

Office Contact Information

University of Bergen
Department of Economics
Fosswinckels 14, 5007 Bergen, Norway

Academic appointments:

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| 2021- | University of Bergen, Department of Economics
Associate Professor |
| 2020-21 | Norwegian School of Economics, Department of Economics and FAIR
Assistant Professor |
| 2014-20 | University of Vienna, Department of Economics
Assistant Professor |
| 2018-19 | On leave, visiting Université catholique de Louvain, IRES |

Education:

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| 2010-15 | PhD in Economics (cum laude), Universitat Pompeu Fabra
Thesis title: “Essays on Marital Sorting and Fertility”
Advisor: Hans-Joachim Voth
Thesis committee: Ran Abramitzky, Albrecht Glitz, Alfonso Herranz Loncán |
| 2012-13 | Visiting student, Northwestern University (Sponsor: Joel Mokyr) |
| 2008-10 | M.Res in Economics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra |
| 2004-08 | B.Sc. Economics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra |

Research Fields:

Primary fields: Economic History, Applied Microeconomics

Secondary fields: Intergenerational Mobility, Family Economics, Assortative Matching, Demography, Human capital, Political Economy.

Publications and forthcoming articles:

“Childless Aristocrats. Inheritance and the extensive margin of fertility” (2021) *The Economic Journal*, 131(637), pp. 2089-2118 [with Paula E. Gobbi].

“Assortative matching at the top of the distribution: Evidence from the world’s most exclusive marriage market” *AEJ: Applied Economics*, forthcoming.

Working Papers:

“Landed elites and education provision in England. Evidence from School Boards, 1871-99” *Revise and resubmit at Journal of Economic Growth*.

“Nepotism vs. Intergenerational Transmission of Human Capital in Academia (1088-1800).” (with David de la Croix). *CEPR Discussion paper 15159*.

“Kissing cousins. Estimating the causal effect of consanguinity on fertility using evidence from the London Season.”

Work in progress:

Gender-biased Technological Change and Structural Transformation (with Philipp Ager and Kjell G. Salvanes).

Inheritance and fertility decline (with Victor Gay and Paula E. Gobbi).

Witch trials and gender differences in trust (with Despina Gavresi and Anastasia Litina).

Teachers and upper-tail human capital: Evidence from England during the Industrial Revolution.

Teaching Experience:

Econometrics (Masters), Norwegian School of Economics (NHH). 2021

Macroeconomic Theory and Policy (Masters), Norwegian School of Economics (NHH). 2020

Empirical methods of Economic History (Doctoral course), Université catholique de Louvain. 2019

Empirical methods of Economic History (Masters), University of Vienna. 2018, 2020

Economic History (BA), University of Vienna. 2014-20

Empirical methods of Economic History (BA), University of Vienna. 2014-17

Macroeconomics, University of Vienna. 2017

Supervision of Bachelor thesis, University of Vienna. 2015-20

Professional Activities:

Referee *Econometrica, The Quarterly Journal of Economics, The Review of Economic Studies, The Economic Journal, Journal of Economic Growth, Journal of Economic History, Explorations in Economic History, The European Review of Economic History.*

Conferences and Workshops:

2021 CEPR Eighth Economic History Symposium (online), SAET (online), LSE/UCD Econ Hist Coffee Hour (online)

2019 HEDG (U Southern Denmark), CEREC (Brussels), 4th ARC Workshop (Durbuy), EEA-ESEM (Manchester)

2018 SIOE (Montreal), ASREC (Luxembourg)

2017 SAET (Faro), SAEe (Barcelona)

2016 GOEK: Fertility (Essen), The importance of elites and their demography for knowledge and development (Louvain-la-Neuve), OLG Days (Luxembourg)

2015 Ronald Coase Institute Workshop on Institutional Analysis (Hong Kong), Summer Workshop in Economic Growth (Warwick), Economic History Association (Nashville), FRESH meeting (Barcelona)

2014 SAEe (Palma de Mallorca)

2013 SAEe (Santander), Economic History Association (Washington), 7th World Congress of Cliometrics, (Hawaii), All-UC Economic History Conference (Chapman), Economic History Society (York)

2012 EEA (Málaga), Applied Microeconomics and Public Policy Conference (Galway), MOOD (Rome), Young Economist Conference (Belgrade)

Seminars:

2022 IESEG (*scheduled*)
 2021 University of Bergen
 2020 Norwegian School of Economics, University of Bristol, Paris School of Economics, University of Exeter, University of Nottingham, CSEF-Università degli Studi di Napoli Federico II, Tor Vergata University
 2019 ECARES, University of Antwerp, University of Mannheim, HSE Moscow, University of Bergen
 2018 Université Catholique de Louvain
 2017 GREQAM Aix-Marseille
 2016 Université Catholique de Louvain, UC Merced, Innsbruck, Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien
 2015 Universitat de Barcelona, Johannes Kepler University of Linz
 2014 Paris School of Economics, HSE Moscow, Leicester, University of Vienna
 2013 CREI, Universitat Pompeu Fabra
 2012 Northwestern University, CREI
 2011 Universitat Pompeu Fabra

Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships:

2020 Heinrich Graf Hardegg Research Grant
 2018 Teaching Prize (Didaktikus), Faculty of Economics, University of Vienna
 2014 Heinrich Graf Hardegg Research Grant
 2012-13 PhD Teaching Prize, Universitat Pompeu Fabra; BE-DGR Visiting scholarship, Generalitat de Catalunya
 2012-14 FI Graduate Research scholarship, Generalitat de Catalunya
 2009-12 Teaching Assistant scholarship, Universitat Pompeu Fabra
 2008 Top ten grades Bachelor's Degree in Economics, UPF

Research Experience and Other Employment:

2009 and 2010 Research assistant for Hans-Joachim Voth and Mauricio Drelichman,