

Curriculum Vitae

Personal Details

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Academic Positions

- 2021 - present Assistant Professor (with Tenure Track), University of Bonn
 Successful Interim Evaluation 2024
Center for Advanced Studies in Law and Economics
- 2025 (Feb-March) Research Stay, Center for Law and Social Science (CLASS), Gould School of Law,
 University of Southern California, Los Angeles
Host: Daniel Klerman
- 2018 - 2021 Post-Doctoral Researcher, University of Würzburg (Akademische Rätin a.Z.)
Chair for Contract Theory and Information Economics
- 2014 - 2018 Research Fellow, Max-Planck Institute for Research on Collective Goods
Research Group "Behavioral Law and Economics"

Education

- 2014 - 2018 Ph.D. Economics (summa cum laude), University of Jena
 Within the IMPRS Uncertainty
Title: Institutional Solutions to Social Dilemmas: A Behavioral Economics Perspective
Advisors: Oliver Kirchkamp and Christoph Engel
- 2017 (Jan - March) Research Stay, Managerial Economics & Decision Sciences Department, Kellogg
 School of Management, Northwestern University, Evanston
Host: Peter Klibanoff
- 2012 - 2014 M.Sc. Economics, University of Bonn
- 2009 (Sept - Dec) Erasmus Exchange Semester, Erasmus University Rotterdam
- 2007 - 2012 B.A. Philosophy & Economics, University of Bayreuth

Research Focus

Behavioral and Experimental Economics, Law and Economics, Political Economy

Publications

Hillenbrand, A., and Hippel, S. (2025). Strategic Inattention in Product Search. *Management Science*. Articles in Advance: <https://doi.org/10.1287/mnsc.2022.03413>.

Media Coverage: Harvard Business Manager 06/2019: Fiese Filter, faz.net, Merkur.de

Chatziathanasiou, K., Hippel, S., and Kurschilgen, M. (2022). Does the Threat of Overthrow Discipline the Elites? Evidence from a Laboratory Experiment. *Journal of Legal Studies*, vol. 51 (June 2022).

Media Coverage: Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung, Nr. 167 (22.07.2019): Ökonomie der Verfassung.

Friehe, T., Hippel, S., and Schielke, A. (2021). Appeasing Yourself or Others? On the Use of Self-punishment and Compensation and How it Influences Punishment. *Journal of Economic Psychology*, 84 (2021) 102379.

Hippel, S., and Hoeppner, S. (2021). Contracts as Reference Points: A Replication. *International Review of Law and Economics*, 65 (2021) 105973.

Chatziathanasiou, K., Hippel, S., and Kurschilgen, M. (2020). Property, Redistribution, and the Status Quo: A Laboratory Study. *Experimental Economics*, 24 (2021) 919–951.

Hippel, S., and Hoeppner, S. (2019). Biased Judgements of Fairness in Bargaining: A Replication in the Laboratory. *International Review of Law and Economics*, 58 (2019): 63-74.

Working Paper

Herweg, F., Hippel, S., Römeis, F., and Müller, D. (2024). Axiom Preferences and Choice Mistakes under Risk. *CESifo Working Paper No. 11166*.

Hippel, S., Hoeppner, S., and Lomfeld, B. (2022). A Laboratory Experiment on Preferences for Sharing Losses in Insolvency.

Hippel, S. (2019). Testing the Informational Robustness of a Public Good Mechanism.

Engel, C., and Hippel, S. (2017). Experimental Social Planners: Good Natured, but Overly Optimistic. *Preprints of the Max Planck Institute for Research on Collective Goods, Bonn*, 2017/23.

Work in Progress

Herweg, F., Hippel, S., and Müller, D. (2023). An Experimental Test of Intransitive Theories for Choice under Risk.

Hippel, S., Hoeppner, S., and Nax, H. (2022). Replicating “Self-interest and Fairness: Self-serving Choices of Justice Principles”. As part of the Center for Open Science’s SCORE project: www.cos.io/score.

Dato, S., Hippel, S., Özgümüs, A. (2024). (No) Gender Bias in Teaching Evaluations with Consequences.

