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weekly seminars

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workshops and conferences

event	venue	date
Workshop "Advances in Platform Economics"	Bonn	February 13 – 14, 2020
Workshop on Banking	Mannheim	March 2 – 3, 2020
LISS/CBS Data Retreat	Jülich	March 18 – 20, 2020
5 th Internal CRC TR 224 Conference	Offenbach	April 23 – 24, 2020
5 th Internal CRC TR 224 Workshop for Young Researchers	Offenbach	April 24 – 25, 2020
Frankfurt-Mannheim Macro Workshop	Frankfurt	May 8, 2020
MaCCI Workshop "Economics of Innovation"	Bad Homburg	May 27 – 28, 2020

public policy output / media presence

contributor	project	event/venue	date
Armin Falk	A01	Article in Sächsische Zeitung: "Wenn zwei sich streiten..."	October 25, 2019
Armin Falk	A01	Article in ZEIT Online: "Lassen Sie es fetzen. Streiten Sie."	October 30, 2019
Armin Falk	A01	Article in ZEIT Online: "Die Fragen, die Deutschland spalten"	October 30, 2019
Armin Falk	A01	Article in FAZ: "Jung gegen Alt statt Ost gegen West"	October 30, 2019
Florian Zimmermann	A01	Presentation at the CRC TR 224 Research and Policy Workshop "Bildungs- und familienpolitische Maßnahmen – Potentiale ausschöpfen, Ungleichheit verringern": "Der Effekt eines Mentoren-Programms auf die soziale und kognitive Entwicklung von Kindern und Jugendlichen"	November 4, 2019
Armin Falk	A01	Article in DIE ZEIT: "Ich und das Klima"	November 21, 2019
Armin Falk, Fabian Kosse, Pia Pinger	A01, A02	Article in Spektrum der Wissenschaft: "Der Marshmallow-Test: Vorboten für ein gutes Leben"	December 24, 2019

Armin Falk, Fabian Kosse, Pia Pinger	A01, A02	Article in Salzburger Nachrichten: “Soll ich warten oder es gleich essen?”	January 10, 2020
Pia Pinger	A02	Article in Süddeutsche Zeitung: “Die Lohnlücke in den Köpfen”	August 26, 2019
Renske Stans	A02	Presentation at the Bureau for Economic Policy Analysis of the Netherlands: “A Setback Set Right? Unfortunate Timing of Family Distress and Educational Outcomes”	October 8, 2019
Michelle Sovinsky	A02	Presentation at the Directorate-General for Competition of the European Commission: “Internet (Power) to the People: The Impact of Demand-Side Subsidies in Colombia”	November 4, 2019
Anne Hannusch	A03	Presentation at the CRC TR 224 Research and Policy Workshop “Bildungs- und familienpolitische Maßnahmen – Potentiale ausschöpfen, Ungleichheit verringern”: “Wie beeinflusst Familienpolitik das Arbeitsverhalten von Frauen?”	November 4, 2019
Effrosyni Adamopoulou	A03	Talk at the interdisciplinary workshop “Eating Meat 2019: Determinants, Consequences, and Interventions” at DIW Berlin: “Eating Habits: The Role of Early Life Experiences and Intergenerational Transmission”	October 8- 9, 2019
Effrosyni Adamopoulou	A03	Participation at the 15th Joint ECB/CEPR Labour Market Workshop on “Labour market adjustments” and presentation (by a co-author) of the paper “The Long-Run Earnings Effects of a Credit Market Disruption”	December 2-3, 2019
Michèle Tertilt	A03	Portrait in CEPR/UBS Series on Women in Economics	October 28, 2019
Michèle Tertilt	A03	Presentation at the CRC TR 224 Research and Policy Workshop “Bildungs- und familienpolitische Maßnahmen – Potentiale ausschöpfen, Ungleichheit verringern”: “Die Auswirkung von familienpolitischen Maßnahmen auf Anreize und die Verteilung in (und nach) der Ehe”	November 4, 2019
Michèle Tertilt	A03	Interview with the magazine Mannheim Stadt im Quadrat: “Ich bin eine leidenschaftliche Forscherin”	November 6, 2019
Michèle Tertilt	A03	Video on Vox (CEPR Policy Portal): “Where do we stand in the fight against HIV?”	November 19, 2019
Tobias Rachidi	B01	Article in Le Monde: “Les 101 romans des lecteurs du «Monde» : Comment refléter au mieux les choix des (é)lecteurs ?”	December, 27, 2019
Martin Peitz	B05	Panelist in “When Data Affects Industrial Policy – Do We Need To Rethink Merger Control?” at the KAS European Data Summit	October 23, 2019
Martin Peitz	B05	Panelist in plenary panel “Reflections on the Need for a Reform of Merger Rules – Increased Concentration and Digital Mergers” and analysis of the German Facebook case at the Annual Conference of the Association of Competition Economists (ACE)	November 14-15, 2019
Martin Peitz	B05	Three lectures and panel contribution in the Barcelona GSE executive course “Competition in Digital Markets” for competition practitioners	November 20-22, 2019
Martin Peitz	B05	Invited lecture “Antitrust in the Attention Economy” and panelist on “What has been learned about digital markets?” at the second Rio Conference on Advances in Competition Policy Analysis	December 5-6, 2019

