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CONTACT INFORMATION

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CURRENT POSITION

Research Associate (Post-Doc) at DIW Berlin and Berlin School of Economics March 2016-present
Fellow at Berlin Center for Consumers Policies (BCCP) March 2016-present

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Public Procurement, Regulation, Climate Policy, Political Economy, Industrial Organization, Applied Microeconomic Theory.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in “Economics, Markets, Institutions”, IMT Institute for Advanced Studies Lucca Mar 2011- July 2015

Dissertation: [Interdisciplinary Essays on Public Procurement](#)

Advisors: Prof. Nicola Dimitri, Prof. Andrea Vindigni

Dissertation referees: Prof. Elisabetta Iossa, Prof. Marco Pagnozzi

Dissertation committee: Prof. Paola Valbonesi, Prof. Marco Pagnozzi, Prof. Nicola Doni

Visiting Research Student, University College London, Department of Economics Jan-July 2013
(supervised by Prof. Philippe Jehiel)

CiDE - Centro Interuniversitario di Econometria (Bertinoro, Italy), Summer School in Macroeconometrics
June 2011

M.Sc. in Economics (*cum laude*), University of Siena 2008-2010

Graduate Visiting Student (Erasmus), University of Oxford, Pembroke College Oct 2009-June 2010

B.Sc. in Economics (*cum laude*), University of Siena 2005-2008

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Chiappinelli, O., Gerres, T., Neuhoff, K., Lettow, F., de Coninck, H., Felsmann, B., Joltreau, E., Khandekar, G., Linares, P., Richstein, J., Sniegocki, A., Stede, J., Wyns, T., Zandt, C. and L. Zetterberg, (2021), [A Green COVID-19 Recovery of the EU Basic Materials Sector: Identifying Potentials, Barriers and Policy Solutions](#), *Climate Policy*

Arve, M., and O. Chiappinelli, (2021), [The role of budget constraints in sequential elimination tournaments](#), *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, Volume 123, Issue 2

Chiappinelli, O., (2020), [Political corruption in the execution of public contracts](#), *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*, Volume 179, November, pages 116-140

Chiappinelli, O., (2020), [Decentralization and public procurement performance: new evidence from Italy](#), *Economic Inquiry*, Volume 58, Issue 2, pages 856-880

WORKING PAPERS

Chiappinelli O. and K. Neuhoff, [Time-consistent carbon pricing: the role of carbon contracts for differences](#), DIW Berlin Discussion Paper N. 1859, 2020 (*submitted*)

Chiappinelli, O. and N. May, [Too good to be true? How time-inconsistent renewable energy policies can deter investments](#), DIW Berlin Discussion Paper N. 1726, 2018 (*submitted*)

WORK IN PROGRESS

Optimal discounts in Green Public Procurement (joint with Gyula Seres)

Procurement in time of crises (joint with Malin Arve)

Optimal performance-based procurement

NON-PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Richstein, J.C., Kröger, M., Neuhoff, K., Chiappinelli, O. and F. Lettow (2021), [Carbon Contracts for Difference. An assessment of selected socio-economic impacts for Germany](#), CFM-Traction Project Report

Neuhoff, K., Chiappinelli, O., Kröger, M., Lettow, F., Richstein, F., Schütze, F., Stede, J., and X. Sun (2021), [Green Deal for Industry: A Clear Policy Framework Is More Important Than Funding](#), DIW Weekly Report 10/2021, pages 73-82 (German version [here](#))

Chiappinelli, O., Sniegocki, A., Richstein, J.C., Kröger, M., Lettow, F., Neuhoff, K., Stede, J. and K. Brzezinski (2021), [Contracts for Difference and Climate Contribution: A comparison between Germany and Poland](#), CFM-Traction Project synthesis report (policy brief [here](#)), London: Climate Strategies

Neuhoff, K., Lettow, F., Chiappinelli, O., Gerres, T., Joltreau, E., Linares, P. and A. Sniegocki (2020), [Investments in climate-friendly materials to strengthen the recovery package](#), London: Climate Strategies

