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Curriculum Vitae

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Present position

Professor in Economics, esp. Housing and Urban Economics, at Uppsala University.
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Degrees

Associate Professor (Docent) in Economics, Uppsala University, 2001.
Ph.D. in Economics, Uppsala University, 1997.
B.A. (fil. kand.) in Economics, Uppsala University, 1992.

Research

(P) Articles published in international scientific journals

1. "The Revenues-Expenditures Nexus: Panel Data Evidence from Swedish Municipalities", *Applied Economics* 30, 1379-1386, 1998. (With Eva Johansson)
2. "Are Local Governments Governed by Forward Looking Decision Makers? An Investigation of Spending Patterns in Swedish Municipalities", *Journal of Urban Economics* 44, 254-271, 1998. (With Tomas Lindström)
3. "Small Sample Properties of Jackknife IV and LIML Estimators: Experiments with Weak Instruments", *Journal of Applied Econometrics* 14, 69-88, 1999. (With Sören Blomquist)
4. "An Examination of the Dynamic Behavior of Local Governments using GMM Bootstrapping Methods", *Journal of Applied Econometrics* 15:4, 401-416, 2000. (With Eva Johansson)
5. "On the Vote Purchasing Behavior of Incumbent Governments", *American Political Science Review* 96:1, 2002. (With Eva Johansson)
6. "The Effects of Grants and Wages on Municipal Labour Demand", *Labour Economics* 11, 315-334, 2004. (With Pål Bergström and Eva Mörk)
7. "Direct Displacement Effects of Labour Market Programmes", *Scandinavian Journal of Economics* 107, 475-494, 2005. (With Anders Forslund)
8. "Public Employment and the Double Role of Bureaucrats", *Public Choice* 126, 387-404, 2006. (With Eva Mörk)
9. "The Case Against JIVE: A Comment", *Journal of Applied Econometrics* 21, 839-841, 2006. (With Sören Blomquist)
10. "Do Politicians' Preferences Correspond to those of the Voters? An Investigation of Political Representation", *Public Choice* 130, 137-162, 2007. (With Eva Mörk and Hanna Ågren)
11. "On the Performance of the Sargan Test in the Presence of Measurement Errors in Dynamic Panels", *Applied Economics Letters* 15, 349-353, 2008. (With Eva Mörk and Per Tovmo)
12. "Inequality and Crime: Separating the Effects of Permanent and Transitory Income", *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* 70, 129-153, 2008. (With Magnus Gustavsson)
13. "Is there a 'Race-to-the-Bottom' in the Setting of Welfare Benefit Levels: Evidence from a Policy Intervention", *Journal of Public Economics* 92, 1193-1209, 2008. (With Karin Edmark).

14. "Using a Discontinuous Grant Rule to Identify the Effect of Grants on Local Taxes and Spending", *Journal of Public Economics* 92, 2320-2335, 2008. (With Eva Mörk, Jørn Rattsø, and Hanna Ågren).
15. "Is there an Election Cycle in Public Employment? Separating Time Effects from Election Year Effects", *CESifo Economic Studies* 57, 480-498, 2011. (With Eva Mörk)
16. "Estimating Preferences for Local Public Services Using Migration Data", *Urban Studies* 49:2, 319-336, 2011. (With Matias Eklöf, Peter Fredriksson and Jordi Jofre Monseny)
17. "Ethnic Diversity and Preferences for Redistribution", *Journal of Political Economy* 120:1, 41-76, 2012. (With Karin Edmark and Heléne Lundqvist)

