

# SEBASTIAN HAGER

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## Research Fields

Political Economy, Labor Economics, Economics of Innovation, Economic History

## Current Position

since 09/2024 Nuffield Postdoctoral Research Fellow, University of Oxford

## Education

2019 – 2024	PhD Economics, Ludwig-Maximilians-University of Munich (LMU) Advisors: Fabian Waldinger, Davide Cantoni
2022 – 2023	Visiting Scholar, University of California, Berkeley
2017 – 2019	MPhil Economics, University of Oxford
2014 – 2017	BSc Philosophy, Politics, and Economics, University of Warwick

## Publications

Measuring Science: Performance Metrics and the Allocation of Talent  
(with Carlo Schwarz and Fabian Waldinger)  
American Economic Review, 114 (12): 4052–90.

## Teaching

2024 – 2025	Supervision of MPhil theses (Oxford)
2024	Applied Econometrics (LMU)
2020 – 2024	Intermediate Econometrics (LMU)
2020 – 2024	Supervision of BSc theses (LMU)
2023	Applied Econometrics: Topics in Labor Economics (LMU)
2021 – 2022	Economics of Discrimination (LMU)
2020	Economics of Social Networks (LMU)

## Awards and Fellowships

2024	Young Economists Award, Austrian Economic Association (NOeG)
2023	Fellowship for Interdisciplinary Economics, Joachim Herz Foundation
2023	Connex Research Grant, Dr. Hans Riegel Foundation
2022	Award for Best Teaching in Economics, LMU Munich
2022	Dissertation Fellowship, Austrian Economic Association (NOeG)
2019 – 2021	Evidence-Based Economics Fellowship, LMU Munich

## **Presentations (including Invited Talks)**

2024	3rd Berlin Workshop on Empirical Public Economics: Gender Economics, NOEG Annual Conference, NBER Summer Institute: Science of Science Funding
2023	DEVPEC Conference, Berkeley Economic History Seminar, 2023 ASREC Conference, 11 <sup>th</sup> BITSS Annual Meeting, Mountain West Economic History Conference, Berkeley Haas Innovation Seminar, Berkeley Labor Lunch
2022	NOeG Winter Workshop, Berkeley IRLE Seminar, 15 <sup>th</sup> RGS Graduate Conference

## **Seminar Organization**

2024 – 2025	Economics Postdoctoral Fellows Seminar, University of Oxford
2022 – 2024	Economic History Workshop, LMU Munich

## **Refereeing**

Journal of the European Economic Association, Management Science, Review of Economic Studies, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, The Economic Journal

## **Other Work Experience**

2017	Frontier Economics, London (Summer internship)
2016	Oxera Consulting, London (Summer internship)
2015	Agenda Austria Think Tank, Vienna (Summer internship)
2013 – 2014	Vilna Gaon Museum of Jewish History, Holocaust Exhibition, Vilnius

## **Personal Information**

Languages	English (fluent), Finnish (native), German (native)
Citizenships	Austrian, Finnish
Date of birth	12 July 1995
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