Kröger, M., Xi, S., Chiappinelli, O., Clemens, M., May, N., Neuhoff, K. and J. Richstein (2020), [A Green New Deal after Corona: What We Can Learn from the Financial Crisis](#), DIW Focus 4/2020 (German version [here](#))

Chiappinelli, O., Erdmann, K., Gerres, T., Haussner, M., Juergens, I., Neuhoff, K., Pirlot, A., Richstein, J.C. and Y. Chan (2020), [Industrial Innovation: Pathways to Deep Decarbonisation of Industry: Part 3: Policy Implications](#), Report prepared for the European Commission (DG Clima) in collaboration with ICF

Chiappinelli, O., Gruner, F. and G. Weber (2019), [Green Public Procurement: Climate Provisions in Public Tenders Can Help Reduce German Carbon Emissions](#), DIW Weekly Report 51/52/2019, pages 433-441 (German version [here](#))

Neuhoff, K., Chiappinelli, O., Gerres, T., Haussner, M., Ismer, R., May, N., Pirlot, A. and J. Richstein (2019), [Building blocks for a climate-neutral European industrial sector](#), London: Climate Strategies

Chiappinelli, O., Bartek-Lesi, M., Blocka, M., vila, J.P.C., Felsmann, B., Gerres, T., Linares, P., Neuhoff, K., Sniegocki, A., Szajk, G. and Z. Wetmanska (2019), [Inclusive Transformation of the European Materials Sector](#), London: Climate Strategies

Neuhoff, K., Chiappinelli, O., Bataille, C., Haußner, M., Ismer, R., Joltreau, E., Jürgens, I., Piantieri, C., Richstein, J., Sartor, O., Singhal, P. and J. Stede (2018), [Filling Gaps in the Policy Package to Decarbonise Production and Use of Materials](#), London: Climate Strategies

Neuhoff, K. and O. Chiappinelli (2018), [Klimafreundliche Herstellung und Nutzung von Grundstoffen: Bndel von Politikmaßnahmen notwendig](#), DIW Wochenbericht 26/2018, pages 575-583

Neuhoff, K., Chiappinelli, O., Baron, R., Barrett, J., Bukowski, M., Duscha, V., Fleiter, T., Haußner, M., Ismer, R., Kok, R., Nemet, G.F., Pollitt, H., Richstein, J., Vakhitova, T., Wyns, T. and L. Zetterberg (2017), [Innovation and Use Policies Required to Realize Investment and Emission Reductions in the Materials Sector](#), London: Climate Strategies

Chiappinelli, O. and V. Zipperer (2017), [Using Public Procurement as a Decarbonisation Policy: A Look at Germany](#), DIW Weekly Report 49/2017, pages 523-532 (German version [here](#))

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

2021:

Berlin Centre for Consumer Policies (BCCP) Forum 2021 (online, March)
Bremen University, Economics Department, invited seminar (online, January)
Universitat de Barcelona, Economics Department, invited seminar (online, January)

2020:

ZEW 2nd Workshop on Economics of Public Procurement, invited discussant (online, October)
12th World Congress of the Econometric Society (online, August)

2019:

Verein für Socialpolitik Jahrestagung (Annual Meeting of the German Economic Association) 2019 (Leipzig University, September)
Gothenburg University, Department of Economics, invited seminar (Gothenburg, May)
DIW Berlin Sustainability Cluster, Brown Bag Seminar (DIW Berlin, May)
Berlin Bavaria Energy Workshop (Ifo Institut, Munich, February)

2018:

45th Annual Conference of the European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE 2018) (Athens University of Economics and Business, August)
Networking and Mentoring Retreat of Women in Economics (WinE) 2018 (University of Cologne, August)
6th World Congress of Environmental and Resource Economists (WCERE 2018) (University of Gothenburg, June)
41st International Conference of the International Association for Energy Economics (IAEE) 2018 (Groningen University, June)
Autonoma University Madrid, Department of Economics, invited seminar (Madrid, April)
Berlin Centre for Consumer Policies (BCCP) Forum 2010 (DIW Berlin, April)

2017:

