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I. EDUCATION

1. Ph. D. in Economics (Fil dr), Uppsala University, 1991.

II. RESEARCH APPOINTMENTS

Current

1. Research Fellow, Research Institute of Industrial Economics (IFN), Stockholm, 1993-
2. Associate Professor of Economics (Docent), Department of Economics, Stockholm University, 1998-.
3. Adjunct Professor of Economics, School of Business and Economics, Linnaeus University, Växjö, 2014-.

Previous

1. Research Fellow, Trade Union Institute for Economic Research (FIEF), Stockholm, 1986-92.
2. Secretary, Economic Council of Sweden, Ministry of Finance, Stockholm, 1997-1998.
3. Visiting Fellow, Office of Labour Market Policy Evaluation (IFAU), Uppsala, 1999-2000, 2002-2003.
4. Vice chairman of the Swedish Labour Policy Council (Arbetsmarknadsekonomiska rådet), 2015-2018.

III. CURRENT RESEARCH PROJECTS

1. Rural Entrepreneurship, Labor Market Effects and Well-being (with Lina Aldén and Mats Hammarstedt).
2. The EU Minimum Wage Directive.

IV. AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

1. Wage formation
2. Employment protection
3. Integration of immigrants
4. Active labour-market policies
5. Economics of disability
6. Housing markets

V. SCIENTIFIC WORKS

Published

1. Wage Bargaining and Wage Drift: Evidence from the Swedish Wood Industry. In L. Calmfors (ed.), *Wage Formation and Macroeconomic Policy in the Nordic Countries*. SNS and Oxford University Press, 1990. (With Bertil Holmlund.)
2. Comment on Holden. In (1) above.
3. Varför består de regionala skillnaderna i regional arbetslöshet? (Why Do Regional Unemployment Differentials Persist?), *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 19, 573-584. Reprinted in Villy Bergström (ed.), *Varför överge den svenska modellen? 12 uppsatser om arbetslöshet och stabiliseringspolitik*. Tidens Förlag, Stockholm, 1993.
4. Employment Determination in the Swedish Wood Industry: A Test of the Labor Demand Model. *Finnish Economic Papers*, 5, 27-37, 1992.
5. *Essays on Wage Formation, Employment, and Unemployment*. Acta Universitatis Upsaliensis. Studia Oeconomica Upsaliensia 22. Almqvist & Wiksell International, Stockholm, 131 pages, 1992. [Book.]
6. Bör affärstiderna regleras? (Should Opening Hours be Regulated?) *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 20, 627-636, 1992. (With Mikael Ingemarsson.)
7. Decentraliserad lönebildning som regionalpolitik (Decentralized Wage Formation as Regional Policy). In Jan Herin (ed.), *Lönebildning i förändring*. Swedish Employers' Confederation, Stockholm, 1992.
8. Hur fungerar de regionala arbetsmarknaderna? (How Do Regional Labor Markets Work?) In *Tretton aspekter på regional utveckling*, NUTEK, Stockholm, 1993.
9. En ekonometrisk studie av arbetstidsproduktiviteten (An Econometric Study of Labor Productivity). In SOU 1994:58, *6 juni Nationaldagen*, Ministry of Justice, Stockholm, 1994.
10. Arbetsmarknadspolitik – ingen garanti för låg arbetslöshet (Labor Market Policy – No Guarantee for Low Unemployment). In *Kompetens, kompensation och konkurrens*, Research Institute of Industrial Economics, Stockholm, 1994.
11. Sweden's Active Labour Market Policy: A Remedy for Unemployment? *European Vocational Training Journal*, 1, 25-29, 1994.
12. Does Active Labour-Market Policy Increase Employment? Theoretical Considerations and Some Empirical Evidence from Sweden. *Oxford Review of Economic Policy*, 11, 91-109, 1995. (With Lars Calmfors.)
13. Employment Policies and Displacement in the Youth Labour Market. *Swedish Economic Policy Review*, 2, 135-171, 1995.
14. Sjöstrand vilseleder om forskningsresultat som tyder på stor undanträngning (Misleading Arguments on Research Indicating Large Crowding-out Effects in Labor Market Policy). *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 24, 52-59, 1996.
15. Sjöstrands modell är felspecificerad (The Model is Mis-specified). *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 24, 222-224, 1996.
16. Wage Flexibility and Unemployment Dynamics in Regional Labor Markets. *Labour Economics*, 3, 435-437, 1996. (Book review.)
17. *Arbetsförmedlingarna - mål och drivkrafter* (The Public Employment Service – Objectives and Incentives). Ds 1998:16, Expertgruppen för studier i offentlig ekonomi, Ministry of Finance, 134 pages, 1998. (With Sten Nyberg.) [Book.]
18. Capital Gains Taxation and Residential Mobility in Sweden. *Journal of Public Economics*, 67, 399-419, 1998. (With Per Lundborg.)
19. Comment on Lisa Lynch: Wage Inequality and Long-term Unemployment: Is Education and Training the Answer? *Swedish Economic Policy Review*, 5, 189-192, 1998.
20. The Political Economy of Labour Market Reform. *Swedish Economic Policy Review*, 5, 195-204, 1998. (With Lars Calmfors.)

