

# F.J.J. Leenders

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**Citizenship:** Dutch

**Research Interests:** Macroeconomics, Labour Economics

**Teaching Interests:** Macroeconomics, Labour Economics, Principles, Microeconomics

## EDUCATION

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### University of Toronto

Toronto ON, Canada

Ph.D. in Economics

2015–2022 (expected)

– Committee: Gueorgui Kambourov (co-supervisor), Ronald Wolthoff (co-supervisor), Serdar Ozkan

### Tilburg University

Tilburg, The Netherlands

M.Res. in Economics (No Degree), GPA: 8.7/10.0

2014–2015

– Completed the first year of the two-year program

### University of Alberta

Edmonton AB, Canada

M.A. in Economics, GPA: 3.90/4.00

2012–2013

### Tilburg University

Tilburg, The Netherlands

M.Sc. in Economics, GPA: 7.8/10.0

2011–2012

– Thesis Supervisor: Bas van Groezen

### Tilburg University

Tilburg, The Netherlands

B.Sc. in Economics and Business Economics, GPA: 8.0/10.0

2008–2011

– Thesis Supervisor: Gonzague Vannoorenberghe

## WORK IN PROGRESS

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- Heterogeneity in the scarring effects of displacement
- Occupational Mobility over the Business Cycle

## OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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### University of Toronto

Toronto ON, Canada

RA to Ronald Wolthoff

Summer 2016 –present

RA to Serdar Ozkan

Summer 2019

RA to Zachary Mahone

Summer 2017

### Centraal Bureau voor de Statistiek (Statistics Netherlands)

Heerlen, The Netherlands

Intern in sector “sociaal-economische en ruimtelijke statistieken”

Jan 2014 –Jul 2014

(Socio-economic and spatial statistics)

### University of Alberta

Edmonton AB, Canada

RA to Rick Szostak

Winter 2013

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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- **Course Instructor** at University of Toronto Summer 2019  
*Macroeconomic Theory (ECO208)*
- **Teaching Assistant** at University of Toronto Fall 2015–present  
*Introductory Economics (ECO100)*  
*Principles of Macroeconomics (ECO102)*  
*Macroeconomic Theory (ECO208)*  
*Macroeconomics for Commerce (ECO209)*  
*Special Topics, Macroeconomics and the Labour Market (ECO345/352)*  
*Mathematics and Statistics for PhD and MA Doctoral Stream Students (ECO1011)*  
*Macroeconomic Theory I, PhD (ECO2021)*
- **Teaching Assistant** at Tilburg University Spring 2015  
*Macro-economie voor Bedrijfseconomie (Macroeconomics for Business Administration, Dutch)*
- **Teaching Assistant** at University of Alberta Fall 2012  
*Intermediate Macroeconomics II (ECON 385)*

## LANGUAGES

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- **Dutch:** native
- **English:** fluent
- **German:** intermediate

## PROGRAMMING

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- Fortran 90/95
- Stata
- Matlab
- L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

## HONOURS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

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- Junior Fellow, Massey College (in the University of Toronto) 2015–2020
- University of Toronto Doctoral Fellowship 2015–2020
- Maurice Cody Research Fellowship, University of Toronto 2019
- PhD Student Research Grant (Department of Economics), University of Toronto 2019
- Award for Excellence in Teaching by Teaching Assistants (in Economics), University of Toronto 2019
- Moira Whalon Prize, Massey College (in the University of Toronto) 2018
- CentER Scholarship, Tilburg University 2014–2015
- Excellence Scholarship, Tilburg University 2012
- International Award for Young People / Duke of Edinburgh's Award 2005–2007

## SERVICE

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- Admissions Committee at Massey College (in the University of Toronto) 2020  
*Division II: Social Sciences*
- Graduate Appeals Committee at University of Toronto, Department of Economics 2019–2020
- Various Committee Co-chair Positions at Massey College (in the University of Toronto) 2015–2020  
*including: Lionel Massey Fund, House Committee, Quarter Century Fund, Tutoring and Mentorship Program*

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