Florence School of Regulation Climate Annual Conference 2017 (Florence School of Regulation, December)
44th Conference of the European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE 2017) (Maastricht University, September)
1st Workshop on Economic Theories and Low-carbon Transformation Policies (University of Cambridge, June)
Societa' Italiana di Economia e Politica Industriale, SIEPI Annual Workshop 2017, invited discussant of keynote lecture (University of Palermo, February)

2016:

DIW Berlin Industrial Economics Cluster, Brown Bag Seminar (Berlin, November)
69th European Meeting of the Econometric Society (ESEM 2016) (University of Geneva, August)
7th International Conference on Contracts, Procurement and Public Private Arrangements (Sorbonne Business School, June)
Berlin Economic Research Associates (BERA) Micro Workshop (DIW Berlin, April)

2015:

European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society 2015 (IGIER-Bocconi University, December)
Meeting of Association of Southern European Economic Theorists (ASSET 2015) (University of Granada, November)
Central European Program in Economic Theory (CEPET) Annual Workshop 2015 (University of Udine, June)
Spring Meeting of Young Economists (SMYE 2015) (University of Ghent, May)

2014:

University of Siena, Department of Economics and Statistics, brown-bag seminar (Siena, December)
IMT Institute for Advanced Studies Lucca, Brown-bag Seminar (Lucca, November)
Meeting of Association of Southern European Economic Theorists (ASSET 2014) (Aix-Marseille School of Economics, November)
OLIGO Workshop 2014 (University of Rome Sapienza, June)

POLICY PRESENTATIONS

2021:

Climate Strategies, DIW Berlin and WiseEuropa [European Dialogue: The Policy Toolkit for Net-Zero Industrial Innovation](#) (online, January)

2020:

Comillas University, Workshop [“Where and how to invest the EU recovery funds?”](#), invited (online, November)

[25th Annual Conference of the European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists \(EAERE 2020\)](#), policy session [“EU ETS plus X? Policy needs for industrial decarbonization in the age of corona”](#) (online, June)

University of Castilla-La Mancha, [15th Conference of the Spanish Association for Energy Economics](#), invited [speaker in roundtable “La descarbonización de la industria”](#), invited (Toledo, January)

EIT House, Climate Friendly Materials Platform, [“Green New Deal for Europe and Industrial Strategy: Policies for a climate-neutral industrial sector”](#) (Brussels, January)

2019:

DIW Berlin, Ecologic Institute, IfO Institute, Institute for Applied Ecology Oekoinstitut e. V., Mercator Research Institute on Global Commons and Climate Change MCC, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research PIK, German Institute for International and Security Affairs SWP, Wuppertal Institute, and Technical University TU Berlin, [Berlin Seminar on Energy and Climate Policy \(BSEC\)](#) on [“Policies to support basic materials pathway to climate neutrality”](#) (Berlin, September)

Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS), [CEPS Low Carbon Economy Forum 2019](#) on [“Industrial Implications of EU and Global Climate Change Policy”](#), invited (Brussels, June)

DIW Berlin, IVL Swedish Environmental Research Institute, Climate Strategies, [Workshop on “Policy Design for Greening Construction Supply Chains”](#) (Swedish Environmental Agency, Stockholm, May)

2018:

European Policy Centre (EPC), [EPC Policy Dialogue on “After the 2050 strategy review: What role for European industry?”](#), invited (Brussels, December)

Mistra Carbon Exit, [Mistra Carbon Exit Annual Conference](#) (Stockholm, November)

2017:

DIW Berlin and Climate Strategies [UNFCCC COP23 side event “Policy Design for a Climate Friendly Materials Sector” at the UK pavilion](#) (Bonn, November)

DIW Berlin and Climate Strategies, [Workshop on Policies to Stimulate Climate Friendly Innovation in the Materials Sector](#) (Berlin, October)

2016:

OECD, Round Table on Sustainable Development brainstorming: public procurement for low-carbon innovation in infrastructure, invited (Paris, December)

DIW Berlin and Climate Strategies, [1st Workshop on Policy Design for a Climate-Friendly Materials Sector](#) (Brussels, September)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Technical University Berlin, co-design of [new module of master course Energy and Climate Policies](#) together with Dr. Jörn Richstein to be taught in the Summer Semester 2021

