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Academic Experience:

Research and teaching associate 2014 -
WU Vienna University of Economics and Business

Research Interests:

Behavioral Economics, Experimental Economics, Public Economics

Working Papers:

Work Motivation and Teams. (2018) with R. Sausgruber and J.-R. Tyran. Department of Economics, University of Copenhagen, Working paper 18-08

Ongoing Projects:

“A Note on Overconfidence, Gender and Feedback?” single author

“Gender-Biased Perceptions in Non-Cognitive Skills: An Experimental Analysis of Grit” with Melis Kartal

“Evaluation of an Intervention for Disadvantaged Children in Viennese Primary Schools ” with Melis Kartal and Rupert Sausgruber

“Can External Role Models Change Students' Beliefs about Careers in STEM?” with Julia Schmieder

Education:

PhD Candidate in Economics 2014 -

Thesis (in progress): Behavioral motives to work hard

1st Supervisor: Rupert Sausgruber (*WU Vienna University of Economics and Business*)

2nd Supervisor: Jean-Robert Tyran (*University of Vienna*)

MSc in applied Economics 2012 - 2014

Thesis: The Effects of an Information Campaign on the Behavior of Skiers

Supervisor: Matthias Sutter

University of Innsbruck

BSc in Economics and Business Administration 2009 - 2012

University of Innsbruck

Summer Schools / Workshops:

Bogotá Experimental Economics Workshop and Conference 2018

PhD Course in Field Experiments, August 15-19, Copenhagen 2016

Economic Analysis of Electoral Politics at the Barcelona GSE Summer School, July 4-8, Barcelona 2016

Crash Course in Experimental Economics, July 6-10, Amsterdam 2015

Spring School in Behavioral Economics, March 8-12, San Diego 2015

Conferences and Invited Talks:

Asia-Pacific Meeting of the Economic Science Association January 24 th – 26 th , Abu Dhabi (Presentation: “Conscientious Over-placement Versus Biased Self-perception”)	2019
Experimental Economics Reading Group, May 25 th , Innsbruck (Presentation: “Behavioral Effects of Overconfidence”)	2018
Vienna Center of Experimental Economics (VCEE) – Away Day, April 19 th -20 th , Rust (Presentation: “Behavioral Effects of Overconfidence”)	2018
Economic Science Association European Meeting (EESA), September 6 th -9 th , Vienna (Presentation: “Teams Don’t Work Well for the Motivated”)	2017
Young Economists' Meeting 2017 (YEM), June 1 st – 2 nd , Brno (Presentation: “Teams Don’t Work Well for the Motivated”)	2017
4 th International Meeting on Experimental and Behavioral Social Sciences (IMEBESS), April 27 th - 29 th , Barcelona (Presentation: “Measuring Motivation to Work Hard”)	2017
11th Nordic Conference on Behavioral and Experimental Economics (NCBEE), September 30 th –October 1 st , Oslo (Presentation: “Testing for Motivation in Explaining Effort at Work”)	2016

Scholarships & Grants:

WU LABS small projects grant (€ 2500) “Gender-Biased Perceptions in Non-Cognitive Skills”	2018
WU Grant: Small scale Projects by WU junior faculty (€ 5000) “Behavioral Effects of Overconfidence” <i>WU Vienna University of Economics and Business</i>	2017
Performance-based scholarship <i>University of Innsbruck</i>	2013 - 2014
Erasmus scholarship	2011

Teaching:

Public Economics II (Lecturer, BSc), WU, Vienna	2017/18/19
Public Sector Economics (Lecturer, MSc), WU, Vienna	2016/17
Economic and Financial Policy (Lecturer, BSc), WU, Vienna	2015/16/17

Other work experience:

Internship at the Federal Ministry of Science, Research and Economy, June-July, Vienna	2014
Internship at the Austrian Federal Economic Chamber in Strasbourg, March-April, Strasbourg	2014