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Current Position

Post-Doctoral Research Associate at the Institute for Ecological Economics, Department of Socioeconomics, Vienna University of Economics and Business (since February 2015)

Education

Ph.D in Economics, University of Massachusetts Amherst (February 2015)

Dissertation title: “Three Essays on Economic Inequality and Environmental Degradation”

Dissertation committee: Prof. M. Ash and Prof. J. K. Boyce (co-chairs), and Prof. A. Milman (member)

Comprehensive exams: Macroeconomics; Environmental Economics

M.A. in Economics, University of Massachusetts Amherst (2013)

Specialization fields: Political Economy; Environmental Economics

B.A/M.A. in Economics, Vienna University of Economics and Business (2008)

Master thesis on the gender wage gap in Austria; Supervisor: Prof. A. Grisold

Research Experience

Prae-Doctoral Research Associate at the Institute for Ecological Economics, Vienna University of Economics and Business, working with Prof. S. Stagl and Dr. A. Rezai (2014– February 2015)

Research Assistant at the Department of Economics, University of Massachusetts Amherst, working with Prof. M. Ash and Prof. J. K. Boyce (2011–2013)

Research Associate at the Department of Economics, Vienna University of Economics and Business, working with Prof. O. Onaran and Prof. E. Stockhammer (2009–2010)

Intern at the Macroeconomic Policy Institute, Düsseldorf, working with Prof. E. Hein (2009)

Junior Fellow at the Austrian Institute for Economic Research, Vienna, working with Dr. M. Marterbauer (2008)

Research Assistant at the Department of Economics, Vienna University of Economics and Business, working with Prof. A. Grisold (2007–2008)

Teaching Experience

Teaching Assistant at the Department of Economics, University of Massachusetts Amherst; Responsibilities entailed holding weekly discussion sections for classes of around 30 students, holding review sessions for up to 300 students, holding weekly office hours, and grading. Courses:

Labor in the American Economy (Fall 2010)

Macroeconomics (Spring 2011)

Political Economy of the Environment (Spring 2012)

Tutor at the Department of Economics, Vienna University of Economics and Business; Course: Income and Wealth Distribution in Austria (Spring 2008)

Tutor at the Department of Development Studies, University of Vienna; Course: International Political Economy (Spring 2008)

Summer School Participation

Participation at the Summer School on Keynesian macroeconomics and European Economic Policies in Berlin, organized by the Research Network Macroeconomics and Macroeconomic Policies (2008, 2009)

Participation at the Summer School on Income Distribution in Berlin, organized by the Institute for Economic and Social Research – WSI (2009)

Grants

PI for the project “Socioeconomic disparities in industrial air pollution exposure in Europe”, funded by the Vienna University of Economics and Business “Kleinprojekte für Assistent/innen” (€1,200)

Co-PI for the project “Inequality, Behavioral Spillover Effects, Work Hours, and Household Debt”, funded by the Macroeconomic Policy Institute, IMK (€20,000), with Mathias Moser and Simon Sturn

Scientific researcher for projects funded by: the US National Science Foundation (NSF), the Institute for New Economic Thinking (INET), the European Commission (wwwForEurope), the Austrian National Bank (OeNB Jubiläumsfonds), and the Austrian Science Fund (FWF)

Journal Referee

Ecological Economics

Software and Programming

MS-Office; L^AT_EX; Stata; R; QGIS; GeoDa; SQL (basic)

Languages

German (first language); English (excellent); French (fluent); Spanish (basic)

Publications

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Zwickl, K., Ash, M., Boyce, J. (2014). Regional variation in environmental inequality. An analysis of industrial air toxics exposure disparities by income, race and ethnicity in US cities. In: *Ecological Economics*, 107:494-509.

Özlem, O., Stockhammer, E., Zwickl, K. (2013). FDI and domestic investment in Germany: crowding in or out? In: *International Review of Applied Economics*, 27(7):429-448.

Other Journal Articles

Zwickl, K. (2013). Austeritätspolitik in der Krise Die Rückkehr des Fiskalmultiplikators. In: *WISO - Wirtschafts- und Sozialpolitische Zeitschrift* 36(3):83-98.

Sturn, S., van Treeck, T., Zwickl, K. (2010). Welches Wirtschaftsmodell nach der Krise? In: *Berliner Debatte Initial*, 21/2010:66-72.

Sturn, S., van Treeck, T., Zwickl, K. (2010). Die Ursachen der Krise, In: *Arbeit und Wirtschaft*, 3/2010:20-21.

Zwickl, K. (2009): Geschlechtsspezifische Einkommensunterschiede in Österreich, In: *Wirtschaft und Gesellschaft*, 35(3):356-372.

Ederer, S., Marterbauer, M., Schulmeister, S., Walterskirchen, E., Zwickl, K. (2008). Financial crisis triggers worldwide economic slump, In: *WIFO Monatsberichte*, 11/2008:825-839.

Working Papers/Under Review

Sturn, S. and Zwickl, K. (2014). A reassessment of size and intermediation effects of financial systems, [Revise & Resubmit: *Empirical Economics*]

Zwickl, K., Disslbacher, F., Stagl, S. (2015) Work-sharing in a sustainable economy.

Boyce, J., Zwickl, K., Ash, M. (2015). Three measures of environmental inequality, Political Economy Research Institute Working Paper 378, February 2015

Zwickl, K. and Moser, M. (2015). Informal environmental regulation of industrial air pollution: Does neighborhood inequality matter?, Institute for Ecological Economics Working Paper 1/2015

Zwickl, K. (2015). Socio-economic disparities in proximity to unconventional natural gas drilling [dissertation chapter]

Work in Progress

Income and working time inequality in the European Union [with F. Disslbacher and S. Stagl]

Sectoral and regional disaggregation of environmental accounting for pollution in the U.S. [with M. Ash and J. Boyce]

Inequality, Behavioral Spillover Effects, Work Hours, and Household Debt [with M. Moser and S. Sturn]

An empirical evaluation of the European Union Emissions Trading Scheme [with A. Naqvi]

Book Chapters

Grisold, A., Waltner, E., Zwickl, K. (2010). Notwendigkeit und Grenzen des Sozialen. Das Beispiel Frauenarbeit und Frauenerwerbstätigkeit. In: Grisold, A., et. al: *Neoliberalismus und die Krise des Sozialen*, Böhlau, Vienna:211-260.

Sturn, S., van Treeck, T., Zwickl, Klara (2010). Die strukturellen Ursachen der Krise und das Scheitern neoliberaler Wirtschaftspolitik. In: Blaha B., Weidenholzer, J.: *Freiheit Beiträge für eine demokratische Gesellschaft*, Braumüller, Vienna:123-131.

Schnitzer, M., Zwickl, K. (2009). Gleicher Lohn für gleiche Arbeit? Einkommensdiskriminierung von MigrantInnen und Frauen in Österreich. In: Blaha B.: *Gerechtigkeit. Beiträge zur Wirtschafts-, Bildungs und Sozialpolitik*. Braumüller, Vienna:142-168.

Book Reviews

Zwickl, K. (2014). Book Review of Livermore, M. A. and Revesz R. L.: The Globalization of Cost-Benefit Analysis in Environmental Policy. In: *Journal of Economic Issues*, September 2014.

Zwickl, K. (2012). Book Review of Marterbauer, M., 2011, Zahlen Bitte! Die Kosten der Krise tragen wir alle. In: *WSI Mitteilungen* 04/2012.

Zwickl, K. (2010). Book Review of Becker, J., et. al. Heterodoxe Ökonomie. In: *European Journal of Economics and Economic Policy - Intervention* 7(2):415-420.

References

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