21. Transaction Taxes in a Search Model of the Housing Market. *Journal of Urban Economics*, 45, 385-399, 1999. (With Per Lundborg.)
22. Corporate Job Ladders in Europe: Wage Premia for University vs. High School Level Jobs. *Swedish Economic Policy Review*, 6, 449-487, 1999. (With Erik Mellander.)
23. Decentraliserad arbetsmarknadspolitik – effekter av ett utökat kommunalt inflytande i Arbetsförmedlingsnämnderna (Decentralized Labor Market Policy – Effects of Municipal Involvement in Local Employment Service Committees). *Arbetsmarknad & Arbetsliv*, 7, 5-21, 2001. (With Martin Lundin.)
24. Omställning eller avstjälpning? Om utformningen av en omställningsförsäkring (Adaptation or Dumping? On the Design of an Adaptation Insurance on the Labor Market). *Arbetsmarknad & Arbetsliv*, 8, 131-143, 2002. (With Pär Andersson and Stefan Fölster.)
25. Syns professorerna i globaliseringsdebatten? (Are Professors Active in the Debate on Globalization?). *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 30, 605-609, 2002. (With Dan Johansson.)
26. Målkonflikter vid rekrytering av arbetshandikappade till Samhall (Conflicting Goals in the Recruitment of the Work Disabled to Sheltered Employment). *Svensk Rehabilitering*, (4), 22-23, 2003. (With Barbro Widerstedt.)
27. In Sweden, Anti-Globalizationists Dominate Public Discourse, Econ Profs Do Little. *Econ Journal Watch*, 1(1) 175-184, 2004. (With Dan Johansson.)
28. Om invandrare, statistik och brottslighet (On Immigrants, Statistics and Crime), editorial. *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 34(1), 3-4, 2006. (With Jonas Vlachos.)
29. Minimum Wages and Employment in Swedish Hotels and Restaurants. *Labour Economics*, 13, 259–290, 2006.
30. Decentralisation of Active Labour Market Policy: The Case of Swedish Local Employment Service Committees. *Journal of Public Economics*, 90, 775–798, 2006. (With Martin Lundin.)
31. Globaliseringen och arbetsmarknaden (Globalization and Labor Markets), editorial. *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 34(4), 3-6, 2006. (With Jonas Vlachos.)
32. Svenska minimilöner i den globaliserade ekonomin (Swedish Minimum Wages in the Globalized Economy). *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 34(4), 63–77, 2006.
33. Tjänstedirektivet och protektionismen (The Services Directive and Protectionism), editorial. *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 35(1), 3–4, 2007. (With Ola Olsson.)
34. Invandrades integration på arbetsmarknaden (Integration of Immigrants on the Labor Market), editorial. *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 35(3), 3–6, 2007. (With Ola Olsson.)
35. Cream Skimming in Employment Programmes for the Disabled? Evidence from Sweden, *International Journal of Manpower*, 28, 694–714, 2007. (With Barbro Widerstedt.)
36. Minimilöners effekter på sysselsättning och löner – en översikt (The Effects of Minimum Wages on Employment and Wages – A Survey), *Arbetsmarknad & Arbetsliv*, 13(2), 41–56, 2007.
37. *Effekter av anställningsskydd – vad säger forskningen (Effects of Employment Protection Legislation – What is the Evidence?)*, SNS Förlag, Stockholm, 143 pages, 2008. (Book.)