Scholarships and Programs

2017	NABE Foundation Scholarship for the 33 rd NABE Economic Policy Conference
2014 - 2018	International Max Planck Research School on Adapting Behavior in a Fundamentally Uncertain World (IMPRS Uncertainty), Max Planck Society
2009	Foreign Exchange Scholarship, Max Weber Program, Elite Network of Bavaria
2009 - 2014	Study Scholarship, Max Weber Program, Elite Network of Bavaria

Conferences and Seminars

2025

Jahrestagung des sozialwissenschaftlichen Ausschusses, Verein für Socialpolitik, Mannheim
 Rundtisch der Schweizerischen Eidgenössische Kommission für Konsumentenfragen (EKK) zum Weltverbrauchertag 2025, Bern and Remote
 Lunch Talk, Gould School of Law, University of Southern California, Los Angeles

2024

Conference for the Inauguration of the UZH Centre for Regulation in Contract Law, Zürich
 Jahrestagung Verein für Socialpolitik, Berlin
 ESA Europe Meeting, Helsinki
 EEA Meeting, Rotterdam
 21st Annual Conference of the German Law and Economics Association, Hamburg (discussant)
 D-TEA, Paris
 BEAM, Cornell University (participant)
 ALEA Annual Meeting, Michigan
 DICE Research Seminar, Düsseldorf

2023

Regulation Research Conference 2023, Regensburg
 15th Nordic Conference on Behavioural and Experimental Economics, Lund
 40th EALE Annual Conference, Berlin
 Jahrestagung des organisationsökonomischen Ausschusses, Verein für Socialpolitik, Würzburg (participant)
 ESA World Meeting, Lyon
 6th International Conference on the Political Economy of Democracy and Dictatorship, Münster

2022

13th GISFOH Symposium, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation & Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities, Jerusalem
Workshop on Context-Dependent Preferences, DFG-Projekt 440656074, Schweinfurt
GfeW-Jahrestagung, Salzburg
FGV Sao Paulo Law School, Remote
ESA Europe Meeting, Bologna
Women in Law & Finance Workshop, University of Frankfurt LawFin, Frankfurt
University of Duisburg-Essen, Mercator School of Management, Duisburg
19th Annual Conference of the German Law and Economics Association, Remote
University of Luxembourg & LISER, 3E DTU Seminar, Luxembourg
Jahrestagung des sozialwissenschaftlichen Ausschusses, Verein für Socialpolitik, Frankfurt

2021

Kolloquium Recht und Ökonomie Bonn, Remote
25th Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Remote

2020

ESA Global Online Meetings, Remote

2019

University of Bayreuth, Economics Research Seminar, Bayreuth
15th Bavarian Micro Day, Bayreuth
Jahrestagung des Vereins für Socialpolitik, Leipzig
GfeW-Jahrestagung, Düsseldorf
Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Barcelona
24th Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Brussels

2018

13th Nordic Conference on Behavioural and Experimental Economics, Odense
Jahrestagung des Vereins für Socialpolitik, Freiburg
ZEW, Research Group Market Design, Mannheim
JITE Conference, Florence (participant)
ESA World Meeting, Berlin
11th Maastricht Behavioral and Experimental Economics Symposium, Maastricht
Empirical Legal Studies Replication Conference, Claremont
Thurgau Experimental Economics Meeting, Kreuzlingen

2017

11th IMPRS Uncertainty Topics Workshop, Trento
ESA World Meeting, San Diego
Northwestern University, Kellogg School of Management, Evanston
33rd Annual NABE Economic Policy Conference, Washington, D.C.
NYU CESS 10th Annual Experimental Political Science Conference, New York

2016

10th Competition Law and Economics European Network Workshop, Bonn
10th IMPRS Uncertainty Topics Workshop, Jena (participant)
3rd WINIR Conference, Boston
ESA World Meeting, Jerusalem
PhD@maxlaw Workshop, MPI Private Law, Hamburg

2015

9th IMPRS Uncertainty Topics Workshop, Maastricht
9th IMPRS Uncertainty Summer School, Jena (participant)

2014

8th IMPRS Uncertainty Topics Workshop, Cologne (participant)
8th IMPRS Uncertainty Summer School, Jena (participant)

