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Qualifications

1999 Post-Doctorate Degree, Habilitation (second PhD) in Economics
Thesis: "The new theory of monetary integration" (Heidelberg 2001)
1991 Doctorate Degree, PhD in Economics
Thesis: "Constitution and erosion of a monetary economy: Problems of India's development since Independence" (London 1994)
1988 Master's Level Degree, Diploma in Economics

Present Appointment

since 9/2001 **Lecturer in Political Economy** (tenure) at the European Institute, London School of Economics (LSE), teaching courses on the political economy of integration, transition and enlargement at MSc and PhD level; **Adjunct professor of economics** at the economics department of the Free University of Berlin

Career

12/2000 – 6/2001 **Research fellow** at the European Institute, South Bank University London, in a research project of six European universities on "Social Exclusion and Social Protection. The Future Role for the EU"
1/2000 - 11/2000 **GAAC/NEH Research Fellow** (part-time) at Johns Hopkins University, Washington, DC; research and organisation of an international conference on: "Learning from diversity in federal systems: Social assistance in the United States, Germany, and the European Union"
10/1999 – 9/2000 **Visiting professor** of International Economic Relations at the Free University of Berlin
1/1999 - 6/1999 **AICGS Bosch Research Fellow** in Comparative Public Policy and Institutions at Johns Hopkins University, Washington, DC; on "Welfare Reform in the U.S. – Lessons for a Social Federation of EMU"
10/1992 - 9/1998 **Assistant professor** at the economics department of the Free University of Berlin, teaching economic policy and theory at the graduate and undergraduate level
11/1989 - 9/1992 **Staff member** of the German Institute of Development (DIE) in Berlin, research focus on the financial system in development; consulting the German government (BMZ, KfW, GTZ) on development cooperation with India

Recent publications:

“EU Fiscal Governance: Hard Law in the Shadow of Soft Law?” forthcoming in *The Columbia Journal of European Law* vol.13, No.3

[with Deborah Mabbett] "Bringing macroeconomics back into the political economy of reform: the Lisbon Agenda and the ‘fiscal philosophy’ of EMU”, *Journal of Common Market Studies* vol.45, No.1 (2007), pp.81-104.

“The theory and practice of economic governance in EMU revisited: What have we learnt about commitment and credibility in particular?” *Journal of Common Market Studies* 44, No.4 (2006), pp. 669-685 (and editor of this special issue).

“The Political Economy of Fiscal Policy Coordination in EMU: From Disciplinary Device to Insurance Arrangement.” *Journal of Common Market Studies*, vol.43 No.2, June 2005.

(with Iain Begg) “Can Fiscal Policy Co-ordination be Made to Work Effectively?”, *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 2004, vol.42, No.5.

(with Iain Begg) “The Pact is dead: Long live the Pact”, *National Institute Economic Review*, 2004 (July), No.189, 70-83.

“EMU’s second chance: Enlargement and the reform of fiscal policy coordination”, *Journal of European Public Policy*, special edition on ‘Building EU Economic Government: Revising the Rules?’ vol.11 No.5, 2004.

“The Political Economy of Social Europe: the case of inclusion policies”, *European Political Economy Review*, vol.1/2, 2003.

Partner in externally funded research projects:

EMU and its impact on Cohesion, [joint with Brian Ardy, Iain Begg and Francisco Torres] funded by the European Commission, DG Research, 1 October 2001 – 31 March 2002

Costs of Non-Social Policy, [joint with Iain Begg, Maurizio Ferrera, Per Madsen, Manos Matsaganis, Stefano Sacchi] funded by the European Commission, DG Employment and Social Affairs, 1 October 2002 – 30 September 2003

New approaches to economic governance in the EU, [joint with Iain Begg] funded under the 6th Framework Programme of the European Commission, Integrated Project ‘New Modes of Governance’ (lead institution: European University Institute, Florence, Professor Martin Rhodes), 1 October 2004 – 30 January 2008