

## **Recent Presentations Economists Economic Analysis and Policy Advice, FFA**

### **2018**

Conference of the European Association of Health Economics, Maastricht, Netherlands, July 2018, Topic: Are healthcare premium subsidies crowded out under fiscal rules? Evidence from Swiss cantons, Presenter: Th. Brändle, Co-authors: C. Colombier, J. Hartwig.

Invited presentation at the regular meeting of Da Capo, Zürich, May 2018, Topic: Eine Zielvorgabe für die obligatorische Grundversicherung?, Presenter: C. Colombier.

Invited lecture at the Università della Svizzera italiana, Faculty of Economics, Lugano, BA-Course: Politica Economica, May 2018, Topic: Unione economica e monetaria: Il ruolo delle istituzioni e politiche fiscali, Presenter: Th. Brändle.

International EU Conference "EU 2.0: Is Demography Destiny?" at the Mendel University, Brno, Czech Republic, May 2018, Topic: Debt and growth revisited: historical evidence, Presenter: C. Colombier, Coauthor: Ch. Breuer.

Invited lecture at the University of Lausanne, IDHEAP, MA-Course: Economie Suisse, April 2018, Topic: La Suisse au cœur de l'Europe: Relations économiques et défis, Presenter: Th. Brändle.

Invited presentation at the "Panorama" – Jahresplanungstag des Kaders des Amts für Jugend und Berufsberatung, Kanton Zürich, Zürich, January 2018, Topic: "Die Staatsquote – ein schwierig zu interpretierender Indikator", Presenter: C. Colombier.

### **2017**

Invitation to a panel at the Symposium "Integrierte Infrastruktur- und Finanzplanung in Zeiten urbaner Transformation" of the City of Cologne, the Cologne Utilities (Stadtwerke), the FiFo - Institute of Public Economics at the University of Cologne, Deutsches Institut für Urbanistik, Cologne, Germany, December 2017, Topic: Langfristige Bedarfe und Risiken – Hilft der Algorithmus? Planen, Prognosen und Projektionen, Panelist: C. Colombier.

Invited lecture at the University of Lucerne, Faculty of Business and Economics, BA-course, Grundlagen der Wirtschaftspolitik, November 2017, Topic: Ausgabenprojektionen für das Gesundheitswesen bis 2045, Presenter: Brändle, Th., co-author: Colombier, C.

Invited presentation at the Economic Research Seminar of the TU Chemnitz, Chemnitz, Germany, November 2017, Topic: Unwanted side effects of Baumol's cost disease on a balanced-budget rule, Presenter: C. Colombier.

Invited presentation at the Workshop on the Political Economy of Electoral Institutions at Hanse-Wissenschaftskolleg, University of Bremen, Germany, October 2017, Topic: Voters and representatives: How should representatives be selected? Presenter: Th. Brändle.

Invited lecture at the University of Basel, Faculty of Business and Economics, BA-course, Public Finance, October 2017, Topic: Gesundheitsausgabenwachstum: Ökonomische Überlegungen für die lange Frist, Presenter: Th. Brändle

Invited presentation at the KOF Wirtschaftsforum (Economic Forum), ETH Zurich, Zurich, Switzerland, October 2017, Topic: Ausgabenprojektionen für das Gesundheitswesen bis 2045, Presenter: Brändle, Th., Colombier, C.

18<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Association of Public Economic Theory and Paris Center for Law and Economic (CRED) of the University Panthéon-Assas Paris II at the University Paris 2 Panthéon-Assas, Paris, France, July 2017, Topic: Unwanted side effects of Baumol's cost disease on a balanced-budget rule, Presenter: C. Colombier.

Invited presentation at the Research Seminar of the Faculty of Economic Disciplines, University of Siegen, Siegen, Germany, June 2017, Topic: Unwanted side effects of Baumol's cost disease on a balanced-budget rule, Presenter: C. Colombier.

Conference on "Verkehrsökonomik und -politik [Transport Economics and Policy]" at TU Berlin, Berlin, Germany, June 2017, Topic: Transport infrastructure provision, congestion and endogenous growth, Presenter: C. Colombier, co-author: Th. Kuhn.

Invited lecture at the Università Svizzera Italiana, Faculty of Economics, Lugano, BA-Course: Political Economics, May 2017, Topic: EMU: Quo vadis? The role of fiscal institutions & fiscal policies, Presenter: Th. Brändle.