Martin Peitz	B05	Short course "Economics of Platforms" at the Brazilian competition authority CADE	December 10, 2019
Martin Peitz	B05	Invited lecture "Ordnungspolitischer Rahmen für die Missbrauchsaufsicht auf digitalen Märkten aus ökonomischer Sicht" and panelist at the L&A Competition Day in Hamburg	January 16, 2020
Ulrich Wagner	B07	Interview by Spanish radio station "capital radio" on CO ₂ permit trading: "Green Wash"	December 16, 2019
Arthur Seibold	C01	Presentation to policymakers on "Reference Points for Retirement Behavior: Evidence from German Pension Discontinuities" at pension policy workshop, Institut des Politiques Publiques, Paris	September 10, 2019
Arthur Seibold	C01	Presentation to policymakers on "Referenzpunkte für individuelle Rentenentscheidungen" at meeting of Board and Representatives of German State Pension Fund (Vertreterversammlung der Deutschen Rentenversicherung)	December 04, 2019
Matthias Meier	C02	Presentation at the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development: "Monetary Policy, Markup Dispersion, and Aggregate TFP"	December 3, 2019
Klaus Adam	C02	Lecture on "The Case for Low and Stable Inflation", Bank of England, London	January 9, 2020
Klaus Adam	C02	Guest comment in Handelsblatt: "Finanzmarkttransaktionssteuer"	January 15, 2020
Klaus Adam	C02	Lecture on "Optimal Inflation", Monetary Policy Committee, European Central Bank in Frankfurt	January 15, 2020

new discussion papers

no.	project	title	author(s)
132/2019	B02	Relational Contracts: Public versus Private Savings	Francesc Dilmé, Daniel Garret
133/2019	B02	Bargaining and Delay in Thin Markets	Francesc Dilmé
134/2019	A03	Young, Educated, Unemployed	Sena Coskun
135/2019	B04	Overcoming Free-Riding in Bandit Games	Johannes Hörner, Nicolas Klein, Sven Rady
136/2019	B04, B05	Bidding in Common-Value Auctions with an Uncertain Number of Competitors	Stephan Lauerermann, Andre Speit
137/2019	B05	The Competitive Impacts of Exclusivity and Price Transparency in Markets with Digital Platforms	Paul Belleflamme, Martin Peitz
138/2019	C03	Can You Trust the Blockchain? The (Limited) Power of Peer-to-Peer Networks for Information Provision	Benedikt Franke, Qi Gao, André Stenzel
139/2019	A02	Can an Increase in the Minimum Age of Marriage Reduce Child Marriage Rates? Evidence from Mexico	Cristina Bellés-Obrero, Maria Lombardi
140/2019	B05	Ad Clutter, Time Use, and Media Diversity	Simon P. Anderson, Martin Peitz

141/2020	B06	Human Capitalists and the Global Division of Labor	Jan Schymik
142/2020	A03	The Emergence of Procyclical Fertility: The Role of Gender Differences in Employment Risk	Sena Coskun, Husnu C. Dalgic
143/2020	C03	Pricing for the Stars: Dynamic Pricing in the Presence of Rating Systems	André Stenzel, Christoph Wolf, Peter Schmidt
144/2020	C02	Estimating the Optimal Inflation Target from Trends in Relative Prices	Klaus Adam, Henning Weber
145/2020	B04	Hidden Testing and Selective Disclosure of Evidence	Claudia Herresthal
146/2020	B04	Robust Bidding and Revenue in Descending Price Auctions	Sarah Auster, Christian Kellner
147/2020	B05	Big Tech Mergers	Massimo Motta, Martin Peitz
148/2020	A01	Associative Memory and Belief Formation	Benjamin Enke, Frederik Schwerter, Florian Zimmermann
149/2020	B07	Complementarities in Behavioral Interventions: Evidence from a Field Experiment on Energy Conservation	Ximeng Fang, Lorenz Goette, Bettina Rockenbach, Matthias Sutter, Verena Tiefenbeck, Samuel Schoeb, Thorsten Staake
150/2020	B05	Student Performance and Loss Aversion	Heiko Karle, Dirk Engelmann, Martin Peitz