(O) Other publications in English

1. "Essays on Estimation Methods and Local Public Economics", *Economic Studies* 31, Uppsala University, 1997 (Ph.D. thesis).
2. Book review: Fiscal Federalism and State-Local Finance: The Scandinavian Perspective, Jørn Rattsø (Ed.), Edward Elgar, Cheltenham, UK and Northampton, USA, 1998. *Regional Science and Urban Economics* (31)1, 119-125, 2001.
3. "Swedish Local Government: Is there a Bailout Problem", in Per Molander (ed.) *Fiscal Federalism in Unitary States*, Kluwer Academic Publishers, 2004. (With Jürgen von Hagen)
4. "Swedish Economic National Report", in Robert Pålsson (ed.) *Yearbook for Nordic Tax Research 2005: Local Taxation*, Nordisk Skattevitenskapelig Forskningsråd, Universitetsforlaget, Oslo, 2005. (With Hanna Ågren).
5. "Antidepressants and the Suicide Rate: Is there Really a Connection?", in Björn Lindgren and Michael Grossman (Eds) *Advances in Health Economics and Health Services Research*, Vol. 16 - *Substance Use: Individual Behavior, Social Interactions, Markets and Politics*, Elsevier, Oxford, England, 2005. (With Douglas Lundin).
6. "Local Government in Sweden", in Antti Moisio (ed.), "Local Public Sector in Transition: A Nordic Perspective", VATT Publications 56, Helsinki, 2010.
7. "Comments on the Finnish Model", in Antti Moisio (ed.), "Local Public Sector in Transition: A Nordic Perspective", Antti Moisio (Editor), VATT Publications 56, Helsinki, 2010.

(U) Unpublished research

1. "Mixed Logit Estimation of the Value of Travel Time", (With S. Algers, P. Bergström and J. Lindqvist Dillén, Uppsala 1998, Working Paper 1998:15)
2. "Sluggishness, Endogeneity, and the Demand for local Public Services", 2000, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, Working Paper 2000:17. (With Johanna Jacob)
3. "The Intertemporal Spending Behavior of Local Governments: A Comparative Analysis of the Scandinavian Countries", 2001, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, Working Paper 2001:10. (With Lars-Erik Borge and Per Tovmo). Under revision for *Economics and Politics*.
4. "On the Size of Political Jurisdictions: An Examination of Preference Matching", 2005, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, mimeo. (With Eva Mörk and Hanna Ågren).
5. "On Mandatory Activation of Welfare Recipients", 2009, IZA Discussion Paper 3947. (With Kajsa Johansson and Eva Mörk).
6. "Do Politicians' Preferences Matter for Voters' Voting Decisions?", 2009, Mimeo, Department of Economics, Uppsala University. (With Eva Mörk and Pilar Sorribas-Navarro)
7. "Stimulating Local Public Employment: Can General Grants Work?", 2010, Mimeo, Department of Economics, Uppsala University. (With Heléne Lundqvist and Eva Mörk)

(S) Articles and books published in Swedish

1. "Statsbidragens och lönernas effekter på den kommunala arbetskraftsefterfrågan" (The Effects of Intergovernmental Grants and Wages on Municipal Labour Demand), *Ekonomisk Debatt* 3, 151-161, 1999. (With P. Bergström and E. Johansson)
2. "Om regeringars röstköpsbeteende" (On the Vote Purchasing Behavior of Incumbent Governments), *Ekonomisk Debatt* 4, 305-316, 2000 (With Eva Johansson)
3. "Direkta undanträngningseffekter av arbetsmarknadspolitiska åtgärder" (Direct Displacement Effects of Labour Market Programmes), *Ekonomisk Debatt* 8, 725-737, 2000 (With Anders Forslund)
4. "Ekonomisk Debatt i slutet av dess tredje decennium" (Ekonomisk Debatt at the End of its Third Decade), *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 6, 529-534, 2002. (With Jerker Holm and Eva Johansson)
5. "Finns det ett bailoutproblem i Sverige?" (Is there a Bailout Problem in Sweden?), in P. Molander (ed) *Staten och kommunerna*, SNS Förlag, 2003. (With Jürgen von Hagen)

