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Karl Schuhmacher completed his Ph.D. in Management at the University of Lausanne in 2014. Prior to joining the faculty at Emory in 2016, Schuhmacher was a Visiting Research Scholar at the University of Pennsylvania. Schuhmacher's primary research focus is related to management accounting, activity-based costing, and information aggregation.



Honors and Awards

- Early Postdoc. Mobility Fellowship (Swiss National Science Foundation)
- Fellow of the Foundation of German Business (Klaus Murmann Fellowship Programme)



Recent and Ongoing Research

'Old wines in new bottles?' An experimental comparison of time estimates in standard ABC and Time-Driven ABC. (with Michael Burkert)

Aggregation of probabilistic information: a cognitive bias and its behavioral consequences. (with Michael Burkert)

The relationship between lack of controllability and proactive work behavior: An empirical analysis of competing theoretical explanations. (with Michael Burkert, Franz Fischer, and Florian Hoos)

Delegation of compensation decisions in discretionary bonus schemes. (with Manuel Grieder and Christian Zehnder)

'Set your own goal!' Delegation of goal setting to lower-level employees. (with Christopher Ittner)