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## CURRICULUM VITAE

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Date of Birth: Mai 27, 1968.

Nationality: Swiss.

Marital Status: Married, one child.

Languages: German, English, French.

Present Positions: Oberassistent (Senior Assistant)  
University of Zurich,  
Socioeconomic Institute.

Research Assistant  
University of St. Gallen,  
Institute for Empirical Economics and Economic Policy.

Research Interests: Applied Microeconomics, Industrial Organization,  
Regulation, Theory and Practice of Antitrust,  
Vertical Market Structure, Network Industries.

### Education

06/99- Senior Assistant, University of Zurich, Switzerland.

08/00 Advanced Courses for Doctoral Students and Faculty Members,  
“Theory of Dynamic Contracting”, by Prof. Patrick Bolton,  
Study Center Gerzensee.

03/00 Antitrust Law and Economics for Doctoral Students and  
Faculty Members, by Prof. Daniel Rubinfeld,  
Study Center Gerzensee.

10/94-04/99 Dr.oec. (Ph.D. in Economics),  
University of St. Gallen.

01/98-07/98 Visiting Graduate Student in Economics,  
University Florida, Gainesville, FL, USA.

08/95-10/96 Swiss Program for Beginning Doctoral Students (Full Program)  
Study Center Gerzensee.

10/89-10/94 lic.oec. (Master in Economics),  
University of St. Gallen.

10/81-06/88 Maturity Type E, Kantonsschule Luzern.

### **Previous Academic Positions**

04/03 Visiting Researcher  
University of the Federal Armed Forces,  
Institute for Economic Policy, Hamburg, Germany.

10/94-04/99 Teaching and Research Assistant of Prof. Franz Jaeger,  
University of St. Gallen.

10/93-10/94 Teaching Assistant of Prof. Franz Jaeger,  
University of St. Gallen.

### **Previous Non-academic Positions**

06/89-09/89 Apprenticeship at Hotel Gstaaderhof, Gstaad, Switzerland.

10/90-12/03 Lieutenant, Swiss Army (retired).

### **Memberships**

American Economic Association (AEA)  
European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE)  
European Economic Association (EEA)  
Royal Economic Society (RES)  
Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics (SSES)  
Verein für Socialpolitik (VFS)

## Referee Services

### *Journals*

European Economic Review, German Economic Review, International Journal of Industrial Organization, Labour Economics, Swiss Journal of Economics and Statistics, Utilities Policy

### *Institutions and Meetings*

European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE 2004), International Telecommunications Society (various meetings)

## Awards and Grants

11/03	Conference Grant, Verein für Socialpolitik/Swiss National Bank
11/00	Conference Grant, Verein für Socialpolitik/Swiss National Bank
01/98-07/98	Swiss National Science Foundation
06/88	Sidler-Perovic Award for Overall Performance, Kantonschule Luzern

## References

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## **Teaching Experience**

Winter term 2003/04	Seminar in Industrial Organization (Vertical Relations), University of Zurich.
Winter term 2002/03	Tutorials in Advanced Micro I (Game Theory), University of Zurich.  Tutorials in Advanced Micro II (General Equilibrium), University of Zurich.
Winter term 2001/02	Lecture “Theory of Regulation”, University of Zurich.  Seminar in “Theory and Practice of Regulation”, University of Zurich.
Summer term 2001	didactica, Rhetorics for Seminar and Lecture, University of Zurich and Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETH).
Winter term 2000/01	Tutorials in Microeconomics I, University of Zurich.
Winter term 1999/2000	Seminar in Industrial Organization, University of Zurich.
Summer term 1999	Tutorials in Economics for Students of Business Administration, University of St. Gallen.

## **Project Experience**

1999	The Role of Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises for the Swiss Economy (with Robert Hartl, Franz Jaeger, Christian Kaiser, Klaus Edel, and Winfried Stier)
1995	The Effects of Abolishing Price Regulations on the Swiss Market for Rented Apartments (with Franz Jaeger)

## PUBLICATIONS

### Articles in Journals

Published or accepted for publication:

Buehler, Stefan (forthcoming): The Promise and Pitfalls of Restructuring Network Industries, *German Economic Review*.

Buehler, Stefan, Armin Schmutzler, and Men-Andri Benz (2004): Infrastructure Quality in Deregulated Industries: Is There an Underinvestment Problem?, *International Journal of Industrial Organization* 22(2), 253-267.

