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## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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### **Education**

Ph.D in Economics, Stockholm University, 2002. Title of thesis: Essays in Finance, Trade and Politics. Advisor: Professor Torsten Persson. Faculty opponent: Professor Robin Burgess.

B.A. in Business Administration and Economics, Umeå University, 1996.

### **Positions**

- Professor, Uppsala University 2018-
- Professor, guest 20 percent, at Linneus University, 2015-2018
- Associate professor, employed as senior lecturer at Uppsala University 2014-2018
- Associate professor, employed as researcher at Uppsala University 2011-2014
- Member of the Swedish Fiscal policy Council, 2009-2012
- Associate professor, Research Institute for Industrial Economics, 2009-2011
- Researcher, Research Institute for Industrial Economics, 2004-2009
- Researcher, Globalization Council, Ministry of Education, 2007-2009
- Research Associate, Department of Economics, Stockholm University, 2002-2004.

### **Research Affiliations**

Uppsala Centre for Fiscal Studies (UCFS), Uppsala Centre for Labour Studies (UCLS)

## Articles in Peer-reviewed Journals

"Consequences of parental job loss on the family environment and on human capital formation. Evidence from workplace closures", (with Eva Mörk and Anna Sjögren) *Labour Economics* 67, 2020 <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.labeco.2020.101911>

"Self-employment and the Local Business Cycle", *Small Business Economics* 44(1): 55-70, 2015

"Parental Unemployment and Child Health", (with Eva Mörk and Anna Sjögren) *CESifo Economic Studies* 60(2): 338-365, 2014

"Competition, Takeovers and Gender Discrimination"(with Fredrik Heyman and Jonas Vlachos) *Industrial & Labor Relations Review* 66(2): 409-432, 2013

"Childcare Costs and the Demand for Children - Evidence from a Nationwide Reform" (with Eva Mörk and Anna Sjögren) *Journal of Population Economics* 26: 33-65, 2013.

"Women's Representation and Public Spending", *European Journal of Political Economy* 25(2): 186-198, 2009.

"Political Rents in a Non-Corrupt Democracy" (with Jonas Vlachos), *Journal of Public Economics* 93: 355-372, 2009.

"Do Entrenched CEOs pay Their Workers More? (with Henrik Cronqvist, Fredrik Heyman, Mattias Nilsson and Jonas Vlachos), *Journal of Finance* 64: 309-339, 2009.

"Asymmetric Effects of Corruption on FDI. Evidence from Swedish Multinational Firms" (with Katariina Hakkala and Pehr-Johan Norbäck) *Review of Economics and Statistics* 90(4): 627-642, 2008.

"Financial Markets, the Pattern of Specialization and Comparative advantage. Evidence from OECD Countries" (with Jonas Vlachos), *European Economic Review* 49:1, 113-144, 2005.

"Markets for Risk and Openness to Trade: How are they Related?" (with Jonas Vlachos). *Journal of International Economics* 57(2): 369-395, 2002.

## Working Papers

"School closures and SARS-CoV-2. Evidence from Sweden's partial school closure" with Jonas Vlachos and Edvin Hertegård, medRxiv <https://doi.org/10.1101/2020.10.13.20211359>, 2020

"Childcare – A safety net for children?" with Aino-Maija Aalto, Eva Mörk and Anna Sjögren, Uppsala University, Department of Economics WP 2018:11

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“Birth Order and Child Health” with Evelina Lundberg, Uppsala University, Department of Economics WP 2017:3

“Sober mom, healthy baby? Effects of brief alcohol interventions in Swedish maternity care” with Erik Grönqvist, Anna Norén and Anna Sjögren, IFAU WP 2016:16

## **Work in Progress**

“Sick of School? The consequences of a Grade Reform in Sweden” with Anna Sjögren

“Auditing Mothers: The effect of targeted alcohol prevention on birth weight” with Erik Grönqvist, Anna Norén and Anna Sjögren

## **Book Chapters**

Finansiell integration för tillväxt och stabilitet (with Jonas Vlachos) in *EU och den globala krisen, Europaperspektiv 2010* red Oxelheim, Pehrson och Persson, 2010

“Kollektivt Beslutsfattande” (with Jesper Roine) in *Tillämpad mikroekonomi* (in English “Collective Choice” in *Applied Microeconomics*) eds. Dufwenberg, M., Isacson, M. and Lundholm, M., Studentlitteratur, 2000. Second edition, eds Häckner, Jacobsson och Muren, Studentlitteratur 2009

## **Reports**

Hellre rik och frisk. Familjebakgrund och barns hälsa, (with Eva Mörk and Anna Sjögren) SNS report, 2014.

