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Current Position

Since 9/2015	University of Exeter (Business School, Department of Economics; lecturer / assistant professor in Economics)
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Research Interests

Primary area	Econometrics: panel data econometrics, spatial econometrics
Secondary areas	Applied macroeconomics: economic growth, regional convergence Applied microeconomics: income dynamics, peer effects

Current Research (papers and Stata code available at www.kripfganz.de)

Journal articles (peer reviewed)	Kripfganz, S. (2016). Quasi-maximum likelihood estimation of linear dynamic short-T panel-data models. <i>Stata Journal</i> 16 (4), 1013–1038.
Working papers	Kripfganz, S. and C. Schwarz (2015). Estimation of linear dynamic panel data models with time-invariant regressors. <i>ECB Working Paper 1838</i> , European Central Bank.
Work in progress	Unconditional transformed likelihood estimation of time-space dynamic panel data models Response surface regressions for critical value bounds and approximate p-values in equilibrium correction models (with Daniel C. Schneider [Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research]) Determinants and output growth effects of debt distress (with Michael Binder [Goethe University Frankfurt] and Tihomir Stučka [The World Bank])
Stata programs	ardl: Estimation of autoregressive distributed lag models (with Daniel C. Schneider [Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research]) xtdpdgm: Generalized method of moments estimation of linear dynamic panel data models xtdpdqml: Quasi-maximum likelihood estimation of linear dynamic short-T panel data models xtseqreg: Sequential estimation of linear panel data models

Education

10/2008 – 5/2015	Goethe University Frankfurt (Graduate School of Economics, Finance, and Management, Ph.D. program in Economics, first two years equivalent to M.Res. program; degree: Dr. rer. pol., summa cum laude, advisor: Prof. Michael Binder, Ph.D., thesis title: Advances in Dynamic Panel Data and Spatial Econometrics)
10/2003 – 12/2006	University of Mannheim (degree: <i>Diplom</i> in Economics, equivalent to M.Sc.)
10/2001 – 7/2003	University of Leipzig (<i>Vordiplom</i> in Economics)

Prior Full-Time Positions

3/2007 – 9/2008	Bayerische Landesbank (Economics and Research Division, Munich; economist)
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Prior Part-Time / Short-Term Positions

8/2009 – 8/2015	Goethe University Frankfurt (Department of Money and Macroeconomics, Chair for International Macroeconomics and Macroeconometrics, Prof. Michael Binder, Ph.D.; research and teaching assistant)
9/2014 – 12/2014	Michigan State University (Department of Economics, East Lansing, Prof. Jeffrey M. Wooldridge, Ph.D.; visiting scholar)
9/2012 – 11/2012	The World Bank (Poverty Reduction and Economic Management Network, Washington, D.C.; consultant)
7/2006 – 12/2006	Mannheim Research Institute for the Economics of Aging (Prof. Axel Börsch-Supan, Ph.D.; student assistant)
5/2006 – 6/2006	Siemens AG (Global Government Affairs, Munich; intern)
2/2006 – 5/2006	Bayerische Landesbank (Economics and Research Division, Munich; intern)
8/2004 – 9/2004	Halle Institute for Economic Research (Department Business Cycle and Growth, Prof. Dr. Udo Ludwig; intern)
10/2002 – 6/2003	University of Leipzig (Department of Microeconomics, Prof. Dr. Harald Wiese; student assistant)

Conference and Workshop Presentations

2018	London Stata Conference; Econometric Society Australasian Meeting (Auckland)
2017	23 rd UK Stata Users Group Meeting (London); 15 th German Stata Users Group Meeting (Berlin)
2016	22 nd UK Stata Users Group Meeting (London); Stata Conference (Chicago)
2015	11 th World Congress of the Econometric Society (Montréal)
2014	Econometric Society European Winter Meeting (Madrid); 39 th Simposio of the Spanish Economic Association (Palma de Mallorca); 68 th Econometric Society European Meeting (Toulouse); 20 th International Panel Data Conference (Tokyo); 1 st International Association for Applied Econometrics Annual Conference (London); 8 th World Conference of the Spatial Econometrics Association (Zurich); 13 th International Workshop Spatial Econometrics and Statistics (Toulon)
2013	Verein für Socialpolitik Jahrestagung (Düsseldorf); Research Workshop on Panel Data Methods (Mainz); 19 th International Panel Data Conference (London)
2012	66 th Econometric Society European Meeting (Málaga); 7 th Warsaw International Economic Meeting