38. Effekter av anställningsskydd – en översikt (Effects of Employment Protection Legislation – A Survey), *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 36(7), 5–18, 2008.
39. *En exkluderande arbetsmarknadsmodell? Den svenska arbetsmarknadens trösklar i ett globalt perspektiv (An Excluding Labor Market Model? Thresholds on the Swedish Labor Market in a Global Perspective)*, Report No 24 to the Swedish Globalization Council, Ministry of Education, Stockholm, 2008.
40. Misreporting in Register Data on Disability Status: Evidence from the Swedish Public Employment Service, *Empirical Economics*, 37, 411–434, 2009. (With Per Johansson.)
41. Sweden: A Minimum Wage Model in Need of Modification, in Vaughan-Whitehead, D (ed), *The Minimum Wage Revisited in the Enlarged EU*, Edward Elgar, Cheltenham, UK, and Northampton, MA, 2010.
42. *Employment Protection Legislation. Evolution, Effects, Winners and Losers*, Edward Elgar, Cheltenham, UK, and Northampton, MA, 183 pages, 2010. (Book.)
43. Hur fungerar arbetsmarknadspolitiken under olika konjunkturlägen?, (How Do Labor Market Policies Work during Different Phases of the Business Cycle?), *Studier i finanspolitik 2010/7*, Finanspolitiska rådet (The Economic Council of Sweden), Stockholm, 2010.
44. Reforming the Welfare State. Recovery and Beyond in Sweden, by Richard B. Freeman, Birgitta Swedenborg and Robert Topel (eds), *Journal of Economic Literature*, 49, 168–170, 2011. (Book review.)
45. Employment Consequences of Employment Protection Legislation, *Nordic Economic Policy Review*, 2(1), 45–83, 2011.
46. Reglering eller diskriminering – vad hindrar etablering? (Regulation or Discrimination – What Impedes Success on the Labour Market?), *FORES Studie 2011:4*, FORES, Stockholm. (With Magnus Carlsson.)
47. Tudelad trygghet (Dual Job Security), in Pettersson, L–O and Teodorescu, A (eds), *Jobben kommer och går – behovet av trygghet består*, Ekerlids Förlag, Stockholm, 2011.
48. Minimilöner i EU – särlösningar eller gemensam reglering? (Minimum Wages in the EU – Separate or Coordinated Regulation?), in Bakardjieva Engelbrekt, A, Oxelheim, L and Persson, T, (eds), *Arbetslöshet, migrationspolitik och nationalism – hot mot EU:s sammanhållning?*, Santérus Förlag, 2012.
49. Minimilöner i tjänstesektorn (Minimum Wages in the Service Sector), in Jordahl, H (ed), *Den svenska tjänstesektorn*, Studentlitteratur, Lund, 2012.
50. Låglönekonkurrens och lönerreglering i ett nordiskt perspektiv (Low-wage Competition and Wage Regulation from a Nordic Perspective), *Ekonomiska Samfundets Tidskrift*, 66(2), 149–158, 2013.
51. Effects of Payroll Tax Cuts for Young Workers, *Nordic Economic Policy Review*, 4(1), 125–169, 2014.
52. Lönedynamik bland lågavlönade (Low-wage Dynamics), underlagsrapport till Lönebildningsrapporten 2014, Konjunkturinstitutet, 2014.
53. Employment Effects of Union-Bargained Minimum Wages: Evidence from Sweden's Retail Sector, *International Journal of Manpower*, 36, 694–710, 2015.
54. *Inför avtalsrörelsen 2016* (With Wage Negotiations Approaching), Arbetsmarknads-ekonomiska rådet, 2015. (With Lars Calmfors, Petter Danielsson, Ann-Sofie Kolm and Tuomas Pekkarinen.)
55. *Dags för större lönespridning?* (Time for More Wage Dispersion?), Arbetsmarknads-ekonomiska rådet, 2016. (With Lars Calmfors, Petter Danielsson, Ann-Sofie Kolm and Tuomas Pekkarinen.)
56. Työmarkkinat Suomessa ja Ruotsissa – ruotsalainen näkökulma (Labour Markets in Finland and Sweden – a Swedish Perspective), *Talous & Yhteiskunta*, no 2, 10–17, 2016.