Teaching

2021 – present

Lecturer, Rechtsökonomie - Institutionen (Bachelor), University of Bonn
Lecturer, Rechtsökonomie - Grundlagen (Bachelor / Grundstudium Rechtswissenschaft), University of Bonn
Lecturer, Verbraucherschutz und Ökonomie (Bachelor / Schwerpunktstudium Rechtswissenschaft), University of Bonn

2021

Teaching Assistant, Advanced Microeconomics (Master), University of Würzburg

2020

Teaching Assistant, Contract Theory (Master), University of Würzburg
Examination Preparation Course, Advanced Microeconomics (Master), University of Würzburg
Seminar, The Economics of Fairness (Master), University of Würzburg
Teaching Assistant, Advanced Microeconomics (Master), University of Würzburg
Block Seminar, The Economics of Fairness (Bachelor), University of Bayreuth

2019

Lecturer, Contract Theory (Master), University of Würzburg
Summer School Course, Experimental Economics (Bachelor, Master, Ph.D.), Institute of Law and Economics, University of Hamburg
Teaching Assistant, Advanced Microeconomics (Master), University of Würzburg
Teaching Assistant, Ökonomische Theorie des Risikos (Bachelor), University of Würzburg

2018

Teaching Assistant, Advanced Microeconomics (Master), University of Würzburg
Teaching Assistant, Contract Theory (Master), University of Würzburg

2016

Project Module Supervisor, Management and Applied Microeconomics (Master), University of Bonn

Refereeing

Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization (2x)

Journal of Conflict Resolution

International Review of Law and Economics (2x)

Economic Modelling

Spring Meeting of Young Economists (2x)

Jahrestagung des Vereins für Socialpolitik (Offener Tagungsteil, Area: Law & Economics)

Selection Committee for the UGB-Awards (Doctoral Award, Bonn Award for Medicine, Initiative-Award),

Universitätsgesellschaft Bonn (annually since 2023)

Selection Committee for the University Selection of New Scholarship Holders of the Max Weber Program, Elite Network of Bavaria (annually since 2015)

Memberships

Cluster of Excellence ECONtribute: Markets & Public Policy

Transdisciplinary Research Area TRA 4: Individuals, Institutions and Societies

Sozialwissenschaftlicher Ausschuss des Vereins für Socialpolitik (Aspirant)

Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (Network-Member)

Organization of Conferences and Seminars

2021 - present	Co-Organizer, ECONtribute LawEcon Workshop, CASTLE, Bonn
2021 - present	Organizer, Kolloquium für Recht und Ökonomie, CASTLE, Bonn
2025	Organizer, Annual Meeting of the German Law and Economics Association (GLEA), upcoming
2023	Co-Organizer, 1st ECONtribute WIMLEEH Workshop for Women in Macroeconomics, Law and Economics and Economic History, Bonn
2022	Organizer, 10th Anniversary of the Bachelor's Program in Law & Economics, CASTLE, Bonn
2020	Local Co-Organizer, Jahrestagung des organisationsökonomischen Ausschusses, Verein für Socialpolitik, Würzburg (postponed due to Covid-19)
2008	Co-Organizer, V. Bayreuther Dialoge, Bayreuth incl. Conference Report, „Moralisierung der Märkte: Ein Rückblick auf die V. Bayreuther Dialoge“, <i>Zeitschrift für Wirtschafts- und Unternehmensethik</i> , 10/1, 2009, 147-151 (with Daniel Schubert)

Continuing Education

2021	Programming Course oTree, University of Oxford
2020 - 2021	SCIENTIA Early Career Qualification Program, University of Würzburg
2019 - 2020	Certificate for Teaching in Higher Education of the Bavarian Universities (ProfiLehre) - Basic Level
2016	Publication Workshop “How to Publish in Peer-Reviewed Journals”, MPI Bonn
2015	Commissioner Training of the Max Weber Program, Elite Network of Bavaria

Further Skills

Language	German (mother tongue), Englisch (fluent), French (basic)
IT	Stata, R, zTree, oTree, NetLogo (agent-based simulations), Latex, MS-Office University Courses in Matlab, Python and C++