Svensk Finanspolitik 2010, 2011 and 2012, reports from the Swedish Fiscal Policy Council.

Livets lotteri och vårt ansvar för de utsatta barnen (with Anna Sjögren) i *Se de tidiga tecknen – forskare reflekterar över sju berättelser från förskola och skola* SOU 2010:64.

Nitlott i barndomen – familjebakgrund, hälsa, utbildning och socialbidragstagande bland unga vuxna” IFN Policy paper no 38, 2011.

Utvecklingskraft och omställningsförmåga. En globaliserad svensk ekonomi (with Brauerhjelm and von Greiff). Final report from the Globalization council secretariat, 2009.

Löneskillnader mellan kommuner (with Allan Gustafsson, MAPSEC) expert report for *Deluppföljning av den kommunalekonomiska utjämningen*, SOU 2006:84.

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## **Non- Academic Articles in Swedish**

Ojämlighet i hälsa under uppväxten (with Eva Mörk och Anna Sjögren), *Ekonomisk Debatt* 48:4, 2020

Är det bättre att vara storasyskon? (with Evelina Björkegren, Erik Grönqvist and Björn Öckert), *Ekonomisk Debatt* 46:5, 2018

Bör ränteavdragen begränsas och i så fall varför och hur mycket?, ledare *Ekonomisk Debatt* 44(3), 2016

Fördubblad risk dö i förtid för ekonomiskt utsatta barn (with Eva Mörk och Anna Sjögren), *DN debatt, Dagens nyheter* 2014-10-03.

Utmaningen att kommunicera komplexa samband – exemplet restaurangmomsen, ledare *Ekonomisk Debatt* 41(5), 2013

Det stora marknadsmisslyckandet Om familjebakgrundens betydelse för barns hälsa (with Anna Sjögren), *Tvärnsnitt* nr 3-4, 2011

Hur stor är risken för bestående hög arbetslöshet? (with Laura Hartman) *Ekonomisk Debatt* 38:6, 2010

Pensionärer beskattas inte hårdare än löntagare (with Daniel Waldenström) *DN debatt, Dagens nyheter* 2010-08-18

Reform bör flytta banknotan från skattebetalarna (with Jonas Vlachos), *Dagens Industri* 2009-12-01

Bonustak hjälper inte, *Dagens Industri* 2009-09-22.

Inkompetens ska kunna leda till uppsägning (with Pontus Braunerhjelm and Camilo von Greiff), *Dagens Nyheter* 2009-05-16.

Hur ska Sverige möta globaliseringen (with Pontus Braunerhjelm and Camilo von Greiff), *Ekonomisk Debatt* 37(5):20-32, 2009

“Effekter av barnomsorgsavgifter på barnafödandet” (with Eva Mörk and Anna Sjögren), *Ekonomisk Debatt* 37:2, 2009

## **Teaching Experience**

- Lecturer in public economics, undergraduate level (C-level), Uppsala University, 2012 -2020 (8 cohorts).
- Lecturer in public economics, master course, Uppsala University, 2016-2017
- Lecturer in labour economics, master course, Linneus University, 2015-2017

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- Lecturer in applied econometrics, master course, Uppsala University, 2014-2015
- Lecturer in applied econometrics, master course, Stockholm School of Economics, 2010.
- Lecturer in economics, undergraduate level, Stockholm School of Economics, 2007.
- Lecturer in microeconomics, undergraduate level (A-level), 2003-2004, Stockholm University.
- Advisor of undergraduate level and master. Linneus University, Stockholm University, Uppsala University >20 bachelor theses and 5 master theses.
- Teaching assistant in microeconomics on graduate level, 2000-2001, Stockholm University.
- Teaching assistant in microeconomics on undergraduate level (B-level), 1998-1999, Stockholm University.

#### *Advisor PhD student*

- Evelina Lundberg. Thesis title: “Family, Neighborhoods, and Health: Conditions for the Development of Human Capabilities”, 2017. Main advisor
- Jakob Lundberg. Thesis title: “Essays on Income Taxation and Wealth Inequality”, 2017. Co-advisor.
- Aino-Maija Aalto, Thesis title: “Incentives and Inequalities in Family and Working Life”, 2018. Main Advisor
- Edvin Hertegård, 2018- ongoing. Co-advisor

### **Studies in Educational Pedagogy**

- Academic Teacher Training course, 7,5 points, Uppsala University, 2013
- Academic Teacher Training course, supervising of students, Uppsala University, 2014

### **Scholarships, Grants and Awards**

”The socioeconomic gradient in child health through childhood and across time”, Riksbankens Jubileumsfond SEK 3815000, main applicant, 2016-2019.

