

Title: The Role of Trust, Past Experience, Overconfidence, and Expectations in Future Cryptocurrency Holdings

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Abstract:

Using recent survey data, we build on and confirm the findings of Jalan et al. (2023) on the positive impact of trust on crypto/NFT-savings and investments in Sweden, Denmark, and Finland, suggesting that trust may mitigate the high perceived risk associated with cryptocurrencies. We also find no dampening effect of negative ethical perceptions on crypto investments, highlighting the potential role of interpersonal trust in mitigating ethical concerns. Also, we analyze the effects of past experience, overconfidence and expectations on future having cryptocurrencies. We document that negative past experience and overconfidence positively affects the odds of having cryptocurrency in the future.

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