Dear reader,

This report aims to provide insights into the research at the School of Business, Economics and Information Systems of the University of Passau. Our research activities are strongly aligned with innovation, change and societal relevance.

The members of our faculty work at the frontiers of knowledge. Our research findings are regularly published in prestigious journals and presented internationally. They contribute to evidence-based policymaking and well-informed business decisions.

Our faculty members are engaged in a continuous exchange of knowledge with their peers and organise or participate in research seminars and conferences to maintain the excellent standing and impact of their academic work; other activities include brown-bag seminars, seminars with renowned visiting scholars as well as workshops for early career researchers. Moreover, all faculty members are active participants in leading academic networks both in Germany and abroad.

We are fully committed to ensuring that our students – the future generation of academics – receive the best education possible by providing sustainable research-led teaching in an environment of academic freedom. The Bavarian Graduate Program in Economics gives our PhD students access to world class courses and a powerful academic network.

Many of our faculty members sit on leading editorial boards and chair academic committees of various types. Our faculty members have successfully applied for competitive external funds from various institutions, including the German Research Foundation (DFG), the German Federal Ministry of Education and Research, the European Commission as well as the World Bank.

These research activities allow the School of Business, Economics and Information Systems to forge ahead and contribute to shaping the development path of business and society.

Professor Michael Grimm
Dean of the School of Business, Economics and Information Systems
The School at a Glance

A young, innovative and dynamic faculty

• 20 full professors, 1 junior professor and 2 honorary professors
• More than 90 assistant professors, senior lecturers, postdoctoral researchers and doctoral students
• An excellent research environment and publications in leading international research journals

Research and teaching in an international environment

• International Centre for Economics and Business Studies (ICEBS) and a global network of international research partners
• About 60 exchange programmes with partner universities throughout the world
• Double degree programmes at the master’s level with Corvinus University Budapest (Hungary), the University of Turku (Finland) and the New Jersey Institute of Technology (USA); joint doctoral programme with the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Madras, Chennai (India)
• International guest speakers are a fixture in our doctoral programmes
• International lectures and seminars in cooperation with universities worldwide

The School at a Glance

Highly committed lecturers and innovative teaching methods

• Degree programmes and current enrolment figures*:
  - B.Sc. Business Administration and Economics: 921
  - B.Sc. Information Systems: 293
  - M.Sc. Business Administration: 391
  - M.Sc. Information Systems: 53
  - M.A. International Economics and Business: 41

• Excellent scores for student satisfaction and success rates:
  - Top ranking positions in terms of student satisfaction and study conditions in the latest CHE ranking**
  - 72% of our students stated that they are satisfied or very satisfied with their programme*** (German average: 60%)
  - 74% of our graduates are satisfied or very satisfied with their studies****
  - 73% of our master’s graduates are offered open-ended employment contracts****

Corporate relations and entrepreneurial spirit

• Excellent reputation among human resources managers
• Strong practical orientation and many corporate partners
• Research projects with corporate partners (e.g. Center for Digital Business Transformation)
• Specialized Pathfinder programme and Honours Degree programme in Digital Technology and Entrepreneurship
• Start-up support for entrepreneurial students (e.g. INN.KUBATOR Passau and Startup advice)

* in winter semester 2018-19  ** CHE ranking 2017  *** Study Quality Monitor 2016  **** Graduate survey 2017
Mission Statement

We are a young, particularly innovative and dynamic business and economics school that enjoys an excellent reputation in the German-speaking world as well as on an international level. We put significant effort into raising our visibility in Europe and abroad as a school dedicated to excellence in both teaching and research, as well as to further strengthen our renown. Economic and societal relevance, a focus on innovation and an interdisciplinary approach are the cornerstones of our research activities, which comprise basic and applied research and knowledge transfer and abroad as a business school dedicated to excellence in both teaching and research, as comprise both basic and applied research.

An optimal environment for research

We pool our resources in the focus areas Accounting, Finance and Taxation (AFT), Economics (ECON), Management, Innovation, Marketing (MIM), Information Systems (WINF) and Quantitative Methods (QM) to create an optimal research environment. We have outstanding competences in these areas and cooperate with renowned national and international research partners. We initiate and actively participate in interdisciplinary and faculty spanning projects at the University of Passau. Our school is open to interested and motivated researchers from all over the world. Our research output is primarily documented by publications in leading peer-reviewed journals as well as talks at prestigious conferences. High-calibre appointments are an important instrument with which we ensure the constant excellence of research carried out within the school. In all this, we are fully committed to diversity and gender equality.