”Family background, mental illness and human capital development” The Swedish Research Council SEK 4500000 (main applicant Anna Sjögren), 2016-2019

“Growing up in the welfare state: Health and inequality among children and youth in Sweden”, The Swedish Research Council SEK 4800000 (main applicant), 2012-2014

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“Minimilöner och eget företagande bland invandrare”, Institutet för arbetsmarknadsutvärdering (IFAU) (main applicant), SEK 320000, 2010

”Att förvalta andras intressen: ansvarsutkrävande och styrning i politik och näringsliv”, The Swedish Research Council SEK 2700000 (main applicant Jonas Vlachos), 2007-2010

”Att förvalta andras intressen: ansvarsutkrävande och styrning i politik och näringsliv” Hedelius, Wallander och Browaldhs stiftelse SEK 1166000 (main applicant Jonas Vlachos), 2007-2010

”Child care and long run labor supply”, Riksbankens Jubileumsfond; SEK 2710000, with (main applicant Anna Sjögren). 2006-2008

Funding for the conference Family Children and Work (with Eva Mörk and Anna Sjögren) SEK 180000 från Hedelius, Wallander och Browaldhs stiftelse.

Wallander stipend for promising younger reseracher, 2003-2006

Söderström Scholarship Fund, 2002

Alhströmer and Terserus foundation 1999-2001

Siamon Foundation’s Travel Scholarship, 2001

## **Scientific distinctions**

Best paper award, Financial Management Association (European meeting), 2006

## **Refereeing**

*Canadian Journal of Economics; Economica; Economics of Governance; Economic Journal; European Journal of Political Economy; Journal Comparative Economics; Journal of Development Economics(3); Journal of Economic Surveys; Journal of Public Economics; Labour Economics(3); Public Choice(3); Quarterly Journal of Economics, Regional Science and Urban Economics(3); Scandinavian Journal of Economics(3); World Development*

## **Opponents and grading committee member**

*Faculty opponent for PhD*

- Sara Fogelberg, Stockholm University, 2015
- Morten Visby Krægpøth, Aarhus University, 2016
- Lotta Boström, Stockholm University, 2019

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*Final seminar opponent*

- Hanna Åberg, Uppsala University, 2005
- Jaewon Kim, Stockholm University, 2010.

*Grading committee for PhD:*

Lena Hensvik, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 2011; Andreas Mueller, IIES, Stockholm University 2011; Eva Ranehill, Stockholm School of Economics, 2011; Martin Olsson, Department of Economics, Stockholm University, 2012; Ulrika Vikman, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 2013; Jens Dietrichson, Department of Economics, Lund university, 2013; Pamela Campa, IIES, Stockholm University, 2013; Arizo Karimi, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 2014; Linnea Wickström Östervall, Department of Economics, Stockholm University, 2014; Xingwu Zhou, Department of Statistics, Uppsala University, 2014; Gabriella Chirico Willstedt, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 2016; Johannes Hagen, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 2016; Audinga Baltrunaite, IIES, Stockholm University, 2016; Ylva Moberg, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 2017; Jon Frank, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 2017; Hanna Muhlrads, Department of Economics Gothenburg University, 2018; Darrel Robinson, Department of Government, Uppsala University, 2019; Clara Fernström, Stockholm School of Economics, 2020.

**Post-doc**

London School of Economics (STICERD) spring 2006

**Presentations**

*Organiser of conference*

“The Social Gradient in Human Capital Formation”, Uppsala 2019

“Family, children and work”, IFN Stockholm conference, Vaxholm, 2008.

*Seminaries at external institutions*

- CERN seminar series, Stockholm School of Economics, 2020
- Department of Women’s and Children’s Health, Uppsala University, 2019
- Örebro University, 2018
- Karolinska Institutet, 2016
- Aarhus University, 2016
- CHESS, Stockholm University and Karolinska Institutet, 2014
- Department of Economics, Linneaus University, 2013
- Department of Economics, Lund University, 2009, 2013

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- Department of Economics, Stockholm University, 2008, 2007.
- IFAU, Uppsala, 2007, 2010, 2012.
- SOFI, Stockholm University, 2007
- SITE, Stockholm School of Economics, Stockholm, 2005
- Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 2005, 2004.
- IIES, Stockholm University, 2005
- Department of Economics, Umeå University 2004
- FIEF, 2004

