



Niklas Fourberg

Curriculum Vitae

Work experience

- Since 09/2020 **Senior Economist**, WISSENSCHAFTLICHES INSTITUT FÜR INFRASTRUKTUR UND KOMMUNIKATIONSDIENSTE (WIK), Bad Honnef, Germany, Department: Markets and perspectives.
- Since 09/2020 **Research Affiliate**, DÜSSELDORF INSTITUTE FOR COMPETITION ECONOMICS (DICE), Düsseldorf, Germany.
- 01/2016 **Doctoral Researcher**, HEINRICH-HEINE-UNIVERSITY, Düsseldorf, Germany, Düsseldorf Institute for Competition Economics (DICE).
until 08/2020
- 10/2013 **Freelance Consultant**, DICE CONSULT GMBH, Düsseldorf, Germany.
until 08/2020

Education

- 01/2016 **Doctorate (Ph.D.)**, *Heinrich-Heine-University*, Düsseldorf, Düsseldorf Institute for Competition Economics (DICE).
until 09/2020
Dissertation: "Essays on Competition in Digital Economics".
Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Hans-Theo Normann, Prof. Dr. Justus Haucap.
- 10/2013 **Master of Science (M.Sc.) Economics**,
until 12/2015 *Heinrich-Heine-University*, Düsseldorf.
Thesis: "Let's Lock them in: Collusion Incentives under Switching Costs."
- 10/2010 **Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) Economics**,
until 09/2013 *Heinrich-Heine-University*, Düsseldorf.
Thesis: "Zugangsregulierung in der Telekommunikation: NGA und Vectoring."

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Research & Publications

Fiber vs. Vectoring: Limiting Technology Choices in Broadband Expansion, with *Alex Korff*.

Telecommunications Policy, Vol. 44 (8), 2020.

Let's Lock Them in: Collusion under Consumer Switching Costs,
DICE Discussion Paper No. 296.

Revise & Resubmit at the International Journal of Industrial Organization.

Monopoly Customization with Log-concave Consumer Preferences,
with *Tim Thomes*.

Available on request.

Other Publications

2017 **Evaluation of the effectiveness of regulation in the telecommunications sector: concepts and proposals for ex-post evaluation and estimation methods in Germany**,
with *Ulrich Heimeshoff*, *DIW Econ GmbH*.
Study on behalf of German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy.

2014 **Affordability of universal services in the Austrian telecommunications market**,
with *Justus Haucap*, *Moritz Hottenrott*, *Beatrice Pagel*.
Study on behalf of A1 Telekom Austria AG.

2014 **Investment incentives for broadband rollout: Regionalization, net neutrality and examples from the EU**,
with *Justus Haucap*, *Mirjam Lange*, *Beatrice Pagel*, *Amela Saric*.
Study on behalf of the Saxon Ministry for Economic Affairs, Employment and Transport.

Academic talks

2020 France Stratégie, Invited Speaker on Expert Panel - Ultra fast broadband (UFB) and Fttx roll-out, Webinar;
Deutsche Telekom AG, GPRA, Bonn.

2019 DICE Winter School on Applied Microeconomics, Switzerland.

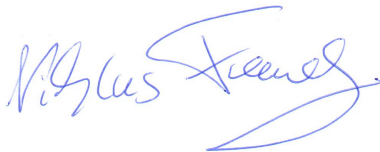
2018 Docotral Workshop, Heinrich-Heine-University Düsseldorf;
DICE Winter School on Applied Microeconomics, Switzerland.

2017 German Economic Association (VfS) - Annual Conference, Vienna;
European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE) - Annual
Conference, Maastricht;
Docotral Workshop, Heinrich-Heine-University Düsseldorf;
DICE Winter School on Applied Microeconomics, Austria.

Teaching

10/2016 Principles of Economics: Microeconomics, B.Sc..
until 09/2020

10/2018 Digital Economics, B.Sc..
until 09/2020



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