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- since 12/2019  **Researcher** at the Corporate Taxation and Public Finance Department of the ZEW Mannheim - Leibniz Centre for European Economic Research.
- 01/2019 – 03/2019  **Lecturer** in Econometrics at Yangon School of Political Science, Yangon Myanmar.
- 04/2017 – 03/2018  **Student assistant** for the Department of International Economic Policy at the University of Freiburg.
- 10/2011 – 09/2014  **Employee** at IBM Germany as part of the integrated studies programme.

### Education

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- since 09/2020  **Ph.D candidate** of the Graduate School of Economic and Social Sciences Mannheim.
- 04/2016 – 07/2019  **M.Sc. Economics** at University of Freiburg.
- 10/2011 – 09/2014  **B.Sc. Business Informatics** at Berlin School for Economics and Law.
- 2011  **A-levels** at Evangelisches Gymnasium zum Grauen Kloster in Berlin.

### Publications

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#### Journal articles

- 1 **C. Birkholz** and D. Gomtsyan, “Immigrant religious practices and criminality: The case of Ramadan,” *Journal of Comparative Economics*, vol. 51, no. 1, pp. 90–104, 2023.

#### Working papers

- 1 Z. Asatryan, T. Baskaran, **C. Birkholz**, and P. Hufschmidt, *Regional redistribution of mineral resource wealth in Africa*, 2021, R&R at *Economica*.
- 2 Z. Asatryan, T. Baskaran, **C. Birkholz**, and D. Gomtsyan, *Favoritism and firms: Micro evidence and macro implications*, 2022.

#### Policy work

- 1 *Reorientation of European structural policy*, project for the Federal Ministry of Finance.
- 2 **C. Birkholz** and F. Heinemann, *Magnitudes and capital key divergence of the Eurosystem’s PSPP/PEPP purchases, update April 2023*, 2023.
- 3 **C. Birkholz**, F. Heinemann, and Z. Mannheim, *Allocation is key? Analysis of ECB public sector bond purchases’ divergence from the capital key*, 2022.
- 4 **C. Birkholz** and F. Heinemann, *Magnitudes and capital key divergence of the Eurosystem’s PSPP/PEPP purchases-update December 2021*, 2021.
- 5 K. Wohlrabe, A.-C. Rathje, S. Rumscheidt, D. Boumans, U. Hannich, F. Heinemann, **C. Birkholz**, and J. Nover, *Die Widerstandsfähigkeit der deutschen Wirtschaft in der Corona-Pandemie: Jahresmonitor der Stiftung Familienunternehmen*, 2020.

#### Work in progress

- 1 *Chatt(GPT)ing about inflation – The causal effect of news reporting on households inflation expectations*.

- 2 *Do they actually move? Tracing tax induced migration with electricity consumption data with M. Todtenhaupt and J. Voget.*
- 3 *Favoritism by the governing elite with Z. Asatryan, T. Baskaran and P. Hufschmidt.*
- 4 *The global software production network with D. Gomtsyan.*

## Grants & funding

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- 2022 74,000 € research grant from the Mannheim Taxation Science Campus.
- 2019 2,100 \$ scholarship from the Friedrich Ebert Foundation.

## Affiliation

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since 2022 **Affiliated researcher** with the Norwegian Centre for Taxation at the Norwegian School of Economics.

## Conferences & workshops

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### Presented at

- 2023 Annual Congress of the IIPF (August), 1st ZEW-ifo Young Scholar Political Economy Workshop (June), German Development Economics Conference (June), Cross-departmental ZEW research workshop
- 2022 Annual Meeting of the Verein für Socialpolitik, Brown Bag Seminar at Norwegian School of Economics
- 2021 European Economic Association Congress, Annual Congress of the IIPF, 3rd International Conference on Globalization and Development, Research Seminar in Public Economics at University of Mannheim, German Development Economics Conference

### Organized

- 2023 **Workshop** on taxation and mobility, 22. - 23. June.  
*Keynote:* Camille Landais (London School of Economics)
- Conference** on public finances with a focus on fiscal policy-making in times of crises, 4.-5. May.  
*Keynotes:* Rüdiger Bachmann (University of Notre Dame), Sarah Zubairy (Texas A&M University)
- 2022 **Conference** on public finances with a focus on government and innovation, 5.-6. May.  
*Keynotes:* John Van Reenen (MIT), Danielle Li (MIT)

## Research stays, visits abroad and engagement

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### Research stays and longer visits abroad

- 11/2022 **Research Visit** at Norwegian School of Economics in Bergen, Norway.
- 6/2022 - 7/2022 **Travel** in Armenia and Georgia.
- 1/2019 - 3/2019 **Stay** in Yangon and travel to Bagan and Ayeyarwady in Myanmar.
- 7/2011 - 8/2011 **Travel** to the USA. Stay in Maryland and visits to Baltimore, Washington, New York and Miami.
- 1/2009 **Language studies** at Greenwich School of English, London.

### Refereeing

- 2022 Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance, Panoeconomicus, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization

## Research stays, visits abroad and engagement (continued)


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### Engagement

- 6/2023 **Teaching** an online course in Political Economy at the Yangon School of Political Science.
- since 2019 **Sponsoring Member** of the society Initiative Austausch e.V. which supports political education projects in Myanmar.
- since 2022 **Voluntary Instructor** at the Institute for Sports in Mannheim, Germany.

### Skills

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Languages  German (native), English (C2), Latinum, Graecum, Hebraicum.

Coding  Stata, Python, R,  $\LaTeX$

### References

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