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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS	Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) , Cambridge, MA Silverman (1968) Family Career Development Chair, 2018 – present Assistant Professor of Economics, 2017 – present Stanford University , Stanford, CA SIEPR Visiting Fellow, 2019 – 2020 Institute on Behavior and Inequality (briq) , Bonn, Germany Postdoctoral Researcher, 2016 – 2017	
EDUCATION	Harvard University , Cambridge, MA Ph.D in Economics, 2016 <i>Essays in Labor and Public Economics</i> Committee: Lawrence Katz (chair), Raj Chetty, Edward Glaeser, and Andrei Shleifer A.M. in Economics, 2013 University of Bonn , Bonn, Germany Master of Science in Economics, 2008 – 2010 University of California, Berkeley , Berkeley, CA Visiting Student in Economics, 2008 – 2009 University of Bonn , Bonn, Germany Bachelor of Science, 2006 – 2008	
AFFILIATIONS	Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL), Cambridge, MA Research Affiliate Einaudi Institute, Rome, Italy Visiting Researcher Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR), London, UK Research Affiliate National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER), Cambridge, MA Faculty Research Fellow Institute on Behavior and Inequality (briq), Bonn, Germany Research Affiliate CESifo Research Network, Munich, Germany Affiliate Member Harvard University, Institute for Quantitative Social Science (IQSS) Research Affiliate	2019 – present 2019 2018 – present 2017 – present 2017 – present 2017 – present 2013 – 2016

Harvard Kennedy School, Multidisciplinary Program in
Inequality and Social Policy, Doctoral Fellow 2012 – 2016

IZA Institute of Labor Economics, Bonn, Germany
Research Affiliate 2009 – present

AWARDS,
GRANTS, AND
SCHOLARSHIPS

W.E. Upjohn Institute Early Career Research Award (with Benjamin Schoefer) 2020
MIT Policy Lab 2020
Sloan Foundation, Grant G-2018-10089 (with Benjamin Schoefer) 2019
National Science Foundation (with Benjamin Schoefer) 2019
Washington Center for Equitable Growth (with Benjamin Schoefer) 2019
Stiftung Grundeinkommen 2019
Steven H. Sandell Research Grant (with Benjamin Schoefer) 2018
Sloan Foundation, Presidential Grant (with Benjamin Schoefer) 2017
CESifo Distinguished Affiliate Prize (co-winner) 2017
David A. Wells Prize for Best Dissertation in Economics, Harvard University 2016
W.E. Upjohn Institute Dissertation Award, First Prize 2016
Chiles Fellowship, Harvard University 2015 – 2016
NBER Pre-Doctoral Fellowship 2014 – 2015
Humane Studies Fellowship 2014 – 2015
Taubman Center, Urban Dissertation Fellowship, Harvard University 2014 – 2015
Harvard University, IQSS Research Grant 2014
Bradley Fellowship 2013 – 2015
Douglas Dillon Fellowship Fund 2011 – 2012
Harvard Graduate School of Arts and Sciences Stipend 2010 – 2012
Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes, ERP Fellowship Program 2010 – 2012
Bonn Graduate School of Economics Fellowship 2009 – 2010
Fulbright Fellowship 2008 – 2009

RESEARCH
PAPERS

“Worker Beliefs About Rents and Outside Options”
(with Christopher Roth, Nina Roussille, and Benjamin Schoefer)

“Voice at Work”
(with Jarkko Harju and Benjamin Schoefer)

“Long-Term Effects of Equal Sharing: Evidence from Inheritance Rules for Land,” (with Charlotte Bartels and Natalie Obergruber)

“Marginal Jobs and Job Surplus: A Test of the Efficiency of Separations,” (with Benjamin Schoefer and Josef Zweimüller)
Revise and resubmit, *Review of Economic Studies*.

“How Substitutable are Workers? Evidence from Worker Deaths,” (with Jörg Heining)
Revise and resubmit, *American Economic Review*.