57. Employer Attitudes towards Refugee Immigrants: Findings from a Swedish Survey, *International Labour Review*, 155, 315–337, 2016. (With Per Lundborg.)
58. Employment Protection Reform, Enforcement in Collective Agreements and Worker Flows, *Industrial Relations*, 55, 662–704, 2016. (With Fredrik Heyman.)
59. *Tudelningsarna på arbetsmarknaden* (The Duality in the Labour Market), Arbetsmarknadsekonomiska rådet, 2017. (With Lars Calmfors, Petter Danielsson, Ann-Sofie Kolm and Tuomas Pekkarinen.)
60. Minimilöner och integration av flyktingar på arbetsmarknaden – så kan experiment förbättra kunskapsläget (Minimum Wages and the Integration of Refugee Immigrants on the Labour Market – How Experiments Can Increase Our Knowledge, *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 45(7), 30–40, 2017. (With Mats Hammarstedt.)
61. Seniority Rules, Worker Mobility and Wages: Evidence from Multi-Country Linked Employer-Employee Data, *Labour Economics*, 51, 48–62, 2018. (With Petri Böckerman and Roope Uusitalo.)
62. *Hur fungerar kollektivavtalen?* (The Functioning of Collective Agreements), Arbetsmarknadsekonomiska rådet, 2018. (With Lars Calmfors, Simon Ek, Ann-Sofie Kolm and Tuomas Pekkarinen.)
63. *Olika vägar till jobb* (Paths to Employment), Arbetsmarknadsekonomiska rådet, 2018. (With Lars Calmfors, Simon Ek, Ann-Sofie Kolm and Tuomas Pekkarinen.)
64. Turordningsregler – lagstiftning med konsekvenser eller spel för gallerierna? (Seniority Rules – Legislation with Consequences or Window Dressing?), *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 46(3), 5–16, 2018. (With Carl Magnus Bjuggren and Martin Olsson.)
65. Nationalekonomisk forskning om anställningsskydd (Economic Research on Employment Protection), in Eklund, R. (ed.), *LAS 40 år*, Jure Förlag, Stockholm, 2018.
66. Non-standard Employment in Sweden, *De Economist*, 166, 433–454, 2018.
67. *Hur ska fler komma in på arbetsmarknaden?* (How Can We Achieve Higher Employment among Vulnerable Groups?), Dialogos Förlag, Stockholm, 2018. (With Lars Calmfors, Petter Danielsson, Simon Ek, Ann-Sofie Kolm and Tuomas Pekkarinen.)
68. Wage Policies and the Integration of Immigrants, in Calmfors, L. and Sánchez Gassen, N. (eds.), *Integrating Immigrants into the Nordic Labour Markets*, Nordic Council of Ministers, Copenhagen, 2019. (With Simon Ek.)
69. *Kollektivavtal och lönebildning i en ny tid* (Collective Agreements and Wage Formation in a New Era), Dialogos Förlag, Stockholm, 2019. (With Lars Calmfors, Simon Ek and Ann-Sofie Kolm.)
70. Reglering av minimilöner på EU-nivå – rätt väg att gå? (Regulation of Minimum Wages at the EU Level – The Right Way Forward?), *Europapolitisk analys*, Svenska institutet för europapolitiska studier (Sieps), Stockholm, 2020.
71. *Enkla jobb och kunskaper i svenska – nycklar till integration?* (Low-skilled Jobs and Proficiency in Swedish – Keys to Integration?), Studieförbundet Näringsliv och Samhälle (SNS), Stockholm, 2020. (With Simon Ek and Mats Hammarstedt.)
72. Employment Protection and FDI Revisited: New Evidence from Micro Data, *World Economy*, 44, 645–670, 2021. (With Pehr-Johan Norbäck and Jing-Lin Duanmu.)
73. Wage Policies and the Integration of Immigrants Revisited, in Sánchez Gassen, N. and Penje O. (eds.), *Integrating Immigrants into the Nordic Labour Markets. The Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic*, Nordic Council of Ministers, Copenhagen, 2021.
74. Maximalt önsketänkande? En kritisk granskning av EU:s minimilönedirektiv (Maximum Wishful Thinking? A Critical Review of the EU Minimum Wage Directive), *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 50, 23–36, 2022.
75. Borde vi ha fler enkla jobb? (Should We Have More of Low-skilled Jobs?), Entreprenörskapsforum, Stockholm, 2022.

76. Low-Skilled Jobs, Language Proficiency and Job Opportunities for Refugees: An Experimental Study, forthcoming in *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, 2023 (With Simon Ek and Mats Hammarstedt.)