Imparting competences

We impart our students the competences that allow them to act proactively and responsibly in a complex and competitive environment. Based on a solid theoretical foundation, our students learn how to actively shape the digital transformation. We support our students in developing analytical and creative skills and encourage them in business creation initiatives or their start in a management career in business and society. Apart from an economically oriented attitude, we promote students’ international orientation and impart intercultural understanding and the importance of fair play and reciprocity. This goes along with raising awareness for sustainability and the long-term economic, social and ecological impacts of their actions. The culture of the school is characterized by respect, appreciation and mutual support. The school supports the overarching objectives of the University, with the networked society and digitalization being the leading themes. Our students have strong analytical and creative skills, and put their best effort into their studies.

Research Faculty

Accounting, Finance and Taxation (AFT) area

Professor Markus Diller
Chair of Tax Management

The chair continued to work on classic (analytical and empirical) tax research projects in the areas of transfer pricing, tax avoidance and real estate taxes. The chair further engaged in new, promising research fields in the area of digitalization. Here, in collaboration with the Munich Chamber of Tax Advisors (Steuerberaterkammer München) a survey has been conducted in order to determine the digital maturity index of tax advisers. Results show that digital maturity is influenced by tax consultants’ personality and demographic factors, which is the topic of current research projects. Further research projects are investment neutral estate taxation and game-theoretical aspects in transfer pricing. Moreover, the chair engages in research concerning text mining techniques in tax and accounting.

• Presentations at the 41th Annual Congress of the European Accounting Association in Milan.

Professor Oliver Entrop
Chair of Banking and Finance

We continued to work on research projects in the areas of financial engineering, the market microstructure of financial innovations, investors’ behavior in early redemption rights, firms’ usage of derivatives and manager education. We also established new research projects in the context of digitalization.

• Member of the editorial board of Review of Managerial Science.
Professor Manuela Möller
Chair of Accounting and Auditing

In several research projects, the chair examined the economic roles of financial accounting, corporate governance and auditing regulation issues. The research projects can be classified into three areas: (1) financial accounting topics including international financial accounting, (2) role of auditors, enforcement and corporate governance issues and their interplay with financial reporting, and (3) role of these determinants and their consequences for capital market participants and decision makers.

Professor Robert Obermaier
Chair of Accounting and Control

Main areas of research and teaching: Accounting and controlling, company valuations and value-based management, supply chain controlling, corporate planning and decision making. Practice projects: Expertises for company valuations, performance of strategical annual reports, installation of a reporting and controlling system, development of a potential analysis in order to evaluate Manufacturing Execution Systems (MES), Industry 4.0, product and business model innovation.

• Obermaier, R. (2018) (Ed.), Handbuch Industrie 4.0 und Digitale Transformation, Wiesbaden. (in German)

Professor Niklas Wagner
Chair of Finance and Financial Control

The chair maintains contacts to distinguished international universities to exchange expertise and stays in contact with international scholars to discuss joint topics. Within the research partnerships research projects in the areas of financial markets, asset pricing, asset management are conducted.

• 8th Annual Financial Market Liquidity Conference in Budapest, Hungary.
• Dr Harald Kinateder was appointed as Subject Editor of the Journal of International Financial Markets, Institutions and Money.
• Outstanding reviewer award for Dr Harald Kinateder of the journals Emerging Markets Review and Studies in Economics and Finance.
Economics (ECON) area

Professor Stefan Bauernschuster
Chair of Public Economics

Professor Bauernschuster engaged in a project for the German Ministry of Economic Affairs which investigated the dynamics of preferences in East and West Germany after reunification. Apart from that, he finished a working paper draft of a time and labor intensive research project on the impact of Bismarck’s health insurance on mortality in Prussia. Over the last three years, this research project has been invited for presentation in more than 30 research seminars and workshops around the world.

- Bauernschuster, S., Fichtl, A., Hener, T., Ragnitz, M., Rainer, H. (2018), Deutschland 2017 - Studie zu den Einstellungen und Verhaltensweisen der Bürgerinnen und Bürger im vereinigten Deutschland, Projekt für das Bundesministerium für Wirtschaft und Energie. (in German)

Professor Johann Graf Lambsdorff
Chair of Economic Theory

The chair takes a behavioral and experimental approach to economic theory. Topics focus on the economics of corruption, institutional economics, macroeconomics and monetary economics. With classEx the chair provides a globally used service for running experiments in lectures and in the field. Latest research relates to the design of anti-corruption systems and experiments on team reasoning, macroeconomics and experimental asset markets.