6. "Har kommunens storlek någon betydelse för den lokala demokratin?" (Does the Size of the Municipality Matter for the Local Democracy?), *Ekonomisk Debatt* 5, 33-47, 2005 (With Eva Mörk and Hanna Ågren).
7. "Har svenska kommuner mjuka budgetrestriktioner?" (Have Swedish Municipalities Soft Budget Constraints?), *Ekonomisk Debatt* 5, 60-76, 2005 (With Per Pettersson-Lidbom).
8. "Kommunanställda byråkraters dubbla roll", (The Double Role of Bureaucrats at the Municipal Level), *Arbetsmarknad och arbetsliv*, 11:3, 171-177, 2005 (With Eva Mörk).
9. "Aktivering av socialbidragstagare i Sverige", *Søkelys på arbeidslivet*, 2, 277-289, 2008. (With Eva Mörk)
10. "Valår och den kommunala politiken", *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 5, 2008. (With Eva Mörk)
11. *Fattigdom i folkhemmet: Från socialbidrag till självförsörjning*, SNS Förlag, Stockholm, Sweden, 2008 (With Karin Edmark, Jörgen Hansen and Eva Mörk) (Poverty in the Welfare State – From Welfare to Work)
12. *Statliga bidrag till kommunerna – i princip och praktik*, Rapport till Expertgruppen för Studier i Offentlig Ekonomi (ESO), 2010:5, Regeringskansliet, Finansdepartementet, 2010 (With Jørn Rattsø)
13. "Påverkar den ökade etniska mångfalden välfärdspolitiken och sammanhållningen inom EU?", in A Bakardjieva Engelbrekt, L Oxelheim and T Persson (eds) *Arbetslöshet, migrationspolitik och nationalism – hot mot EU:s sammanhållning?*, Santéus Förlag, 2012.
14. "Etnisk heterogenitet och preferenser för omfördelning", *Søkelys på arbeidslivet*, 29:1-2, 163-178, 2012.

(E) Editorials

1. "Dags att tänka om i socialbidragssystemet" (Time to rethink the system for social assistance), editorial, *Ekonomisk Debatt* 1, 3-5, 2001. (With Eva Johansson)
2. "De arbetsmarknadspolitiska åtgärderna – en lyckad medicin?" (Active Labor Market Programmes – Do They Work?), editorial, *Ekonomisk Debatt* 4, 235-237, 2001. (With Eva Johansson)
3. "Inkomstfördelning och optimal politik" (Income Distribution and Optimal Politics), editorial, *Ekonomisk Debatt* 1, 3-4, 2002. (With P Braunerhjelm and Eva Johansson)
4. "Högre utbildning och forskning" (Higher Education and Research), editorial, *Ekonomisk Debatt* 2, 107-108, 2002. (With Eva Johansson)

5. "Ja må de leva uti hundra år (och mer därtill)!", editorial, *Ekonomisk Debatt* 6, 503-504, 2002 (With Eva Johansson)
6. "Släpp dataseten fria!" (Release the Datasets!), editorial, *Ekonomisk Debatt* 8, 663-664, 2002 (With Eva Johansson)
7. "Släpp dataseten fria! Slutreplik" (Release the Datasets! Reply), *Ekonomisk Debatt* 1, 53-55, 2003 (With Eva Mörk)
8. "Socialbidragsreformer och barns välfärd" (Welfare Reforms and the Well-Being of Children), editorial, *Ekonomisk Debatt* 6, 3-4, 2007.
9. "Vem bestämmer i kommunerna?" (Who is the Decision-Maker in Swedish Local Governments?), editorial, *Ekonomisk Debatt* 6, 3-4, 2008.
10. "Omorganisera socialbidragssystemet" (Reorganize the System for Welfare Assistance), editorial, *Ekonomisk Debatt* 6, 3-5, 2009.

Research grants received

- "Röstningsbeteende och effektivitet i kommunal sektor: Mikrobaserade studier", HSFR, 1.400.000 SEK; for the years 1999-2002 (with Sören Blomquist and Eva Johansson)
- "Hur bör relationen mellan staten och kommunerna vara utformad? Ett forskningsprogram", Vetenskapsrådet, 6.046.000 SEK; for the years 2003-2005 (with Sören Blomquist, Eva Johansson and Henrik Jordahl)
- "Statsbidragens betydelse för den primärkommunala ekonomin", Sveriges Kommuner och Landsting, 1.000.000 SEK; for the years 2005-2006 (with Eva Mörk and Hanna Ågren)
- "Fiscal Federalism, Taxes and Public Expenditures", Jan Wallanders och Tom Hedelius Stiftelse, 2.920.000; for the years 2008-2010 (with Sören Blomquist)
- "Från bidrag till arbete: Studier av incitamentseffekter i socialbidragssystemet", FAS 2.800.000 SEK for the years 2008-2009 (With Karin Edmark and Eva Mörk)
- "Aktiveringskrav på socialbidragstagare: En kombinerad implementerings- och effektutvärderingsstudie", FAS, 2.010.000 SEK for the years 2010-2012. (With Eva Mörk and Katarina Thorén)
- FAS-Centra: Uppsala Center for Labor Studies, FAS, 15.000.000 SEK for the years 2010-2012 (can be prolonged to 10 years, with 5.000.000 SEK each year). (With 9 other people; Bertil Holmlund main applicant)

