

## Curriculum Vitae

## Stefan Ruediger

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**Education**

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| Fall 2004 – Fall 2008   | <b>Ph.D. in Economics</b> University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee, USA<br>Dissertation: Topics in Technology and Growth: Intellectual Property Rights, Institutions, and Skill Formation<br>(Committee: Hamid Mohtadi (chair), Niloy Bose, Scott Drewianka, Antu Murshid, Swarnjit Arora) |
| Fall 2004 – Fall 2008   | <b>M.A. Economics and Finance</b> (equivalent) University of Potsdam, Germany   |
| Fall 2003 – Spring 2004 | <b>M.A. Economics</b> University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee, USA  |
| Fall 1999 – Spring 2003 | <b>B.A. Business Management and Economics</b> (equivalent), University of Potsdam, Germany  |

**Fields of Interest**

- Research:** Primary: Economic Development, Economic Growth, Economic Education  
Secondary: Macroeconomics, Applied Econometrics
- Teaching:** Economic Growth, Economic Development, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics

**Research:****Working Papers:**

- “Intellectual Property Rights and Growth: Is there a threshold effect?” with H. Mohtadi
- “Imitation, Innovation and Threshold Effects: A Game Theoretic Approach.” with H. Mohtadi
- "Impact of Automated Response Systems on Students' Performance in *Principles of Microeconomics*"
- “Wage Inequality in a Global Environment”

**Conference and Seminar Presentations**

- Southern Economic Association Meeting: Atlanta, GA , November 20-22, 2010 (forthcoming)
- Midwest Economics Association Meeting: Chicago, IL, March 19-21, 2010
- Southern Economic Association Meeting: San Antonio, TX , November 21-23, 2009
- Marquette University: Economics Seminar Series, March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2009
- University of Minnesota: Applied Economics Seminar Series, April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2008
- Southern Economic Association Meeting: New Orleans, LA , November 19-21, 2007
- University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee : Economic Research Seminar, Nov 9<sup>th</sup>, 2007
- Midwest Economics Association Meeting: Minneapolis, MN, March 23-25, 2007

**Professional Positions**

Fall 2009 – present	<b>Assistant Professor</b> at the Economics Department of the <b>University of Wisconsin – Stevens Point</b>
Fall 2008 – Spring 2009	<b>Lecturer</b> at the Economics Department of the <b>University of Wisconsin – Parkside</b>
Spring 2007 – Summer 2008	<b>Adjunct Lecturer</b> at the Economics Department of the <b>University of Wisconsin – Parkside</b>
Fall 2005 – Spring 2008	<b>Graduate Assistant</b> at the Economics Department of the <b>University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee;</b>
Fall 2003 – Spring 2008	<b>Assistant Coach</b> Track and Field - UW–Milwaukee
Fall 2004 – Spring 2005	<b>Tutor</b> at the UW-Milwaukee Athletics Department
Fall 2000 - Spring 2003	<b>Teaching Assistant</b> for Microeconomics at the chair of Prof. Schöler - <b>University of Potsdam, Germany</b>
Fall 1998 – Fall 1999	<b>Civil Service</b> in a medical nephrology center (Nurse)
Fall 1994 – Spring 1998	<b>Assistant Coach</b> Track and Field LAV Zeven, Germany

**Teaching Experience**

Economic Development (UW-Milwaukee, UW-Stevens Point)  
 Empirical Macroeconomics (UW-Parkside)  
 Financial Institutions and Markets (UW-Parkside)  
 Industrial Organization (UW-Parkside)  
 Intermediate Macro Theory (UW-Parkside)  
 Introduction to International Economic Relations (UW-Milwaukee)  
 Introductory Economics (UW-Milwaukee)  
 Managerial Economics (UW-Stevens Point)  
 Money and Banking (UW-Parkside)  
 Principles of Microeconomics (UW-Parkside, UW-Milwaukee)  
 Principles of Macroeconomics (UW-Parkside, UW-Stevens Point)

**Refereeing for Journals**

International Economic Journal

**Awards and Grants**

UWSP New Faculty Development Grant, 2010  
 UWSP Technology Grant, 2010  
 UWM – Chancellors Award, 2004  
 German Academic Exchange Program (DAAD) Scholarship, 2003

**Professional Affiliations**

American Economic Association, Midwest Economics Association, Southern Economic Association

**Extracurricular Achievements**

**Bobsleigh :** Member of the German National Team from 2000 to 2004  
 Ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> at World junior championships 4men-sleight Bob in 2003  
 Ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> at German junior championships 4men-sleight Bob in 2002 and 2003

**Track & Field:** Member of the German National Team (javelin) from 1996 to 1997  
 Ranked 6<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> at German junior championships (javelin) in 1996 and 1997

**References**

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