- Lambsdorf, J. Graf (2017), Coagulated Money – an Economic Thriller (Geldgerinnung – ein Wirtschaftskrimi), Konstanz. (in German)

Professor Michael Grimm
Chair of Development Economics
Dean

Prof. Grimm and his chair engage in research to solve development problems in low- and middle-income countries. Ongoing projects include the scientific guidance of the implementation of a Community Based Health Insurance in Burkina Faso, an assessment of women’s empowerment in Tunisia, the evaluation of a public works program in Malawi as well as randomized experiments with different types of entrepreneurial support in Burkina Faso and incentives to encourage the adoption of organic farming practices in Indonesia. The chair has also been successful with an application to the EU Horizon 2020 call.

- Dissemination Conference to share findings from ILO-funded project on women’s empowerment in Tunisia. Opening address by Tunisian Minister for Women, Family and Children, Ms. Naziha Laabidi.
- New grant received ‘Scaling Up Non-communicable Disease Interventions – South East Asia’ (SUNI-SEA), EU 2020 Project, jointly with the University of Groningen and others.

Professor Sebastian Krautheim
Chair of International Economics

The focus of the chair’s research is in the field of international trade, broadly interpreted as the “microeconomics of globalization”. This includes determinants of international trade flows, the interaction of international trade and labor markets, international tax competition, determinants of foreign direct investment as well as the international organization of production when firms can produce in different regulatory environments and face the risk of consumer boycotts in response to ‘unethical’ practices along their value chain.

- Lambsdorf, J. Graf (2017), Coagulated Money – an Economic Thriller (Geldgerinnung – ein Wirtschaftskrimi), Konstanz. (in German)

- Invited Presentations: Paris Trade Seminar (SciencesPo, INRA, Paris School of Economics, Université Paris 1); Université Catholique de Louvain; Conferences: 5th InsTED Workshop on Advances in Institutions, Trade and Economic Development, Stavanger (USA); CESifo Area Conference – Global Economy, Munich.
- Appointed Member of the InsTED (Institutions, Trade and Economic Development) Network.
Management, Innovation, Marketing (MIM) area

Professor Jörg Peters
Chair of Development Economics

Professor Peters research focusses on environmental policies in the Global South and especially on increasing the poor’s resilience to a changing climate. Projects that are currently implemented look into market failures for efficient biomass cookstoves in Senegal, isolated mini-grids in Indonesia, deforestation in East Africa and large-scale electricity infrastructure in Tanzania and Rwanda. He frequently advises governments and international organizations on energy, infrastructure and environmental policies.

• External advisor for World Bank’s White Paper on “Electricity Uptake for Economic Transformation in Sub-Saharan Africa” commissioned by the Chief Economist for the Africa Region.
• Organized Policy Session at the 6th World Congress of Environmental and Resource Economists in Gothenburg on “Clean Cooking and Climate Change” featuring WHO, GIZ and World Bank.

Professor Marina Fiedler
Chair of Management, People and Information

The chair’s research interest centers on management, people and information issues. This year the team was particularly interested in pro-environmental behavior of employees and information systems; mindful management practices; Future of Work, Enterprise Social Networks and digital transformation and organisational change.


Professor Carolin Häussler
Chair of Organisation, Technology Management and Entrepreneurship

The chair’s objective is to participate and contribute to the worldwide research community. In the past year this aspiration empowered us to produce impactful research insights which we published in prominent journals and which we disseminated to the scholarly community as well as to practitioners. A particular highlight was that we got two research papers in Science Advances, whereby each publication was accompanied by very broad and strong press attention (e.g., featured in Nature, wired, Ärzteblatt).

The chair’s research activities are based on the concept of evidence-based management and aim at enabling companies to make decisions based on the best scientific empirical evidence. The research mainly focuses on the intersection between internationalisation, human resource management and entrepreneurship. The scientific works have been published in leading international journals such as the Entrepreneurship Theory & Practice, International Business Review and Journal of Vocational Behavior among others. Professor Isidor serves as an editorial board member of the International Journal of Human Resource Management.

- Entrepreneurship Research Newcomer Award from G-Forum, Wuppertal.

