

Curriculum Vitae

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PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

Since 2005 **German Institute for Economic Research, Berlin**
Senior Researcher, Department German Socio-Economic Panel Study

2009 – 2010 **Humboldt University Berlin**
Interim Junior Professor in Labor Economics

2001 - 2005 **Humboldt University Berlin**
Research and Teaching Assistant, Institute for Economic Theory II

1999 - 2001 **University of Bamberg**
Research and Teaching Student Assistant, Department of Economics

EDUCATION

2001 - 2005 **Humboldt University Berlin**
Ph.D. in Economics (magna cum laude), Supervisor: Prof. Michael C. Burda, Ph.D., Second Reader: Prof. Robert A. Hart, Ph.D., Title of dissertation "Overtime Work in Germany - The Investment Character of Unpaid Hours"

2005 **University of Stirling, Scotland**
Visiting Ph.D. Student, Supervisor: Prof. Robert A. Hart, Ph.D.

2001 **Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona**
Visiting Ph.D. Student, Supervisor: Prof. Antonio Ciccone, Ph.D.

1995 - 2001 **University of Bamberg**
Studies in Economics (Degree: Diplom-Volkswirtin)

1997 - 1998 **University of South Carolina, Columbia, USA**
Visiting Student

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Anger, Silke (2011): The Cyclicity of Effective Wages within Employer-Employee Matches in a Rigid Labor Market, *Labour Economics*, forthcoming.

Anger, Silke; Kvasnicka, Michael; Siedler, Thomas (2011): One Last Puff? Public Smoking Bans and Smoking Behavior, *Journal of Health Economics*, 30(3), 591-601

Anger, Silke; Heineck, Guido (2010): Do Smart Parents Raise Smart Children? The Intergenerational Transmission of Cognitive Abilities, *Journal of Population Economics*, 23(3), 1105-1132.

Heineck, Guido; Anger, Silke (2010): The Returns to Cognitive Abilities and Personality Traits in Germany, *Labour Economics*, 17 (3), 535–546.

Anger, Silke; Heineck, Guido (2010): Cognitive Abilities and Earnings - First Evidence for Germany, *Applied Economics Letters*, 17(7), 699-702.

Anger, Silke; Kvasnicka, Michael (2010): Does Smoking Really Harm Your Earnings So Much? Biases in Current Estimates of the Smoking Wage Penalty, *Applied Economics Letters*, 17(6), 561–564.

Lupo, Katie; Anger, Silke (2009): Returns to Human Capital in Germany Post-Unification, *Applied Economics Quarterly*, 55 (60), 83-110.

Anger, Silke (2008): Overtime Work as a Signaling Device, *Scottish Journal of Political Economy*, 55 (2), 167-189.

Anger, Silke (2005): Unpaid Overtime in Germany: Differences Between East and West, *Journal of Applied Social Science Studies (Schmollers Jahrbuch)*, 125 (1), 17-21.

Anger, Silke; Schwarze, Johannes (2003): Does Future PC Use Determine Our Wages Today? Evidence from German Panel Data, *Labour: Review of Labour Economics and Industrial Relations*, 17 (3), 337-360.

SELECTED WORKING PAPERS

Anger, Silke; Kvasnicka, Michael (2011): Stop Smoking, Your Paycheck Will Thank You – Wage Effects from Smoking Cessation, mimeo.

Anger, Silke; Kottwitz, Anita (2011): Is Doing the Chores Bad for Your Earnings? The Housework Wage Penalty in Germany, mimeo.

BOOK CHAPTERS

Anger, Silke (2011): The Intergenerational Transmission of Cognitive and Non-Cognitive Skills During Adolescence and Young Adulthood; in: Ermisch, John; Jäntti, Markus; Smeeding, Timothy; Wilson, James (2011): Cross-National Research on the Intergenerational Transmission of Advantage, Russell Sage Foundation, New York.

MONOGRAPHS

Anger, Silke (2006): Overtime Work in Germany – The Investment Character of Unpaid Hours, Aachen: Shaker.

