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Education

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- University of Copenhagen, PhD in Economics** 2019-2023
Supervisors: Søren Leth-Petersen & Claus Thustrup Kreiner
Thesis: Gender Inequality, Labor Supply and New Structural Methods
- University of Copenhagen, MSc in Economics (cand.polit.), GPA: 10.9/12** 2018-2021*
Thesis: Child Penalties in Labor Returns? Evidence from Linked Survey and Administrative Data
- University of Copenhagen, BSc in Economics (ba.polit.), GPA: 10.2/12** 2014-2017
Thesis: Does Displacement Effects Persist to the Next Generation? Evidence from Danish Childrens Performance in Primary School Exams

Experience

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- CEBI, Department of Economics, University of Copenhagen** 2023-Present
Postdoctoral Researcher
Independent empirical and theoretical research and publication of research projects in scientific journals.
- CEBI, Department of Economics, University of Copenhagen** 2019-2023
PhD Stipend
Independent empirical and computational research, research project design, university teaching, research dissemination. I worked with colleagues from Copenhagen and Princeton University on research in optimal taxation, wrote a solo-authored paper in labor economics and conducted computational research leveraging state of the art methods from reinforcement learning. I managed day-to-day tasks of 4-8 student research assistants.
- CEBI, Department of Economics, University of Copenhagen** 2017-2019
Research Assistant
Empirical research assistance using Stata, SAS, and R to analyze population-size datasets. I primarily worked on health economic projects that have resulted in publications in PNAS and ReStat.

Teaching Experience

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- Seminar: Applications of Machine Learning in Economics (MSc)** Spring 2021
Course coordinator and supervisor, economics MSc program, Department of Economics.
- Social Data Science: Econometrics and Machine Learning** Spring 2020
Course development & teaching assistant, economics MSc/PhD program, SODAS.
- Social Data Science** August 2019
Course management and teaching assistant, economics MSc/BSc program, SODAS.
- Topics in Social Data Science** Fall 2018
Teaching assistant, economics PhD/MSc/BSc program, SODAS.
- Social Data Science** August 2018
Teaching assistant, economics MSc/BSc program, SODAS.

*I enrolled in the PhD program on a "4+4 contract", meaning i was enrolled simultaneously in the MSc and PhD for the first half of my PhD studies.

Research

Micro vs Macro Labor Supply Elasticities: The Role of Dynamic Returns to Effort [\[Working Paper\]](#)
with Henrik Kleven, Claus Thustrup Kreiner & Jakob Egholt Søgaard
R&R American Economic Review

Couples and Gender Inequality [\[Working Paper\]](#)
Solo Paper

Using Reinforcement Learning for Solving Dynamic Discrete-time Problems in Economics
w. Joachim Kahr Rasmussen, *working paper upon request*

Services & Voluntary Work

The Danish Mountain and Climbing Club (DBKK), Board Member	2024
Studenterrådet ved Københavns Universitet, Board Member	2016-2018
The UCPH Academic Board on Education Strategy (KUUR), Student Representative	2017
The Academic Council of the Faculty of Social Sciences, Student Representative	2017

Other

Programming	Daily use of Python, R and Stata. Experienced with SAS and SQL.
Spoken Languages	Fluent Danish and English.