statistiktalente: Nicolas Ziebarth“, Bild der Wissenschaft, 2013 (10), p. 76.

“Der Volkswirt: Auf dem Sprungbrett zur Professur“, FAZ, 16. Januar 2012, p. 10

“Wirtschaftsinstitut fordert Zusatzbeiträge für Krankenkassen“, Ärzteblatt, 21.12.2011; article on: “In Absolute or Relative Terms? How Framing Prices Affects the Consumer Price Sensitivity of Health Plan Choice”

“Gesundheitsfonds: strategische Überlegungen bremsen Kassenwettbewerb”, Five questions for Nicolas Ziebarth, interview with Erich Wittenberg about the Wochenbericht 51-52/2011 of the DIW

“Auf Erfolgskurs mit Wirtschaftswissen: Nicolas Ziebarth erhielt bereits sechs Rufe internationaler Universitäten” TU-intern no. 5, page 5, May 2011.

“Kurierte Kurlust”, Wirtschaftswoche, 31.05.2010 (22): 36, New Economics; article on: “Estimating Price Elasticities of Convalescent Care Programmes”

“Krebspatienten feiern nicht krank”, Six questions for Nicolas Ziebarth, interview with Karsten Zummack (Info-Radio) about the Wochenbericht 20/2009 of the DIW Berlin

“Nur wenige Dauerranke machen blau – DIW: Betroffene verlieren durch Reform Milliarden”, Tagesspiegel, 12.05.2009; article on “Long-Term Absenteeism and Moral Hazard – Evidence from a Natural Experiment”

“Wer Alkohol trinkt, verdient mehr Geld”, F.A.S., 10.08.2008 (32): 34, Der Sonntagsökonom; article on: „*In Vino Pecunia? The Association between Beverage-Specific Drinking Behavior and Wages*“

SEMINAR & WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

- 2018
HEC Lausanne, Department of Economics, Lausanne, Switzerland
University of South Florida, Department of Economics, Tampa/FL, USA
University of Utah, Salt Lake City/UT, USA
Weill Cornell Medicine, Department of Healthcare Policy & Research, NYC/NY, USA
- 2017
Bristol Workshop on Economic Policy Interventions and Behaviour, Bristol, UK
Leibniz Universität Hannover, Department of Economics, Hannover, Germany
Workshop on Risky Health Behaviors, Hamburg, Germany
RAND Cooperation, Santa Monica/CA, USA
University at Buffalo, Department of Economics, Buffalo/NY, USA
- 2016
6th Joint IZA/IFAU Conference on Labor Market Policy Evaluation, Bonn
Bavarian Graduate Program in Economics (BGPE), Nuremberg, Germany
Ludwig Maximilian University (LMU), Economics Department, Munich, Germany
NBER Health Care Meeting, Summer Institute, Boston/MA, USA
NBER Public Economics Spring Meeting, Boston/MA, USA
NBER Transatlantic Public Economics Seminar, Mannheim, Germany
Oxford University, Blavatnik School of Government, Oxford, UK
University of Kentucky, Department of Economics, Lexington/KY, USA
Verein für Socialpolitik, Gesundheitsökonomischer Ausschuss, Stuttgart, Germany
- 2015
German Network of Young Microeconometricians, Mannheim, Germany
Hamburg Center for Health Economics (HCHE), Hamburg, Germany
McMaster University, Department of Economics, Hamilton/Ontario, Canada
Munich Risk and Insurance Center, LMU, Munich, Germany

Southeastern Health Economics Workshop, Atlanta/GA, USA
University of Bologna, Department of Economics, Bologna, Italy
University of Connecticut, Department of Economics, Storrs/CT, USA
Workshop on Behavioral and Experimental Health Economics, McMaster University