EDITED JOURNALS (AS GUEST EDITOR)

Anger, Silke; Groh-Samberg, Olaf; Headey, Bruce; Trommsdorff, Gisela (2009) (Eds.): Proceedings of the 8th International Conference of German Socio-Economic Panel Study Users, *Journal of Applied Social Science Studies (Schmollers Jahrbuch)*, 129 (2).

RESEARCH GRANTS

2009/2010 **Cross-National Research on the Intergenerational Transmission of Advantage**
Russel Sage Foundation, 12 months from 1 May 2009, US\$97,980 (with Joachim R. Frick, Olaf Groh-Samberg, Henning Lohmann, Jürgen Schupp, C. Katharina Spiess)

2009/2010 **Soziale Lage und soziale Herkunft von Personen ohne oder mit niedrigen Bildungs- und Berufsabschlüssen**
Study for the National Report on Education 2010, Institute for Educational Research and Educational Information (DIPF), 10 months from 15 March 2009, €16,000 (with Olaf Groh-Samberg, Henning Lohmann)

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2007 Cairncross Prize (Best Paper by a Young Economist Presented at the Scottish Economic Society Conference)
- 2002 BAK Prize for Empirical Economic Research 2002 for the Diploma Thesis "PC Use and its Impact on Wages: Human Capital Theory and Technological Progress", BAK Konjunkturforschung Basel AG

CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS

Labor Economics, Economics of Education, Intergenerational Mobility, Health Economics

PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

- 2011 Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, Oslo
Annual Conference of the Society of Labor Economists, Vancouver
Annual Conference of the Scottish Economic Society, Perth
Annual Conference of the American Economic Association, Denver
- 2010 Conference of the Research Network „Noncognitive Skills: Acquisition and Economic Consequences“, London
World Conference of the Society of Labor Economists SOLE/EALE, London
Conference of the Research Network "Cross-national Research on the Intergenerational Transmission of Advantage", New York and London
Annual Conference of the American Economic Association, Atlanta
- 2009 Annual Congress Verein für Socialpolitik, Magdeburg
Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, Barcelona
Annual Conference of the Society of Labor Economists, Boston
Annual Conference of the Scottish Economic Society, Perth
Annual Conference of the Society of the German Economic Research Institutes, Berlin
Conference of the Research Network „Noncognitive Skills: Acquisition and Economic Consequences“, Konstanz
- 2008 Annual Congress Verein für Socialpolitik, Graz
Inaugural Conference of the Research Network „Noncognitive Skills: Acquisition and Economic Consequences“, Mannheim
Annual Conference of the Scottish Economic Society, Perth
Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Lille
- 2007 Annual Conference of the European Association of Labour Economists, Oslo
Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Hamburg
Annual Conference of the Scottish Economic Society, Perth
Annual Conference of the American Economic Association, Chicago
- 2006 ECB/CEPR Labour Market Workshop "Wage and Labour Cost Dynamics", Frankfurt
Annual Conference of the European Association of Labour Economists, Prague
Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, Vienna
Annual Conference of the Scottish Economic Society, Perth
Colloquium on Personnel Economics, Zürich
- 2005 World Conference of the Society of Labor Economists SOLE/EALE, San Francisco
Colloquium on Personnel Economics, Konstanz
Annual Conference of the American Economic Association, Philadelphia

- 2004 First International GSOEP Young Scholars Symposium, Delmenhorst
Annual Congress Verein für Socialpolitik, Dresden
Annual Conference of the European Association of Labour Economists, Lisbon
Deutschland Regional, Sozialwissenschaftliche Daten im Forschungsverbund, Berlin
International German Socio-Economic Panel User Conference, Berlin
Annual Conference of the European Society of Population Economics, Bergen
Colloquium on Personnel Economics, Bonn
- 2003 Annual Conference of the European Association of Labour Economists, Seville
Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, Stockholm
IZA European Summer School in Labor Economics, Buch am Ammersee

