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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Institutional Investors, Responsible Investing, Corporate Social Responsibility

EMPLOYMENT

Economist, Federal Reserve Board	<i>2022–present</i>
Postdoc in Finance, UVA Darden School of Business	<i>2019–2022</i>

EDUCATION

<i>PhD in Economics (with a concentration in Finance)</i> Catholic University Eichstätt-Ingolstadt, Germany	<i>2014–2018</i>
<i>MSc in Business Administration</i> Catholic University Eichstätt-Ingolstadt, Germany	<i>2011–2014</i>
Visiting Master Student, University of St. Gallen, Switzerland	<i>2012</i>
<i>BSc in Business Administration</i> Catholic University Eichstätt-Ingolstadt, Germany	<i>2008–2011</i>
Visiting Bachelor Student, University College Dublin, Ireland	<i>2010</i>

PUBLICATIONS

Russell Index Reconstitutions, Institutional Investors, and Corporate Social Responsibility <i>Critical Finance Review</i> , Forthcoming	<i>2020</i>
Investor Horizons, Long-Term Blockholders, and Corporate Social Responsibility <i>Journal of Banking & Finance</i> , Volume 103, Pages 78–97	<i>2019</i>

WORKING PAPERS

Do Responsible Investors Invest Responsibly?

(joint with Rajna Gibson Brandon, Philipp Krueger, Pedro Matos, and Tom Steffen)
Review of Finance, Revise & Resubmit
John L. Weinberg/IRRCi Research Paper Award (semi-finalist)
Fordham Gabelli – PVH Corp Global Thought Leadership Grant
ICPM Research Award

Repeat Offenders: ESG Incident Recidivism and Investor Underreaction

Cubist Systematic Strategies PhD Candidate Award for Outstanding Research

Do Institutional Investors Stabilize Equity Markets in Crisis Periods? Evidence from COVID-19

(joint with Pedro Matos, Stefano Ramelli, and Alexander F. Wagner)

Which Institutional Investors Drive Corporate Sustainability?

(joint with Marco Ceccarelli, Mikael Homanen, and Daniel Schmidt)

Decarbonizing Institutional Investor Portfolios

(joint with Vaska Atta-Darkua, Philipp Krueger, and Pedro Matos)

Catering Through Transparency: Voluntary ESG Disclosure by Asset Managers and Fund Flows

(joint with Marco Ceccarelli and Mikael Homanen)

The Investment Skill of ESG-Aware Mutual Funds

(joint with Marco Ceccarelli, Richard Evans, Mikael Homanen, and Ellie Luu)

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

2022: ARCS Research Conference*, Cornell ESG Investing Conference*, Cornerstone Research, Federal Reserve Board, Fulcrum Asset Management, ICPM Spring Discussion Forum*, McGill University, McMaster University, Midwest Finance Association, Moody's Analytics, UNSW Sydney

2021: ASBS COP26 ESG and Climate Finance*, Binghamton University, EasternFA, European Finance Association*, FMA, FSU SunTrust Beach, LSE Systemic Risk Centre*, Midwest Finance Association (2x), Monash Business School, Rutgers University Camden, SFS Cavalcade North America, University of Delaware Weinberg Center/ECGI Symposium*, University of Exeter, University of Nottingham, University of Ottawa, University of San Diego, Utrecht University, Virtual Asset Management Seminar Series

2020: American Finance Association*, FMA, GRASFI, ICPM Virtual Fall Discussion Forum*, PRI Academic Week, Schroders Systematic Investments*, University of Leuphana, UVA Darden Business School*, Vanguard ESG Investing*

2019: PRI Knowledge Sharing Session*, SMU-TBLI*, Sustainable Finance Forum*, UVA Darden Business School

2018: AEFIN Finance Forum, AFFI, University of Lille, Western Finance Association

2017: AEFIN Finance Forum, AFFI, DGF (poster session), EFMA, EUROFIDAI Paris December, PFMC, PRI Academic Network

(* presented by coauthor)

MEDIA COVERAGE

2021: Agenda, City A.M., Columbia Law School Blue Sky Blog, Darden Ideas to Action, Forbes, Harvard Law School Forum on Corporate Governance, PRI Blog, YouTube Science Animated

2020: Bloomberg, Harvard Law School Forum on Corporate Governance, Institutional Investor, Neue Zürcher Zeitung

2018: Forbes

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

John L. Weinberg/IRRCi Research Paper Award (semi-finalist)	2021
ICPM Research Award	2020
Fordham Gabelli – PVH Corp Global Thought Leadership Grant	2020
WFI Ingolstadt School of Management Best PhD Dissertation Award	2019
McKinsey Firsthand Program	2016–2018
PhD Scholarship from the Friedrich-Naumann-Stiftung für die Freiheit	2016–2018
Cubist Systematic Strategies PhD Candidate Award for Outstanding Research	2018
Master of Science with Distinction	2014

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Referee: *Critical Finance Review, European Journal of Finance, Financial Review, Journal of Banking & Finance, Journal of Business Ethics, Journal of Economics & Management Strategy, Management Science, Review of Financial Studies*

Discussant: China International Conference in Finance 2021, Eastern Finance Association 2021, FIRS Annual Conference 2021, FMA Conference 2021, FMA Conference 2020, Geneva Summit on Sustainable Finance 2020, AEFIN Finance Forum 2018, AFFI International Conference 2018, AEFIN Finance Forum 2017, AFFI International Conference 2017, EFMA 2017, Paris Financial Management 2017

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Risk Management (Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt) 2015–2018
Master-level course, Teaching Assistant in 2015, 2016, 2017, and 2018
Average student evaluation over four courses: 1.65 (1.00 best, 5.00 worst)

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Data science: R (data.table, dplyr, ggplot2, lfe), Python, Stata, SQL, Matlab, Excel

Machine Learning: Python TensorFlow/Keras, Scikit-learn

Web crawling/scraping: Python Beautiful Soup

Software development: Github, Linux/Unix

LANGUAGES

German (native), English (fluent), French (basic)

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