Buehler, Stefan (1998): Regulatory Reform of Telecommunications in Switzerland, *Telecommunications Policy* 22(8), 671-680.

Buehler, Stefan and Urs Lehmann (1997): Zusammenarbeit in Forschung und Entwicklung im neuen Kartellgesetz, *Aktuelle juristische Praxis* 6, 651-666.

### Books

Buehler, Stefan and Franz Jaeger (2002): *Einführung in die Industrieökonomik*. Springer, Heidelberg, New York etc.

Buehler, Stefan, Robert Hartl, Franz Jaeger, and Christian Kaiser (1999): Die Klein- und Mittelunternehmen als Träger der schweizerischen Volkswirtschaft. Swiss Federal Statistical Office, *Analyse der Betriebszählung 1995*, Neuchâtel.

Buehler, Stefan (1999): *Wettbewerb und flächendeckende Grundversorgung in der Telekommunikation*. Difo, Bamberg (Dissertation of the University of St. Gallen).

Buehler, Stefan and Franz Jaeger (1995): *Schweizer Wohnungsmieten zwischen Politik und Markt*. Rüegger, Chur/Zurich

### Book Reviews

Buehler, Stefan (2001), Introduction to Industrial Organization (by Luis M. Cabral), *Kyklos* 54(4), 611-613.

Buehler, Stefan (2001), Deregulation of Network Industries: What's Next? (by Sam Peltzman and Clifford Winston), *Kyklos* 54(4), 638-640.

## Working Papers

- Buehler, Stefan, Christian Kaiser and Franz Jaeger (2004): Competition and Exit: Evidence from Switzerland. *University of Zurich, SOI Working Paper No. 0405*. [submitted for publication]
- Borek, Thomas, Buehler Stefan and Armin Schmutzler (2004): Weddings with Uncertain Prospects – Mergers under Asymmetric Information. *University of Zurich, SOI Working Paper No. 0213 (revised version), and CEPR Working Paper No. 3839*. [submitted for publication]
- Buehler, Stefan, Dennis Gärtner and Daniel Halbheer (2004): Restructuring Network Industries: Dealing with Price-Quality Tradeoffs. *University of Zurich, SOI Working Paper No. 0402*. [submitted for publication]
- Buehler, Stefan and Armin Schmutzler (2003a): Downstream Investment in Oligopoly. *University of Zurich, SOI Working Paper No. 0310*. [submitted for publication]
- Buehler, Stefan and Armin Schmutzler (2003b): Who Integrates? *University of Zurich, SOI Working Paper No. 0306, and CEPR Working Paper No. 4066*. [submitted for publication]
- Buehler, Stefan and Justus Haucap (2003a): Strategic Outsourcing Revisited. *University of Zurich, SOI Working Paper No. 0305*. [revision invited by the *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*]
- Buehler, Stefan and Justus Haucap (2003b): Mobile Number Portability. *University of Zurich, SOI Working Paper No. 0303*. [revised and resubmitted to the *Journal of Industry, Competition and Trade*]
- Aydemir, Zava and Stefan Buehler (2002): Estimating Vertical Foreclosure in U.S. Gasoline Supply. *University of Zurich, SOI Working Paper No. 0212* [under revision]
- Buehler, Stefan (2003): Network Competition and Supermodularity. *University of Zurich, SOI Working Paper No. 9904 (revised version)*. [under revision]
- Buehler, Stefan and Armin Schmutzler (2002): Railway Reforms in Europe – A Lost Cause? *Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics, Neuchâtel*. [under revision]
- Buehler, Stefan (2000): Is Swiss Telecommunications a Natural Monopoly? An Evaluation of Empirical Evidence. *University of Zurich, SOI Working Paper No. 0201*.

## Contributions to Edited Volumes

### Published or accepted for publication:

- Buehler, Stefan (forthcoming): Deregulation in Network Industries: A Policy in Search of a Rationale?, in: von Hirschhausen, Christian, Kay Mitusch and Thorsten Beckers (Eds.): *Trends in Infrastructure Regulation and Financing – International Experience*

and Case Studies from Germany. Cheltenham, Edward Elgar.

Buehler, Stefan and Justus Haucap (2003c): A Primer in Strategic Outsourcing, in: International Federation of Purchasing and Materials Management (Ed.): *Global Purchasing & Supply Chain Strategies 2004*, Reference Section.