Teaching experiences and pedagogical training

Teaching

- 1993-1996: Assistant teacher, first level macro, Uppsala University
- 1997-2000: Joint responsibility for the Ph.D.-students' seminar series, Uppsala Univ.
- 1998: Applied econometrics (D-level), Dept. of Economics, Uppsala University
- 1999: Applied econometrics (B-level), Dept. of Statistics, Uppsala University
- 1999: Job creation, job destruction (Ph.D. course), Uppsala University

- 1999 - : Supervision of thesis-work (C- and D-level) , Uppsala University
- 2001: Applied econometrics (C-level), Dept. of Economics, University College Gävle
- 2001: Social problems in the Swedish economy (Ph.D. course), Uppsala University
- 2002-2007 : The economics of social problems (D-level), Uppsala University
- 2003-2006 : Public economics (B-level), Uppsala University
- 2008: Analyses of Welfare Reforms, (D-level), Dept. of Economics, Uppsala University
- 2008-2009: Applied econometrics (Master-level), Dept. of Economics, Uppsala University

Supervision of Ph.D. students. Main supervisor:

- Hanna Ågren (defended Ph.D. thesis on November 11, 2005)
- Karin Edmark (defended Ph.D. thesis on September 24, 2007)
- Heléne Lundqvist (defended Ph.D. thesis on October 26, 2011)
- Ulrika Vikman (will defend Ph.D. thesis on February 8, 2013)
- Anna Persson (defended Ph.Lic. thesis on May 27, 2011)
- Ina Blind (defended Ph.Lic. thesis on February 2, 2012)
- Linna Martén
- Michihito Ando (defended Ph.Lic. thesis on December 19, 2012)
- Mattias Öhman
- Anna Norén

Supervision of Ph.D. students. Co-advisor:

- Mattias Nordin (defended Ph.D. thesis on January 18, 2013)
- Lars Lindvall (defended Ph.D. thesis on June 7, 2006)
- Åsa Ahlin (defended Ph.D. thesis on February 11, 2005)
- Magnus Lundin (defended Ph.D. thesis on October 31, 2003)
- Ann Öberg (defended Ph.D. thesis on May 23, 2003)
- Mikael Carlsson (defended Ph.D. thesis on October 25, 2002)
- Joakim Jansson (defended Ph.D. thesis on October 18, 2002)

Pedagogical training

- Facilitator at the 2004 Swedish Summer Institute for the Improvement of Teaching and Learning, arranged by the Council for the Renewal of Higher Education, Åkerby.
- The First Swedish Winter Institute for the Improvement of Teaching and Learning, arranged by the National Agency for Higher Education, Stockholm, February 10-11, 2002.
- The First Swedish Summer Institute for the Improvement of Teaching and Learning, arranged by the National Agency for Higher Education and The Society of Living Pedagogues, Öland, June 4-9, 2000.
- Course in presentation technique, Uppsala University, March 23, 1994.
- Introductory course in pedagogy, Uppsala University, February 21-23, 1994.

Other activities

Editorial duties

- Editor for *CESifo Economic Studies*, 2010-
- Member, Editorial Board, *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 2007-2010
- Editor for *Ekonomisk Debatt*, Journal of the Swedish Economic Association, 2001-02

