

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PERSONAL DETAILS

Gender: Male
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Present Citizenship: German

EDUCATION

- 10/1992–09/1994 Undergraduate Studies in General Economics at the University of S-City, Germany
- 10/1994–04/1997 M.A. in General Economics at the University of G-Town, Germany
Specialization: Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics, Public Finance and Econometrics
Thesis: *Adverse selection and signaling*; Supervisor: Prof. Dr. V. Smart.
- Since 07/1997 Ph.D. student at the University of G-Town, The Netherlands.
Project title: *The position of the Bundesbank in international perspective*; Supervisor: Prof. Dr. P.Fessor
I intend to complete the Ph.D. in March, 2001.

THESIS

A special feature of the German financial system is the position of the *Deutsche Bundesbank*, which is considered to be one of the most independent central banks in the world. The purpose of this research is to analyse to which extent this formal independent position has led to less political influence on the central bank than, for instance, in the USA.

WORKING EXPERIENCE

- 09/1991–10/1992 Civil Service: Working in a kindergarden in C-Town, Germany
Alternative for a military service: This was a special kindergarden for children from socially challenged families.
- 02/1991–10/1992 Reporting work for the daily newspaper ‘*ABC News*’ in Z-Town, Germany (part-time)
- 03/1995–04/1995 Internship at the Office for Regional Statistics in Y-Town, Germany
Overview: The construction of new motorways is often considered as a means to foster economic growth in less developed regions. This research project aimed at investigating the economic effects of newly build motorways in Germany. My main tasks were to provide an overview over the literature and to develop the basic structure of a model which was later used to quantify the economic effects.
- 03/1995–03/1997 Research Assistant at the Faculty of Economics, University of G-Town, Germany (part-time)
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LANGUAGE KNOWLEDGE

German	native
French	near native
Dutch	near native
Italian	fair

REFERENCES

These persons are familiar with my professional qualifications and my character:

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