

RESEARCH PROJECT:
PERSONALITY AND THE LABOR MARKET

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Students conduct their own empirical research using data from the Socio-Economic Panel (SOEP).

POSSIBLE TOPICS

- Personality and Wages
- Personality and Unemployment
- Gender Differences in Personality Traits
- Personality and Education
- Personality and Job Self-Selection
- Personality and Health

BASIC LITERATURE

Almlund, Mathied, Angela Lee Duckworth, James J. Heckmann and Tim Kautz. 2011. "Personality Psychology and Economics," in Eric A. Hanushek, Steve Machin and Ludger Woessmann, eds., *Handbook of the Economics of Education* 4, pp. 1 – 181. Amsterdam: North-Holland.

Becker, A., T. Deckers, T. Dohmen, A. Falk and F. Koss. 2012. "The Relationship between Economic Preferences and Psychological Personality Measures," *Annual Review of Economics* 4: 453 – 478.

Dohmen, T. 2014 "Behavioral Labor Economics: Advances and Future Directions," *Labour Economics* 30: 71 – 85.

CLASS TIME

Thursday 12:00– 14:00 in rooms C4