- 2014
Berlin Network of Labor Market Research (BeNA), Berlin, Germany
CAFÉ Workshop on Labour Market Policy Impacts on Firms, Aarhus, Denmark
Cornell University, Institute on Health Economics, Health Behavior, and Disparities
DIW Graduate Center Winter Workshop, Berlin, Germany
Erasmus School of Economics, Department of Applied Economics, Rotterdam/NL
Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Bonn, Germany
KOF Swiss Economic Institute, Zurich, Switzerland
PAM Proseminar, Cornell University, Ithaca/NY, USA
Queen's University, Economics Department, Kingston/Ontario, Canada
Workshop, Visions for the Future of Behavioral and Happiness Research, LSE, UK
- 2013
2nd Workshop on Energy Policy and Environmental Economics, Ithaca, USA.
Berlin Network of Labor Market Research (BeNA), Berlin, Germany
Cornell University, Behavioral Economics Workshop, Ithaca, USA
Cornell University, Institute on Health Economics, Health Behavior, and Disparities
Public Finances and Living Conditions, DIW Berlin, Berlin, Germany
- 2012
Berlin Network of Labor Market Research (BeNA), Berlin, Germany
Cornell University, PAM 6410 (Health Economics I for PhD students)
DIW Berlin, Berlin, Germany
University Erlangen-Nuremberg, Department of Economics, Nuremberg, Germany
York University, Department of Economics, Toronto, Canada
- 2011
Cornell University, Policy Analysis and Management (PAM), Ithaca, USA
DIW Berlin, SOEP-Public Economics Cluster Seminar, Berlin, Germany
HEC Lausanne, Lausanne, Switzerland
PhD Presentation Meeting, Royal Economic Society, London, UK
Stockholm University, Department of Economics, Stockholm, Sweden
Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Department of Economics, Madrid, Spain
Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Department of Economics and Business, Barcelona
University of Edinburgh, School of Economics, Edinburgh, UK
University of Essex, Department of Economics, Colchester, UK
University of Leicester, Department of Economics, Leicester, UK
University of York, Department of Economics and Related Studies, York, UK
Uppsala Universitet, Department of Economics, Uppsala, Sweden
- 2010
Applied Economics and Econometrics Seminar, University of Mannheim
Econometrics Seminar, University, Tilburg University, Tilburg, Netherlands
Joint Empirical Social Science (JESS) Seminar, ISER, Colchester, UK
Melbourne Institute Seminar Series, University of Melbourne, Melbourne, Australia
PhD Presentation Meeting, Royal Economic Society, London, UK
University of Leeds, Academic Unit of Health Economics (AUHE), Leeds, UK
University of Otago, Department of Economics, Dunedin, New Zealand
- 2009
Berlin Network of Labor Market Research (BeNA), Berlin, Germany
Brown Bag Seminar, Stockholm University, Stockholm, Sweden
Brown Bag Seminar, Örebro University, Örebro, Sweden
Health Economists' Study Group (HESG), Manchester, UK

Seminar in Health, Labour and Family Economics, Lund, Sweden
Workshop on Absenteeism and Social Insurance, Uppsala, Sweden
IZA European Summer School in Labor Economics, Buch, Germany

2008 Berlin Network of Labor Market Research (BeNA), Berlin, Germany
DIW Berlin, SOEP Brown Bag Seminar, Berlin, Germany
Fourth GSSS-SOEP Symposium, Delmenhorst, Germany
Marie Curie Training Programme in Applied Health Economics;
Masterclass by Prof. Lindeboom & Prof. Mullahy, Coimbra, Portugal

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2018 American Society of Health Economists (ASHEcon), Atlanta/GA, USA
IZA World Labor Conference, Berlin, Germany

2017 American Economic Association (AEA), Chicago/IL, USA
Conference on Empirical Legal Studies (CELS), Ithaca /NY, USA
Essen Health Conference: *Health and Labour*, Essen, Germany
European Association of Labour Economists (EALE), St. Gallen, Switzerland
iHEA World Congress, Boston/MA, USA
Southern Economic Association, Tampa/FL, USA

2016 Econometric Society, North American Meetings (ES NAWM), SF/CAL, USA
EuHEA Conference on Health Economics, Hamburg, Germany
Fertility. New Economic Perspectives on an Old Topic, Essen/Germany
German Social Economic Panel (SOEP) User Conference, Berlin, Germany
Southern Economic Association, Washington DC, USA

2015 American Economic Association (AEA), Boston/MA, USA
Econometric Society, North American Meetings, Boston/MA, USA
European Society for Population Economics (ESPE), Izmir, Turkey
Health.Skills.Education. *New Economic Perspectives on the Health-Education Nexus*, Essen
International Association for Applied Econometrics, Thessaloniki, GR
World Risk and Insurance Economics Congress, Munich, Germany

2014 2nd Annual Disability Research Consortium Conference, Washington DC, USA
American Society of Health Economists (ASHEcon), LA/CAL
CPC-CAPS Encore Conference, Cornell University, Ithaca/NY, USA
German Social Economic Panel (SOEP) User Conference, Berlin, Germany
iHEA/ECHE Joint Congress, Dublin/IR
Midwest Economic Association (MEA), Evanston/IL, USA
Rethinking Barker, Essen, Germany
Society of Labor Economists (SOLE), DC, USA

