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Date of birth 08/08/1971
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Work experience

Dates 2000 - today
Occupation or position held Researcher and Project Manager
Main activities and responsibilities **Coordinator of Austrian research projects, e.g.**

- Analyse der nicht-krankenversicherten Personen in Österreich (Analysis of People not Covered by Health Insurance in Austria) (2016-2017), commissioned by Hauptverband der österreichischen Sozialversicherungsträger
- Analyse der Nicht-Inanspruchnahme von Mindestsicherungsleistungen in Österreich (Analysis of Non-Take Up of Minimum Income Benefits in Austria) (2016-2017), funded by the Anniversary Fund of the Austrian National Bank
- SORESI (Developing a web based tool for policy makers and the broader public to simulate policy reforms and to analyse their social impact) (2012-2017), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Consumer Protection
- Simulation der Umlegung der Hartz-IV Reform auf Österreich (Simulation of the Application of the Hartz-IV-reform in Austria) (2016-2017), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry of Finances
- Wirkungsweisen und Effekte von Geldleistungen und Sachleistungen im Sozialbereich (Outcomes and Effects of Social Benefits in Cash and in Kind) (2011-2012), commissioned by City of Vienna, MA 24
- Maßnahmen zur Arbeitsmarktintegration von Personen mit Behinderungen (Measures for the Labour Market Integration of Persons with Disabilities) (2012), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Consumer Protection
- Weitere Erwerbsbiographie von Arbeiter/Innen und Angestellten, deren Antrag auf Invaliditätspension abgelehnt wurde (Further Employment Biography of Workers, whose Application for Invalidation Pension was rejected) (2010-2011), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Consumer Protection
- Analyse und Vergleich der Wohlfahrtssysteme ausgewählter Großstädte (Analysis and Comparison of the Welfare Systems of Selected Metropolises) (2009-2010), commissioned by City of Vienna, MA 24

- Schwerarbeit und Lebenserwartung (Heavy Labour and Life Expectancy) (2007-2009), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Consumer Protection
- Kinderbetreuungsplätze: "Zwischen 10.000 und 100.000" (Demand for formal Child Care in Austria: "Between 10,000 and 100,000 Places") (2005-2006), commissioned by Federation of Austrian Industry
- Arbeitszeitregelungen in den EU-Mitgliedsstaaten (Working Time Regulations in EU Member States) (2004-2005), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry of Labour and Economic Affairs
- AUSTROMOD/EUROMOD: Eine Anwendung des Steuer- und Transfer-Mikrosimulationsmodells EUROMOD in Österreich. Verteilungswirkungen von Änderungen im Steuer/Transfer-System in Österreich 1998 bis 2005 (An Adaptation of the T/B-Microsimulation Model EUROMOD to Austria. Distributional Effects of Implemented and Hypothetical Tax-Benefit Policy Changes in Austria 1998-2005) (2005-2006), commissioned by Austrian National Bank
- Quantitative und qualitative Erfassung und Analyse der nicht-krankenversicherten Personen in Österreich (Quantitative and qualitative Assessment and Analysis of People not covered by Health Insurance in Austria) (2003), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry of Social Security and Generations, Austrian Federal Ministry of Health and Women

Collaboration in national and international research projects, e.g.