Members of the chair wrote and published several manuscripts, primarily in its key research areas: (1) strategic leadership in the context of discontinuous technological change, particularly digital transformation; (2) the impact of top executives’ characteristics on organizational outcomes (Upper Echelons Theory); and (3) the use of strategic rhetoric, primarily by top executives, and its influence on how constituents evaluate organizations. We presented our research at important conferences and we renewed partnerships with cutting-edge institutions such as PennState, Free University of Amsterdam, the University of Oxford, Arizona State University, Seoul National University, IMD Lausanne, and the University of Georgia.


The chair intensified its research efforts on the development, selling, and pricing of product-service-systems. In addition, the chair has started new research projects on role of digitization in retailing, in particular, a series of studies on the nature and impact of dynamic pricing. The chair is also part of the EU-funded research project DIGIONAL. The chair presented its work at major international conferences such as the AMA Summer and Winter Educators’ Conferences, the 2018 EMAC Annual Conference and the 2018 ISBM Academic Conference. The chair has also been part of the successful launch of the Honours Degree programme on Digital Technology and Entrepreneurship (DTE).

Information Systems (WINF) area

Professor Jan Krämer
Chair of Internet and Telecommunications Business

In the past year, the chair has engaged in numerous research activities on the regulation of Internet markets and online platforms, and published numerous articles in top-ranked journals. In addition, Professor Krämer is currently the guest editor of two special issues in the journals Electronic Markets and Telecommunications Policy and is involved in projects for the Center for Regulation in Europe, a Brussels-based think tank.


Professor Franz Lehner
Chair of Information Systems with a focus on Information and IT Service Management

Information Systems is an interdisciplinary research discipline supporting business, public administration but also non-profit organisations in their use of IT and Information Systems (IS). The chair’s research is application-oriented and mainly based on design science principles. Research activities are focused on knowledge management, IT- and IT-service management (including data management and cloud computing) and the development of mobile applications. Due to its international orientation the chair is in contact with leading IS departments in the US, India, Finland, Singapore, Hungary and other countries. A recent initiative led to the foundation of the International Association for Knowledge Management.


Professor Thomas Widjaja
Chair of Business Information Systems

The chair focuses on three intertwined research areas: A) “IT Architecture Management”, B) “Data-based Business Models and Privacy”, and C) “Software Industry and Digital Services”. In our research projects, we cooperate closely with colleagues from German and international universities (like the IESE Business School in Barcelona and the University of British Columbia in Vancouver).


Professor Hans Ziegler
Chair of Production, Operations and Logistics Management

The main research areas of the chair have been the development and analysis of heuristic algorithms for scheduling problems, for the tool switching problem, for inventory management in supply chains and for the hazardous materials transportation problem.

Quantitative Methods area

Professor Harry Haupt
Chair of Statistics
Vice President of the University

The chair aspires to be a vital contributor to the worldwide scientific community in theoretical and applied statistics. Last year, all junior and senior researchers achieved remarkable successes as contributors at refereed international conferences and journals, in their respective roles as authors, referees, and organizers. In addition, they have been able to expand their activities and been granted scientific research funds.

• Three papers published in renowned international journals.
• Successfully acquired funding from European Union (EU) for the project DIGIONAL.
• Invited organizer of sessions at two major international conferences.

Senior Lecturers

Dr Hans Achatz, Information Systems

The main focus of the teaching unit is on delivering lectures in the bachelor’s programmes B.Sc. Information Systems and B.Sc. Business Administration and Economics. The teaching unit also gives lectures in the master’s programmes M.Sc. Information Systems and M.Sc. Business Administration. Programme advice is dispensed to bachelor’s and master’s students in the field of Information Systems.

• Bachelor’s theses and master’s theses are supervised in co-operation with industrial partners.
• German OR Society General Meeting, Brussels, 13.9.2018

Dr Oliver Farhauer, Economics

• Research interests: Regional and Urban Economics; Labour Economics.

Senior Lecturers

Gerhard Hopf, Didactics of Business and Economics

We are engaged in teacher training in the subject “Business and Economics” of three different types of secondary schools, whereby three different qualifications can be received: the First State Examination in Bavaria, the “Bachelor of Education” and the “Master of Education”. Teacher training students are given the necessary didactic competences to support others in their learning processes in business, economics and law as well as in vocational orientation. Elements of lifelong learning and their cognitive, meta-cognitive and social issues are also contained.

PD Dr Joachim Schnurbus, Statistics

• Presentations of research projects at major international conferences.
• PD Dr Joachim Schnurbus completed his Habilitation thesis by submitting 13 essays on Computational Statistics and Data Science.
• PD Dr Joachim Schnurbus published three papers in major international journals.