Buehler, Stefan and Franz Jaeger (2003): Kooperation: Erklärungsperspektive der Industrieökonomik, in: Zentes, Joachim, Bernhard Swoboda and Dirk Morschett (Eds.): *Kooperationen, Allianzen und Netzwerke*, Gabler, 93-120.

Aydemir, Zava and Stefan Buehler (2002): Vertical Foreclosure: Theorie und wettbewerbspolitische Praxis, in: Furrer, Jürg and Bruno Gehrig (Eds.): *Aspekte der schweizerischen Wirtschaftspolitik*. Rüegger, Chur/Zurich, 387-402.

Buehler, Stefan and Armin Schmutzler (2001): Bahnreform und Netzqualität: ein inhärenter Widerspruch?, in: Kaspar Claude, Christian Laesser and Thomas Bieger (Eds.): *Jahrbuch 2001/2001 Schweizerische Verkehrswirtschaft*, 25-39.

Buehler, Stefan and Urs Lehmann (1998): Cooperation in Research and Development, in: Amstutz, Marc, Markus Ruffner, Ralph Malacrida, Stefan Buehler and Urs Lehmann (Eds.): *Introduction to Swiss Antitrust Law*. Helbling-Lichtenhahn, Basel, 71-104.

### **Articles in the Public Press**

Buehler, Stefan and Armin Schmutzler (2003): Tücken bei der Liberalisierung von Netzindustrien, *Neue Zürcher Zeitung*, Themen und Thesen der Wirtschaft, No. 224, 27./28.09.2003, 29.

Die Lösung des Interkonnektionsproblems steht noch aus, Interview in *Computerworld*, 11.10.1999, No. 41, A4, A7.

Buehler, Stefan and Franz Jaeger (1997): Für eine Liberalisierung des Wohnungsmarktes, *Neue Zürcher Zeitung*, 14.04.1997, No. 85, B46.

### **Appearances on Radio and Television**

Liberalisierung "light" des Schweizer Strommarktes? Interview in „Trend“ – das Wirtschaftsmagazin, *Swiss Radio DRS*, 11.10.2003.

Liberalisierung der Post. Discussant in „Standpunkte“, *Swiss Television SF DRS*, 14.12.2002.

Zur Liberalisierung der schweizerischen Telekommunikationsindustrie, Interview in „Update 24“, *Tele 24*, 1999.

## PRESENTATIONS

### Conferences

- 2004
- Annual congress of the European Economic Association (EEA), Madrid [submission accepted].
  - Annual conference of the Verein für Socialpolitik (VFS), Dresden [submission accepted].
  - Annual conference of the European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Berlin [submission pending].
  - International Industrial Organization Conference, Chicago.
  - Annual conference of the Royal Economic Society (RES), Swansea.
  - Annual conference of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics (SSES), Basel.
- 2003
- Annual conference of the Verein für Socialpolitik (VFS), Zurich.
  - Annual conference of the European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Helsinki.
  - Annual congress of the European Economic Association (EEA), Stockholm.
  - Annual conference of the Royal Economic Society (RES), Warwick.
  - Annual conference of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics (SSES), Bern.
- 2002
- European Network on Industrial Policy (EUNIP), Turku.
  - Recent Advances in Applied Infrastructure Research, TU Berlin, Berlin.
  - Annual conference of the Verein für Socialpolitik (VFS), Innsbruck.
  - Annual conference of the European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Madrid.
  - Annual conference of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics (SSES), Neuchâtel.
- 2001
- European Network on Industrial Policy (EUNIP), Vienna.
  - Annual conference of the Verein für Socialpolitik (VFS), Magdeburg.

Annual conference of the European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Dublin.

12th International Telecommunications Society Europe Regional Conference (ITS European Regional Workshop: Cases in Telecommunications), Dublin.

Annual conference of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics (SSES), Lausanne.

2000 European Network on Industrial Policy (EUNIP), Tilburg.

Annual conference of the European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Lausanne.

11th International Telecommunications Society Europe Regional Conference, Lausanne.

Annual congress of the European Economic Association (EEA), Bolzano.

1999 Annual conference of the European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Lausanne.

### **Invited Seminars**

2004 London School of Economics [confirmed]

University of Miami

Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin

2003 University of Bern

University of the Federal Armed Forces, Hamburg

University of Konstanz

2002 University of California, Santa Barbara

Study Center Gerzensee

2001 University of Florida

University of Miami

1999 Study Center Gerzensee

1998 University of Florida/World Bank

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