

Topics for BSc and MSc Theses, Winter 25/26

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Topics BSc

- ▶ The Gotthard Tunnel in 1882 and Population Growth, evidence from Switzerland
- ▶ German Domestic Trade on Railways, 1950-1975
- ▶ The Structure of Polish-German trade since 1990

Topics MSc

- ▶ Did Germany have a “Lewis turning point”?
- ▶ Price- and Income - elasticities of Germany's main export products, 1880-1913
- ▶ Did military spending end Germany's Great Depression?
- ▶ Financial services and the rise of regional inequality (Europe, ca 1950-2020)
- ▶ The “China Shock” reconsidered (Caliendo et al 2019)