*Presentations at conferences*

- Nationell konferens, Växjö 2018
- IIPF in Tokyo, 2017
- Swedish Health Economics Association; 2016, 2018
- Workshop in Applied Health Economic Research, Uppsala, 2016
- Nordic Health Economists' Study Group meeting, 2015, 2018.
- Workshop on Health and the Labour Market, Aarhus 2015.
- LNUC conference at Linnaeus University in Kalmar, 2015
- EALE: 2012, 2013, 2016, 2019
- ESPE: 2008, 2012, 2016
- CeSifo conference: "Children, Families and Human Capital Formation", Munich 2012
- Conference Europe and the Global Crisis, Stockholm 2010
- Conference on disadvantage children, Stockholm, 2010
- AEA: 2010
- North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society, Boston, 2009.
- SOLE: 2008
- Public Choice Society: 2007
- ETSG: 2007
- EEA: 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006
- ECGI Conference "Alternative views of Corporate Governance", Zurich, 2006
- SIDA financed conference in Hanain, China, 2005
- International Atlantic Economic Society: 1999

*Other public presentations*

- Bostadsmötet, Uppsala 17 October, 2017.
- Barnombudsmannen, Stockholm 1 September, 2017.
- Drogfokus, 19 October, 2016
- Regionförbundet Mälardalen, 10 Mars, 2016
- SNS, Kalmar, 28 August, 2015
- The Royal Castle, Stockholm "Seminarium om att förebygga utanförskap", 6 May 2015



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- Astrid Lindgrens sjukhus, 4 February, 2015
- Samling för social hållbarhet, conference organized by Västra Götalandsregionen, Göteborg 6 November, 2014.
- SNS, presentation av Hellre Frisk och Rik, 2014
- SNS, comment on the government budget proposition as presented by Susanne Ackum, 2013
- Uppsala University, comment on the government budget proposition as presented by Stefan Atterfall, 2013
- Various seminars in Almedalen, 2009-2010, 2018
- Centerns förnyelsedagar, 2011
- Fredagsakademien Region Örebro, 2011
- Timbro, 2009
- Economic Council, Stockholm, 2004

## **Adviser**

- Stadskontorets vetenskapliga råd 2019-ongoing
- Member of steering Committee U-CARE 2018-09-26-ongoing
- Member of steering Committee HEFUU 2018-ongoing
- Member of panel for social sciences at The Swedish Research Council, 2018-2020
- Evaluation committee at Statistics Norway, 2019
- Advisory board for ESO (Expertgruppen för studier i offentlig ekonomi). Report written by Håkan Selin and Spencer Bastani “Riktlinjer för reformerad inkomstbeskattning”, 2018
- Advisory board for ESO (Expertgruppen för studier i offentlig ekonomi). Report written by Anna Balkfors och Tapio Salonen Sociala investeringar”, 2018-2019
- Appointed adviser for position as Lecturer in Economics at Jönköping University, 2018
- Appointed adviser for position as Senior Lecturer in Economics at Umeå University, 2017
- Panel member NORFACE Dynamics of Inequality Across the Life-course program, 2017
- Expert on referee panel for the Research Council of Norway, 2016
- Expert group member for the governmental investigation “Taxing the Financial Sector” 2015-2016.
- Member of the elector council for FORMAS, 2015
- Expert on referee panel for Forte Conference and Guest Researcher Grant, 2015

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- Advisory board: For Torben Andersens report to the ministry of finance “The Welfare and Economic Performance”. 2015
- Opponent SNSs report “Sociala investeringar” by Lars Hultkranz, 2014
- ”Effektvärdering av universella insatser för att förebygga psykisk ohälsa hos barn och ungdomar. Hälsoekonomisk analys och konsekvensbeskrivning för samhället” Forskargruppen för Socialpediatrik, Institutionen för kvinnors och barns hälsa, Uppsala universitet. Stiftelsen Skandia idéer för livet, 2013-present
- Member of the Norwegian ministry of finance council for model and method questions, 2013-2015
- ”Statliga bidrag till kommunerna –i princip och praktik” for ESO (Expertgruppen för studier i offentlig ekonomi) . The report is written by Matz Dahlberg and Jørn Rattsø, 2010

### **Media appearances**

- SVT, appearance in Vetenskapsstudion discussing birth order effects, 2017.
- Interview in the news program “Rapport” about the effect of lower pay-roll tax for young people, 2011.
- SR P1 about income tax credit, 2010.
- SR Lördagsintervjun, 2010.

### **Other**

- Board member, Nationalekonomiska föreningen, 2013- 2017.
- Member of The Equal Opportunity Group, Department of Economics, Uppsala University 2015-2017.

### **References**

Available upon request