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Personal Information:

Born on September 25, 1981 in Sofia, Bulgaria
Nationality: Bulgarian and German
Married, two children, born 2011 and 2012

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Current Position

Since 07/2012 Research Associate, Technische Universität Berlin, Berlin, Germany

Further Affiliations

Since 2017 Member of Collaborative Research Center “Rationality and Competition”
Since 2016 Fellow at Berlin Economics Research Associates (BERA) Program
Since 2015 Fellow at Berlin Centre for Consumer Policies (BCCP)

Education

09/2006-08/2010 Dr. rer. pol. in Economics (equivalent to PhD), summa cum laude,
Friedrich Schiller University and Max Planck Institute of Economics, Jena

10/2000-11/2005 Diplom in Economics (equivalent to Master), Humboldt University Berlin

2003-2004 Studienkolleg zu Berlin, Berlin, Germany: a Program for the European
Executives of Tomorrow in Science, Business, Politics, Culture, and
Administration

08/2004-04/2005 Visiting Student, University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada

Previous Visiting Positions

08/2016-10/2016 Visiting Researcher, Rady School of Management, University of
California San Diego, USA

01/2009-03/2009 Visiting Researcher, Toulouse School of Economics, Toulouse, France

Previous Academic Positions

- 07/2012-12/2016 Member of Collaborative Research Center “Economic Risk”
- 08/2010-06/2012 Research Associate, Max Planck Institute of Economics, Jena, Germany
- 04/2007-01/2008 Scientific and Administrative Coordinator of the International Max Planck Research School „Uncertainty“ (IMPRS Uncertainty)
- 09/2006-08/2010 PhD student, Max Planck Institute of Economics, Jena
- 09/2006-08/2010 PhD student at the Graduate Program “The Economics of Innovative Change”, Friedrich Schiller University, Jena

Research Interests

Experimental and Behavioral Economics, Organizational Economics, Unethical Behavior, Game Theory

Invited Talks

- 2019 Linnaeus University, Växjö, Sweden
- 2017 International Conference on Financial Consumer Protection, Financial Advice, and Changing Remuneration Structures in the Post-Crisis Era, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 2016 - University of California San Diego, Rady School of Management, USA
- University of Southern California, Los Angeles, USA
- Linnaeus University, Växjö, Sweden
- 2015 - University of Heidelberg, Germany
- Friedrich Schiller University Jena, Germany
- 2013 Humboldt University Berlin, Germany

Participation in Conferences, Workshops, Summer Schools

2019 (including scheduled): Collaborative Research Center Retreat Schwanenwerder, EEA/ESEM Manchester, European Science Association European Meeting, Dijon, Verein für Sozialpolitik, Leipzig, Collaborative Research Center Retreat Tutzing, BCCP Conference and Policy Forum; BCCP Forum

2018: The Lisbon Meetings in Game Theory and Applications; Collaborative Research Center Retreat Ohlstadt; European Science Association World Meeting, Berlin; Collaborative Research Center Retreat Schwanenwerder, BCCP Conference and Policy Forum; BCCP Forum

2017: University of California San Diego Rady Visitors Conference on Incentives and Behavior Change, Modica; BCCP Conference and Policy Forum; BCCP Forum

2016: BCCP Conference and Policy Forum; BCCP Forum

2015: European Science Association, Heidelberg; International Meeting on Experimental and Behavioral Sciences, Toulouse, Collaborative Research Center Retreat Motzen, Berlin IO Day

2010: European Economic Association, Glasgow; European Science Association, Copenhagen; International Meeting on Experimental and Behavioral Economics, Bilbao; European School on New Institutional Economics, Corsica; IMPRS Uncertainty Summer School, Max Planck Institute of Economics, Jena (MPI of Economics, Jena); Summer school of the graduate program “The Economics of Innovative Change”, Jena (EIC, Jena)

2009: Dynamics of Institutions and Markets in Europe, Guadeloupe; Dynamics of Institutions and Markets in Europe, Jena; European Science Association, Innsbruck; European Economic Association/Econometric Society, Barcelona; International Meeting on Experimental and Behavioral Economics, Granada; IMPRS Uncertainty Summer School, MPI of Economics, Jena; Summer school of the graduate program EIC, Jena

2008: European Science Association, Lyon; International Association for Research in Economic Psychology/Society for the Advancement of Behavioral Economics, Rome; International Meeting on Experimental and Behavioral Economics, Alicante; IMPRS Uncertainty Summer School, MPI of Economics, Jena; Summer school of the graduate program EIC, Jena

2007: Workshop “Less is More”, MPI for Human Development, Berlin; IMPRS Uncertainty Summer School, MPI of Economics, Jena; Summer school of the graduate program EIC, Jena

2006: Summer Institute on Bounded Rationality in Psychology and Economics, MPI for Human Development, Berlin

Organization of Conferences, Seminars, Summer Schools

2018	Member of the Program Committee of the 2018 ESA World Meeting, Berlin, Germany
Summer 2017	Organizer of the Berlin Behavioral Economics Seminar
2007	Organizer of the IMPRS Uncertainty Summer School, Max Planck Institute of Economics, Jena

Reviewer services

National Science Foundation, International Economic Review, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Experimental Economics, Public Choice, Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics, Environmental and Resource Economics

