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Date of Birth: August 10, 1988 ◊ Nationality: Swiss

CURRENT POSITION

University of Basel, Switzerland
Postdoctoral Researcher

September 2020 - Present

EDUCATION

University of Basel, Switzerland
PhD Program in Applied Economics. PhD Defence: 22nd July 2020.
Advisor: Aleksander Berentsen, Co-advisor: Francesca Carapella (Board of Governors).

September 2016 - July 2020

**Study Center Gerzensee,
Foundation of the Swiss National Bank, Switzerland**
Swiss Program for Beginning Doctoral Students.

June 2016 - August 2017

University of Basel, Switzerland
MSc. in Business and Economics, Major in Monetary Economics and Financial Markets.
Thesis: Negative Interest Rates as Monetary Policy Tool, Advisor: Aleksander Berentsen.

August 2014 - July 2016

University of Basel, Switzerland
BA in Business and Economics, Major in Economics.

August 2011 - July 2014

Akad College, Switzerland
Swiss Matura, Major in Business, Economics and Law.

August 2008 - March 2011

FMS Basel Switzerland
Fachmittelausweis, Major in Communications.

August 2004 - June 2007

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

University of Basel, Switzerland
Research and Teaching Assistant / PhD Candidate

September 2017 - September 2020

Federal Reserve Bank St. Louis, US
Visiting Scholar.

July 2019 - September 2019

University of Basel, Switzerland
Student Assistant in Economic Theory.

July 2014 - June 2016

Manor AG, Switzerland
Merchandise Management in Multimedia Department.

December 2009 - June 2014

Manor AG, Switzerland
Intern in Sourcing and Partnerships Department at Manor Headquarters.

June 2013 - July 2013

Manor AG, Switzerland

August 2008 - November 2009

Temporary Work in Accessories and Visual Merchandising Departments.

Manor AG, Switzerland

August 2007 - July 2008

Intern in Visual Merchandising Department.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics, Monetary Policy, Unconventional Monetary Policy, Banking Regulation.

WORKING PAPERS

Negative Interest Rates, Capital Flows and Exchange Rates. University of Zürich, ECON Working Paper Series No. 351.

WORK IN PROGRESS

The Effects of Negative Interest Rates on Bank Lending and Lending Rates.

On the Negatives of Negative Interest Rates and the Positives of Exemption Thresholds.

with Aleksander Berentsen and Hugo van Buggenum.

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

2020: Banca d'Italia and SUERF Workshop Rome Webinar (planned, invited), Summer Workshop on Money, Banking, Payments and Finance (Study Center Gerzensee, planned), Gerzensee Alumni Conference, US Seminar in Business, Law and Economic Policy Georgetown University (Washington, DC).

2019: Gerzensee Alumni Conference, Vienna Macroeconomics Workshop, Seminar University of Missouri - Columbia (invited), Lunch Seminar Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, Mini-Conference on Search and Money (Madison, WI), Lunch Seminar Board of Governors (Washington, DC), Macro Marrakech - Sixth Workshop in Macroeconomics (discussant), Economics Lunch University of Basel.

2018: Economics Lunch University of Basel.

2017: Gerzensee Alumni Conference, PhD Seminar Université Cadi Ayyad (Marrakech).

2016: PhD Seminar Université Cadi Ayyad (Marrakech).

ADVANCED COURSES

Markets with Friction, by Randall Wright
University of Basel, Switzerland.

June 2020

Introduction to Research, by Andrei Levchenko and Sarah Lein
University of Basel, Switzerland.

March 2019

Models of Money and Banking, by Randall Wright
University of Bern, Switzerland.

September 2018

Liquidity, by Randall Wright
University of Bern, Switzerland.

October 2017

Liquidity, by Randall Wright
Study Center Gerzensee, Switzerland.

October 2016

Advanced Research Methods, by Conny Wunsch
University of Basel, Switzerland.

Fall 2016

Advanced Topics in Mathematics, by Thomas Zehrt
University of Basel, Switzerland.

Fall 2016

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

University of Basel, Switzerland
Assistant Representative in Max Geldner-Fund Committee.

September 2017 - July 2020

University of Basel, Switzerland
Assistant Representative in Evaluation Commission.

October 2019 - January 2020

University of Basel, Switzerland
Assistant Representative in Faculty Assembly.

September 2017 - August 2019

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Basel, Switzerland

Lecturer "Money, Banking and Payment Systems" (Undergraduate).

Spring 2019/2020

Advisor "Aktuelle Themen der Ökonomie" (Undergraduate).

Spring 2018

TA "Monetary Theory" (Master).

Spring 2017/2018

TA "Einführung in die Spieltheorie und Experimental Economics"
(Undergraduate).

Fall 2014/2015

ORGANIZATION OF CONFERENCES

Workshop in Monetary Economics, Marrakesh, Morocco, December 5-12, 2020.

Workshop in Monetary Economics, Marrakesh, Morocco, June 8-15, 2019.

GRANTS

Reisefonds für den akademischen Nachwuchs, University of Basel
(1'530 CHF).

September 2019

Freie akademische Gesellschaft, University of Basel (2'500 CHF).

July 2019

**Stiftung Basler Kantonalbank zur Förderung von Forschung und Unterricht
der Wirtschaftswissenschaften an der Universität Basel** (1'250 CHF).

March 2019

University of Basel, Faculty of Business and Economics
(30'000 CHF).

September 2016 - September 2017

LANGUAGES AND SKILLS

Languages German (native), English (fluent).

Software Matlab, Mathematica, Stata, R, L^AT_EX.