“Paying Outsourced Labor: Direct Evidence from Linked Temp Agency-Worker-Client Data”
(with Andres Drenik, Pascuel Plotkin, and Benjamin Schoefer)
Review of Economics and Statistics, accepted.

“What Does Codetermination Do?” (with Shakked Noy and Benjamin Schoefer)
ILR Review, forthcoming.

“Labor in the Boardroom” (with Benjamin Schoefer and Jörg Heining)
Quarterly Journal of Economics, (2021) 136(2), 669-725. (lead article)

“Wages and the Value of Nonemployment,” (with Benjamin Schoefer, Samuel Young, and Josef Zweimüller)
Quarterly Journal of Economics, (2020) 135 (4), 1905-1963.

“A Permutation Test for the Regression Kink Design,” (with Peter Ganong)
Journal of the American Statistical Association (2018) 113:522, 494-504.

“Learning about job search: A field experiment with job seekers in Germany,” (with Steffen Altmann, Armin Falk, and Florian Zimmermann)
Journal of Public Economics 164 (2018): 33-49.

“Complex Tax Incentives.” (with Johannes Abeler)
American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, 7 (3):1-28, August 2015.

POLICY PAPER “Codetermination and Power in the Workplace,” (with Shakked Noy and Benjamin Schoefer)
Invited policy paper, Economic Policy Institute: EPI Unequal Power Project Essay Series

OVERVIEW PAPER “The German Model: Labor Market and Corporate Governance Institutions,” (with Benjamin Schoefer)
In progress, invited for consideration in the *Journal of Economic Perspectives*

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES Refereeing:
AEJ: Applied Economics, *AEJ: Economic Policy*, *American Economic Review*, *AER: Insights, Econometrica*, *Economic Journal*, *European Economic Review*, *German-Israeli Foundation for Scientific Research and Development*, *Israel Science Foundation*, *Journal of Human Resources*, *Journal of the European Economic Association*, *Journal of Labor Economics*, *Journal of Political Economy*, *Journal of Public Economics*, *Journal of Urban Economics*, *Labour Economics*, *Management Science*, *National Science Foundation*, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, *Review of Economics Studies*, *Quarterly Journal of Economics*

Program Committee:
NBER Summer Institute in Labor Economics 2021, *Society of Labor Economists*, *Annual Meeting 2021*

Seminar Presentations (2016 – present):
London School of Economics, *University College London*, *Massachusetts Institute of Technology*, *University of Chicago Economics*, *University of Chicago Booth School of Business*, *Kellogg School of Management*, *Harvard Business School EM*, *Harvard Business School NOM*, *Columbia University*, *CESifo*, *LMU Munich*, *Stockholm University*, *CPB Netherlands Bureau for Economic Policy Analysis*, *HU Berlin*, *University of Zurich*, *Hebrew University of Jerusalem*, *Stanford Graduate School of Business*, *University Düsseldorf*, *Goethe University Frankfurt*, *Tinbergen Institute Amsterdam*, *University of Mannheim*, *Institute for International Economic Studies (Stockholm)*, *University of Bonn*, *University of Bristol*, *IFS/STICERD*, *UC Santa Barbara*, *Boston University*, *Harvard University*, *UC Berkeley*, *University of Regensburg*, *Universidad Carlos III Madrid*, *UCLA Anderson*, *U Montreal*, *U Mass Amherst*, *UC Santa Cruz*, *CREST*, *INSEAD*, *Columbia*, *Stanford*, *LSE*, *UBC*, *Princeton*

TEACHING **Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)**, Cambridge, MA
Graduate Labor Economics (14.662), Spring 2018, Spring 2019, Spring 2021, Spring 2022
Economics Research and Communication (14.33), Spring 2018, Spring 2019, Spring 2021, Spring 2022
Symposium on Discrimination (14.193), Fall 2020

Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

Graduate Public Economics, Fall 2012 and 2013, Teaching Fellow for Raj Chetty,
Certificate of Distinction in Teaching, Derek Bok Center, Harvard University