Invited lecture at the University of Lausanne, IDHEAP, MA-Course: Economie Suisse, April 2017, Topic: La Suisse au cœur de l'Europe: Relations économiques et défis, Presenter: Th. Brändle.

Invited lecture at the University of Geneva, LL.M. Tax, March 2017, Topic: Taxes incitatives en matière climatique et énergétique, Presenter: P.-A. Bruchez.

International EU Conference "EU 2.0: Challenges of Globalization" at the Mendel University, Brno, Czech Republic, May 2017, Topic: Transport infrastructure provision, congestion and endogenous growth, Presenter: C. Colombier, co-author: Th. Kuhn.

83<sup>rd</sup> International Atlantic Economic Conference, Berlin, Germany, March 2017, Topic: The inconsistency of Baumol's cost disease with a balanced budget rule. Does it matter?, Presenter: C. Colombier.

Federal Finance Administration, Kaderinformationsveranstaltung, February 2017, Topic: Europäische Wirtschafts-und Währungsunion: Quo vadis? Ausgewählte finanzpolitische Aspekte, Presenter: Th. Brändle

Teaching position at the Chemnitz University of Technology, Institute of Public Finance, Professor Dr. Th. Kuhn, Winter Term 2016/17, Course: Public Economics. Level: Master, Teacher: C. Colombier.

**2016**

Conference on Public Sector Economics, Institute of Public Finance, Zagreb, Croatia, October 2016, Topic: Independent Fiscal Councils, presenter: Th. Brändle.

Fachtagung des Verbands öffentliches Finanz- und Rechnungswesen, Bern, Schweiz, September 2016, Thema: Langfristperspektiven der öffentlichen Finanzen 2016, Referent: C. Colombier.

Conference of the European Health Economics Association, Hamburg, Germany, July 2016, Topic: What drives public healthcare expenditure? Evidence from Swiss Cantons, Presenter: Th. Brändle, co-author: C. Colombier.

Invited presentation at the University of Berne, Department of Economics, MA-course: Applied Economics, June 2016, Topic: A Fiscal Perspective on the Swiss Health Sector, Presenter: Th. Brändle.

Annual Meeting of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics, Lugano, Switzerland, June 2016, Topic: What drives public healthcare expenditure? Evidence from Swiss Cantons, Presenter: C. Colombier, co-author: Th. Brändle.

Invited presentation at the Economics Research Seminar, Department of Economics, Université de Lille III, May 2016, Topic: What drives public health care expenditure? Evidence from Swiss Cantons, Presenter: Th. Brändle.

Invited lecture at the Università Svizzera Italiana, Faculty of Economics, Lugano, BA-Course: Political Economics, May 2016, Topic: Political Economics and Political Selection, Presenter: Th. Brändle.

Annual Meeting of the European Public Choice Society, Freiburg, Germany, March 2016, Topic: What drives public healthcare expenditure? Evidence from Swiss Cantons, Presenter: Th. Brändle, co-author: C. Colombier.

81<sup>st</sup> International Atlantic Economic Conference, Lisbon, Portugal, March 2016, Topic: How can fiscal policy help the economy grow: Evidence from OECD countries, Presenter: C. Colombier.

**2015**

International EU Conference “Imperative of Economic Growth in the Eurozone: Competitiveness, Capital Flows and Structural Reforms” at the Mendel University, Brno, Czech Republic, Topic: The inconsistency of Baumol’s cost disease with a balanced budget rule: Does it matter? Presenter: C. Colombier.

Invited lecture at the University Svizzera Italiana, Faculty of Economics, Lugano, MA-Course: Political Economics, November 2015, Topic: Politica climatica ed energetica: Considerazioni economiche, Presenter: Th. Brändle.

International Conference on Health, Economics and Management, Augsburg, Germany, September 2015, What drives public healthcare expenditure? Evidence from Swiss Cantons, Presenter: C. Colombier, co-author: Th. Brändle.

71<sup>st</sup> Annual Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance, Dublin, Ireland, August 2015, Topic: Does Baumol's cost disease produce adverse growth effects under a balanced budget rule?, Presenter: C. Colombier.

71<sup>st</sup> Annual Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance, Dublin, Ireland, August 2015, Topic: What drives public healthcare expenditure? Evidence from Swiss Cantons, Presenter: C. Colombier, co-author: Th. Brändle.

