

Paul Schaudt: 11/2022

RESEARCH INTEREST	<i>Development economics, regional/urban economics, political economy</i>	
CURRENT POSITION	<i>Postdoctoral Researcher Wyss Academy for Nature University of Bern, Switzerland</i>	May 2022 - present
PAST POSITIONS	<i>Postdoctoral Researcher SIAW, Department of Economics University of St.Gallen, Switzerland</i>	May 2019 - Apr 2022
	<i>Research Associate Chair of Macroeconomics, Department of Economics Leibniz University of Hannover, Germany</i>	Apr 2015 - Apr 2019
RESEARCH STAYS	<i>University of St.Gallen, St.Gallen, Switzerland Georgetown University, Washington DC, United States</i>	Sep 2018 - Oct 2018 Sep 2016 - Nov 2016
EDUCATION	<i>Leibniz University Hannover Ph.D. in Economics, April 2019 (final grade: Summa cum laude)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Supervisors: Martin Gassebner, Axel Dreher• Committee: Philipp Sibbertsen, Martin Gassebner, Axel Dreher, and Richard Bluhm <i>Leibniz University Hanover and University of Goettingen, Germany Joint Ph.D. program in economics, "Globalization and Development"</i> <i>University of Heidelberg, Germany M.A., Political Science and Economics, 2015 (final grade: 1.1)</i> <i>San Diego State University, United States M.A. Exchange Student, 2013-2014</i>	

PUBLICATIONS

- Fueling conflict? (De)Escalation and bilateral aid (with Richard Bluhm, Martin Gassebner and Sarah Langlotz). *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 2021, 36:2, 244–261. [Published version \(gated\)](#).
- First impressions: How leader changes affect bilateral aid (with Tobias Rommel). *Journal of Public Economics*, 2020, 185, 1-12. [Published version \(gated\)](#).
- The effect of migration on terror - Made at home or imported from abroad? (with Axel Dreher and Martin Gassebner). *Canadian Journal of Economics*, 2020, 53:4, 1703-1744. [Published version \(open access\)](#).

UNDER REVISION

Armed groups: Competition and political violence (with Martin Gassebner and Melvin H. L. Wong). *Journal of Development Economics*. [Link to latest version](#).

PAPERS IN PREPARATION

- [1] The political geography of cities (with Richard Bluhm and Christian Lessmann). *CESifo Working Paper No. 9376*. [Link to latest version](#). (submitted)
- [2] Ethnofederalism and ethnic voting (with Richard Bluhm and Roland Hodler). *CESifo Working paper No. 9314*. [Link to latest version](#). (submitted)
- [3] Local majorities: How administrative divisions shape comparative development (with Richard Bluhm and Roland Hodler). *University of St.Gallen Discussion Paper No. 2110*. [Link to latest version](#).
- [4] Mining for peace (with Roland Hodler and Alberto Vesperoni).
- [5] Fragmented markets: Cultural frictions and road infrastructure in Africa (with Roland Hodler and Michael Thueting).
- [6] Tracking mining from space (with Kai Gehring and Michael Mommert).
- [7] Insuring peace: Mitigating herder-farmer conflicts with index insurance (with Kai Gehring).
- [8] Global mine closures (with Kai Gehring)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Refereeing: Economic Policy, Regional Science and Urban Economics, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Peace Research, Empirical Economics, Review of International Organization, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, African Development Review, European Journal of Political Economy, German Economic Review, Conflict Management and Peace Science, Social Science Quarterly

Workshops: Co-organizer Micro and macro perspectives on structural change Workshop (St.Gallen, Switzerland), Co-organizer 4th Conference of the Development Economics Network Switzerland (St.Gallen, Switzerland), Coordinator of Doctoral Workshop German Economic Association Research Group on Development Economics 2016 (Hannover, Germany),

