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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics (Dr. oec.), University of Zurich, Switzerland, 2005.
Swiss Program for Beginning Doctoral Students in Economics, Gerzensee, Switzerland, 2001.
Master in Economics (lic. rer. pol) with Mathematics as a minor subject, University of Bern, Switzerland, 2000.

CURRENT POSITION:

Economist in the Financial Stability Unit at the Swiss National Bank.

OTHER POSITIONS:

Postdoc, Department of Economics, University of Virginia, 2007-2008.
Postdoc, Department of Economics, University of Bern, 2006.
Research Assistant, Socioeconomic Institute, University of Zurich, 2000-2006.
Research Assistant, Department of Economics, University of Bern, 2000.
Junior Assistant, Department of Economics, University of Bern, 1997-2000.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Industrial Organization, Consumer Search, Advertising, Corporate Finance, Theory of the Firm.

PUBLICATIONS IN REFEREED JOURNALS

„Chain Stores, Consumer Mobility, and Market Structure“, with Simon Loertscher, Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics (forthcoming).
„The ABC of Complementary Products Merger“, with Simon P. Anderson and Simon Loertscher, Economics Letters (forthcoming).
„How Much Internalization of Nuclear Risk Through Liability Insurance?“, with Peter Zweifel, 2004, Journal of Risk and Uncertainty, 29(3):219-240.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

„Marginale Zahlungsbereitschaft für eine erhöhte Internalisierung des Risikos von Kernkraftwerken“, mit Peter Zweifel, 2002, Studie im Rahmen des Forschungsprogrammes ‚Energiewirtschaftliche Grundlagen‘ des Bundesamtes für Energie.
(„Marginal Willingness-to-Pay for increased Internalization of Nuclear Risks“, with Peter Zweifel, 2002, Report for the ‚Energy Policy Fundamentals‘ research program of the Swiss Federal Office of Energy.)
„Reducing CO₂ Emissions by 20 Percent Through Taxation“, with Gunter Stephan, 2006, Report for the Swiss Federal Office for the Environment.

WORKING PAPERS

„Spatial Effects in Willingness-to-Pay - The Case of Nuclear Risks“, with Peter Zweifel.

WORK IN PROGRESS

„Price Competition with Revenue Management and Costly Consumer Search“, with Simon P. Anderson.
„Searching for Confirmation“, with Simon P. Anderson.
„Search and Consumer Mobility“, with Simon Loertscher.
„Financial Constraints and Collusion to Innovate“, with Dennis Gärtner.
„Finite Reinsurance and Regulatory Capital Relief“, with Michael Breuer and Sebastian Aschenbrenner von Dahlen.
„Can Conglomerates Ease Credit Constraints?“.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

ESEM, Barcelona, 2009.
IIOC, Boston, MA, 2009.
IIOC, Arlington, VA, 2008.
IIOC Savannah, GA, 2007.
EARIE, Amsterdam, 2006.
Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Seville, 2006.
ASTIN Colloquium, Zurich, 2005.
Annual Meeting of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics, Zurich, 2005.
Annual Congress of the Verein für Socialpolitik (Assoc. of German-speaking Economists), Bonn, 2005.
Annual Congress of the Verein für Socialpolitik (Assoc. of German-speaking Economists), Innsbruck, 2002.
Research Seminar of the WWZ at the University of Basel, 2002.

GRANTS

Scholarship from the Swiss National Science Foundation (PBZH1-117037) for the analysis of “advertising and consumer mobility”.
Grant from the Swiss Federal Office of Energy to estimate the willingness-to-pay for reducing nuclear risks in Switzerland.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Industrial Organization (Spring 2009, University of Basel)
Industrial Organization (Spring 2008, University of Virginia)
Intermediate Microeconomics (Spring 2008, University of Virginia)
Statistics at the Swiss Finance Institute (Zurich).
Teaching assistant for Growth Theory (Bern), computational general equilibrium modelling (Bern), and intermediate microeconomics (Zurich).
Teaching assistant for seminars on international trade, multinational firms, and globalization and trade (Zurich).