

Curriculum Vitae

- Born 1967 in Kiel, Germany.
- Study of economics, University College of Swansea and University of Kiel, Master in economics 1992 in Kiel.
- Doctor in economics 1998, University of Kiel, Faculty of Economics and Social Sciences.
- Research assistant 1993-1999, University of Kiel, Institute of Regional Research and Institute of Theoretical Economics.
- Research assistant 1996-1998, University of Dortmund, Faculty of Spatial Planning, Department of Regional and Urban Economics.
- Senior researcher 1999-2004, Hamburg Institute of International Economics, Department European Integration.
- Lecturer 2004-2005, Hamburger Fern-Hochschule (University of Applied Science).
- Senior researcher, Institute for Employment Research, Regional Research Network since 2004.
- Professor (IAB Foundation Professorship), Empirical labour market research and spatial econometrics, University of Kiel, Faculty of Economics and Social Sciences, since 2009.

Memberships

- Member of Verein für Socialpolitik, Ausschuss für Regionaltheorie und -politik
- Member of ERSA (European Regional Science Association)
- Member of Gesellschaft für Regionalforschung
- Member of the European Economic Association
- Member of the European Association of Labour Economists
- Research Fellow Hamburg Institute of International Economics (since 2009)