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## Appointments

<b>University of Mannheim – Business School</b> Assistant Professor of Business, Mannheim Institute for Sustainable Energy Studies	Mannheim, DE 2021 – now
<b>Duke University – Fuqua School of Business, Nicholas School of the Environment</b> Visiting Scholar	Durham, US 2025
<b>Harvard University – Harvard Business School</b> Climate Fellow, Institute for the Study of Business in Global Society	Boston, US 2023 – 2024
<b>Stanford University – Graduate School of Business</b> Visiting Scholar	Palo Alto, US 2022

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## Education

<b>University of Mannheim – Business School</b> Post-Doctorate in Business, Mannheim Institute for Sustainable Energy Studies	Mannheim, DE 2019 – 2021
<b>Technical University of Munich – School of Management</b> Dr in Business (Summa cum laude)	Munich, DE 2016 – 2019
<b>Stanford University – Graduate School of Business</b> Visiting Student Researcher	Palo Alto, US 2015, 2018
<b>Massachusetts Institute of Technology – MIT Energy Initiative</b> Visiting Student Researcher	Boston, US 2016
<b>Technical University of Munich – School of Management</b> MSc in Management & Technology	Munich, DE 2013 – 2016
<b>Tsinghua University – School of Economics and Management</b> Exchange Semester MSc in Economics & Management	Beijing, CN 2014 – 2015
<b>Technical University of Munich – School of Management</b> BSc in Management & Technology	Munich, DE 2010 – 2013

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## Research

<b>Constructing Carbon Abatement Cost Curves</b> With R. Meier and S. Reichelstein, working paper	2025
<b>Assessing the Cost of Decarbonizing Vehicle Fleets</b> With K. Gschwind and S. Reichelstein, working paper	2025
<b>An Accounting Architecture for Corporate CO<sub>2</sub>-Statements</b> With S. Reichelstein, A. Bach, and C. Ernst, working paper	2025

<b>Policy Support for Electrolytic Hydrogen: Impact of Alternative Carbon Accounting Rules</b> With P. Holler and S. Reichelstein, working paper	2025
<b>Corporate Carbon Accounting: Current Practices and Opportunities for Research</b> , Volume 19, Issue 3-4, pp. 96-126, solicited.	Foundations and Trends® in Accounting 2025
<b>Advances in Power-to-Gas Technologies: Cost and Conversion Efficiency</b> With P. Holler and S. Reichelstein, Journal Impact Factor: 32.5	Energy & Environmental Science 2023
<b>The Economic Dynamics of Competing Power Generation Sources</b> With S. Reichelstein, Volume 168, 112758, Journal Impact Factor: 16.8	Renewable & Sustainable Energy Reviews 2022
<b>Reversible Power-to-Gas Systems for Energy Conversion and Storage</b> With S. Reichelstein, Volume 13, pp. 1-10, Journal Impact Factor: 17.7	Nature Communications 2022
<b>Transitioning to Clean Energy Transportation Services: Life-cycle Cost for Vehicle Fleets</b> With S. Comello and S. Reichelstein, Volume 285, 116408, Journal Impact Factor: 11.4	Applied Energy 2021
<b>Synergistic Value in Vertically Integrated Power-to-Gas Energy Systems</b> With S. Reichelstein, Volume 29, Issue 3, pp. 526-546, Journal in FT50 and UTD24	Production & Operations Management 2020
<b>Economics of Converting Renewable Power to Hydrogen</b> With S. Reichelstein, Volume 4, pp. 216-222, Journal Impact Factor: 67.4	Nature Energy 2019

### Honors, Grants, and Fellowships

University of Mannheim, Business School: Junior Researcher Award	2021, 2024
AACSB: 2024 Class of Influential Leaders	2024
UC Berkeley: Haas Sustainable Business Research Prize (finalist)	2024
Harvard University: Climate Fellowship	2023
German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs: Research Grant (€427,788 with S. Reichelstein)	2022
Bundesverband Alternative Investments: Science Award	2021
Gregor Louisoder Umweltstiftung: Research Award in Economic Sciences	2021
Willi-Dauberschmidt-Stiftung: Award for Extraordinary Academic Achievements	2016, 2021
State of Baden-Württemberg: Research Grant (€503,828 with S. Reichelstein)	2020
European Energy Exchange: Research Excellence Award	2020
EFMD: Outstanding Doctoral Research Award	2020
German Economic Association of Business Administration (GEABA): Best Paper Award	2019
Joachim Herz Stiftung: Add-on Fellowship Economics	2019
Dr. Tyczka Energiestiftung: Research Award	2019
Technische Universität München: Research Excellence Program	2018
Hanns-Seidel-Stiftung: PhD Stipend	2017
University of Mannheim: PhD Stipend	2016
German Academic Exchange Service: PROMOS	2015, 2016
The Boston Consulting Group: Fast Forward	2015
Government of China: Exchange Scholarship	2014
Government of Bavaria: Max Weber-Programm	2014
Government of Germany: Deutschlandstipendium	2012
Technische Universität München: Finance and Accounting Selected Talents	2012

