

Paul Schaudt: 05/2023

RESEARCH INTEREST	<i>Political economy, Development economics, regional/urban economics,</i>	
CURRENT POSITION	<i>SNF Ambizione Fellow (Postdoc) SIAW, Department of Economics University of St.Gallen, Switzerland</i>	Mar 2023 - Today
PAST POSITIONS	<i>Postdoctoral Researcher Wyss Academy for Nature University of Bern, Switzerland</i>	May 2022 - Feb 2023
	<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
EDUCATION	<i>Leibniz University Hannover Ph.D. in Economics, April 2019 (final grade: Summa cum laude)</i>	
	<i>Leibniz University Hannover 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, 2012-2015</i>	
	<i>San Diego State University, United States M.A. Exchange Student, 2013-2014</i>	
	<i>University of Heidelberg, Germany B.A., Political Science and Economics, 2010-2012</i>	
PUBLICATIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Armed groups: Competition and political violence (with Martin Gassebner and Melvin H. L. Wong). <i>Journal of Development Economics</i>, 2023, 162:103052. Published version (open access).• Fueling conflict? (De)Escalation and bilateral aid (with Richard Bluhm, Martin Gassebner and Sarah Langlotz). <i>Journal of Applied Econometrics</i>, 2021, 36:2, 244–261. Published version (gated).• First impressions: How leader changes affect bilateral aid (with Tobias Rommel). <i>Journal of Public Economics</i>, 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 \(open access\)](#).

WORKING PAPERS

- The political geography of cities (with Richard Bluhm and Christian Lessmann). *CESiFo Working Paper No. 9376*. [Link to latest version](#).
- Ethnofederalism and ethnic voting (with Richard Bluhm and Roland Hodler). *CESiFo Working paper No. 9314*. [Link to latest version](#).
- 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](#).
- Mining for peace (with Roland Hodler and Alberto Vesperoni). *CESiFo Working paper No. 10207*. [Link to latest version](#).
- Insuring peace: Index-baed livestock insurance, droughts, and conflict (with Kai Gehring). *CESiFo Working paper No. 10423*. [Link to latest version](#).

PAPERS IN PREPARATION

- Cultural frictions, market access, and regional growth in Africa (with Roland Hodler and Michael Thueting).
- Tracking mining from space (with Kai Gehring and Michael Mommert).
- Global mine closures (with Kai Gehring)

GRANTS

SNF Ambizione grant , ca. 860 000 CHF

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

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

2023: *European meeting UEA (Milan, Italy), Econ Seminar (WU Vienna, Austria), EPCS (Hannover, Germany), ASSA (New Orleans, United States)*

2022: *UEA (DC, United State), 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)*