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Employment

Since April 2019 ifo Institute
Leibniz Institute for Economic Research at the University of Munich
Postdoc

October 2014-
March 2018 London School of Economics
Grantham Research Institute on Climate Change and the Environment
Research Officer/Postdoctoral Researcher

October 2013-
September 2014 London School of Economics
Department of Economic History:
Postdoctoral Fellow of the Economic History Society
Department of International Development: Teaching Fellow

Education

October 2009-
August 2014 London School of Economics
PhD Department of International Development

October 2008 -
September 2009 London School of Economics
MSc Development Studies (with distinction)

October 2003 -
August 2008 University of Passau, Germany
Master Economics and Intercultural Studies (with distinction)

Publications

The Long-Run Effects of Missionary Orders in Mexico
Journal of Development Economics, (127:355-378), July 2017

“Migration and Climate-Resilient Development” in: S. Fankhauser and T. McDermott, eds. *The Economics of Climate-Resilient Development*, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, 2016: 204-221.

Working Papers

The Economic Effects of Long-Term Climate Change: Evidence from the Little Ice Age
Conditionally accepted by the Journal of Political Economy

“Let them eat cake”: Drought in 1788 and political outcomes in the French Revolution

Work in Progress

Epidemics and Public Health Provision in Early Modern Europe (with Davide Cantoni and Matthias Weigand)

Air Pollution and Socioeconomic Status in German cities Outcomes (with T. Erbertseder, T. Hehner, I. Müller, H. Rainer and H. Taubenböck)

The Fridays-For-Future Movement and Electoral Outcomes (with O. Falck, H. Rainer and S. Wichert)

Climate Change in Sub-Saharan Africa

Seminars and Conferences

2017	University of Bonn, Department of Economics, Macrohistory Seminar; University of St. Gallen, Department of Economics; University of Munich, Department of Economics
2016	Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research, Zeuthen Workshop Bio-Geographical Origins of the Wealth of Nations, University of Copenhagen
2015	University of Notre Dame, Dep. of Economics, American Economic Association Conference, Boston
2014	Conference of the European Economic Association, Toulouse, University of Warwick, Dep. of Economics, 10th BETA Workshop in Historical Economics, Strasbourg, Annual Conference of the Economic History Society, Warwick, University of Oxford, Nuffield College, London School of Economics, Dep. of Economic History
2013	London School of Economics, Dep. of International Development
2012	Harvard University, Department of Economics, Harvard University, Department of Earth and Planetary Sciences

Honours and Awards

2004 - 2012	Scholarship for Undergraduate and Postgraduate Studies Cusanuswerk
2009	Prize: Best Master Dissertation in MSc Development Studies, LSE
1999 - 2000	Scholarship for German Bundestag American Congress Youth Exchange Program

Languages and IT

IT	Stata, ArcGIS, Python		
Languages	German:	native	Spanish: very good
	English:	fluent	Chinese: basic
	French:	fluent	