Unpublished

1. Hur höga är minimilönerna? (What Are the Minimum Wage Rates?), Rapport 2005:18, 2005, IFAU, Uppsala.
2. Minimum Wages and the Integration of Refugee Immigrants, IFN WP No 1017, 2014. (With Per Lundborg.)
- 3.. Does Job Security Hamper Employment Prospects?, IFN WP No 1255, 2018. (With Carl Magnus Bjuggren.)
4. The Economics behind the Directive on Adequate Minimum Wages in the EU: A Critical Assessment, IFN WP No 1438, 2022.

VI. OTHER ARTICLES

1. Stor risk för en "arbetslöshetskultur" (Perils of an "Unemployment Culture"), *Svenska Dagbladet*, April 22, 1992.
2. Regionalpolitik, arbetslöshet och lönebildning (Regional Policy, Unemployment and Wage Formation), *Liberal Debatt*, 46, 46-47, 1993.
3. Självrensning hos AMS (Self-censorship at the National Labor Market Board) , *Dagens Nyheter*, November 17, 1995. (With Stefan Fölster.)
4. Högre minimilöner kan slå ut de nya jobben (Increasing Minimum Wages May Stifle Job Growth), *Dagens Industri*, November 16, 2006.
5. Anställningsskydd håller en miljon i utanförskap (Employment Protection Keeps Vulnerable Groups out of Work), *Dagens Industri*, March 6, 2008. (With Magnus Henrekson.)
6. Sänkta minimilöner ger invandrare jobb (Lower Minimum Wages Increase Employment among Immigrants), *Expressen*, January 1, 2009.
7. LAS skapar klassamhälle på arbetsmarknaden (Employment Protection Laws Cause Labor Market Segmentation), *Newsmill*, February 23, 2009.
8. Facket vilseleder om LAS (Misleading Arguments from the Unions Regarding the Employment Protection Act), *Svenska Dagbladet*, February 26, 2010.
9. Hög tid luckra upp skyddet för fasta anställningar (About Time to Weaken Regulations Regarding Regular Employment), *Svenska Dagbladet*, March 4, 2010.
10. Ökad lönespridning sänkte den tyska arbetslösheten (Increased Wage Dispersion Lowered German Unemployment), *Dagens Nyheter*, April 21, 2016. (With Lars Calmfors, Petter Danielsson, Ann-Sofie Kolm and Tuomas Pekkarinen.)
11. Zettergrens analys undermålig (Poor Analysis by Zettergren), *Dagens Nyheter*, April 26, 2016. (With Lars Calmfors, Petter Danielsson, Ann-Sofie Kolm and Tuomas Pekkarinen.)
12. Gör experiment med minimilöner (Perform Experiments with Minimum Wages), *Svenska Dagbladet*, November 22, 2016. (With Mats Hammarstedt.)
13. Arbetsmarknadens parter bör göra experiment med minimilöner (The Social Partners Should Perform Experiments with Minimum Wages), *Dagens Arena*, November 27, 2017 (With Mats Hammarstedt.)
14. Arbetsmarknadsekonomiska rådets analys av minimilönernas sysselsättningseffekter är välgrundad (The Swedish Labour Policy Council's Analysis of the Employment Effects of Minimum Wages is Well-founded), *Ekonomistas*, May 28, 2018. (With Lars Calmfors, Simon Ek, Ann-Sofie Kolm and Tuomas Pekkarinen.)
15. Ogenomtänkt förslag om minimilön i EU (Ill-advised Proposal on Minimum Wages in the EU), *Svenska Dagbladet*, January 6, 2020.

16. Inte enkelt att få enkla jobb för flyktinginvandrare (Not Easy to Get Low-skilled Jobs for Refugee Immigrants), *Dagens Nyheter*, October 4, 2020. (With Simon Ek and Mats Hammarstedt.)
17. Jobbskapande i offentlig sektor fungerar sämst (Job Creation in the Public Sector Does Not Work Well), *Dagens Nyheter*, October 9, 2020. (With Simon Ek and Mats Hammarstedt.)
18. What 21st-Century Works Will Merit a Close Reading in 2050?: Second Tranche of Responses, *Econ Journal Watch*, 18(1), 164–191, 2021. (With Mitchell Langbert et al.)
19. Sänkta löner kan ge fler invandrare enkla jobb (Lower Wages Could Create Low-skilled Jobs for More Immigrants), *Dagens Nyheter*, October 13, 2021. (With Nora Sánchez Gassen and Rolf Elmér.)
20. Även fack och arbetsgivare har ansvar för utrikesfödda (Unions and Employers, Too, Must Assume Responsibility for the Foreign Born), *Dagens Nyheter*, October 18, 2021. (With Nora Sánchez Gassen and Rolf Elmér.)
21. Ekonomipriset säger inget om svenska minimilöner (The Nobel Prize in Economics Does Not Say Anything about Swedish Minimum Wages), *Kvartal*, December 10, 2021.
22. Enkla jobb bidrar till självförsörjning (Low-skilled Jobs Contribute to Self-sufficiency), *Altinget*, June 21, 2022.
23. Missvisande om lägstalöner (Misleading Arguments on Minimum Wages), *Svenska Dagbladet*, June 23, 2022.