Tanja Steinhuber, Business Administration


Postdoctoral Researchers

Dr Axel Buchner

Dr Nora Fteimi
- Research interests: data analytics and knowledge management-related aspects particularly with a focus on subtopics dealing with text mining and text analytics and its adoption and application in organizational contexts as well as with privacy-related issues in this context.

Dr Marina Dodlova
- Research interests: pro-poor versus political redistribution, social policy diffusion in developing countries, joint dynamics of social policy and political participation.
- Dodlova, M., Giolbas, A., Jay, J. (2018), Non-Contributory Social Transfer Programs in Developing Countries: A New Data Set and Research Agenda, Data in Brief, 16, 51-64.
- Invited talks at the University of Bath, UK, University of Ariel, Israel, LMU Munich, University of Bremen, Leibniz-Institut für Ost- und Südost- Europa-Forschung in Regensburg.

Dr Andrea Fürst-Graßl
- Main research interest: Implementing a Holistic View on the Enhancement of Organizational IT-Capability Including the 4 Dimensions “Strategy”, “Technology”, “Project Management” and “Human Resources”.
- Three Ongoing Studies in this Context:
  1. The Role of Organizational IT-Capability in Applicants’ Self-Selection Behavior
  2. Quality-Driven Acceptance Behavior of Process Modeling Grammars
  3. Hybrid Consumption Behavior in Open Source Software Adoption
- Supervision of various Bachelor and Master Theses in this Context (predominantly in Cooperation with regional and international Business Partners).

Dr Patrick Figge
- Research Interests: Entrepreneurship, group collaboration, and the impact of digitalization. His research focuses on how organizations or teams leverage individual and collective knowledge, and how technologies affect the ways in which we process information and make judgements. He studies these phenomena in various sociotechnical systems including open- and user innovation “crowds”, inventor teams, and open collaboration networks.
- Visiting research scholar at the University of California in the Technology Management Program in 2017, 2018 and 2019.
- Ad-hoc reviewer for Management Science.

Dr Aixa García-Ramos
- Research interest: Applied empirical research in the intersection of family economics, development economics, and the economics of crime.
Dr Harald Kinateder


Dr Elisabeth F. Müller

- Research interests: governance, networks and business models of small and medium-sized enterprises and family firms.

Dr Asankha Pallegedara


Dr Marcus Giamattei

- Research interests: Experimental and Behavioural Economics with a focus on Macroeconomics and Ethics and Cooperation. In the growing field of Experimental Macro, he focuses on bounded rationality and limited reasoning as an important driver of macroeconomic behaviour.
- Development of classEx – a tool for interactive classroom lab-in-the-field experiments with mobile devices and LIONESS lab – a tool for online experiments. classEx@school brings experiments to highschools

Dr Lorenz Graf-Vlachy


Dr Alexander Keller

- Research interests: Advanced data analytics, cloud computing and big data in business contexts.
- Responsible for SAP University Alliance (SAP-related courses and TERP10 certification).
- Visiting research fellow at IIT Madras Department of Management Studies.
Dr Davide Sala

- Research Week at Ifo Center for International Economics and invited speaker in the Research Seminar in Economics at the Ifo-Institute (28.05.18 – 01.06.18).
- Invited Seminar Speaker – University of Mainz (29.01.18).

Dr Daniel Schnurr

The research group started several research projects on the access to (personal) data in digital markets. Based on theoretical and experimental analyses, the group currently investigates data-induced market power, data neutrality, personal data markets and the effects of transparency. New working papers were presented at numerous international research conferences. At the Centre Digitisation.Bavaria (ZD.B), Daniel Schnurr coordinates the newly founded working group „Digital Society: Culture and Policies“.


Dr Katharina Werner

- Research interests: Behavioral and Experimental Economics with a focus on Lab-in-the-field Experiments, Behavioral Aspects of Conflict Resolution, Group Identities; Anti-Corruption and Experimental Ethics.
- Joachim Herz Stiftung: Add-on Fellowship for Interdisciplinary Economics, € 12,500.

Doctoral Students

88 doctoral students are currently enrolled at our faculty. During the academic year 2017-18, 34 theses were successfully completed. The School of Business, Economics and Information Systems offers a structured doctoral programme. Complementary events include brown-bag seminars, colloquia for doctoral candidates and seminars on research methods. We encourage our doctoral students to submit their research to German and international conferences and attend these if accepted. We also encourage our early career researchers to publish their academic output in world-class journals with a suitable peer-review process.