Technical University Berlin, Teaching collaborator (Energy and Climate Policy, master course), 2016 - present

University of Siena, Teaching collaborator in Economics (Industrial Organization, master course), 2015-2016

University of Siena, Teaching Assistant in Economics (Microeconomics for Managers, master course), 2015-2016

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Participation in international research projects

Partner of research project [MISTRA Carbon Exit, Pathways to Net Zero Greenhouse Gas Emissions in Supply Chains](#) founded by Mistra (The Swedish foundation for strategic environmental research) in collaboration with (among the others) IVL Swedish Environmental Research Institute, Chalmers University of Technology, University of Gothenburg, Royal Institute of Technology (KTH), Resource for the Future (RFF) and Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS) (June 2017 - ongoing)

Partner of research project [Sector coupling and European Integration in a Developing Energy System \(SEEE,03MAP316\)](#) founded by the German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy (October 2015 - September 2018)

Participation in international policy projects

Partner of policy project [Support study for the revision of the EU guidelines on state aid for environmental protection and energy \(EEAG\)](#) for European Commission (DG Competition) in collaboration with E.CA Economics, LEAR, University of East Anglia and Sheppard Mullin (October 2020 - ongoing)

Partner of policy project [CFM TRACTION \(Climate Friendly MaTeRials mARket CreaTIon through pOlicy iNnovation\)](#) for EIT Climate-KIC in collaboration with WiseEuropa and Climate Strategies (June 2020 - January 2021)

Co-leader of policy project [Climate-friendly Materials Platform](#) in collaboration with Climate Strategies, IDDRI, IIT - Comillas University, IVL Swedish Environmental Research Institute, Radboud University Nijmegen, Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research (REKK), Vrije Universiteit Brussel and WiseEuropa (September 2016 - ongoing)

Partner of policy project [Industrial innovation: Pathways to deep decarbonisation of Industry. Part 3: Policy implications](#) for European Commission (DG Clima) in collaboration with ICF (March 2019 - November 2019)

Leader of policy project, [Climate Friendly Materials Platform: supporting transition in Central and Southern Europe](#) for European Climate Initiative (EUKI) of the German Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety in collaboration with IIT - Comillas University, Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research (REKK) and WiseEuropa (September 2018 - July 2019)

Organization of academic events

Co-organizer of [2nd edition of PhD Summer School on Economic Foundations for Energy and Climate Policies](#) in collaboration with Carmen Arguedas (Universidad Autónoma de Madrid), Simone Borghesi (EUI-Florence School of Regulation), Estelle Cantillon (Université Libre de Bruxelles), Natalia Fabra (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid), Michael Grubb (University College London), Karsten Neuhoff (DIW Berlin and Technical University Berlin) (Universidad Carlos III Madrid, scheduled for September 2021)

Co-founder and main organizer of [1st edition of PhD Summer School on Economic Foundations for Energy and Climate Policies](#) in collaboration with Carmen Arguedas (Universidad Autónoma de Madrid), Simone Borghesi (EUI-Florence School of Regulation), Estelle Cantillon (Université Libre de Bruxelles), Michael Grubb (University College London), Karsten Neuhoff (DIW Berlin and Technical University Berlin) (DIW Berlin, September 2019)

Main organizer of [1st Workshop on Economic Theories and Low-carbon Transformation Policies](#) in collaboration with Michael Grubb (University College London), Jean-Charles Hourcade (CIRED) (Cambridge University (Jesus College), June 2017)

Organization of policy events

Co-organizer of policy event [European Dialogue: The Policy Toolkit for Net-Zero Industrial Innovation](#) in collaboration with Climate Strategies and WiseEuropa (Online, January 2021)

Co-organizer of policy session “EU ETS plus X? Policy needs for industrial decarbonization in the age of corona” at 25th Annual Conference of the European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (EAERE 2020) (Online, June 2020)

Co-organizer of Climate Friendly Materials Platform [Workshop “Policy Design for Greening Construction Supply Chains”](#) in collaboration with IVL Swedish Environmental Research Institute, Climate Strategies (Swedish Environmental Agency, Stockholm, May 2019)

