

STEFAN KLONNER

Curriculum Vitae

Date of Birth: 29.01.1971

EDUCATION

RUPRECHT KARLS UNIVERSITÄT HEIDELBERG
Autumn 1993 to Spring 1995
Undergraduate studies in economics
Vordiplom (Undergraduate Degree), Economics, May 1995

UNIVERSITY OF UTAH, SALT LAKE CITY
September 1995 to September 1996
Graduate studies in statistics and econometrics
Master of Statistics (Econometrics), October 1996

RUPRECHT KARLS UNIVERSITÄT HEIDELBERG
January 1997 to October 2001
Ph. D. student in economics
Doctor rerum politicarum (Ph.D. in Economics, grade: *summa cum laude*,
supervisors: Clive Bell and Benny Moldovanu), November 2001

POSITIONS HELD

SÜDASIEN INSTITUT, RUPRECHT KARLS UNIVERSITÄT HEIDELBERG
January 1997 to October 2001: Research and teaching assistant in the
Department of Economics
May 2003 to August 2003: Lecturer in the Department of Economics

ECONOMIC GROWTH CENTER, YALE UNIVERSITY
November 2001 to December 2002: Postdoctoral Fellow
January 2003 to May 2003: Visiting Lecturer of Economics

CORNELL UNIVERSITY, DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
August 2003 to June 2008: Assistant Professor of Economics

GOETHE UNIVERSITY FRANKFURT, DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
August 2007 to June 2010: Professor of International and Development
Economics

SÜDASIEN INSTITUT, RUPRECHT KARLS UNIVERSITÄT HEIDELBERG
Since July 2010: Professor of Development Economics, South Asia

VISITING APPOINTMENTS

INSTITUTE FOR SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC CHANGE (ISEC), BANGALORE
November to December 2005: Visiting Professor of Economics

GOETHE UNIVERSITY FRANKFURT, DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
October 2006 to July 2007: Visiting Professor of Economics

INDIAN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS (ISB), HYDERABAD
February to March 2007: Visiting Professor of Economics

HONORS, AWARDS AND GRANTS

Fulbright Travel Grant for US Studies, 1995
Grantee of the *Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes* (German Government Funded Scholarship Organization) since 1997
Grant from the German Academic Exchange Service for field study in India, 2001
Conference Travel Grant from the German Economic Association (*Verein für Socialpolitik*), 1999, 2000, 2002
Grant from the German Academic Exchange Service for twelve-month postdoctoral fellowship at Yale University, 2001
Cornell Einaudi International Studies Center Seed Grant, \$5000, 2006-2007
ABN Amro Bank, Germany: € 60,000 for three-year doctoral fellowship in microfinance research (current grantee: Kristina Czura)

PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES AND RESEARCH SEMINARS

Conferences

a) Presentations in Contributed Sessions

1999 Young Economist Meeting in Amsterdam, April 10-11, 1999.
12th World Congress of the International Economic Association, Buenos Aires, August 23-27, 1999.
1999 Congress of the European Economic Association, Santiago de Compostela, September 1-4, 1999.
World Congress of the Econometric Society in Seattle, Wa., August 11-16, 2000.
Annual Meeting of the German Economic Association (*Verein für Socialpolitik*), Berlin, September 19-22, 2000.
Northeast Universities Development Conference, Ithaca, NY, October 6-7, 2000.
Northeast Universities Development Conference, Boston, Ma., September 28-30, 2001.
13th World Congress of the International Economic Association, Lisbon, September 9-13, 2002.
Northeast Universities Development Conference, Williamstown, Ma., October 25-27, 2002.
Northeast Universities Development Conference, New Haven, Ct., October 17-19, 2003.
75 Years of Development Research: An International Colloquium at Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, May 7-9, 2004.
Southern Economic Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, November 21-23, 2004.

First Annual Meeting of German Economists Abroad, Bielefeld, December 18-20, 2004.

International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI) Conference “Threshold Dynamics and Poverty Traps”, Washington DC, May 11-12, 2005.

Northeast Universities Development Conference, Providence, RI, September 23-25, 2005.

Northeast Universities Development Conference, Ithaca, NY, September 29-30, 2006.

Annual Conference of the Research Committee for Development Economics of the German Economic Association, Göttingen, June 29-30, 2007

First Annual Conference of the Network for Poverty, Equality and Growth (PEGNET), Berlin, September 6-7, 2007.

Annual Conference of the Research Committee for Development Economics of the German Economic Association, Zürich, May 30-31, 2008

Second Annual Conference of the Network for Poverty, Equality and Growth (PEGNET), Accra (Ghana), September 11-12, 2008.

17th International Tor Vergata Conference on Banking and Finance, Rome, December 3-5, 2008

Annual Conference of the Research Committee for Development Economics of the German Economic Association, Frankfurt, June 26-27, 2009

5th IZA/World Bank Conference: Employment and Development, Cape Town (South Africa), May 3-4, 2010

Annual Conference of the Research Committee for Development Economics of the German Economic Association, Hannover, June 18-19, 2010

b) Presentations in Invited Sessions

CIRPÉE Second Mini Conference on Development Economics, Montreal, February 20-21, 2004.

