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Education

- Since 08/2022 **PhD in Governance**
Hertie School, Berlin
Dissertation topic: The Political Economy of the Green Transition,
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Christian Flachsland
- 09/2018 – 09/2019 **MSc Economics**
School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London
GPA: Distinction in each course and dissertation
Focus: Econometrics, microeconomics, political economy
Dissertation: Social Policy in the Global South – A critical comparison of
Public Works, Cash Transfers and a Universal Basic Income
- 09/2017 – 07/2018 **MSc in Economic Development and Growth**
Universidad Carlos III de Madrid (Spain)
GPA: 8.7, MEDEG Research Thesis Excellence Award
Focus: Development economics, econometrics, microeconomics
Dissertation: The Impact of Conditional Cash Transfers on (Unpaid) Child
Labour – Evidence from JUNTOS in Peru [[Link](#)]
- 10/2013 – 07/2017 **BA International Relations**
School of International Studies, TU Dresden (Germany)
GPA: 1.3
Focus: Political economy, public economics, international economic law

Professional experience

- Since 01/2021 **Research Associate Research Group “Sustainability and Governance”**
RWI – Leibniz Institute for Economic Research, Berlin Office
- Conducting cutting-edge research in *technological innovation* and *climate policy implementation gaps* applying a political economy lens and state of the art empirical methods
 - Working at the science-policy interface in the following projects:
Ariadne – Evidence-Based Assessment for the Design of the German Energy System Transformation (BMBF)
Social Aspects of Environmental Policy (German Env. Agency)
- 10/2019 – 12/2020 **Consultant ILO Research Department**
International Labour Organization (ILO), Geneva
- 07/2020 – 12/2020 **Researcher Environmental Governance and Trans. to Sustainability**
German Development Institute (DIE), Bonn
- 03/2020 – 06/2020 **Consultant World Bank**
The World Bank, Washington D.C.
- 06/2019 – 09/2019 **Research Assistant**
Anti-Corruption Evidence (ACE) Consortium SOAS, London
- 05/2017 – 07/2017 **Trade Related Economic Cooperation Intern**
Fed. Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ), Berlin
- 10/2016 – 12/2016 **Economic and Social Policy Intern**
Foundation Friedrich Ebert, Santo Domingo

03/2014 – 04/2014

Political and Economic Relations Intern

U.S. State Department, U.S. Consulate General, Leipzig

Academic work

Working paper

aus dem Moore, N., J. Brehm and H. Gruhl (2021), Driving Innovation? Carbon Tax Effects in the Swedish Transport Sector. *USAE Working Paper #21-538*. [[Link](#)]

Work in progress

Brehm, J., N. Pestel, S. Schaffner and L. Schmitz (2022). Driving performance? Human capital returns of reduced air pollution.

aus dem Moore, N., J. Brehm, P. Breidenbach, A. Gosh und H. Gruhl (2022). Flood risk perception and extreme weather events: Dynamics in the German housing market.

Brehm, J., A. Doku and V. Escudero (2022). What has been driving work-to-work transitions in the emerging world? - A cross country study from Indonesia and South Africa.

Other publications

Görlach, M., M. Jakob, K. Umpfenbach, M. Kosch, M. Pahle, T. Konc, N. aus dem Moore, J. Brehm, S. Feindt, F. Pause, J. Nysten, J. Abrell (2022): Ensuring the Fairness and Solidarity of the ETS2 for Road Transport and Buildings. *Kopernikus-Projekt Ariadne, Potsdam*.

Edmondson, D., C. Flachsland, N. aus dem Moore, N. Koch, F. Koller, H. Gruhl, J. Brehm, S. Levi (2022): Assessing Climate Policy Instrument Mix Pathways: An application to the German light duty vehicle sector. *Kopernikus-Projekt Ariadne, Potsdam*.

Conferences

2021 Bratislava Conference on Earth System Governance, ILO-EU Regional Workshop on Changing Labour Market Transitions and Life Courses (2021), ICEA Tax and Innovation Conference (2022), ZEW Public Finance Conference 2022, EAERE 2022, VfS Jahrestagung 2022, EUI-FSR Summer School on Climate Policies 2022.

Skills

Languages

German (native), English (C2), Spanish (C1), French (A2)

Software

Advanced Microsoft Office, Excel, Stata, Overleaf/LaTeX

Intermediate R, Python, Git/GitHub, QGIS, EViews

Fellowships & Awards

2018/19

Graduate Scholarship UK, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

2018

MEDEG Research Thesis Excellence Award

Since 2017

Fellow Studierendenforum Tönissteiner Kreis

2015 – 2019

Fellow and scholarship holder Friedrich Ebert Foundation (FES)

2014 – 2016

Fellow German Council on Foreign Relations (DGAP)

2014 – 2017

PROMOS/DAAD (Chile '15, Cuba '16, Chile '17), Erasmus+, GFF

Selected extracurricular activities

Since 07/2021

Member d\carb future economy forum

Since 06/2018

Member Young Scholar Initiative (YSI, INET)