Federal Finance Administration Brown Bag Seminar, June 2015, Topic: What drives public healthcare expenditure? Presenters: Th. Brändle and C. Colombier.

11<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International Health Economics Association, Milano, Italy, July 2015, Topic: What drives public healthcare expenditure? Evidence from Swiss Cantons, Presenter: Th. Brändle, co-author: C. Colombier.

Invited presentation at the Economics Research Seminar, Department of Economics, University of Fribourg, May 2015, Topic: What drives public healthcare expenditure? Evidence from Swiss Cantons, Presenter: Th. Brändle, co-author: C. Colombier.

Invited presentation at the Economics Research Seminar, Faculty of Economics and Management, Free University Bozen, May 2015, Topic: What drives public healthcare expenditure? Evidence from Swiss Cantons, Presenter: Th. Brändle, co-author: C. Colombier.

Invited lecture at the Università Svizzera Italiana, Faculty of Economics, Lugano, BA-Course: Political Economics, April 2015, Topic: Political Economics and Political Selection, Presenter: Th. Brändle

4<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the OECD SBO Joint Network on Fiscal Sustainability of Health Systems, Paris, France, February 2015, Topic: Determinants of Public Healthcare Expenditure and Fiscal Sustainability, Presenter: C. Colombier, co-author: Th. Brändle.

## **2014**

International Conference "What is Eurozone's Future: Policy Commitments vs. Freeriding" Mendel University Brno, Czech Republic, November 2014, Does Baumol's cost disease produce adverse growth effects under a balanced budget rule?, Presenter: C. Colombier.

Steuerpolitik 2020 Unternehmerforum Stiftung Lilienberg, gehalten in Lilienberg, Schweiz, November 2014, Titel: Steuern – die ökologische Perspektive, Vortragende: M. Himmel.

70<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance, held in Lugano, Switzerland, August 2014, Topic: Fiscal consolidation with a view on economic growth, Presenter: C. Colombier.

70<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance, held in Lugano, Switzerland, August 2014, Topic: Is population ageing really dwarfed by advances in medical

technology as a driver of healthcare expenditure? Evidence from the Swiss Case, Presenter: C. Colombier.

10<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International Health Economics Association, held in Dublin, Ireland, July 2014, Topic: Economic and institutional determinants of healthcare expenditures, Presenter: C. Colombier, co-author: Th. Brändle.

Invited lecture at the University of Basel, Faculty of Economics, BA-Course: Political Economics, April 2014, Topic: Ökonomische Überlegungen zur Energiepolitik in der Schweiz, Presenter: Th. Brändle.

77<sup>th</sup> Conference of the International Atlantic Economic Society, held in Madrid, Spain, April 2014, Topic: Does Baumol's cost disease produce adverse growth effects under a balanced budget rule?, Presenter: C. Colombier.

Federal Finance Administration Brown Bag Seminar, March 2014, Topic: Paying Politicians: Incentive and Selection Effects. Evidence from Pay Harmonization in the European Parliament. Presenter: Th. Brändle.

Annual Meeting of the European Public Choice Society, held in Cambridge, UK, April 2014, Topic: Political Economics and Political Selection, Presenter: Th. Brändle.

## **2013**

International EU Conference "Eurozone Future: From Crisis to Stabilization, Reform and Growth" at Mendel University Brno, Czech Republic, November 2013, Topic: Fiscal consolidation with a view on economic growth, Presenter: C. Colombier.

International Conference „Green Taxation and Emissions Trading“ in Winterthur, Switzerland, October 2013, Topic: Vom Fördern zum Lenken: Welche Energieabgabe für die Schweiz, Presenter: Martin Baur.

1<sup>st</sup> Swiss Health Economics Workshop, held in Lucerne, Switzerland, September 2013, Topic: Is population ageing really dwarfed by advances in medical technology as a driver of healthcare expenditure? Evidence from the Swiss case, Presenter: C. Colombier.

09<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International Health Economics Association, held in Sydney, Australia, July 2013, Topic: Is population ageing really dwarfed by advances in medical technology as a driver of healthcare expenditure? Evidence from the Swiss case, Presenter: C. Colombier.

Invited presentation at the Swiss Economic Institute (KOF) ETH Zurich, KOF Economic Forum, held in Zurich, Switzerland, June 2013, Topic: Ausgabenprojektionen für das Gesundheitswesen bis 2060, Presenter: C. Colombier.

