

# Curriculum Vitae

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## Academic Experience

Since 08/2020 Assistant Professor, Area Accounting and Taxation, University of Mannheim  
10/2016-07/2020 Post-Doc Researcher, Institute for Accounting and Auditing, Leibniz University Hannover  
08/2019-10/2019 Visiting Researcher at Rotman School of Management, University of Toronto  
08/2014-04/2015 Visiting Researcher at McCombs School of Business, University of Texas at Austin

## Education

2012-2016 Doctoral Program in Accounting, Reporting, and Taxation (DART) at Karl-Franzens University of Graz, Austria  
Dissertation: "The Strategic Interaction of Firms and Auditors" (with Honors)  
2010-2012 „Mannheim Master in Management“ at University of Mannheim  
2012 Semester Abroad at HANKEN School of Economics Helsinki, Finland  
2007-2010 Bachelor in Business Administration at University of Mannheim  
2009 Semester Abroad at University of Lund, Sweden

## Research Interests

Analytical Research in Accounting Standards, Auditing, and Corporate Governance

## Publications

Kronenberger S and Laux V (2021) Conservative Accounting, Audit Quality, and Litigation. *Management Science*, forthcoming.

## **Research Projects**

- “The Role of Audit Committee Independence in Auditor-Manager Disputes” with Sandra K. Kronenberger and Minlei Ye
- “Trade-offs in the Design of Fair Value Standards“ with Sandra K. Kronenberger and Anna Waldner
- “Who is the Best Fit? Ex-ante Beliefs about Auditor-Client Compatibility in the Audit Process” with Elisabeth Plietzsch
- “The Impact of Job Similarity along the Career Path on the Firm’s Promotion Choice“ with Jakob Infuehr
- “Multi-period Accounting Bias and Audit Pricing”

## **Conference Presentations**

2019	11th Accounting Research Workshop, Zürich
2018	13th EIASM Workshop on Accounting and Economics, Paris 41st EAA Annual Conference, Milan 3rd Annual Accounting Conference IIAER and VHB, Berlin Arfa Workshop, Paderborn
2017	18th GEABA Symposium, Hohenheim 40th EAA Annual Conference, Valencia Arfa Workshop, Osnabrück
2016	17th GEABA Symposium, Basel 39th EAA Annual Conference, Maastricht 12th EIASM Workshop on Accounting and Economics, Tilburg
2015	ÖFG conference on “Accounting, Information and Financial Crises”, Graz 16th GEABA Symposium, Hamburg 31st EAA Doctoral Colloquium, St. Andrews 21st AAA Audit Section Midyear Meeting, Miami

## **Research Workshop Presentations**

2020	University of Mannheim
2019	University of Southern Denmark, Odense University of Passau
2018	Vienna University of Economics and Business Karl-Franzens University of Graz
2017	University of Magdeburg University of Basel

## **Academic Service**

- Ad-hoc Reviewer, Journal of Business Economics
- Member of the selection committee “Leibniz Young Investigator Grants” Hannover, 2018-2020

## **Memberships**

- Accounting for Transparency (TRR 266, DFG trans-regional Collaborative Research Center)
- Accounting and Economics Society
- German Economic Association of Business Administration (GEABA)
- European Accounting Association (EAA)

## **Teaching**

- Audit Theory, Exercise (1 Course in Mannheim)
- External Teaching for Lenze SE, “Lenze Development Program”, Modul 5: “Finance and Controlling” (2018)
- Theory of Corporate Governance, Lecture and Exercise (3 Courses in Hannover)
- International Accounting, Lecture and Exercise (4 Courses in Hannover)
- Seminar International Accounting (3 Courses in Hannover)
- German GAAP HGB, Lecture and Exercise (1 Course in Hannover)
- Exercise Introduction to Book Keeping (2 Courses in Graz)
- Exercise Introduction to Cost Accounting (2 Courses in Graz)

## **Scholarships/Awards**

2019	Travel grant University of Hannover for research visit in Toronto
2017	Walther-Rathenau Best Paper Award, 18th GEABA Symposium for „The Impact of Job Similarity along the Career Path on the Firm’s Promotion Choice“ with Jakob Infuehr
2016	IWP (Auditor Association Austria) Research Award for the Dissertation “The Strategic Interaction of Firms and Auditors”
2012-2016	FWF (Austrian Science Fund) Scholarship as “full member” in the Doctoral Program in Accounting, Reporting, and Taxation (DART)
2013	Performance Scholarship Karl-Franzens University of Graz
2012	Travel Scholarship Semester Abroad, Julius-Paul-Stiegler-Gedächtnisstiftung

## **Other Professional Experience**

2007-2012	Internships < 3 months at juwi Solar GmbH (Man. Accounting), König & Cie. (Fonds Management), PwC (Auditing), Keiper RECARO (Logistics), TRW automotive and components (Fin. Accounting)
2010-2011	Working Student at IM+C (Consulting, 8 months)