### Conference and Seminar Presentations

European Accounting Association: Annual Meeting	2025
IESE Business School: Workshop on Corporate Carbon Accounting and Reporting	2025
University of Pennsylvania: Workshop at the Wharton School	2025

North Carolina State University: Accounting Research Seminar at the Poole College of Management	2025
Duke University: EDGE Research Seminar at the Fuqua School of Business	2025
Duke University: Seminar at the Nicholas School of the Environment	2024, 2025
Alliance for Research on Corporate Sustainability: Annual Meeting	2022 – 2023, 2025
Harvard Business School: Accounting Research Seminar	2024
Massachusetts Institute of Technology: Research Seminar by the Aggregate Confusion Project	2024
Stanford University: Organizations and Environmental Sustainability Conference	2024
Accounting for Transparency (TRR 266): Annual Conference	2020 – 2022, 2024
University of Mannheim: Decarbonization Seminar	2022 – 2024
Accountability in a Sustainable World: Annual Meeting	2023
Center for Economic Policy Research: Carbon Emission Pledges and Corporate Decarbonization Initiatives	2023
University of Massachusetts: Conference on Corporate Social Responsibility	2023
Leibniz Center for European Economic Research: Mannheim Energy Conference	2018 – 2019, 2021 – 2023
Stanford University: Corporate Carbon Disclosure Conference	2022
Goethe University: Accounting Research Seminar	2022
Stanford University: Accounting Research Seminar	2022
Stanford University: Smart Grid Seminar	2021
Karlsruhe Institute of Technology: Energy Conference	2021
Verein für Socialpolitik: Annual Meeting	2019
American Accounting Association: Annual Meeting	2019
German Academic Association for Business Research: Annual Meeting	2018 – 2019
German Economic Association of Business Administration: Annual Meeting	2018 – 2019
6 <sup>th</sup> Lindau Meeting on Economic Sciences	2017
ETH: PhD Academy	2017

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### Teaching

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#### University of Mannheim

##### Instructor

Decarbonization Seminar (PhD)	2021 – now
Seminar on Corporate Decarbonization (MSc)	2022 – now
Rapid Decarbonization: Challenges and Opportunities for Business (BSc)	2022
Advanced Microeconomics (PhD)	2022
Seminar in Management Accounting (MSc)	2020 – 2021
Supervision of BSc, MSc, and Doctoral students	2019 – now

#### Stanford University

##### Instructor

Sustainable Energy Interdisciplinary Graduate Seminar (MSc & PhD)	2022
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#### Technische Universität München

##### Instructor

Advanced Corporate Valuation Seminar (MSc)	2017 – 2018
Introduction to Business Administration (BSc)	2018
Advanced Case Study Seminar (MSc)	2016 – 2017
Supervision of BSc and MSc students	2016 – 2019

##### Teaching Assistant

Cost Accounting (BSc)	2016
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### Affiliations and Academic Service

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#### Research Affiliations

MITeI – Center for Energy and Environmental Policy Research (CEEPR)	2016 – now
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ZEW – Leibniz Centre for European Economic Research	2024 – now
Advisory Board	
Cell Reports Sustainability	2023 – now
Ad-hoc Reviewer	
Accounting Horizons, Applied Energy, Energy & Environmental Science, Energy Policy, European Accounting Review, Foundations and Trends in Accounting, German Research Foundation, Journal of Business Economics, Journal of Production Economics, Joule, Nature, Nature Communications, Nature Energy, Nature Sustainability, Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews, Resources for the Future, Review of Accounting Studies, Schmalenbach Journal of Business Research, Swiss National Science Foundation	
University of Mannheim	
Dissertation committee: Rebecca Meier (Kearney)	2023 – now
Acquisition and administration of research grants	2020 – now
Organization of research seminars and workshops	2021 – now
Acquisition and management of corporate supporters	2020 – now
Hiring of doctoral researchers and student research assistants	2019 – now
Public communication through website, newsletter, and other media	2019 – now

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### Industry Experience

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<b>Luminovo Artificial Intelligence GmbH</b>	Munich, DE
Business Development and Deep Learning Researcher	2019
<b>The Boston Consulting Group GmbH</b>	Munich/Düsseldorf, DE
Visiting Associate	2015
<b>Rocket Internet GmbH</b>	Munich/Berlin, DE
Business development intern and working student	2012 - 2014