Annual Meeting of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics, held in Neuchâtel, Switzerland, June 2013, Topic: National debt brakes and convergence in the EMU, Presenter: C. Colombier.

Annual Meeting of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics, held in Neuchâtel, Switzerland, June 2013, Topic: Political Economics and Political Selection, Presenter: Th. Brändle

Tagung «Zukunft Bauwerk Schweiz - Herausforderungen, Strategien und Massnahmen», forum for challenges of construction sector in Switzerland for the next 20-40 years. Held in Berne, Switzerland, June 12, 2013. Topic: Langfristperspektiven der öffentlichen Finanzen in der Schweiz, Presenter: A. Geier.

75th Conference of the International Atlantic Economic Society, held in Vienna, Austria, April 2013, Topic: Fiscal consolidation with a view on economic growth, Presenter: C. Colombier.

## **2012**

PUSCH Fachseminar „Ökologische Steuerreform und Energieabgaben“ in Bern, Switzerland, November 2012, Topic: Ökologische Steuerreform: Pläne des Bundesrates, Presenter: Martin Baur.

International EU Conference “Political Economy of Eurozone Crisis: Is Fiscal Union Feasible?” at Mendel University Brno, Czech Republic, November 2012, Topic: National debt brakes and convergence in the EMU, Presenter: C. Colombier.

ISIS Tax Talks in Zürich, November 2012, Thema: Eine ökologische Steuerreform für die Schweiz, gehalten von M. Himmel.

Invited presentation at the Colloquium Politicum of the Albert-Ludwigs Universität Freiburg, Germany, June 2012, course of lectures: Vorbild Schweiz: So geht Demokratie...!?, Topic: Staatsfinanzen im Rahmen direkter Demokratie und föderalen Staatsaufbaus. Was kann Deutschland davon lernen?, Presenter: C. Colombier

73rd Conference of the International Atlantic Economic Society, held in Istanbul, Turkey, March 2012, Topic: National debt brakes and convergence in the EMU, Presenter: C. Colombier.

## **2011**

OECD Workshop on Tax Policy Analysis, Seoul, South Korea, September 2011, Topic: Tax and the Environment, Presenter: Martin Baur.

OECD Workshop on Tax Policy Analysis, Seoul, South Korea, September 2011, Topic: Obstacles to the Implementation of Fundamental Tax Reforms – How to Implement Fundamental Tax Reforms, Presenter: Martin Baur.

OECD Workshop on Tax Policy Analysis, Seoul, South Korea, September 2011, Topic: The Need for Fiscal Consolidation in Many Countries, Presenter: Martin Baur.

OECD Workshop on Tax Policy Analysis, Seoul, South Korea, September 2011, Topic: Tax Trends in OECD Countries, Presenter: Martin Baur.

Invited lecture at the Technical University of Darmstadt, Germany, June 2011 Topic: Schuldenbremse - Konzept und Erfahrungen, Presenter: C. Colombier.

Annual Meeting of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics, held in Lucerne, Switzerland, June 2011, Topic: Drivers of health-care expenditure: Does Baumol's cost disease loom large?, Presenter: C. Colombier.

OECD Workshop on Tax Policy Analysis, Seoul, South Korea, September 2011, Topic: Effective and Ineffective Tax Policy Experiences in Switzerland, Presenter: Martin Baur.

OECD Workshop on Tax Policy Analysis, Yangzhou, China, March 2011, Topic: Fiscal Federalism: Who should tax, where and what? Presenter: Martin Baur.

OECD Workshop on Tax Policy Analysis, Yangzhou, China, March 2011, Topic: How to Implement Pro-Growth Tax Reforms, Presenter: Martin Baur.

OECD Workshop on Tax Policy Analysis, Yangzhou, China, March 2011, Topic: Tax and the Environment: Basic Concepts and Policy Issues, Presenter: Martin Baur.

OECD Workshop on Tax Policy Analysis, Yangzhou, China, March 2011, Topic: The Need for Fiscal Consolidation in Many OECD Countries: The Way Forward, Presenter: Martin Baur.

OECD Workshop on Tax Policy Analysis, Yangzhou, China, March 2011, Topic: International Tax Comparisons of OECD Countries and China, Presenter: Martin Baur.