Major Doctoral Thesis Awards

IHK Thesis Awards 2018

Dr. Patrick Figge (Supervisor Professor Carolin Häussler)  
Collective Knowledge – How teams and larger social systems learn, remember, and invent

Dr. Sabine Moser (Supervisor Professor Jan H. Schumann)  
Four Essays on Behavioral Pricing in Services

IMU Research for Practice Award 2018

Dr. Markus Bergmeier (Supervisor Professor Dirk Totzek)  
Vertrieb in differenzierten Mehrkanalsystemen: Gestaltung, Koordination, Gewinnmaximierung (in German)

Research Affiliates

The School of Business, Economics and Information Systems has launched a research affiliate programme. Mostly at a postdoctoral state, our research affiliates continue working on joint research projects. Our current research affiliates are:

- Anne Assmus
- Wolfgang Brilgauer
- Renate Hartwig
- Nicole Hess
- Florian Kaiser
- Johannes Lorenz
- PD Dr Michael Scholz
- Manuel Schubert
Research Institutes

CenTouris, the Centre for Market-oriented Research in Tourism

CenTouris is a research institute for tourism-related research projects. It supports companies and public-sector entities operating in the tourism sector in the development and evaluation of tourism-focused strategy concepts and marketing initiatives. One example of a long-standing successful partnership with Bavarian regions and companies is Tourismusbarometer Bayern (the Bavarian Tourism Barometer). Further CenTouris is involved in national and international research projects, such as EcoVeloTour (a project funded by Interreg Danube Transnational Programme). EcoVeloTour facilitates the development of sustainable tourism in the Danube region along EuroVelo routes via an enhanced, conscious and ecologically sound framework of tourism destination management; it also and extending opens up cyclist bicycle tourism, unfolding to neighbouring regions beyond adjacent to the EuroVelo route.

Centre for Market Research

The Centre for Market Research carries out contract market research for private and public sector partners. It is involved in large-scale research projects of the University of Passau, such as the ISEM or DIGIONAL projects. Within the ISEM research project, the Centre for Market Research of the University of Passau develops an Industrial Service Excellence Monitor (ISEM) to support companies in Lower Bavaria and Upper Austria on their way to high-quality and innovative industrial services. DIGIONAL helps small and medium sized retailers to digitize their business. Equipped with its own staff of interviewers and using statistical methods, the institute carries out comprehensive market research projects. Moreover, the institute offers tailored consulting services.

PAULA Experimental Laboratory

The PAULA Experimental Laboratory is used by researchers of the School of Business, Economics and Information Systems to examine individuals’ economic decision-making. The laboratory provides both the technology and a large number of test persons. Students and members of the public are encouraged to participate in PAULA surveys.

Institute of Private Financial Planning (ifp)

The Institute of Private Financial Planning is a centre of excellence for financial planning and consultancy for private households. Its research output is concerned with developing business processes and instruments to improve financial planning and financial advice for clients. Moreover, ifp is concerned with needs-based financial advice for private households.

International Research Network

International Centre for Economics and Business Studies (ICEBS)

The International Centre for Economics and Business Studies provides targeted support for internationalising the research output of the School of Business, Economics and Information Systems. ICEBS helps international visiting scholars with their research projects and teaching assignments while at the University of Passau. ICEBS has three key aims: promote collaboration with internationally renowned academics from abroad, facilitate world-class research projects and boost the potential of early career researchers by exposing them to new concepts and research methods.

Visiting Researchers in 2017-18

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Publications

Forthcoming


Published


Behm S., Haupt H., Schmidt, A. (2018), Spatial detrending revisited: Modelling local trend patterns in NO2-concentration in Belgium and Germany, Spatial Statistics, 28, 331-351.


Dodolov, M., Globos, A., Lay, J. (2018), Non-Contributory Social Transfer Programmes in Developing Countries: A New Data Set and Research Agenda, Data in Brief, 16, 51-64.


Book Chapters, Conference Proceedings and Other Publications


Selzer, V. L., Moser, S. (2017), Abbau kundenseitiger Barrieren gegenüber Elektromobilität durch das Angebot von Zusatzdienstleistungen, in: Forschungsinstitut für innovative Arbeitsgestaltung und Prävention e.V. (Eds.), Elektromobil durch die Zukunft – Zukunftszenarien und neue Dienstleistungen für die Elektromobilität 2030, Gelsenkirchen, 81-98. (in German)


