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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2016 – present RWI, Researcher, Research Division “Macroeconomics and Public Finance”
2016 – present University of Duisburg-Essen, Lecturer
2015 – 2016 Leuphana University Lüneburg, Lecturer
2011 – 2015 University of Hamburg, Research Assistant, Department Macroeconomics and Quantitative Policy Analysis
2013 Eesti Pank (Estonian Central Bank), Visiting Researcher
2009 – 2011 Infas Institute GmbH, Market Research Interviewer

EDUCATION

2011 – 2015 Dr.rer.pol. (PhD Economics), Hamburg Graduate School of Economics
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Michael Funke
Doctoral thesis: “Four essays in Markov-switching DSGE and Markov-switching VAR models” (magna cum laude)
2008 – 2011 Economics, Friedrich-Wilhelms University of Bonn (Master of Science)
2005 – 2008 Economics and Management, Otto-von-Guericke University of Magdeburg (Bachelor of Science)

PROJECTS

Since 2016 Joint economic forecast for the German Federal Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy

PUBLICATIONS

Articles in Refereed Journals

Blagov, B., Funke, M. (2018), “The Regime-Dependent Evolution of Credibility: A Fresh Look at Hong Kong’s Linked Exchange Rate System”, *Macroeconomic Dynamics*, pp 1-35, DOI: 10.1017/S136510051700075X

Blagov, B. (2018), "Financial Crises and Time-Varying Risk Premia in a Small Open Economy: A Markov-Switching DSGE Model for Estonia", *Empirical Economics*. Vol. 54: 1017--1060. DOI: 10.1007/s00181-017-1256-z

Blagov, B., Funke, M. (2016), "The Credibility of Hong Kong's Currency Board System: Looking Through the Prism of MS-VAR Models with Time-Varying Transition Probabilities". *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* (forthcoming). DOI: 10.1111/obes.12148

Articles in other journals

Döhrn, R., G. Barabas, B. Blagov, P. Jäger, R. Jessen, M. Micheli, S. Rujin and T. Schmidt (2018), Außenwirtschaftliche Unsicherheit bremst deutsche Konjunktur. *RWI Konjunkturberichte* 69 (2): 5-19.

Döhrn, R., G. Barabas, B. Blagov, A. Fuest, H. Gebhardt, R. Jessen, M. Micheli, S. Rujin and L. Zwick (2018), Die wirtschaftliche Entwicklung im Inland: Konjunktur-Hoch hält an, aber Wolken am Horizont. *RWI Konjunkturberichte* 69 (1): 41-97.

Schmidt, T., B. Blagov, R. Döhrn, D. Grozea-Helmenstein, P. Jäger, M. Micheli and S. Rujin (2018), Die wirtschaftliche Entwicklung im Ausland: Leichte Dämpfer für die Weltwirtschaft. *RWI Konjunkturberichte* 69 (1): 5-39.

Döhrn, R., G. Barabas, B. Blagov, A. Fuest, H. Gebhardt, M. Micheli, S. Rujin, T. Schmidt and L. Zwick (2017), Aufschwung bleibt kräftig – Kapazitäten zunehmend ausgelastet. *RWI Konjunkturberichte* 68 (4): 5-21.

Schmidt, T., B. Blagov, R. Döhrn, D. Grozea-Helmenstein, P. Jäger, M. Micheli and S. Rujin (2017), Die wirtschaftliche Entwicklung im Ausland: Aufschwung auf breiter Basis. *RWI Konjunkturberichte* 68 (3): 5-19.

Döhrn, R., G. Barabas, B. Blagov, A. Fuest, H. Gebhardt, P. Jäger, M. Micheli, S. Rujin and T. Schmidt (2017), Weiterhin gute Konjunktur. *RWI Konjunkturberichte* 68 (2): 5-15.

Döhrn, R., G. Barabas, B. Blagov, A. Fuest, H. Gebhardt, P. Jäger, M. Micheli and S. Rujin (2017), Die wirtschaftliche Entwicklung im Inland: Konjunktur weiter von Binnenwirtschaft getragen. *RWI Konjunkturberichte* 68 (1): 33-91.

Schmidt, T., B. Blagov, R. Döhrn, D. Grozea-Helmenstein, P. Jäger, M. Micheli and S. Rujin (2017), Die wirtschaftliche Entwicklung im Ausland: Leichte Belebung der internationalen Konjunktur. *RWI Konjunkturberichte* 68 (1): 6-32.

Döhrn, R., G. Barabas, B. Blagov, A. Fuest, H. Gebhardt, P. Jäger, M. Micheli, S. Rujin and T. Schmidt (2016), Außenwirtschaftliche Faktoren dämpfen deutsche Konjunktur. *RWI Konjunkturberichte* 67 (4): 5-15.

Schmidt, T., B. Blagov, R. Döhrn, D. Grozea-Helmenstein, P. Jäger, M. Micheli and S. Rujin (2016), Die wirtschaftliche Entwicklung im Ausland: Stabilisierung der Konjunktur auf niedrigem Niveau. *RWI Konjunkturberichte* 67 (3): 5-24.

Discussion Papers

Blagov, B., Funke, M., Moessner, R. (2015), "Modelling the Time Variation in Euro Area Lending Spreads", BIS Working Paper No. 526.

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

2016	Macroeconometric Workshop (Berlin)
2015	Macroeconometric Workshop (Berlin), European Seminar on Bayesian Econometrics (Gerzensee), Verein für Socialpolitik (Münster), 23rd Symposium of the Society of Nonlinear Dynamics and Econometrics (Oslo)
2014	1st International Association for Applied Econometrics (London), Swiss Society of Economics Annual Congress: Post-Crisis Macroeconomics (Bern), Doctoral Seminar (Hamburg)
2013	Macroeconomic Seminar University of Tartu (Tartu), Doctoral Seminar (Hamburg), Eesti Pank Open Seminar (Tallinn)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2017 – 2018	Winter term, Lecturer “Macroeconomics for interdisciplinary study programs”, University of Duisburg-Essen, B.Sc. level
2016 – 2017	Winter term, Lecturer “Macroeconomics for interdisciplinary study programs”, University of Duisburg-Essen, B.Sc. level
2015 – 2016	Winter term, Lecturer “Mathematics for Business and Economics”, Leuphana University Lüneburg, B.Sc. level
2015	Summer term, Teaching Assistant “Statistics and Econometrics”, University of Hamburg, B.Sc. level
2014 – 2015	Winter term, Principal Teaching Assistant, “Macroeconomics”, University of Hamburg, B.Sc. level
2014	Summer term, Teaching Assistant “Statistics and Econometrics”, University of Hamburg, B.Sc. level
2013 – 2014	Winter term, Teaching Assistant, “Macroeconomics”, University of Hamburg, B.Sc. level
2013	Summer term, Teaching Assistant “Economic Developments in China”, University of Hamburg, B.Sc. level
2013	Summer term, Teaching Assistant “Statistics and Econometrics”, University of Hamburg, B.Sc. level
2012 – 2013	Winter term, Lecturer, “Mathematics and Statistics”, University of Hamburg, B.Sc. level
2012 – 2013	Winter term, Teaching Assistant, “Macroeconomics”, University of Hamburg, B.Sc. level
2012	Summer term, Teaching Assistant “Economic Developments in China”, University of Hamburg, B.Sc. level
2011 – 2012	Summer term, Teaching Assistant, Macroeconomics, University of Hamburg, B.Sc. level

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

Bulgarian	Native language
English	Fluent at professional level
German	Fluent at professional level
Spanish	Beginner