- Simulations of planned Austrian Government Reforms with EUROMOD/SORES (2017/18) commissioned by Austrian Chamber of Labour
- EUROMOD Update (2009-2018) commissioned by European Commission, DG Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities
- EUROMOD extension to Indirect Taxation (2016) commissioned by European Commission – JRC
- Measures on prevention of disability benefit dependency and activations of young persons (2016) commissioned by Bundesamt für Sozialversicherung BSV (Switzerland)
- Studie zur „Sozialen Dimension der EU“. Benchmarking-Empfehlungen (Study on the "social dimension" of the EU. Benchmarking recommendations) (2016), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Consumer Protection
- Comparative Study of Family Care Leave Policies and Legislation (2015-2016) commissioned by Swiss Federal Office of Public Health
- Gute Pflege aus Sicht der Beschäftigten (Good Care' from the perspective of care workers) (2014-2015) commissioned by Chamber of Labour Vienna
- Neuordnung der bedarfsorientierten Sozialtransfers und aktivierende Interventionsformen in Südtirol (Rearrangement of demand-oriented social transfers and activating interventions in South Tyrol) (2013-2014) commissioned by European Social Fund
- Portability of Pensions and Health Care (2013-2014), commissioned by World Bank
- Pflegebedarf und Versorgungsmix in Wien (Demand for Long-Term Care and Supply-Mix) (2012-2014), commissioned by City of Vienna, MA 24
- Österreichischer Familienbericht 2009 (Austrian Family Report 2009) (2008-2010), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry of Economics, Family and Youth
- AIM-AP: Accurate Income Measurement for the Assessment of Public Policies (2006-2009), commissioned by European Commission, DG Research, 6th Framework Programme
- I-CUE: Improving the Capacity and Usability of EUROMOD (2005-2008), commissioned by European Commission, DG Research, 6th Framework Programme
- Study of the Compilation of the Disability Data from the Administrative Registers of EU Member States (2006-2008), commissioned by European Commission, DG Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities
- The Situation of Social and Health Services of General Interest (2006-2008), commissioned by European Commission, DG Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities
- Intervention to increase Health Systems' Performance among socio-economically disadvantaged Groups (2007-2008), commissioned by WHO Europe
- Poverty of Elderly People (2005-2006), commissioned by European Commission, DG Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities
- PISA & Patchwork-Kindheit. Zeit für Kinder und Schulerfolg (PISA & Patchwork-Childhood. Parents' Time Use and Children's School Achievement) (2005-2006), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry of Social Security, Generations and Consumer Protection
- Wissenschaftliche Begleitung zur Einführung einer Pflegeversicherung in Südtirol (Introduction of Care Insurance in South Tyrol / Alto Adige) (2000-2006), commissioned by Autonomous Province of Bolzano-Alto Adige
- Pensionsharmonisierung in den Bundesländern (Pension Reform Scenarios for the Austrian Federal States) (2003-2005), commissioned by Amt der Kärntner Landesregierung, Amt der Steiermärkischen Landesregierung

- MICRESA: Micro Level Analysis of the European Social Agenda (2001-2004), commissioned by European Commission, DG Research, 5th Framework Programme
- Scheidung/Trennung – Ursachen und Folgen für Kinder, Frauen und Männer (The Causes of Divorce/Separation and its Effects on Children, Women and Men) (2001-2002), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry for Social Security and Generations
- Alternative Modelle eines zeitgemäßen Kinderkostenausgleichs (Alternative Models of Public Transfers to Compensate for the Costs of Children) (2000-2002), commissioned by Austrian Federal Ministry for Social Security and Generations

Name and address of employer European Centre for Social Welfare Policy and Research, Berggasse 17, 1090 Wien, Austria
 Type of business or sector Social Policy Research Centre affiliated to the United Nations

Dates 9/1997-1/1999; 3/2000-1/2002

Occupation or position held Studies Assistant (9/97-1/98) and Tutor (3/98-1/99; 3/00-1/02)

Main activities and responsibilities Quantitative data analysis, teaching students in data handling and empirical methods

Name and address of employer University of Vienna, Institute for Sociology, Rooseveltplatz 2, 1090 Wien, Austria

Type of business or sector University

Education and training

Dates 10/1999-7/2001

Title of qualification awarded University Diploma in Market and Opinion Research

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Market and opinion research/ quantitative data analysis

Name and type of organisation providing education and training University of Vienna

Level in national or international classification

Dates 10/1992-6/2000

Title of qualification awarded Magister in Social and Economic Sciences

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Sociology/ quantitative data analysis

Name and type of organisation providing education and training University of Vienna, Institute for Sociology

Level in national or international classification Master's Degree

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) **German**

Other language(s) **English**

Self-assessment
European level ()*

Understanding		Speaking		Writing	
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production		
Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	

(*) *Common European Framework of Reference for Languages*

Social skills and competences

Organisational skills and competences Experience in designing, organising and directing national studies in the field of social welfare

