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Work Experience

Since 2018

Manager, Institute of Energy Economics at the University of Cologne (EWI)

2017-2018

Research Consultant, Institute of Energy Economics at the University of Cologne

2014-2017

Consultant, Energy Sector & Operational Excellence, Pöyry Management Consulting, Düsseldorf

2013

Strategy Consultant, Department Energy Economics, RheinEnergie AG, Cologne

2012-2013

Student trainee, Department Energy Economics, RheinEnergie AG, Cologne

2011-2012

Student trainee, Chair for Energy Economics, University of Cologne

Education

2013

Degree: M.Sc. in Business Administration, University of Cologne

Thesis: Reducing energy efficiency gaps - Quantitative analysis of obligation schemes and macroeconomic assessment of alternative approaches

2010-2013

Master study Business Administration (Focus Corporate Development & Energiewirtschaft), University of Cologne

2010

Degree: B.Sc. in International Economics, Eberhardt-Karls-Universität Tübingen

Thesis: The real exchange rate and foreign direct investment in the United States: Relative wealth vs. relative wage effects

2006-2010

Bachelor study International Economics, Eberhardt-Karls-Universität Tübingen

2008-2009

Study Abroad, Universidad Católica Argentina, Buenos Aires

Internships

Siemens S.A., Department Energy - Strategy and Marketing, Madrid 2010

RheinEnergie AG, Department Energy Economics, Cologne 2011

AEC Eisele Consulting, Department Property Funds, Cologne 2008

Selected Projects

- Effects of the phase-out of coal-fired power generation by 2038 on the electricity market, CO2 emissions and selected industries (2019)
- CO2 Pricing in the Building Sector and Necessary Additional Instruments (2019)
- Not in my Backyard - Consequences of missing the expansion target for renewable energies in the coal exit scenario (2020)
- Effects of a stricter European climate targets on the German electricity market (2021)
- Scenarios for the price development of energy carriers (2022)
- dena pilot study - Towards climate neutrality (2022)

