

# Dragan Ilić

## Academic Curriculum Vitae

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French (good), Serbian (good),  
Italian (fair), Romanian (good in speaking)

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### Academic Positions

- 03.2010 - present      Lecturer at the Faculty of Business and Economics at the University of Basel (WWZ) (30%)
- 09.2017 - present      Formerly Senior Researcher (20%) and since 2021 Research Fellow at the Center of Economic Research at ETH Zürich, Chair of Economics / Resource Economics (Prof. Lucas Bretschger)
- 03.2010 - 12.2015      Senior Researcher at the WWZ, chairs of Microeconomic Theory (Prof. Georg Nöldeke) and Labor Economics and Industrial Organization (Prof. George Sheldon)
- 07.2010 - 11.2014      Senior Researcher at the Center for Corporate Responsibility and Sustainability at the University of Zürich (CCRS)
- 01.2009 - 12.2009      Visiting Researcher at the Economics Department of New York University (Prof. Nicola Persico)

### Non-Academic Positions

- 03.2016 - present      Economist at the Swiss State Secretariat for Economic Affairs (SECO), Labor Market and Social Policy Unit (60%)

### Education

- 04.2009      PhD in Economics with *summa cum laude* at the University of Basel (thesis title: *Color-Indifferent - Economics of Racial Profiling*; supervision: Prof. Yvan Lengwiler (WWZ) and Prof. Fabienne Peter (University of Warwick))
- 04.2006      Swiss Program for Beginning Doctoral Students in Economics at the Study Center Gerzensee in microeconomics, macroeconomics, and econometrics

### Publications

"Voluntary corporate climate initiatives and regulatory threat", with Janick Mollet. *International Economics and Economic Policy*, 19: 157-184. (2021)

"Preaching water but drinking wine? Relative performance evaluation in international banking", with Sonja Pisarov and Peter S. Schmidt. *Swiss Journal of Economics and Statistics*, 155: Article 6. (2019)

"Prejudice in naturalization decisions: Theory and evidence", *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 150: 1-18. (2018)

"Replicability and Pitfalls in the Interpretation of Resampled Data: A Correction and a Randomization Test for Anwar and Fang", *Econ Journal Watch*, 11(3): 250-276. (2014)

"Marginally Discriminated: The Role of Outcome Tests in European Jurisdiction", *European Journal of Law and Economics*, 36(2): 271-294. (2013)

"Spatial and Temporal Aggregation in Racial Profiling", *Swiss Journal of Economics and Statistics*, 149(1): 27-56. (2013)

"Strategic Sustainability and Financial Performance: Exploring Abnormal Returns", with Janick Mollet and Urs von Arx. *Journal of Business Economics*, 83(6): 577-604. (2013)

### **Academic Teaching**

2022 - present	<i>Academic Writing I &amp; II</i> (BA seminar), WWZ
2017 -	<i>Intensive Introduction to Intermediate Economics</i> (Lecture for the Master in Sustainable Development, English), University of Basel
2016 - present	<i>Labor Markets and Immigration</i> (BA block lecture for the International Business Summer School), University of Applied Sciences and Arts Northwestern Switzerland (FHNW)
2015 - present	<i>Game Theory</i> (MA lecture, English), WWZ
2013 - 2016	<i>Microeconomic Theory</i> (BA thesis seminar, jointly with Prof. Georg Nöldeke), WWZ
2013 - 2021	<i>Current Topics in Economics</i> (BA seminar, supervisor), WWZ
2010 - present	<i>Economics of Discrimination</i> (BA lecture), WWZ

### **Awards & Individual Grants**

10.2009	<i>Bâloise Science Prize (Bâloise-Wissenschaftspreis)</i> for the best doctoral thesis, jointly awarded by the University of Basel's Law School and WWZ ( <a href="https://goo.gl/gQZBWm">https://goo.gl/gQZBWm</a> )
12.2008	Fellowship for Prospective Researchers, awarded by the Swiss National Science Foundation (No. PBBSP1-124712; <a href="http://p3.snf.ch/project-124712">http://p3.snf.ch/project-124712</a> )
06.2004	Prize for the best MA degree at the WWZ, awarded by the <i>Vereinigung Basler Ökonomen</i>

### **Leads in Acquired Projects**

07.2014 - 12.2015	"Prejudice in Swiss Naturalization Decisions: Theory and Evidence," in collaboration with Prof. George Sheldon (WWZ) as part of the project "The Economic Impact of New Migration and Integration Issues". Funded by the National Centre of Competence in Research "on the move".
12.2012 - 11.2014	Acquired grant from the Swiss Commission for Technology and Innovation for the project "Relative Performance Evaluation and Executive Compensation" with Prof. Ernst Fehr (University of Zürich)
01.2011 - 12.2013	Acquired grant from the Swiss Commission for Technology and Innovation for the project "Financial-Economic Analyses of the Relationship of Sustainability Attributes and Firm Performance" with Prof. Lucas Bretschger (ETH Zürich)