Computer skills and competences MS Office, SPSS

Other skills and competences

Main Publications Contributions to books

- Dimmel N., Fuchs M., Im toten Winkel des Wohlfahrtsstaates. Am Beispiel der Nichtinanspruchnahme von Sozialhilfeleistungen, in: Dimmel N., Schenk M., Stelzer-Orthofer Ch. (eds.), Handbuch Armut in Österreich. Zweite, vollständig überarbeitete und erweiterte Auflage, Studienverlag Innsbruck 2014, 406-424.
- Marin B., Fuchs M., Designing two innovative Incentives for Enterprising Firms and Employees (in Chapter II.3: Extending Working Life Incentives for Companies: Conventional and Innovative Approaches), in: Marin B., Welfare in an Idle Society? Reinventing Retirement, Work, Wealth, Health, and Welfare, Ashgate/European Centre, Farnham/Wien 2013, 318-351.
- Fuchs M., Kränzl-Nagl R., Zur Realität außerfamiliärer Kinderbetreuung im Spannungsfeld gesellschaftlicher und familiärer Ansprüche, in: Bundesministerium für Wirtschaft, Familie und Jugend (ed.), 5. Familienbericht 1999-2009. Die Familie an der Wende zum 21. Jahrhundert. Band I, BMWFJ, Wien 2010, 503-570.
- Fuchs M., Women's Work and Pensions: Some Empirical Facts and Figures. Austria in an International Comparison, in: Marin B., Zolyomi E. (eds.), Women's Work and Pensions: What is Good, What is Best?, Ashgate/European Centre, Aldershot 2010, 155-182.
- Fuchs M., Reidl Ch., Schmied G., Austria: neuerHAUSARZT - demand-oriented health-care services for the homeless, in: WHO Europe (ed.), Poverty and social exclusion in the WHO European Region: health systems respond, Copenhagen 2010, 6-15.
- Fuchs M., Nicht-Inanspruchnahme von Sozialleistungen am Beispiel der Sozialhilfe, in: Dimmel N., Heitzmann K., Schenk M. (eds.), Handbuch Armut in Österreich, Studienverlag Innsbruck 2009, 290-301.
- Zaidi A., Makovec M., Fuchs M., Lipszyc B., Lelkes O., Rummel M., Marin B., de Vos K., Poverty of Older People in EU-25, in: Marin B., Zaidi A. (eds.), Mainstreaming Ageing. Indicators to Monitor Sustainable Policies, Vienna 2007, 217-241.
- Makovec M., Fuchs M., Internationally Comparative Indicators of Material Well-being in an Age-specific Optique, in: Marin B., Zaidi A. (eds.), Mainstreaming Ageing. Indicators to Monitor Sustainable Policies, Vienna 2007, 169-196.
- Fuchs M. in cooperation with Marin B., Prinz Ch. (excursus) and Beham-Rabanser M., Kränzl-Nagl R., Kinderbetreuungsplätze in Österreich. "Fehlen keine oder bis zu 650.000?". Bedarfsanalysen 2005 - 2015 im Auftrag der Industriellenvereinigung, Vienna 2006.

Articles in stakeholder magazines and journals

- Fuchs M., Hollan K., Gasior K., Simulation of an application of the Hartz-IV reform in Austria, in: Public Sector Economics Vol. 41/2017, No. 4, 480-500.
- Fuchs M., Jenseits des Gastarbeiterabkommens -- Portabilität von Pensionen und Krankenversicherung für Pensionisten zwischen Österreich und der Türkei, in: Soziale Sicherheit 6/2014, 288-295.
- Fuchs M., Beschäftigungsquoten für behinderte Personen: Parameter, Aspekte, Effektivität, in: Soziale Sicherheit 9/2013, 438-445.
- Fuchs M., Die weitere Erwerbsbiographie von Arbeitern und Angestellten, deren Antrag auf Invaliditätspension abgelehnt wurde, in: Soziale Sicherheit 5/2013, 256-265.
- Fuchs M., Nicht krankenversicherte Personen in Österreich: Empirische Erkenntnisse und Lösungsansätze, in: Soziale Sicherheit 6/2009, 327-334.
- Fuchs M., Lietz Ch., Effects of Changes in Tax/Benefit Policies in Austria 2003-2005, in: Czech Sociological Review 2007/3, 611-636.
- Förster M.F., Fuchs M., Immervoll H., Tarcali G., Social Inclusion in Larger Europe: All About Money? Uses, Limitations and Extensions of Income-based Social Indicators, in: Förster M.F., Maas F., Marin B. (eds.), Understanding Social Inclusion in a Larger Europe. An open Debate, EUROSOCIAL 71/03, pp. 11-37.
- Fuchs M., "Österreich: Kindergeld statt Karenzgeld," in: Informationsbulletin der Zentralstelle für Familienfragen am Bundesamt für Sozialversicherung 3/2001, Bern, 38-44.