VII. MEDIA ATTENTION (selection)

ARD (German public radio), YLE (Finnish public television), Le Monde, Neue Zürcher Zeitung, Morgenbladet (Norway), Sveriges Television, Sveriges Radio, TV4, Dagens Nyheter, Svenska Dagbladet, Dagens Industri, Göteborgs-Posten, Sydsvenskan, Aftonbladet, Expressen, Fokus, Lag & Avtal, Arbetet, Arbetsvärlden, Tidningen Näringslivet, Vårdfokus, Dagens Handel, Omni, Syre, Lärarnas Tidning, Arbeidsliv i Norden, Ny Teknik, Veckans Affärer.

VIII. INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCES - CONTRIBUTED PAPERS

1. Labour Market Research in the Nordic Countries, Mariehamn, Finland, May 1988.
2. European Economic Association, Bologna, Italy, September 1988.
3. European Association of Labour Economists, Turin, Italy, September 1989.
4. European Association of Labour Economists, El Escorial, Spain, September 1991.
5. European Economic Association, Dublin, Ireland, September 1992.
6. Oxford Economic Papers Conference on Vocational Training, Oxford, England, September 1992.
7. European Economic Association, Prague, Czech Republic, September 1995.
8. European Economic Association, Berlin, Germany, September 1998.
9. International Atlantic Economic Society, Montreal, Canada, October 1999.
10. Applied Econometrics Association, Brussels, Belgium, May 2002.
11. European Association of Labour Economists, Paris, France, September 2002.
12. Association of Private Enterprise Education, Nassau, Bahamas, April 2004.
13. European Association of Labour Economists/Society of Labor Economists, San Francisco, USA, June 2005.
14. Nordic Health Economists' Study Group, Uppsala, Sweden, August, 2005.
15. The Minimum Wage Revisited in the Enlarged EU, Brussels, Belgium, October 2008.
16. IAB Workshop, Flexibility in the Labor Market: Boon or Bane?, Nuremberg, Germany, April 2011.

17. 6th Nordic Summer Institute of Labor Economics, Torshavn, Faroe Islands, June 2011.
18. European Association of Labour Economists, Pafos, Cyprus, September 2011.
19. International Symposium on Contemporary Labor Economics, Wang Yanan Institute for Studies in Economics (WISE), Xiamen University, Xiamen, China, December 2011.
20. IZA Workshop on Youth Unemployment, Bonn, Germany, July 2012.
21. Integrating Immigrants into the Nordic Labour Markets, Nordic Council of Ministers, Oslo, Norway, June 2019.
22. Interdisciplinary Trans-Nordic Conference on European Differentiated Integration, University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway, June 2022.

IX. RESEARCH GRANTS

1. The Jan Wallander Foundation for Social Science Research, 1985-89.
2. The Swedish Council for Research in the Humanities and Social Sciences (HSFR), 1990-92.
3. The Swedish Savings Banks' Foundation for Economic Research, 1990-91.
4. The Evaluation of the Swedish Tax Reform (USR), 1993-95.
5. The Swedish Council for Building Research (BFR), 1993-94.
6. The Swedish Council for Research in the Humanities and Social Sciences (HSFR), 1994-95.
7. Institute for Labour Market Policy Evaluation (IFAU), 1999-2001.
8. Institute for Labour Market Policy Evaluation (IFAU), 2003-2005.
9. The Swedish Research Council (Vetenskapsrådet), 2003-2005.
10. Institute for Labour Market Policy Evaluation (IFAU), 2007-2008.
11. Institute for Labour Market Policy Evaluation (IFAU), 2009-2011.
12. Jan Wallanders och Tom Hedelius Stiftelse, 2009-2012.
13. The Finnish Work Environment Fund, 2013-2015.
14. The Johan and Jakob Söderberg Foundation, 2013-2017.
15. The Marianne and Marcus Wallenberg Foundation, 2018 - 2022.
16. Familjen Kamprads Stiftelse, 2022-.

