

Malte Jacob Rattenborg

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT & AFFILIATIONS

University of Copenhagen

Ph.D. Fellow

Since September 2021
Copenhagen, Denmark

- Supervisors: Steffen Altmann & Robert Mahlstedt
- Expected date of completion: 31st of August 2025

Cornell University, School of Industrial and Labor Relations (ILR)

Visiting Fellow

Since September 2024
Ithaca, USA

- Host: Philipp Kircher

EDUCATION

University of Copenhagen

M.Sc. in Economics

September 2019 - August 2023
Copenhagen, Denmark

University of Mannheim

B.Sc. in Economics

September 2015 - March 2019
Mannheim, Germany

Stockholm University

Exchange Semester

January 2018 - May 2018
Stockholm, Sweden

RESEARCH STAYS

IZA - Institute of Labor Economics

Active participation in local research workshops and environment

June 2024
Bonn, Germany

WORKING PAPERS

Which Occupations Do Unemployed Workers Target? Insights from Online Job Search Profiles

([IZA Discussion Paper](#)) ([SSRN](#))

joint work with: Steffen Altmann, Robert Mahlstedt and Alexander Sebald

WORK IN PROGRESS

Misguided Job Search

single-authored

Wage Expectations and Job Search

joint work with: Steffen Altmann, Robert Mahlstedt, Alexander Sebald, Sonja Settele and Johannes Wohlfart

Supply and Demand on Job Search Platforms: Descriptive Evidence

joint work with: Steffen Altmann, Alexander Sebald and Hannah Simon

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Microeconomics 3

Teaching Assistant

September 2022 - January 2023
University of Copenhagen

COMMITTEE WORK

PhD Committee of the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Copenhagen

January 2022-January 2025

- Elected PhD Representative for the Department of Economics

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

University of Copenhagen

Student Research Assistant

February 2021 - September 2021

Copenhagen, Denmark

- Research Group: Behavioral Economics and Labor Market Performance
- Supervisors: Steffen Altmann, Robert Mählstedt & Alexander Sebald

University of Copenhagen

Student Research Assistant

October 2019 - February 2021

Copenhagen, Denmark

- Research Group: The Impact of Family Assets on Corporate Structures and Outcomes (FAMBUSS)
- Supervisor: Morten Bønnedsen

Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS)

Internship

February 2019 - June 2019

Brussels, Belgium

- Research Group: Economic Policy Unit
- Supervisor: Mikkel Barslund

Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW)

Student Research Assistant

January 2017 - December 2017

Mannheim, Germany

- Research Group: Labor Markets, Human Resources and Social Policy
- Supervisor: Martin Lange

PHD COURSES

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| 2024 | Russell Sage Foundation Summer Institute in Behavioral Economics |
| | Reading Group: Theoretical Microeconomics , University of Copenhagen |
| 2023 | Allocation and Wages in Labor Markets , Aarhus University - Rasmus Lentz |
| 2022 | Reading Group: Job Choices , University of Copenhagen - Daphne Skandalis & Nikolaj Harmon |
| | Economics Writing Group , University of Copenhagen - Niels Johannsen |
| | Oxford Economics Summer School , University of Oxford |
| | (i) Treatment Effects: Beyond the Basics - Francis DiTraglia, |
| | (ii) An Introduction to the Foundations of Machine Learning - Maximilian Kasy |
| 2021 | Reading Group: Micro Data Aspects on Unemployed Job Search , |
| | University of Copenhagen - Daphne Skandalis & Nikolaj Harmon |

GRANTS

Economic Policy Research Network (EPRN)

2024

- Research grant to fund the project "Misguided Job Search"

Augustinus Fonden

2024

- Scholarship for a research stay at Cornell University

CONFERENCES & SEMINARS

2024	Cornell University - Macroeconomics Seminar; Cornell University - Behavioral Economics Research Group (BERG); Cornell University - The Work In Progress Seminar Institute of Labor Economics (IZA) - Brown Bag Seminar; Aarhus University - Labour and Public Policy Seminar; Copenhagen Labor Economics Workshop
2023	Rockwool Foundation; DGPE Workshop; Verein für Socialpolitik (VfS); European Economic Association (EEA); Copenhagen Labor Economics Summer Workshop; Styrelsen for Arbejdsmarked og Rekruttering (STAR); De Økonomiske Råd (DØRS); KU Leuven HIVA
2022	DGPE Workshop; European Association of Labour Economists (EALE); Institute of Labor Economics (IZA) - Brown Bag Seminar; European Society for Population Economics (ESPE) Copenhagen Labor Economics Workshop; University of Copenhagen - PhD Seminar
2021	DGPE Workshop

KNOWLEDGE & SKILLS

Software Skills	STATA, R, Python, SAS, Matlab
Languages	English, Danish, German