European University Institute, Conference “The Micro Foundations of Credit Contracts”, Florence, May 21-22, 2004.

University of Groningen, Workshop “Does Microfinance Work?”, Groningen, July 1-2, 2005.

Annual Conference of the Research Committee for Development Economics of the German Economic Association, Institute for World Economics, Kiel, July 8-9, 2005.

Institute for Industrial Economics (IDEI), University of Toulouse, Conference “The Econometrics of Auctions”, Toulouse, May 12-13, 2006.

Joint World Bank and Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations (ICRIER) Conference on “Growth in India and the World”, New Delhi, December 14-15, 2006.

Conference on “Microeconomic Analysis: Methodology, Data, and Empirics”, Institute of Economic Research, Hitotsubashi University, Tokyo, March 10–11, 2007.

Joint Wharton/ISB Conference on “India’s Financial System”, Philadelphia, April 19–21, 2007.

Workshop on “Rigorous Impact Analysis in Development Co-operation”, German Development Institute, Bonn, September 16-17, 2008.

Research Seminars

2001

Institute of Economic Education, Chennai; Tilburg University; Development Economics Research Group, The World Bank

2002

Boston University; Yale University

2003

Brown University; University of California, Irvine; Cornell University; University of Michigan, Ann Arbor; Development Economics Research Group, The World Bank

2004

Cornell University

2005

ENS Jourdan, Paris; Boston University; Institute of Economic Education, Chennai; Goethe Universität Frankfurt; University of Guelph; Harvard University; IDEI, Toulouse; University of Madras; Madras Institute of Development Studies; Madras School of Economics; Pennsylvania State University

2006

University of California, Berkeley; Universität Göttingen; Wageningen University

2007

Oxford University; Indian School of Business, Hyderabad; University of Washington, Seattle; Yale University; Rutgers University; University of Edinburgh; University of Essex; Universität Hohenheim; Center for Development Research (ZEF), Bonn

2008

Institute for Social Studies, Den Haag; Universität Heidelberg

2009

Universität Kiel; Universität Göttingen; Yale University

Teaching at Summer Universities

2008

“The European Union and China -A New Economic Partnership in a Globalized World?”, Shanghai (China)

2009

“The European Union - An Example for Latin American Integration?”, Sao Paulo (Brazil)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Academic

a) Committee Work:

Ph. D. Program Legislation Committee, Cornell University, 2003/04
 Graduate Admissions Committee, Cornell University, 2004/05, 2005/06
 Faculty Recruitment Committee, Frankfurt, 2007, 2008
 Special Admissions Committee, Frankfurt, 2008
 Speaker of the research group Applied Econometrics and International Economic Policy, Frankfurt, 2008-
 Member *Fachbereichsrat* and *Strategiekomitee*, Frankfurt, 2009-
 Ph. D. Student Committee Member of: Patrick Nolen (Cornell '06); Lecturer, University of Essex), Kiran Gajwani (Cornell '08), Hyejin Ku (Cornell '07; Assistant Professor, Florida State University), Emma Stephens (Cornell '07; Assistant Professor, Pfizer College), Sudha Narayan (Cornell '09), Cesar Miralles Cabrera (Frankfurt '08), Gunhild Berg (Frankfurt '10)

b) Refereeing:

Academic Journals: Agricultural Economics, American Economic Journal: Micro, American Economic Review, American Journal of Agricultural Economics, Economic Development and Cultural Change, Economic Journal, Journal of African Economies, Journal of Comparative Economics, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics, Metroeconomica, Review of Economic Studies, Review of Income and Wealth, World Bank Economic Review, World Development
Grants: British Academy, Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst (DAAD) Deutsche Forschungs-Gemeinschaft (DFG), Hong Kong Research Grants Council, Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes

c) Conference Organization:

International Workshop 'Intermarriage: US and International Perspectives' (with David Harris), Cornell University, March 10, 2006
 International Conference on 'Marriage and Family: Complexities and Perspectives' (with Elizabeth Adkins-Regan, Claire Dush, Elizabeth Peters, Maureen Waller and Lindy Williams), Cornell University, April 7-8, 2006
 North East Universities Development Conference (with Kaushik Basu), Cornell University, September 29-30, 2006
 Annual Meeting of the Research Committee of the German Economic Association, Frankfurt, June 26-27, 2009

d) Field Studies:

Tirunelveli District, Tamil Nadu, India, January/February 2001
 Informal finance in a Tamil agricultural village
 Tamil Nadu, India, January 2002
 Interlinked credit and marketing contracts; semi-formal financial intermediation in urban areas
 Bangalore and Chennai, India, November/December 2005
 Financial intermediation in urban areas
 Hyderabad, India, February/March 2007
 Farmers' suicides in South India

e) Other:

Member of the Research Committee for Development Economics of the German Economic Association, since June 2007.

Other

LANDESGIROKASSE STUTTGART, GERMANY

Bank Apprenticeship, 1990 to 1992

Qualifications earned: *Bankkaufmann* (Bank administrator license),
Finanzassistent (Financial advisor)

UNITED NATIONS ORGANIZATION, NEW YORK, USA

Internship, October to December 1996

Statistical and conceptual work in the Small Islands Development States Unit (SIDS)