

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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### CURRENT POSITIONS

I am a Senior Lecturer in Economics at the University of Innsbruck (UIBK) and the Management Center Innsbruck (MCI), where I teach courses from undergraduate to PhD level, primarily in microeconomics, macroeconomics, and game theory. In addition, I work as a Postdoctoral Research Fellow at the University of Neuchâtel (UNINE), where my research focuses on the dynamics of economic democratization through cooperatives, with a particular emphasis on consumer-owned food retailers.

My academic expertise lies in the design and analysis of social and economic surveys, as well as in the fields of mechanism design and development economics. As a member of ECOPOL, I contribute to interdisciplinary research on the social networks of political actors in Spain.

I hold a PhD in Economics from the University of Innsbruck, awarded for my work on mechanism design and development policy.

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### EDUCATION

2020	PHD IN ECONOMICS Thesis: <i>Essays on Allocation Procedures in Behavioral Economics</i> Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Markus Walzl
2015	MSC IN ECONOMICS University of Innsbruck, Austria
2012	BSC IN MATHEMATICS University of Innsbruck, Austria
2007	HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION BORG Wr.Neustadt, Austria
2005	EXCHANGE STUDENT YEAR Santa Maria, RS, Brazil

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## PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

Since 2024	Post-doctoral Research Fellow University of Neuchâtel, Switzerland Economic democratization within and through consumer owned food retailers.
Since 2024	Senior Lecturer Position University of Innsbruck, Austria Teaching in Micro- and Macroeconomics.
Since 2021	Post-doctoral Research Fellow ECOPOL Project, Madrid, Spain Network analysis of protest events in Spain between 2000 and 2020.
2016 - 2020	PhD Candidate University of Innsbruck, Austria Mechanism Design and Development Economics.
2014	Field Research in Namibia Realizing economic experiments in 32 villages of Ohangwena Region, Namibia.
2013 - 2016	Research Assitant University of Innsbruck, Austria Experiment Design, Theory Development, Data Analysis, Exam Development.

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## TEACHING

Since 2016	University of Innsbruck <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Public Sector Economics - Lecture and Seminar</li><li>• Game Theory - Master and PhD Seminar</li><li>• Markets and Market Failure - Seminar</li><li>• Economic Decision Theory - Seminar</li><li>• Introduction to Economics - Seminar</li><li>• Mathematics - Seminar</li></ul>
Since 2016	MCI Innsbruck <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Micro- and Macroeconomics - Lecture and Seminar</li><li>• Mathematics and Statistics - Lecture and Seminar</li></ul>

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## PUBLICATIONS

Nicholas Pohl, Fabian Petutschnig, Philip Balsiger, and Victoria Becerril. Consumer-driven economic democracy: A new perspective? *In preparation*.

Daniel Lopez, Nicholas Pohl, Fabian Petutschnig, Olivier Fillieule, and Eudardo Romanos. Meso-dynamics in episodes of contention: Insights from a longitudinal and relational protest event analysis on Spain (2000-2020). *Submitted to Research in Social Movements (RSMCC)*, 2025

Björn Volla, Esther Blanco, Ivo Steimanis, Fabian Petutschnig, and Sebastian Prediger. Procedural fairness and nepotism among local traditional and democratic leaders in rural Namibia. *Science Advances*, 6(15):eaay7651, 2020

Fabian Petutschnig, Benjamin Pichl, and Markus Walzl. The effects of peer-advice in course bidding. *To be submitted*.

Fabian Petutschnig, Benjamin Pichl, and Markus Walzl. Group dynamics outplay individual strategy in course bidding. *To be submitted*.

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## CONFERENCES & TALKS

Trento 2022	Critical Margins Conference (June 16 <sup>th</sup> ) Talk Topic: How civil society organizations, organized labor, and political parties interact in protest arenas: Insights from Spain (2000-2017)
Linz 2019	PhD Seminar (Sep 23 <sup>th</sup> ) Talk Topic: Advice in Course Bidding Markets
Innsbruck 2017	Workshop on Matching & Market Design (Sep 12 <sup>th</sup> – 13 <sup>th</sup> ) Talk Topic: Point Bidding vs. Random Serial Dictatorship - A Lab Experiment on Mechanism Choice
Münster 2017	PEDD Conference (Feb 22 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> ) Talk Topic: Incentivizing Local Democracy
Innsbruck 2017	PhD Seminar (Feb 6 <sup>th</sup> ) Talk Topic: Incentivizing Local Democracy
Hamburg 2015	11th AURÖ Workshop for Young Academics (Feb 9 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> ) Talk Topic: Leadership and Procedural Justice - A Field Experiment in Namibia

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## SUMMER SCHOOLS

Trento 2017      Reaction Workshop (Sep 5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup>)  
Statistical Computing with R

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## SKILLS

Languages	German (native), English (fluent), Portuguese (fluent), Spanish (fluent), Arabic (basic)
Computing	R, Stata, Matlab, C, Java, VB, Maple, Wolfram Mathematica, Z-tree

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## REFERENCES

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