

## Curriculum Vitae

## Stefan Ruediger

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**Education**

Fall 2004 – Fall 2008

**Ph.D. in Economics** University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee, USA

Fall 2004 – Fall 2008

**M.A. Economics and Finance** (equivalent) University of  
Potsdam, Germany

Fall 2003 – Spring 2004

**M.A. Economics** University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee, USA

Fall 1999 – Spring 2003

**B.A. Business Management and Economics** (equivalent),  
University of Potsdam, Germany

**Fields of Interest****Research:**

Primary: Economic Development, Macroeconomics

Secondary: International Economics, Applied Econometrics, Economic  
Education

**Teaching:**

Economic Growth and Technological Change, Microeconomics,  
Macroeconomics, Finance, Monetary Economics, International Economics

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

“Intellectual Property Rights and Growth: Is there a threshold effect?” with Hamid 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*" (submitted to the International Review of Economics Education)

“Wage Inequality in a Global Environment” (submitted to the Journal of Economic Surveys)

**Dissertation:**

**Topics in Technology and Growth: Intellectual Property Rights, Institutions, and Skill  
Formation** (Advisor: Professor Hamid Mohtadi)

**Conference and Seminar Presentations**

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

**Teaching**

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> Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Industrial Organization, Financial Institutions and Markets
Spring 2007 – Summer 2008	<b>Adjunct Lecturer</b> at the Economics Department of the <b>University of Wisconsin – Parkside</b> Intermediate Macro Theory, Financial Institutions and Markets, Empirical Macroeconomics, Money and Banking, Principles of Microeconomics
Fall 2005 – Spring 2008	<b>Graduate Assistant</b> at the Economics Department of the <b>University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee</b> ; Economic Development, Principles of Microeconomics, Introduction to International Economic Relations, Introductory Economics
Fall 2004 – Spring 2005	<b>Tutor</b> for the UWM Athletics Department (Math, Statistics, Business Administration, and Economics)
Fall 2004 – Fall 2006	Private Tutor (Statistics, Macro- and Microeconomics)
Fall 2000 - Spring 2003	<b>Teaching Assistant</b> for Microeconomics at the chair of Prof. Schöler - <b>University of Potsdam, Germany</b>

**Professional Affiliations**

American Economic Association  
Midwest Economics Association  
Southern Economic Association

**Referee for Journals**

International Economic Journal

**Academic Awards**

Fall 2004	UWM – Chancellors Award
Fall 2003	German Academic Exchange Program (DAAD) Scholarship

**Other Employment**

Fall 2003 – Spring 2009	<b>Assistant Coach</b> Track and Field University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee (Division 1)
Fall 1994 – Fall 1998	<b>Assistant Coach</b> Track and Field LAV Zeven, Germany
September 1998 - August 1999	<b>Civil Service</b> in a medical nephrology center

**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

**Computer Skills**

Microfit, Stata, SAS, SPSS, Gauss

**References**

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