# CV

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# PERSONAL INFORMATION



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# WORK EXPERIENCE

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since Jan. 2015	Labor Economist, German Council of Economic Experts, Wiesbaden, Germany
Oct. 2008 - Sept. 2013	Researcher, Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW), Department of Labor Economics, Human Resources and Social Policy, Mannheim, Germany
Jan. 2008 - Feb. 2008	Internship, DIW DC, Washington DC, USA
May 2007 - Jul. 2008	Student Assistant, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Department of Labor Policy, Bonn, Germany
Sept. 2005 - Aug. 2006	Student Assistant, WIK Consult GmbH, Department of Energy Regulation, Bad Honnef, Germany

## **EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

Apr. 2013	Doctoral Degree in Economics, University of Mannheim, title of thesis: "Empirical Essays on Wage Dynamics and Donation Options", grade: magna cum laude, supervisor: Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. mult. Wolfgang Franz
Oct. 2003 - Mar. 2008	Diploma Studies in Economics, University of Bonn, Germany
Sept. 2006 - Mar. 2007	Visiting Student in Economics, University of Granada, Spain

# SPECIAL LIFE EXPERIENCE

Oct. 2013 - Jun. 2014 World travel to Nepal, South East Asia, Australia, New Zealand, Fiji, Hawaii, USA and Canada

# PROJECT EXPERIENCE IN SCIENTIFIC CONSULTANCY

Project co-worker, Improving and extending the evaluation methods, Preparatory Research for the second minimum wage evaluation round, 2014, commissioned by German Federal Ministry of Labor and Social Affairs (BMAS)

Project co-worker, The governmental strategy on social mobility in the UK, 2013, commissioned by BMAS

Project co-worker, Evaluating existing minimum wage regulations in the roofing sector, 2011, commissioned by BMAS

Project co-worker, Growth and demography - The effects of the socio-economic environment on the demographic trend: An international comparison, 2009, commissioned by German Federal Ministry of Economics and Technology Project co-worker, Investigating the shift in the factor income distribution in Germany, 2009, commissioned by German Federal Ministry of Finance

### PUBLICATIONS IN REFEREED JOURNALS

Borgloh, Sarah, Astrid Dannenberg and Bodo Aretz (2013), Small is Beautiful - Experimental Evidence of Donors' Preferences for Charities, *Economics Letters* 120, 242-244.

Aretz, Bodo, Melanie Arntz and Terry Gregory (2013), The Minimum Wage Affects Them All: Evidence on Employment Spillovers in the Roofing Sector, German Economic Review 14 (3), 282-315.

Aretz, Bodo and Sebastian Kube (2013), Choosing Your Object of Benevolence: A Field Experiment on Donation Options, Scandinavian Journal of Economics 115(1), 62-73.

Aretz, Bodo, Melanie Arntz, Terry Gregory and Christian Rammer (2012), Der Mindestlohn im Dachdeckerhandwerk: Auswirkungen auf Beschäftigung, Arbeitnehmerschutz und Wettbewerb, *Journal of Labour Market Research* 45 (3), 233-256.

#### **SELECTED WORKING PAPERS**

Aretz, Bodo (2013), Gender Differences in German Wage Mobility, ZEW Discussion Paper No. 13-003, Mannheim (also listed as IZA Discussion Paper 7158).

Aretz, Bodo and Nicole Gürtzgen (2012), What Explains the Decline in Wage Mobility in the German Low-Wage Sector?, ZEW Discussion Paper No. 12-041, Mannheim (also listed as IZA Discussion Paper 7046).

Borgloh, Sarah, Astrid Dannenberg and Bodo Aretz (2010), On the Construction of Social Preferences in Lab Experiments, ZEW Discussion Paper No. 10-085, Mannheim.

#### **GRANTED RESEARCH PROJECTS**

Decreasing Wage Mobility in the Low-Wage Sector - Increasing Genuine State Dependence or Composition Effects?, 2011 - 2013, funded by the German Research Foundation (DFG)

Secure jobs but poor wages? – Minimum wage effects on qualified workers in the roofing sector, 2011 – 2012, funded by the ZEW

Donation behavior and fairness preferences – An empirical analysis, 2009, funded by the ZEW

#### OTHER SCIENTIFIC ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

since Dec. 2012	IZA Research Affiliate
Dez. 2012	ZEW performance premium for outstanding scientific Achievements
Nov. 2012	Scholarship, German Bundesbank
Jun. 2011 - May 2013	PhD Scholarship, German Research Foundation
2008 - 2013	Invitation to more than 20 presentations at national and international scientific conferences and workshops

# TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Oct. 2012	ZEW Expert Seminar on "Econometrics – A practice- oriented introduction" for external professionals from,
	e.g., federal ministries and banks, Berlin
Sept. 2013	Course in "Introduction to Econometrics" as part of an English speaking vocational training program for financial experts from Vietnam, funded by ZEW and GIZ, Mannheim

## REFEREE SERVICE

Scottish Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Labor Research, Journal of Applied Economics

# IT EXPERIENCE

Stata, LaTeX, MS Excel, MS Word, MS Power Point, MS Outlook, Wordpress (Expert), SPSS, R, Eviews (Intermediate)

# LANGUAGES

German (native), English (business fluent), Spanish (fluent), French (beginner)

# **VOLUNTARY WORK**

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since Aug. 2014	Co-organizer of the Retro-Running World Championship 2016 in Germany
since Nov. 2011	Member of arbeiterkind.de, a non-profit organisation aiming at reducing eduation inequality by mentoring university and school students from parents who did not go to university, mentor in schools, initiator of a closed conference for group members from Mannheim, initiator of a collaboration with a mosque in Mannheim
2010 - 2013	Tutoring middle class students in math and English at a Werkrealschule, Mannheim
2003 - 2008	Member of the body of the Economic faculty, University Bonn, Commissioner for Organisation 2004 – 2005, Commissioner for Events 2005 – 2006

# **HOBBIES**

Travelling, Football, Tennis, Snowboard, Marathon, Music, Economics, Politics

Essen, January 2015