Reports and Working Papers

- Fuchs M., Hollan K., Schenk M., Analyse der nicht-krankenversicherten Personen in Österreich. Final Report commissioned by Hauptverband der österreichischen Sozialversicherungsträger, Vienna 2017.
- Prins R. in cooperation with Carstensen T., Hultqvist S., Fuchs M., Woodin S., de Vos E., Young persons with health conditions: measures on prevention of disability benefit dependency and activation. An overview of selected reforms, experiences and lessons from five countries, Beiträge zur Sozialen Sicherheit des Bundesamts für Sozialversicherung, Research Report # 3/2017.
- Scoppetta A., Fuchs M., Leichsenring K., Soziale Dimension der EU. Studie zu Benchmarking-Empfehlungen, Möglichkeiten und Grenzen von Benchmarking für ein soziales Europa, Study funded by the Austrian Federal Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Consumer Protection, Vienna 2017.
- Schmidt A.E., Fuchs M., Rodrigues R., Vergleichende Studie zu Betreuungsurlauben für Angehörige im internationalen Vergleich: Gesetzgebung und politische Maßnahmen (International Comparison of Care Leaves for Informal Carers: Legislation and Policies), Study funded by the Bundesamt für Gesundheit (BAG)/Switzerland, Vienna 2016.
- Fuchs M., Measures on prevention of disability benefit dependency and activation of young persons. National Report Austria, Report under the third multiannual BSV-research programme Invalidity and Disability (FoP3-IV), Vienna 2016.
- Holzmann R., Fuchs M., Dale P., Pacaci Elitok S., Assessing benefit portability for international migrant workers: a review of the Germany-Turkey bilateral social security agreement. Social protection and labor discussion paper; no. 1606. Washington, D.C.: World Bank Group, 2016.
- Holzmann R., Fuchs M., Dale P., Pacaci Elitok S., Assessing benefit portability for international migrant workers: a review of the Austria-Turkey bilateral social security agreement. Social protection and labor discussion paper; no. 1602. Washington, D.C.: World Bank Group, 2016.
- Keindl S., Klopff Ch., Pointecker M., Schmidlechner L., Fuchs M., Gasior K., AusländerInnen und der Sozialstaat Österreich: Was tragen AusländerInnen bei und was bekommen sie? Bundesministerium für Arbeit, Soziales und Konsumentenschutz, Vienna 2016.
- Özdemir E., Ward T., Fuchs M., Ilinca St., Lelkes O., Rodrigues R., Zolyomi E., Employment of older workers. European Commission Social Situation Monitor Research Note 5/2015.
- Schmidt A.E., Fuchs M., Leichsenring K., Hofmarcher M.M., Pflegebedarf und Versorgungsmix Wien. Study funded by City of Vienna – MA 24, Vienna 2014
- Fuchs M., Vertiefungen zum Mindesteinkommen in Österreich und Deutschland, in: Neuordnung der bedarfsorientierten Sozialtransfers und aktivierende Interventionsformen. Abschlussbericht ESF-Projekt 2/75/2013 edited by Autonomous Province Bozen – South Tyrol, Bozen 2014.
- Fuchs M., Leichsenring K., Marin B., Ruppe G., Vanhuysse P., Geld- versus Sachleistungen. Wirkungsweisen und Effekte von Geldleistungen und Sachleistungen im Sozialbereich, Wiener Sozialpolitische Schriften Band 5 edited by City of Vienna - MA 24, Vienna 2012.
- Fuchs M., Zolyomi E., Maßnahmen zur Arbeitsmarktintegration von Personen mit Behinderungen. Study funded by the Austrian Federal Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Consumer Protection, Vienna 2012.
- Fuchs M., Vanhuysse P., Schmied G., Städteportraits Wien, Brüssel, Hamburg, Lissabon, Prag, Stockholm. Analyse und Vergleich der Wohlfahrtssysteme ausgewählter europäischer Großstädte unter besonderer Berücksichtigung der aktuellen sozialen und ökonomischen Herausforderungen, Wiener Sozialpolitische Schriften 1 edited by City of Vienna - MA 24, Vienna 2010.
- Fuchs M., Marin B., Stanciole A., Berman Y., Keppel C., Schwerarbeit und Lebenserwartung. Module Literaturanalyse, Sekundäranalyse internationaler Datensätze, Sekundäranalyse Mikrozensus-Daten. Study funded by the Austrian Federal Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Consumer Protection, Vienna 2009.
- Fuchs M., Heitzmann K., "Nur für die, die es wirklich brauchen": Sozialleistungen für alle oder nur für Bedürftige?, in: Dokumentation der 7. Armutskonferenz "Schande Armut. Stigmatisierung und Beschämung", Wien 2008, 52-56.
- Fuchs M., Marin B., Empirische Daten und Reformansätze zur Invaliditätspensionspolitik in Österreich. Expertise for the Austrian Federal Ministry of Finances, Vienna 2008.
- Fuchs M., Social Assistance – no, thanks? Empirical Analysis of Non-Take-Up in Austria 2003, EUROMOD Working Paper No. EM4/07.
- Fuchs M., Lietz Ch., Effects of Changes in Tax/Benefit Policies in Austria 1998-2005, EUROMOD Working Paper No. EM3/07.

