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EDUCATION

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| 2021 – present | Ph.D., Economics, Boston University , Boston, MA. Expected May 2027.
Dissertation title: Essays in Economic History
Dissertation committee: Martin Fiszbein, James Feigenbaum, David Lagakos |
| 2018 – 2019 | M.Sc., Economics, London School of Economics , London, UK. High Merit. |
| 2015 – 2018 | B.Sc., Economics, University of Mannheim , Mannheim, Germany.
First-class degree |

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Economic History, Innovation, Economic Growth

WORKING PAPERS

“Engineering Germany’s Industrial Success: Engineering Societies, Patents, and the 19th-Century Catch-Up.” *Job Market Paper*.

“Drained Natural Assets: Pricing the Ecosystem Services of U.S. Peatlands” (with Nils Lieber).

“Agricultural Roots of Industrial Success: How German Viticulture Shaped ‘Hidden Champions.’”

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

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| 2023 | Best Second-Year Paper Award, Department of Economics, Boston University |
| 2021 – present | Graduate Student Fellowship, Boston University |
| 2016 – 2019 | Scholarship, German National Academic Foundation (Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes awarded for merit) |

WORK EXPERIENCE

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| 2019 – 2021 | Research Assistant for Professor Antonio Ciccone, University of Mannheim.
Empirical research on economic growth with historical data. |
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TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Boston University, Department of Economics

Teaching Fellow

2022 – 2024	Introductory Macroeconomic Analysis (EC 102), undergraduate level
2025	A Century of Macroeconomics: History, Thought, and Policy (EC 490BB), undergraduate level
2025	Introductory Microeconomic Analysis (EC 101), undergraduate level

Teaching Assistant

2024 – 2025	Economic Institutions in Historical Perspective (EC 365), undergraduate level
2024 – 2025	Economic Institutions in Historical Perspective (EC 565), master's level

LANGUAGES AND COMPUTER SKILLS

Languages	German (native), English (fluent)
Software	Stata (advanced), L ^A T _E X (advanced), QGIS, Python, R
Citizenship	Germany / F-1 visa

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