2013 American Economic Association (AEA), San Diego/CA, USA
Canadian Health Economics Study Group (CHESG), Winnipeg, Canada
European Society for Population Economics (ESPE), Aarhus, Denmark
Health Economics Study Group (HESG), Coventry, UK
IZA Annual Meeting on the Economics of Risky Behavior (AMERB), Zurich, CH
North American Meetings of the Econometric Society (ES NAWM), San Diego/CA
The Economics of Disease, Darmstadt, Germany

2012	American Economic Association (AEA), Chicago/IL, USA Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM), Baltimore/MD Cornell Population Center Encore Conference, Ithaca, NY, USA Empirical Health Law Conference, Cornell University, Ithaca/NY, USA Health. Development. Inequality, Darmstadt, Germany Journées LAGV: Conference in Public Economics, Marseille, France European Society for Population Economics (ESPE), Bern, Switzerland European Conference on Health Economics (ECHE), Zurich, Switzerland
2011	American Economic Association (AEA), Denver/CO, USA German Association of Health Economists (dggö), Berlin, Germany Society of Labor Economists (SOLE), Vancouver, Canada Insurance. Inequality. Health, Darmstadt, Germany International Atlantic Economic Conference, Washington D.C., USA
2010	American Economic Association (AEA), Atlanta/GA, USA Econometrics of Human Resources, Applied Econometrics Association, Rome, Italy European Economic Association (EEA), Glasgow, UK European Society for Population Economics (ESPE), Essen, Germany German Association of Health Economists (dggö), Berlin Health. Happiness. Inequality, Darmstadt, Germany XXXV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía (SAEe), Madrid, Spain
2009	European Association of Labour Economists (EALE), Tallinn, Estonia European Economic Association (EEA), Barcelona, Spain Econometric Society European Meeting (ESEM), Barcelona, Spain European Society for Population Economics (ESPE), Seville, Spain Royal Economic Society (RES), Guildford, UK International Conference on Panel Data, Bonn, Germany
2008	European Association of Labour Economists (EALE), Amsterdam European Economic Association (EEA), Milan, Italy European Society for Population Economics (ESPE), London, UK Latin American Meeting of the Econometric Society (LAMES), Rio de Janeiro Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association (LACEA), Rio de Janeiro Joint IZA/IFAU Conference on Labor Market Policy Evaluation, Bonn

RESEARCH STAYS

2012	German Institute for Economic Research (DIW Berlin), SOEP, Berlin, Germany
2010	Institute for Social & Economic Research (ISER), University of Essex, Colchester
2009	The Institute for Labour Market Policy Evaluation (IFAU), Uppsala, Sweden
2009	Örebro University, Örebro, Sweden
2007	Urban Institute, Health Policy Center, Washington DC, USA

ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

2017-	Sloan Curriculum Committee; Curriculum development of Sloan MHA students
2017-	CIPA Curriculum Committee; Curriculum development of CIPA MPA students
2017-	CIPA Graduate Field Committee; Admission of CIPA student
2017-2018	PAM Search Committee, Applied Economics; Health (Hires: Botton, Hoe)
2017	CPC Postdoc Search Committee
2013-2016	PAM Graduate Field Committee; Admission of PhD students

2014-2015	PAM Search Committee, Demography and Public Policy
2013-2014	PAM Search Committee, Economics of Risky Behavior
2012-2013	PAM-Sloan Search Committee, Economics of Health Care (Hires: Kim, Carey)
2011	DIW Graduate Center Admission Committee

TEACHING

2014-2018	PAM 3780: <i>Sick around the World?</i> Comparing Health Care Systems around the World, Cornell University
2011-2017	PAM 5570: Health Care Organizations, Sloan MHA Program, Cornell University
2012-2016	PAM 6420: Health Economics II (PhD program), Cornell University
2010-2011	Empirical Microeconomics, TU Berlin, research seminar, graduate level
2004, 2005, 2006	Introduction to Macroeconomics, TU Berlin, TA, tutorial, undergraduate level

PLACEMENT OF PHD STUDENTS

2017	Christian Krekel, London School of Economics, postdoc
2015	Lauren Jones, Ohio State University, Department of Consumer Science, tenure-track
2015	Kyle Rozema, Northwestern University, postdoc
2015	Peter Eibich, Oxford University, Health Economics Research Centre, sen. researcher