Participation in Committees

- 2015-2016 Representative of the research associates at “Institutsrat”, Department of Economics and Law, Technische Universität Berlin
- 2016 Member of the search committee in charge of hiring an assistant professor of empirical health economics at Technische Universität Berlin

Memberships

European Science Association, Deutscher Hochschulverband, Gesellschaft für Experimentelle Wirtschaftsforschung, Netzwerk ProFiL, Verein ProFiL

Languages

Bulgarian (native), German and English (proficient), French and Italian (basic)

References

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Peer-Reviewed Publications

7. **Vera Angelova**, Tobias Regner (2018). "Can A Bonus Overcome Moral Hazard? Experimental Evidence from Markets for Expert Services", Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization 154, 362-378.
6. **Vera Angelova**, Thomas Giebe, Radosveta Ivanova-Stenzel (2018). "Does a short-term increase in incentives boost performance?", Economics Letters 166, p. 31-34.
5. **Vera Angelova**, Olivier Armantier, Giuseppe Attanasi, Yolande Hiriart (2014). "Relative Performance of Liability Rules: Experimental Evidence", Theory and Decision, 77(4), 531-556.
4. **Vera Angelova**, Tobias Regner (2013). "Do voluntary payments to advisors improve the quality of financial advice? An experimental deception game", Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, 93, 205-218.
3. **Vera Angelova**, Lisa V. Bruttel, Werner Güth, Ulrich Kamecke (2013). "Can Subgame Perfect Equilibrium Threats Foster Cooperation? An Experimental Test of Finite-Horizon Folk Theorems", Economic Inquiry, 51(2), 1345–1356.
2. **Vera Angelova**, Werner Güth, Martin G. Kocher (2012). "Co-employment of permanently and temporarily employed agents", Labour Economics 19(1), 48-58.
1. Thomas Gehrig, Werner Güth, Rene Levinsky, **Vera Popova** (2010). "On the evolution of professional consulting", Journal of Economic Behaviour and Organization 76, 113-126.

Other Publications

Tünde Baga, Beate Kuntz, **Vera Popova**, Saskia Schmidt (2004). "Der Keltische Tiger - ein Vorbild für Europa?", Projekt Junges Europa, Wehrhahn Verlag, 2004.

Discussion Papers

Vera Angelova, Thomas Giebe, Radosveta Ivanova-Stenzel. Competition and Fatigue at Work, CRC TRR 190, Discussion Paper No. 134 (submitted)

Current Research

Fairness preferences, tenure of contracts, and discrimination, with Werner Güth and Martin Kocher (manuscript in preparation)

The dynamics of social responsibility in a public goods experiment, with Werner Güth and Martin Kocher (manuscript in preparation)

Unethical behavior towards groups, with Michel Tolksdorf (data collection)

Online ratings of credence goods, with Tobias Regner and Yigit Özcelik (design stage)

Honors, Grants, Scholarships

2017	Teaching award for the best class in summer 2017, Technische Universität Berlin
2016	Grant for career development by Technische Universität Berlin
2016	Travel grant by Berlin Economic Research Associates to visit the University of California San Diego
2016	Travel grant by Collaborative Research Center “Economic Risk” to visit the University of California San Diego
2017-2020	Actively contributed to the application for Collaborative Research Center “Rationality and Competition”, funded by the German Research Foundation (DFG); granted a 50% teaching waiver for a period of four years
2015-2016	Selected for participation in the ProFiL Program: Advanced Qualification for Women in Science: Mentoring – Training – Networking
2015	Actively contributed to the application for Berlin Center for Consumer Policies (BCCP)
2011	Awarded the Max Planck Society’s Otto Hahn Medal for outstanding scientific achievements during the PhD phase (prize received under the maiden name “Popova”)
2006-2007	PhD scholarship, Max Planck Society
2008-2010	PhD scholarship, Max Planck Society
2004-2005	Full tuition waiver for studying at the University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada
2004	Travel grant by the Society for Economics and Management at Humboldt University Berlin
2003-2004	Scholarship, German National Merit Foundation (Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes) and Hertie Foundation (Hertie Stiftung)

Teaching

Master classes at Technische Universität Berlin
(in English)

- Student Research Project Topics in Microeconomics, winter 2018 and 2019 lecturer
- Advanced Microeconomics, winter 2017 and 2016, lecturer
- Advanced Microeconomics, winter 2017, 2016, and 2015, teaching assistant
- Master seminar “Deception in Economic Interactions: Theory and Experiments”, summer 2017, lecturer
- Master seminar “Sabotage in Tournaments and Contests – Theory and Experiments”, 2014, lecturer
- Master Theses, ongoing, advisor

Bachelor classes at Technische Universität Berlin and Friedrich Schiller University Jena
(in German)

- Seminar „Sabotage in Turnieren und Wettbewerben – Theorie und Experimente“, 2014, lecturer
- Intermediate Microeconomics (substituting the professor), summer 2015, lecturer
- Game Theory, winter 2015, 2014, 2013, and 2009, teaching assistant
- Industrial Organization, summer 2014 and 2013, teaching assistant
- Intermediate Microeconomics, summer 2016 and 2015, supervisor of the student tutors
- Bachelor Theses, ongoing, advisor