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POSITION PhD candidate at Heidelberg University

EDUCATION **Heidelberg University**, PhD student 2016 –
• Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Jonas Dovern & Prof. Dr. Zeno Enders
• PhD courses at the University of Mannheim 2016 – 2018
University of Bonn, MSc in Economics 2013 – 2016
University of Mannheim, BSc in Economics, Minor Mathematics 2010 – 2013
• Exchange semester: Norwegian University of Science and Technology 2012

RESEARCH **Areas:** Empirical macroeconomics, business cycles, forecasts and expectations

Job market paper

- “The Effect of the European Excessive Deficit Procedure on Fiscal Spending Multipliers” (with D. A. Vespermann), Working Paper, 2021. [[Available here](#)]

Publications

- “Recessions and Potential Output: Disentangling Measurement Errors, Supply Shocks, and Hysteresis Effects” (with J. Dovern), *Scandinavian Journal of Economics* 122(4), 1431–1466, 2020. [[Available here](#)]
- “How Economic Crises Damage Potential Output – Evidence from the Great Recession” (with J. Dovern), *Journal of Macroeconomics* 65, Article 103239, 2020. [[Available here](#)]

Work in progress

- “Improving the Reliability of Potential Output Estimates in Real Time”
- “Firm Investment During Recessions and Recoveries” (with R. A. De Santis)

PRESENTATIONS **2019:** Statistics Seminar (FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg), RGS Doctoral Conference in Economics (Bochum), ifo Dresden Workshop on Macroeconomics and Business Cycle Research (Dresden)
2018: Heidelberg-Tübingen-Hohenheim Workshop on International Financial Markets (Tübingen), Augustin Cournot Doctoral Days (Strasbourg)
2017: Spring Meeting of Young Economists (Halle)

TEACHING **Heidelberg University**

ASSISTANCE

- Wirtschaftspolitik (BSc), summer 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021
- Mathematische Grundlagen (BSc), winter 2019/20
- Empirical Macroeconomics (MSc), winter 2017/18
- Supervision of final theses (BSc & MSc), various semesters

University of Bonn

- Mathematische Methoden A (BSc), summer 2014, winter 2014/15, 2015/16

REFEREE FOR Journal of Macroeconomics, Empirical Economics

RECENT WORK **European Central Bank** 11/20 – 05/21
EXPERIENCE PhD trainee in the Business Cycle Analysis Division, DG Economics

LANGUAGES & SOFTWARE German, English (fluent), French (beginner), Spanish (beginner)
MATLAB, Stata, Python, Dynare, LaTeX, VBA, Bloomberg, CapitalIQ, CreditEdge

REFERENCES

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