INVITED TALKS, CONFERENCES, SEMINARS

2022: *UEA (DC, United States), EEA (Milan, Italy), German Development Economics Conference (Hohenheim, Germany), Conference of the European Public Choice Society (Braga, Portugal), CSAE, (Oxford, United Kingdom / virtual)*

2021: *Economics seminar (Université de Fribourg, Switzerland), HiCN (Goettingen, Germany / virtual), Beyond Basic Questions Workshop (Nuremberg, Germany), EEA-ESEM (Copenhagen, Denmark / virtual), 10th European Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (Copenhagen, Denmark / virtual), Conference of the European Public Choice Society (Lille, France / virtual)*

2020: *Economics seminar (University of Bergen, Norway), Cities and Development Workshop, Harvard University (virtual), 2020 Virtual Meeting of the Urban Economics Association, Swiss Workshop on Political Economy and Development (Weggis, Switzerland), Development Economics Network Switzerland (St.Gallen, Switzerland)*

2019: *GlaD seminar (University of Hannover, Germany), Development Economics Network Switzerland (Zurich, Switzerland), Beyond Basic Questions Workshop (Kiel, Germany), Annual International Conference of the German Economic Association Research Group on Development Economics (Berlin, Germany), Workshop on Geodata*

and Economics (Hamburg, Germany), Conference of the European Public Choice Society (Jerusalem, Israel)

2018: ISF Workshop - Domestic Political Changes and International Agreements, (Haifa, Israel), Beyond Basic Questions Workshop (Gengenbach, Germany), Annual International Conference of the German Economic Association Research Group on Development Economics (Zurich, Switzerland), Workshop on Geodata and Economics (Braunschweig, Germany), International Conference on Globalization and Development (Goettingen, Germany)

2017: Annual Conference on Immigration in OECD Countries (Paris, France), CESifo Workshop on Political Economy (Dresden, Germany), IPES (Austin, United States), EEA (Lisbon, Portugal), Annual International Conference of the German Economic Association Research Group on Development Economics (Goettingen, Germany), EPCS (Budapest, Hungary)

2016: CESifo Workshop on Political Economy (Dresden, Germany), VSB Department of Economics Seminar Series (Villanova University, United States), Silvaplana Workshop in Political Economy (Pontresina, Switzerland), Workshop on Geospatial Analysis of Disasters (Heidelberg, Germany), Beyond Basic Question Workshop (Salzburg, Austria), Annual International Conference of the German Economic Association Research Group on Development Economics (Heidelberg, Germany), EPCS (Freiburg, Germany), PEIO (Salt Lake City, United States)

2015: CESifo Workshop on Political Economy (Dresden, Germany), Doctoral Workshop German Economic Association Research Group on Development Economics (Zurich, Switzerland), Beyond Basic Questions Workshop (Hannover, Germany)

GRANTS

SNF Ambizione grant , ca. 860 000 CHF

International Postdoctoral Fellowship (IPF) University of St.Gallen, ca. 260 000 CHF

TEACHING EXPERIENCE/ SUPERVISION

University of St.Gallen, Switzerland

Supervision (Principal supervisor)

- BA (2) & MA Theses (3)

Seminars

- Ethnic Politics and Economic Development in Africa (MSc) 2020 - 2022
- Spring Project: Conflicts in Africa (BA)

Leibniz University Hannover, Germany

Lectures

- Introduction to Macroeconomics (BSc) 2018

Seminars

- Current Topics in Macroeconomics (BSc) 2016 - 2019
- Empirical Economics (MSc) 2018

Tutorials

- Introduction to Applied Economics in Macroeconomics (BSc) 2018
- Introduction to Macroeconomics (BSc) 2015 - 2018

LANGUAGES *German (Mother tongue), English (Proficiency), French (Basic)*

COMPUTER SKILLS *R, Stata, L^AT_EX, QGIS, RStudio, Google Earth Engine API (JavaScript)*

REFERENCES AVAILABLE TO CONTACT

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