- Zaidi A., Makovec M., Fuchs M., Transition from work to retirement in EU25, CASEpaper 112, Centre for Analysis of Social Exclusion, London School of Economics, London 2006.
- Zaidi A., Grech A.G., Fuchs M., Pension Policy in EU25 and its Possible Impact on Elderly Poverty, CASEpaper 116, Centre for Analysis of Social Exclusion, London School of Economics, London 2006.
- Kränzl-Nagl R., Beham-Rabanser M., Zartler U., Fuchs M., Riepl B., PISA & Patchwork Kindheit. Zeit für Kinder und Schulerfolg. Ergebnisse einer Elternbefragung. Study funded by the Austrian Federal Ministry for Social Security, Generations and Consumer Protection, Vienna 2006.
- Fuchs M., Schmied G., Arbeitszeitregelungen in den EU-Mitgliedstaaten. Study funded by the Austrian Federal Ministry of Economics and Labour, Vienna 2005.
- Fuchs M., Schmied G., Oberzaucher N., Quantitative und qualitative Erfassung und Analyse der nicht-krankenversicherten Personen in Österreich. Bundesministerium für Gesundheit und Frauen, Vienna 2003.
- Fuchs M., Günther St., Marin B., Prinz Ch., Thenner M., Wohlfahrt G., Alternative Modelle eines zeitgemäßen Kinderkostenausgleichs. Study funded by the Austrian Federal Ministry for Social Security and Generations, Vienna 2001.

Policy Briefs European Centre

- Schmidt A.E., Fuchs M., Rodrigues R., Juggling family and work – Leaves from work to care informally for frail or sick family members – an international perspective, European Centre Policy Brief, September 2016.
- Schulmann K., Gasior K., Fuchs M., Leichsenring K., The view from within: “Good” care from the perspective of care professionals – lessons from an explorative study, European Centre Policy Brief, February 2016.
- Fuchs M., Beyond the “Guest Worker” Agreement. Portability of Pensions and Health Insurance for Pensioners in the Migration Corridors Austria/Germany vs. Turkey, European Centre Policy Brief, August 2015.
- Fuchs M., Gasior K., Social Reform Microsimulation (SORESI). A web-based citizens tool to model the social impact of taxes and benefits in Austria, European Centre Policy Brief, April 2014.
- Fuchs M., Quota Systems for Disabled Persons: Parameters, Aspects, Effectivity, European Centre Policy Brief, March 2014.
- Fuchs M., Social Assistance – No, Thanks? The Non-Take-up Phenomenon and its Patterns in Austria, Germany and Finland after 2000, European Centre Policy Brief, September 2009.
- Fuchs M., Austria: Distributive Effects of Social Insurance Contributions, Income Tax and Monetary Social Benefits on the Household Level, European Centre Policy Brief, June 2008.

Papers presented at conferences

- Fuchs M., Hollan K., Gasior K., Simulation of an Application of the Hartz-IV Reform in Austria, paper presented at the Workshop „Social Protection Policies and Microsimulation“, Zagreb, 12-13 June 2017.
- Schmidt A.E., Fuchs M., Rodrigues R., Evaluierung der österreichischen Pflegekarenz im internationalen Vergleich, paper presented at the 1st Research Conference ESPAnet Austria, Vienna, 20-21 April 2017.
- Fuchs M., Application of micro-simulation models in policy analysis and planning: experiences from Austria, paper presented at the 2nd Micro-Simulation Roundtable, Zagreb, 4 November 2016.
- Fuchs M., Verwendung von Mikrodaten in der Sozialforschung, paper presented at the Statistiktage 2016, Vienna, 20 October 2016.
- Fuchs M., Winkelmann J., Beyond the ‚guest worker‘ agreement – Portability of pensions and health insurance for pensioners between Germany and Turkey, paper presented at the FISS Conference 2014, Sigtuna, 2-4 June.
- Keindl, S., Steiner H., Fuchs M., Gasior K., Richter St., Zarl R., Social Impact Assessment and SORESI. Host country paper Austria for the Peer Review on Social Impact Assessment by the European Commission, Vienna, 4-5 December 2014.
- Bauernberger J., Fuchs M., Comment Paper Austria on the Peer Review on Effects of Life Courses on Women’s Pension by the European Commission, Berlin, 3-4 November 2011.