articles published in 2019

author(s)	proj.	title	journal/book	vol.	issue	pages
Steffen Altmann, Armin Falk, Paul Heidhues, Rajshri Jayaraman, Marrit Teilinck	A01	Defaults and Donations: Evidence from a Field Experiment	Review of Economics and Statistics	101	5	808-826
Mark Bernard, Thomas Dohmen, Arjan Non, Ingrid Rohde	A01	Menus of Contracts Determine Sorting Patterns	Journal of Economic Psychology	72		293-311
Benjamin Enke, Florian Zimmermann	A01	Correlation Neglect in Belief Formation	Review of Economic Studies	86	1	313-332
Paul Lohmann, Andreas Ponderfer, Katrin Rehdanz	A01	Natural Hazards and Well-Being in Small-Scale Island Society	Ecological Economics	159		344-353
Andreas Ponderfer	A01	The Perception of Climate Change: Comparative Evidence from the Small-Island Societies of Bougainville	Environmental Development	30		21-34

Julian Hidalgo, Michelle Sovinsky	A02	Forensic Econometrics: Demand Estimation when Data are Missing	Japanese Economic Review	70	3	403-410
Chloé Michel, Michelle Sovinsky, Eugenio Proto, Andrew J. Oswald	A02	Advertising as a Major Source of Human Dissatisfaction: Cross- National Evidence on One Million Europeans	in: M. Rojas (ed.), The Economics of Happi- ness: How the Easterlin Paradox Transformed Our Understanding of Well-Being and Progress			217-239
Effrosyni Adamopoulou, Emmanuele Bobbio, Marta De Philippis, Federico Giorgi	A03	Reallocation and the Role of Firm Composition Effects on Aggregate Wage Dynamics	IZA Journal of Labor Economics	8	3	1-24
Matthias Doepke, Michèle Tertilt	A03	Does Female Empower- ment Promote Economic Development?	Journal of Economic Growth	24		309-343
Jeremy Greenwood, Phillip Kircher, Cezar Santos, Michèle Tertilt	A03	An Equilibrium Model of the African HIV/AIDS Epidemic	Econometrica	87	4	1081-1113
Francesco Caselli, Antonio Ciccone	A04	The Human Capital Stock: A Generalized Approach: Comment	American Economic Review	109	3	1555-1174
Deniz Dizdar, Benny Moldovanu, Nora Szech	B01	The Feedback Effect in Two-Sided Markets with Bilateral Investments	Journal of Economic Theory	182		106-142
Alex Gershkov, Benny Moldovanu, Xianwen Shi	B01	Voting on Multiple Issues: What to Put on the Ballot?	Theoretical Economics	14	2	555-596
Hans Peter Grüner, Thomas Tröger	B01	Linear Voting Rules	Econometrica	87	6	2037-2077
Mengxi Zhang	B01	When the Principal Knows Better than the Agent: Subjective Evaluations as an Optimal Disclosure Mechanism	Journal of Economics and Management Strategy	28	4	631-655
Francesc Dilmé	B02	Pre-Trade Private Investments	Games and Economic Behavior	117		89-119
Francesc Dilmé, Fei Li	B02	Revenue Management without Commitment: Dynamic Pricing and Periodic Flash Sales	Review of Economic Studies	86	5	1999-2034
Markus Reisinger, Emanuele Tarantino	B02	Patent Pools, Vertical Integration, and Downstream Competition	RAND Journal of Economics	50	1	168-200