Assignment as opponent on thesis work/member of graduation committees

- Member of graduation committee on Santino Piazza's Ph.D. thesis "Essays in the Political Economy of Local Financing in the Italian Municipalities", DEFAP Graduate School in Economics and Finance of Public Administration, Catholic University of Milan, September 13, 2010.
- Member of graduation committee on Elin Bjarnegård's Ph.D. thesis "Men in Politics. Revisiting Patterns of Gendered Parliamentary Representation in Thailand and Beyond", Department of Government, Uppsala University, January 15, 2010.
- Member of graduation committee on Erik Glans' Ph.D. thesis "Pension Reforms and Retirement Behaviour", Uppsala University, October 30, 2009.
- Member of graduation committee on Johan Kiessling's Ph.D. thesis "Essays on Technology Adoption and Political Reform in Developing Countries", Stockholm University, May 28, 2009.
- Member of graduation committee on Mikael Elinder's Ph.D. thesis "Essays on Economic Voting, Cognitive Dissonance, and Trust", Uppsala University, December 12, 2008.
- Member of graduation committee on Mattias Haraldsson's Ph.D. thesis "Essays on Transport Economics", Uppsala University, June 1, 2007.
- Faculty opponent on Anna Nilsson's Licentiate thesis "Two Essays on Crime", Stockholm University, February 6, 2004.
- Faculty opponent on Tobias Nilsson's Licentiate thesis "Governmental Inefficiency and Campaign Contributions", Stockholm University, September 12, 2002.
- Member of graduation committee on Linda Andersson's Ph.D. thesis "Essays on Job Turnover, Productivity and State-Local Finance", Umeå Univ., May 23, 2002.
- Faculty opponent on Sven-Olov Daunfeld's Ph.D. thesis "Essays on Intra-Household Allocation and Policy Regime Shifts", Umeå Univ., November 23, 2001.
- Faculty opponent on Anna Brink's Licentiate thesis "The Break-Up of Municipalities", Göteborg University, May 31, 2001.
- Discussant on parts of Frida Widmalm's Ph.D. thesis manuscript (Final seminar), Uppsala University, January 20, 2000.
- Discussant on parts of Per Åsberg's Ph.D. thesis manuscript (Final seminar), Uppsala University 1998.

Awards

- The Peggy and Richard Musgrave Prize for 2004, awarded at the 2004 IIPF conference in Milan, Italy
- Myrdalspriset (Gunnar Myrdal price for best paper in *Ekonomisk Debatt* in 2000)

- IIPF Young Scholars Award, awarded at the 1998 IIPF conference in Cordoba, Argentina

Departmental administrative duties and appointments

- Member of the board, Uppsala Center for Fiscal Studies, 2010-
- Member of the board, Institute for Housing and Urban Research, Uppsala University, 2008-2012
- Director of Graduate Studies in Economics at Uppsala University, 2009-2012
- Director of Master Program in Economics at Uppsala University, 2006-2009
- Jämställdhetsombud, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 2005-2006
- Acting director of graduate studies, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 2001-02
- Member of the board, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 1999-2008

Visiting positions and research affiliations

- Visiting researcher, University of Barcelona, March 2010
- Affiliated researcher at IEB, University of Barcelona, 2008-
- Visiting researcher, University of Barcelona, April 2007
- Research member, CESifo, 2006-
- Visiting scholar, CESifo, Munich, January-February 2006
- Research associate, Institute for Labour Market Policy Evaluation (IFAU), 1997-
- Visiting scholar, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, January-July 1995

Organization of conferences and workshops

- Member of organizing committee, “IV Summer School in Public Economics: Immigration and Public Policy”, Barcelona, July 4 - 8, 2011
- Member of local organizing committee, “2010 IIPF Conference in Uppsala”, Uppsala, August 2010
- Member of organizing committee, “Nordic Workshop on Tax Policy and Public Economics”, Uppsala, October 2008
- Member of organizing committee, “Ph.D. Workshop on Public Economics”, Uppsala, June 2008
- Organized conference “From Welfare to Work” in Stockholm in May, 2007 (with Eva Mörk, for The Economic Council of Sweden)
- Member of organizing committee, “Nordic Econometric Meeting”, Uppsala, May 1999

Other positions and appointments

- Member of scientific committee for the 2009 IIPF conference in Cape Town, South Africa
- Riksbankens Jubileumsfond, Reviewer of application, 2006
- Finanspolitiska Forskningsinstitutet, Member of Board, 2005-2006
- Reviewer for two positions as lecturer at University College Gävle
- Member of scientific committee for the 2005 IIPF conference at Jeju Island, South Korea
- Member of the scientific committee for democracy research at the Swedish Research Council, 2004

Referee experience

American Economic Review, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Economic Inquiry, International Tax and Public Finance, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Regional Science and Urban Economics, CESifo/MIT Press, Swedish Economic Policy Review, Applied Economics, European Economic Review, National Tax Journal, The American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, British Journal of Political Science