INVITED TALKS

- 2011 University of Basel, Department of Psychology
University of Münster, Department of Economics
- 2010 University of Mannheim, Department of Economics
Queen Mary, University of London, Department of Economics
Technical University Darmstadt, Department of Economics
- 2009 Free University Berlin, Department of Economics
- 2008 University of Aberdeen, Department of Economics
University of Dundee, Department of Economics
University of Chicago, Department of Economics
- 2007 University of Tübingen, Department of Psychology
University of Bamberg, Department of Economics
- 2006 University of Essex, Department of Economics
University of Stirling, Department of Economics

RESEARCH STAYS

- 2010 **London School of Economics**
Centre for Economic Performance (CEP)
- 2008 **University of Aberdeen/Dundee**
Scottish Institute for Research in Economics (SIRE)
- 2008 **University of Chicago**
Department of Economics
- 2006 **University of Essex**
Institute for Social and Economic Research (ISER)
- 2006 **University of Stirling**
Department of Economics

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 2005 - present **Organizer** of the SOEP-ISER Exchange Program of the Socio-Economic Panel Study (SOEP) with the Institute for Social and Economic Research (ISER) at the University of Essex
- 2004 - present **Co-organizer** of seminars and lecture series for the Berlin Network of Labor Market Research (BeNA)
- 2002 - present **Referee** for Applied Economics, Economic Journal, Economics of Education Review, European Economic Review, Health Economics, Journal of Applied Social Science Studies

(Schmollers Jahrbuch), Journal of Economic Inequality, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Population Economics, Labour Economics, Labour: Review of Labour Economics and Industrial Relations, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, Oxford Economic Papers, Quarterly Journal of Economic Research (Vierteljahreshefte zur Wirtschaftsforschung), Scottish Journal of Political Economy, The Manchester School

- 2008 **Member of the program committee and co-organizer** of the 8th International Socio-Economic Panel User Conference (SOEP2008), Berlin
- 2002 - 2003 **Scientific Advisor** for the German Edition of „Die Roaring Nineties“ and „Die Schatten der Globalisierung“ by Joseph Stiglitz, Siedler-Verlag, Berlin

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2009/2010 **Empirical Labor Economics** (Lecture, Humboldt University Berlin, Master level)
- 2009/2010 **Empirical Labor Economics** (Tutorial, Humboldt University Berlin, Master level)
- 2009/2010 **Empirical Labor Economics** (Seminar, Humboldt University Berlin, Master level)
- 2007/2008 **Empirical Social Policy** (Seminar, Humboldt University Berlin, Master level)
- 2005 **Labor Economics** (Tutorial, Humboldt University Berlin, Master level)
- 2004/2005 **Macroeconomics I** (Tutorial, Humboldt University Berlin, Bachelor level)
- 2004 **Macroeconomics II** (Tutorial, Humboldt University Berlin, Bachelor level)
- 2003/04 **Macroeconomics I** (Tutorial, Humboldt University Berlin, Bachelor level)
- 2003 **Labor Economics** (Tutorial, Humboldt University Berlin, Master level)
- 2002/2003 **Macroeconomics I** (Tutorial, Humboldt University Berlin, Bachelor level)
- 2002 **Macroeconomics II** (Tutorial, Humboldt University Berlin, Bachelor level)
- 2000/2001 **Microeconomics II** (Tutorial, University of Bamberg, Bachelor level)
- 2000 **Microeconomics I** (Tutorial, University of Bamberg, Bachelor level)

MEDIA COVERAGE (SELECTION)

Berliner Zeitung, Der Spiegel, die tageszeitung, Die Zeit, Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung, Handelsblatt, Job TV 24, Mitteldeutscher Rundfunk, SWR1, Stern, Tagesspiegel, Westdeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung

MEMBERSHIP IN SCIENTIFIC ASSOCIATIONS

American Economic Association (AEA), Berlin Labour Research Network (BeNA), European Economic Association (EEA), European Association of Labour Economists (EALE), German Economic Association (Verein für Socialpolitik), Royal Economic Society (RES), Scottish Economic Society (SES)

REFERENCES

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