X. TEACHING AND LECTURING

1. Labour Economics ("D"-level). Stockholm University, February-March 1996.
2. On Human Capital. Executive MBA - IT program, Stockholm School of Economics, May, 2000, May, 2001, and June 2003.
3. Topics in Labour Economics: Masters level, Linnaeus University, October 2015, October 2016, October 2017, October 2018, March 2020, March 2021, March 2022, March 2023.
4. Labor Economics, Undergraduate level, Linnaeus University, February 2020, February 2021, January 2022, February 2023.
5. Popular lectures for policy makers, private business, trade unions and student associations. Topics: wage formation, active labour-market policy, employment protection policy, integration of immigrants.

XI. EDITORIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

1. Referee for *B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy*, *Empirical Economics*, *Environment and Planning A*, *European Journal of Comparative Economics*, *European Journal of Political Economy*, *Finnish Economic Papers*, *Independent Review*, *Journal for Labour Market Research*, *Journal of Immigrant and Refugee Studies*, *Journal of International Development*, *Journal of Social Policy*, *Labour Economics*, *Manchester School*, *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, *Small Business Economics*, *Swedish Economic Policy Review*.
2. Associate editor, *Arbetsmarknad & Arbetsliv*, 1994-1997.

3. Editor, *Swedish Economic Policy Review*, 1998.
4. Editor, *Ekonomisk Debatt* (journal of the Swedish Economic Association), 2005-2007.
5. Member of editorial council, *Ekonomisk Debatt* (journal of the Swedish Economic Association), 2022-

XII. AWARDS

1. The Myrdal Prize 2006, awarded by Swedbank, for best article in *Ekonomisk Debatt* (the Journal of the Swedish Economic Association) during the year.
2. Emerald Publishing Group, Award for Excellence 2016, Outstanding Papers: Highly Commended Article (in *International Journal of Manpower*, 2015).

XIII. OTHER ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

1. Scientific advisor, evaluation of active labour-market policies (European Union Employment initiative and Objective 3), Ledningskonsulterna i Stockholm AB, 1997-1999, 2001.
2. Opponent to Stig Blomskog (preliminary Ph.D. thesis), Department of Economics, Stockholm University, March 21, 1997.
3. Opponent to Patrick Joyce (Licentiate thesis), Department of Economics, Uppsala University, October 3, 1997.
4. Faculty opponent to Christian Kjellström (Ph.D. thesis), Department of Economics, Stockholm University, April 16, 1999.
5. Opponent to Erik Zetterström (preliminary Ph.D. thesis), Department of Economics, Uppsala University, December 15, 2000.
6. Board member, the Swedish Institute of Social Research (SOFI), Stockholm University, 2001-2006.
7. Faculty opponent to Anders Stenberg (Ph.D. thesis), Department of Economics, Umeå University, September 5, 2003.
8. Member of international expert group on minimum wages in the European Union, set up by the International Labour Office and the European Union Commission, 2007–2008.
9. External reviewer of applications for research grants, IFAU, June 2009.
10. Opponent to Lena Hensvik (preliminary Ph.D. thesis), Department of Economics, Uppsala University, December 8, 2010.
11. External reviewer of application for research grant, British Academy, London, November 2011.
12. Scientific advisor, National Mediation Office (Medlingsinstitutet), 2012-2013.
13. Opponent to Carl Magnus Bjuggren (preliminary Ph.D. thesis), Department of Economics, Linköping University, September 17, 2013.
14. Opponent to Anders Bornhäll (Licentiate thesis), Department of Economics, Örebro University, March 20, 2014.
15. Faculty opponent to Morgan Westéus (Ph.D. thesis), Department of Economics, Umeå University, November 21, 2014.
16. Member of Council on Misconduct in Research, Linnaeus University, 2015-2017.
17. Expert in government commission on modernized employment protection legislation, 2019-20.
18. Member of grading committee, Erik Lindgren (Ph.D. thesis), Department of Economics, Stockholm University, June 15, 2022.
19. Faculty opponent to Hans Seerar Westerberg (Ph.D. thesis), Department of Economics, Örebro University, March 16, 2023.