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Principle Research & Teaching Interests

Quantitative Research Methods in Social Science, Econometric Evaluation, Data Collection & Management, International Political Economy, Game Theory, Formal Modeling

Education

Ph.D. in Politics and Management, University of Konstanz (Germany), May 2009

Magister Artium in Political Science, Johannes Gutenberg–University, Mainz (Germany), January 2003

(University of Wolverhampton (UK), September 1998 – March 1999)

Abitur, Dilthey-Schule Wiesbaden (Germany), July 1996

Positions held

since April 2009: Researcher / Lecturer, Johannes Gutenberg – University, Mainz
Department of Political Science – Methods of Empirical Political Science

January 2005 – March 2009: Junior Researcher, University of Konstanz
Department of Politics & Management – International Politics

April 2003 – December 2004: Research Assistant, Johannes Gutenberg – University, Mainz
Department of Political Science – International Relations

Teaching Experience

Lectures: (undergraduate)

Statistics

Seminars: (undergraduate & graduate)

Introduction into Econometric Evaluation, Analyzing Aggregate Data (TSCS), Multivariate Regression Analysis, Courses on utilizing statistical software (Stata), International Political Economy, International Politics, Transition & Democratization,

Publications

Books

The international constraints on regime changes: how globalization hinders the prospects for democratization, Wiesbaden: Verlag für Sozialwissenschaften, 2010.

Work in Progress

- . Markets and transitions: reassessing globalization's impact on democratization (under review)
- . The Pension-'frame in thought' and its Impact on Willingness to Reform. Evidence from a German Survey
- . The Effect of Unemployment on Subsequent Occupational Career Development: the estimation of average treatment effects based on propensity score matching techniques

Language Skills

German, English, Turkish (all fluent)

Software Skills

Linux, Windows, Office Applications (Microsoft / OO), TeX
Stata, SPSS, R

Internships

SWP, German Institute for International and Security Affairs, April 2001 –June 2001

MEDIA CONSULTA, November 2000 – March 2001

Hessian Ministry of Finance, March 1997