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Economic Association (AEA)
 American Risk and Insurance Association (ARIA)
 American Society of Health Economists (ASHEcon)
 Berlin Network of Labour Market Researchers (BeNA)
 European Group of Risk and Insurance Economists (EGRIE)
 Deutsche Gesellschaft für Gesundheitsökonomie (dggö) e.V.
 Econometric Society (ES)
 European Society for Population Economics (ESPE)
 European Economic Association (EEA)
 International Health Economics Association (iHEA)
 Royal Economic Society (RES)
 Southern Economic Association (SEA)
 Verein für Socialpolitik (VfS)

REFEREEING

American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Journal of Preventive Medicine, BMC Public Health, Czech Science Foundation, Economics and Human Biology, Economic Inquiry, Empirical Economics, European Journal of Health Economics, European Journal of Law and Economics, Fiscal Studies, Globalization and Health, Health Economics, Health Policy, Forum for Health Economics & Policy, Institute for Labour Market Policy Evaluation (IFAU), International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, Journal of Applied Social Science Studies (*Schmollers Jahrbuch*), Journal of Consumer Policy, Journal of Environmental Economics & Management, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Family and Economic Issues, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Pension Economics and Finance, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Journal of Population Ageing, Journal of Population Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Risk and Insurance, Labour

Economics, Leibniz Association, Oxford Handbook of International Migration, Manchester School, Oxford University Press, Regional Science and Urban Economics, Research in Labor Economics, Scottish Journal of Political Economy, Smith Richardson Foundation, The Economic Journal, Thyssen Stiftung, Journal of Labour Market Research (*Zeitschrift für Arbeitsmarktforschung*)

SERVICES FOR THE PROFESSION

2018 Invited Session Organizer, SEA 88th Annual Meetings, Washington DC, USA
 2017 Invited Session Organizer, SEA 87th Annual Meetings, Tampa/FL, USA
 2017-2018 Scientific Committee: Essen Health Conference 2018: *Health and Environment*, Germany
 2016-2017 Scientific Committee: Essen Health Conference 2017: *Health and Labour*, Germany
 2015-2016 Scientific Committee: Essen Health Conference 2016: *Fertility*, Germany
 2015-2016 Scientific Committee for ASHEcon 2016 in Philadelphia/PA
 2014-2015 Scientific Committee: Essen Health Conference 2015: *Health.Skills.Education*, Germany
 2013-2014 Scientific Committee: Essen Health Conference 2014: *Rethinking Barker*, Germany
 2013-2014 Scientific Committee for ASHEcon June 2014, LA/CAL, USA
 2014 Chair, MEA Meetings, Evanston/IL, USA
 2012-2013 Scientific Committee: The Economics of Disease, June 2013, Darmstadt, Germany
 2011-2012 Scientific Committee: 10th International SOEP Conference, June 2012, Berlin
 2011 SOEP-CNEF Data Users Workshop 2011, participant & instructor, Ithaca/NY, USA
 2011 Session Organizer: “The Economics of Sickness Absence”, AEA, Denver/CO, USA
 2009-2010 Seminar Organizer: Berlin Network of Labour Market Researchers (BeNA), www.labor-research.net

2017 Discussant and Chair, Essen Health Conference, Essen, Germany
 2016 Discussant, NBER TAPES Conference, Mannheim, Germany
 2016 Discussant and Chair, Essen Health Conference, Essen, Germany
 2015 Discussant and Chair, Essen Health Conference, Essen, Germany
 2015 Discussant and Chair, World Risk and Insurance Economics Congress, Munich
 2014 Discussant, Essen Health Conference, Essen, Germany
 2014 Discussant, Empirical Health Law Conference, Cornell University, Ithaca/NY, USA
 2014 Discussant, Midwest Economic Association, Undergraduate Session
 2013 Discussant, The Economics of Disease Conference, Darmstadt, Germany
 2012 Discussant and Chair, APPAM Meeting, Baltimore/MD, USA
 2012 Discussant, Empirical Patent Law Conference, Cornell University, Ithaca/NY, USA
 2012 Discussant, Journées LAGV: Conference in Public Economics, Marseille, France
 2012 Discussant, Health. Development. Inequality Conference, Darmstadt, Germany
 2012 Discussant, Empirical Health Law Conference, Cornell University, Ithaca/NY, USA
 2011 Discussant, AEA meeting, Denver/CO, USA