Seminar Presentations

2018	Goethe University Frankfurt
2017	University of Cologne; University of Hamburg
2016	MPIDR - Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research (Rostock); University of Birmingham
2015	LSE - London School of Economics and Political Science; University of Exeter; University of Groningen; ENSAI - National School for Statistics and Information Analysis (Rennes)
2014	University of Chicago; Michigan State University (East Lansing); University of St. Gallen; Goethe University Frankfurt
2013	Goethe University Frankfurt

2012	The World Bank (Washington, D.C.); Goethe University Frankfurt
2008	University of Tübingen

Teaching Experience

2015 – 2019	University of Exeter: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Econometric Analysis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ B.Sc. level; 15 ECTS credits; module lead; 2017/18, 2018/19 ○ B.Sc. level; 7.5 ECTS credits; lecturer; 2015/16, 2016/17 • Quantitative Research Techniques 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ M.Res. level; 7.5 ECTS credits; module lead; 2016/17, 2017/18, 2018/19 ○ M.Sc. level; 7.5 ECTS credits; module lead; 2015/16
2010 – 2015	Goethe University Frankfurt: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Econometrics II <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ph.D. level; teaching assistant; 2010/11, 2011/12, 2012/13, 2013/14, 2014/15 • Macroeconomics I <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ B.Sc. level; tutor; 2013/14 • Empirical Economic Growth <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ B.Sc. level; teaching assistant; 2011/12 • Applied Macroeconometrics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ B.Sc. level; teaching assistant; 2010/11 • Primer in Econometrics and Statistics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ph.D. level, pre-semester course; lecturer; 2010/2011

Awards

2018	Most supportive member of staff - Economics (University of Exeter Business School; teaching award, runner up)
2012	Best paper prize for young economists (Warsaw International Economic Meeting; additional prize)
2009	Best 1 st year Ph.D. student (Goethe University Frankfurt; Ph.D. program in Economics; shared prize)

Grants and Stipends

2015	Econometric Society (travel grant); Goethe Money and Macro Association (travel grant); Goethe University Frankfurt (travel grant)
2014	Verein für Socialpolitik / Deutsche Bundesbank (conference subsidy / stipend); Goethe Money and Macro Association (travel grant); Vereinigung von Freunden und Förderern der Johann Wolfgang Goethe-Universität (travel grant); Goethe University Frankfurt (travel grant)
2013	Goethe Money and Macro Association (travel grant); Goethe University Frankfurt (travel grant)
2012	German Academic Exchange Service (travel grant), University of Warsaw (travel grant)
2009	Goethe University Frankfurt (Ph.D. stipend)

Referee and Professional Memberships

Referee	Economics Letters; B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy; Stata Journal; Communications in Statistics - Simulation and Computation; Econometrics; Journal of Economic Psychology; Econometric Reviews; Oxford Economic Papers; FinanzArchiv / Public Finance Analysis
Memberships	Econometric Society; German Economic Association (Verein für Socialpolitik); Royal Economic Society; Goethe Money and Macro Association

Other Professional Qualifications

2017	Fellowship of the Higher Education Academy (gained through postgraduate certificate in academic practice, University of Exeter ASPIRE Fellowship)
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Other Professional Activities

2012 – 2015	Money and Macro brown bag seminar (Goethe University Frankfurt; organizer)
2013/14	Search committee (Goethe University Frankfurt; representative of the research assistants)
2011 – 2014	Board of examiners (Goethe University Frankfurt; Graduate School of Economics, Finance, and Management; representative of the research assistants)

Skills

Languages	German (native), English (fluent), French (basic)
Programming	Stata (including Mata) and other programming languages / environments

Social Activities and Voluntary Work / Personal Interests

Chess	Active player and voluntary work (SG Turm Leipzig e.V., since 1991; webmaster, editor of the club journal, youth spokesman, team manager, trainer, tournament organizer)
Soccer	Accredited referee of the German Football Association (Deutscher Fußball-Bund e.V.; Leipzig, Mannheim, and Munich, 2000 – 2007)
Photography	1 st prize in the photo contest “AbBildung – Deine Fotos der Uni Mannheim” (University of Mannheim, 2006; public voting)
Hiking	German Alpine Club member (Deutscher Alpenverein e.V., 2004 – 2015)
Cycling	
Politics	Polling clerk at elections in Germany (German <i>Bundestag</i> , 2004; Saxon <i>Landtag</i> , 2005)