

SPS: Labor Market Policies and Institutions

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LS (Seminar)

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In this seminar, we will study how important labor market institutions and policies such as unions, unemployment insurance, minimum wages or earned income tax credits affect employment, wages, wage inequality and productivity. We will discuss the role of firms for wage inequality. The focus of the seminar will be on empirical research, but the key underlying theoretical concepts will be covered as well.

Studiengang: <i>Program:</i>	BSc
Termin Vorbesprechung (tt.mm.jjjj): <i>Date of preliminary meeting (dd.mm.yyyy):</i>	17.09.2025, 12:00 to 14:00
*Bearbeitungszeitraum für die Hausarbeit: <i>*Working period for term paper:</i>	Start date: Sep 29 or Oct 6, 2025 Submission deadline: 4 weeks after start date
*Seminartermin: <i>*Seminar date:</i>	Dec 9, 2025 Dec 10, 2025 Dec 11, 2025 exact times: tba
Veranstaltungsort: <i>Venue:</i>	Room 214 at CES (Schackstr. 4, 2nd floor)
falls außerhalb: Kostenschätzung: <i>if out of Munich: estimated costs:</i>	€
Sprache: <i>Language:</i>	English
Empfohlene Vorkenntnisse: <i>Recommended courses:</i>	- Econometrics II - Public Economics I (Fiwi I)
Methodischer Schwerpunkt: <i>Methodological background:</i>	applied econometrics
*Grundlagenliteratur: <i>*Basic references:</i>	tba
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* Optional (falls schon bekannt) / optionally (if already known)