Organizer of EUKI-Climate Friendly Materials Platform [Workshop “Inclusive transformation of the European Materials Sector”](#) (DIW Berlin, March 2019)

Co-organizer of Climate Friendly Materials Platform [Workshop on Policy packages for low-carbon road maps in the materials sector](#) in collaboration with Climate Strategies (DIW Berlin, March 2018)

Co-organizer of Climate Friendly Materials Platform [side event at UNFCCC COP23, UK Pavilion, “Policy Design for a Climate Friendly Materials Sector”](#) in collaboration with Climate Strategies (UN Campus Bonn, November 2017)

Co-organizer of Climate Friendly Materials Platform [Workshop on Policies to Stimulate Climate Friendly Innovation in the Materials Sector](#) in collaboration with Climate Strategies (DIW Berlin, October 2017)

Co-organizer of Climate Friendly Materials Platform [“2nd Workshop on policy design for a climate-friendly materials sector”](#) in collaboration with Climate Strategies (DIW Berlin, January 2017)

Co-organizer of Climate Friendly Materials Platform [“1st Workshop on policy design for a climate-friendly materials sector”](#) in collaboration with Climate Strategies (DIW Berlin, September 2016)

Invited Refereeing for Journals: Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, European Journal of Political Economy, The B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy, Journal of Public Procurement, Journal of Systems Science and Systems Engineering, 2015 Spring Meeting of Young Economists

Other professional activities

Participation in recruitment of PhD students and Post docs March 2016 - present

Co-supervision of master thesis (Gustav R.D.F. Weber, Technical University Berlin, Thesis title: Drivers and barriers for the implementation of green public procurement) 2019-2020

Memberships: European Economic Association (EEA), European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (EAERE), Italian Association of Industrial Economics and Policy (SIEPI)

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Scholarships

Italian Ministry of Education, Ph.D. Scholarship Mar 2011-Mar 2014

Lifelong Learning Program, Erasmus Scholarship Oct 2009-June 2010

Awards

Paper Political corruption in the execution of public contracts shortlisted for the LAGV Prize at the ASSET15 Conference in Granada November 2015

Consip S.p.A, Dissertation Prize “Augusto Di Venanzi 2011” awarded to master thesis Driving innovation in the EU. Multi-stage all-pay auction analysis of Pre-commercial Procurement May 2012

Oxford University, Pembroke College Prize for excellent performance in the Economics Collection May 2010

MEDIA APPEARANCES

Handelsblatt coverage of report “Carbon Contracts for Difference. An assessment of selected socio-economic impacts for Germany”, 14.04.2021

Handelsblatt coverage of report “Green Deal für die Industrie: Wichtiger als Förderung sind klare Rahmenbedingungen”, 11.03.2021

Foreign Policy coverage of report “A Green New Deal after Corona: What We Can Learn from the Financial Crisis”, 21.05.2020

Handelsblatt coverage of report “Green New Deal nach Corona: Was wir aus der Finanzkrise lernen können”, 30.04.2020

Bloomberg coverage of report “Building Blocks for a Climate-Neutral European Industrial Sector”, 30.10.2019

Interview on Green Public Procurement for [Recyclingnews](#), published on 04.10.2019

Interview on Policy design for industrial decarbonization and Green Public Procurement, published 25.09.2019,

as part of the [GOVTRAN \(Governing the EU's Climate and Energy Transition in Turbulent Times\)](#) project

Short interview on Green Public Procurement, 23.07.2019, [Olga Chiappinelli \(DIW, Germany\)](#) at the [CEPS Low Carbon Economy Forum 2019](#)

bi-medien.de, 09.02.2018 “DIW-Studie: Bei der Beschaffung kommen “grüne” Kriterien zu kurz”

LANGUAGE AND IT SKILLS

IT: STATA, Mathematica, L^AT_EX

Languages: Italian (native), English (fluent), German (basic),
French (basic)

Le dichiarazioni rese nel presente curriculum corrispondono a verità e sono da ritenersi rilasciate ai sensi degli artt. 46 e 47 del D.P.R. 445/2000

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