Patrick Arni, Amelie Schiprowski	B04	Job Search Requirements, Effort Provision and Labor Market Outcomes	Journal of Public Economics	169	C	65-88
Paul Belleflamme, Martin Peitz	B05	Platform Competition: Who Benefits from Multihoming?	International Journal of Industrial Organization	64		1-26
Paul Belleflamme, Martin Peitz	B05	Price Disclosure by Two- Sided Platforms	International Journal of Industrial Organization	67		
Paul Belleflamme, Martin Peitz	B05	Managing Competition on a Platform	Journal of Economics and Management Strategy	28		5-22
Laura Alfaro, Maggie Chen, Harald Fadinger	B06	Spatial Agglomeration and Superstar Firms: Firm-level Patterns from Europe and U.S.	in: Proceedings of the ECB Forum on Central Banking, 17-19 June 2019, Sintra, Portugal			152-183
Juan Carluccio, Alejandro Cuñat, Harald Fadinger, Christian Fons-Rosen	B06	Offshoring and Skill- Upgrading in French Manufacturing	Journal of International Economics	118		138-159
Mark A. Andor, Manuel Frondel, Andreas Gerster, Stephan Sommer	B07	Cognitive Reflection and the Valuation of Energy Efficiency	Energy Economics	84	S1	
Mark A. Andor, Andreas Gerster, Lorenz Götte	B07	How Effective is the European Union Energy Label? Evidence from a Real-Stakes Experiment	Environmental Research Letters	14	4	
Annette Cerulli- Harms, Lorenz Goette, Charles Sprenger	B07	Randomizing Endowments: An Experimental Study of Rational Expectations and Reference-Dependent Preferences	American Economic Journal: Microeconomics	11	1	185-207
Raphael Epperson, Christiane Reif	B07	Matching Subsidies and Voluntary Contributions: A Review	Journal of Economic Surveys	33	5	1578-1601
Lorenz Goette, Ching Leong, Neng Qian	B07	Motivating Household Water Conservation: A Field Experiment in Singapore	PLoS ONE	14	3	
Klaus Adam, Henning Weber	C02	Optimal Trend Inflation	American Economic Review	109	2	702-737
Dilek Bülbüla, Hendrik Hakenes, Claudia Lambert	C03	What Influences Banks' Choice of Credit Risk Management Practices? Theory and Evidence	Journal of Financial Stability	40		1-14

Matthias Fahn, Hendrik Hakenes	C03	Teamwork as a Self-Disciplining Device	American Economic Journal: Microeconomics	11	4	1-32
Zhengqing Gui, Ernst-Ludwig von Thadden, Xiaojian Zhao	C03	Incentive Compatibility, Limited Liability, and Costly Liquidation in Financial Contracting	Games and Economic Behavior	118		412-433
Andreas Engert, Tim Florstedt	C04	Geschäfte mit nahe-stehenden Personen aus empirischer Sicht – Zur Umsetzung des Art. 9c der reformierten Aktionärs-rechterichtlinie	ZIP: Zeitschrift für Wirtschaftsrecht	40	11	493-503
Felix Noth, Oliver Rehbein	C04	Badly Hurt? Natural Disasters and Direct Firm Effects	Finance Research Letters	28		254-258
Isabel Schnabel, Christian Seckinger	C04	Foreign Banks, Financial Crises and Economic Growth in Europe	Journal of International Money and Finance	95		70-94
Ulrich Schüwer, Claudia Lambert, Felix Noth	C04	How Do Banks React to Catastrophic Events? Evidence from Hurricane Katrina	Review of Finance	23	1	75-116

long-term visits

name/affiliation	period	host
Laura Lasio, McGill University	December 7 – 11, 2019	Project B03 (Mannheim)
Hanno Foerster, Boston College	December 17 – January 8, 2020	Project A03 (Mannheim)
Daniel Garret, Toulouse School of Economics	November 17 – 21, 2019	Project B02 (Bonn)
Roland Bénabou, Princeton University	January 12 – 17, 2020	briq (Bonn)
Christian Kellner, University of Southampton	March 1 – 31, 2020	Project B04 (Mannheim)
Botond Köszegi, Central European University	March 30 – April 3, 2020	briq (Bonn)
Ran Spiegler, Tel Aviv University	April 1 – 15, 2020	briq (Bonn)

internal CRC visits

name/affiliation	period	host
Raphael Epperson (B07)	January 6 – 20, 2020	Project B07 (Bonn)

new members

name	project	node	starting date
Mathijs Janssen	B03	Bonn	October 2019
Lingwei Wu	A03	Mannheim	October 2019
Amelie Schiprowski	B04	Bonn	November 2019
Wladislaw Mill	A01	Mannheim	January 2020
Vincenzo Mollisi	B07	Mannheim	January 2020
Beate Thies	B07	Mannheim	January 2020

Welcome!

leaving members

name/project	leaving time	new position
Daniel Fershtman (B01)	September 2019	Assistant Professor, Tel Aviv University
Sebastian Findeisen (A03)	October 2019	Professor, University of Konstanz
Miriam Buiten (B05)	February 2020	Assistant Professor, University of St. Gallen
Lucas Kiessling (A02)	February 2020	Research Fellow, Max Planck Institute for Research on Collective Goods, Bonn

miscellaneous

about	project	what/when/where
Michèle Tertilt	A03	Gave the Erich Schneider Memorial Lecture at the University of Kiel on December 5, 2019.
Ulrich Wagner	B07	Received an ERC Consolidator Grant for the project "Health, Labor, and Environmental Regulation in Post-Industrial Europe (HEAL)".
Isabel Schnabel	C04	Joined the Executive Board of the European Central Bank on January 1, 2020.

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