Curriculum Vitae

Name Volker Hahn

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Current Position Full Professor for "International and Monetary Macroeconomics"

at the University of Konstanz (since March 2012)

Previous Positions Postdoctoral Researcher (Oberassistent) at ETH Zurich (from

May 2006 to February 2012)

Visiting Professor at the University of Konstanz (May and June

2011)

Postdoctoral Researcher at the University of Heidelberg from July

2003 to April 2006

Economist at Deutsche Bundesbank from July 2002 to June 2003

Research Associate at the University of Heidelberg from October

1998 to June 2002

Working Student at ABB Research Center in Heidelberg from

August 1997 to July 1998

Education Ph.D. studies from October 1998 to June 2002 at the Univer-

sity of Heidelberg (title of the thesis: *Information Asymmetries, Transparency, and Monetary Policy,* grade: *summa cum laude*)

Graduate Studies in Physics (with Economics as minor subject) at the University of Heidelberg from October 1995, Master (Diplom)

in September 1998, grade: very good

Undergraduate Studies in Physics at the University of Hamburg

from October 1993 to September 1995

Memberships Monetary Theory & Policy Committee of the German Economic

Association

Refereeing

American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, Bulletin of Economic Research, Contemporary Economic Policy, Economic Inquiry, Economic Modelling, Economics of Governance, Economics and Politics, Economics: The Open-Access, Open-Assessment E-Journal, European Economic Review, European Journal of Political Economy, Games and Economic Behavior, German Economic Review, Industrial and Corporate Change, International Journal of Central Banking, Journal of Banking and Finance, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of Macroeconomics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Money, Credit and Banking, Macroeconomic Dynamics, Mathematical Social Sciences, Open Economies Review, Oxford Economic Papers, Public Choice, Review of Economic Studies, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Scottish Journal of Political Economy, Theoretical Economics

Fritz Thyssen Stiftung, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft, DAAD

Teaching Experience

Open Economy Macroeconomics, lecture (undergraduate studies), University of Konstanz

Monetary Economics, lecture (undergraduate studies), University of Konstanz

Advanced Macroeconomics I, lecture (graduate studies), University of Konstanz

Social Choice Theory, lecture (graduate studies), University of Konstanz

Macroeconomics II (Growth Theory), lecture (undergraduate studies), University of Konstanz

Microeconomics II (Game Theory), lecture (undergraduate studies), University of Konstanz

Intermediate Macroeconomics, lecture (graduate studies), ETH Zurich

Macroeconomics of Innovation and Economic Growth, lecture (graduate studies), ETH Zurich

various seminars for graduate and undergraduate students

Publications in Peer-Reviewed Journals

- 1. Price Dispersion and the Costs of Inflation, forthcoming in: *Journal of Money, Credit and Banking*.
- 2. Discretionary Policy and Multiple Equilibria in a New Keynesian Model, *Oxford Economic Papers*, 73(1), pp. 423-445, 2021.
- 3. Price Points and Price Dynamics (together with Michal Marenčák), *Journal of Monetary Economics*, 115, 2.
- 4. Forward Guidance Contracts (together with Hans Gersbach and Yulin Liu), *Macroe-conomic Dynamics*, 23(8), 3386-3423, 2019.
- 5. Committee Design with Endogenous Participation, *Games and Economic Behavior*, 102, 388-408, 2017.
- 6. On the Drawback of Large Committees, 46(2), 563-582, *International Journal of Game Theory*, 2017.
- 7. Designing Monetary Policy Committees, *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, 65, 47-67, 2016.
- 8. Inflation Forecast Contracts (together with Hans Gersbach), *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, 48, 26-40, 2014.
- 9. An Argument in Favor of Long Terms for Central Bankers, *Economics Letters*, 122(2), 132-135, 2014.
- 10. Transparency in Monetary Policy, Signaling, and Heterogeneous Information, *Macroe-conomic Dynamics*, 18(2), 369-394, 2014.
- 11. Tax Rules (together with Hans Gersbach and Stephan Imhof), *Social Choice and Welfare*, 41(1), 19-42, 2013.
- 12. Should Central Banks Remain Silent about Their Private Information on Cost-Push Shocks?, Oxford Economic Papers, 64(4), 593-615, 2012.
- 13. Information Acquisition and Transparency in Committees (together with Hans Gersbach), *International Journal of Game Theory*, 41(2), 427-453, 2012,
- 14. Monetary Policy Inclinations (together with Hans Gersbach), *Journal of Money, Credit, and Banking*, 43(8), 1707-1717, 2011.
- 15. Sequential Aggregation of Verifiable Information, *Journal of Public Economics*, 95(11-12), 1447-1454, 2011.
- 16. Voting Transparency in a Monetary Union (together with Hans Gersbach), *Journal of Money, Credit and Banking*, 41(5), 809-830, 2009.

- 17. Reciprocity and Voting, Games and Economic Behavior, 67(2), 467-480, 2009.
- 18. Search, Unemployment, and Age; *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, 33(6), 1361-1378, 2009.
- 19. Committees and Reciprocity (together with Felix Mühe), *Mathematical Social Sciences*, 57(1), 26-47, 2009.
- 20. The Transparency of Central Bank Preferences, *German Economic Review*, 10(1), 32-49, 2009.
- 21. Committees, Sequential Voting and Transparency, *Mathematical Social Sciences*, 56(3), 366-385, 2008.
- 22. Should the Individual Voting Records of Central Bankers be Published? (together with Hans Gersbach), *Social Choice and Welfare*, 30(4), 655-683, 2008.
- 23. Fairness and Voting, Social Choice and Welfare, 28(4), 591-605, 2007.
- 24. Information Content of Wages and Monetary Policy (together with Hans Gersbach), *Journal of Money, Credit and Banking*, 39(1), 133-149, 2007.
- 25. Signaling and Commitment: Monetary versus Inflation Targeting? (together with Hans Gersbach), *Macroeconomic Dynamics*, 10(5), 2006.
- 26. Voting Transparency, Conflicting Interests and the Appointment of Central Bankers (together with Hans Gersbach), *Economics and Politics*, 16(3), 321-345, 2004.
- 27. Transparency in Monetary Policy: A Survey, ifo Studien, 48(3), 429-455, 2002.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 1. Effective Forward Guidance: Scrupulous Central Bankers and Forecast Contracts (together with Hans Gersbach), in: Vox eBook "Forward guidance", Wouter den Haan (ed.), 2013.
- Should the ECB Publish Its Minutes? (together with Hans Gersbach), voxEU.org, October 7, 2013.
- 3. Book Review of "Handbook of Economic Growth; volumes A and B, Philippe Aghion and Steven Durlauf (Eds.)" (together with Hans Gersbach), *Journal of Development Economics*, 90(2), 323-325, 2009.
- 4. Forward Guidance for Monetary Policy: Is It Desirable? (together with Hans Gersbach), proceedings of the conference organized by the Bundesbank and the Finnish Central Bank: *Designing Central Banks*, Editors: Heinz Herrmann, David Mayes, Geoffrey E. Wood; Routledge, 2009.

5. How Bank Equity Regulation is Akin to Inflation Targeting (together with Hans Gersbach), VoxEU.org, October 21, 2009.

Unpublished Manuscripts

- 1. Implementing the Commitment Solution via Discretionary Policy-Making, mimeo, March 2020.
- 2. Policy Effects in a Simple Fully Non-Linear New Keynesian Model of the Liquidity Trap, mimeo, February 2017.
- 3. Modeling Two Macro Policy Instruments: Interest Rates and Aggregate Capital Requirements (together with Hans Gersbach), CESifo working paper #3598, 2011.
- 4. Banking-on-the-Average Rules (together with Hans Gersbach), CEPR working paper #7819, 2010.
- Determinants of Trust in the European Central Bank (together with Justina Fischer), Working Paper Series in Economics and Finance 695, Stockholm School of Economics, 2008.
- 6. Information Acquisition by Price-Setters and Monetary Policy, CER-ETH working paper 07/73, 2007.

Work in Progress

- 1. Committees under the Threat of Leaks (together with Sebastian Fehrler), working paper to be released soon.
- 2. Public Trust in Organizations (together with Yongping Bao and Sebastian Fehrler).

SEMINAR/WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS (SINCE 2015)

Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, 2015; German Economic Association Anuual Meeting, Münster, 2015; GAM-SOC Workshop, Budapest, 2015; Association for Public Economic Theory, Luxembourg, 2015; Political Economy Workshop, Konstanz, 2015; Research seminar, Nottingham, 2015; German Economic Association Anuual Meeting, Augsburg, 2016; Schumpeter Seminar, Berlin, 2018; Meeting of the Monetary Theory & Policy Committee of the German Economic Association, Deutsche Bundesbank, Frankfurt 2018; Research seminar, Marburg, 2018; Behavioral Macroeconomics Workshop, Bamberg, 2018; Political Economy Workshop, King's College, London, 2018; Inflation Conference, ECB, Frankfurt, 2019; Research seminar, JKU Linz, 2020 (via video conference)