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EDUCATION PhD **Department of Physics, Centre for Computing in Science Education** University of Oslo 2020 M.S. **Department of Physics and Astronomy** Georgia State University B.S. **Department of Physics and Astronomy** Georgia State University 2010 PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS **Postdoctoral Associate** Department of Curriculum and Instruction, Learning Analytics Lab University of Minnesota January 2021 to present Researcher Department of Physics, Centre for Computing in Science Education University of Oslo September 2020 to present **Data Science PhD Intern Data Science Group** Domos August 2019 - December 2019 **Phd Candidate** Department of Physics, Centre for Computing in Science Education University of Oslo September 2017 to September 2020 **PhD Candidate** Section 2.6 - Seismic Hazard and Risk Dynamics GFZ-Potsdam February 2016 - September 2017 **Software Developer** JILA University of Colorado, Boulder June 2015 - January 2016 **School of Physics** Research Associate I Georgia Institute of Technology December 2013 - June 2015 **GRANTS AWARDS** The Njord Centre Summer Award 2019 The Njord Centre Diversity Award 2018 Physics Education Research Topical Group Travel Grant (500 USD) 2018 Paper selected as Notable Paper of the Physics Education Research Conference Proceedings 2016 Physics Education Research Topical Group Travel Grant (500 USD) 2016 Physics Education Research Topical Group Travel Grant (500 USD) 2015 Best Graduate Student Poster, North Carolina Section of American Association of Physics Teachers 2013 Best Graduate Student Poster, North Carolina Section of American Association of Physics Teachers 2011 INVITED TALKS A New Framework for Evaluating Statistical Models in Physics Education Research 2020 University College Dublin **Investigating Physics Students Pathways** 2016 Georgia State University From Physics to Data Science 2016 Texas State University Student Engagement with Video Course Content in Introductory Mechanics 2015 American Association of Physics Teachers Meeting Using the Tools of Online Analytics and Big Data in the On-Campus Classroom 2014 Physics Education Research Conference What Do We Learn From Students Watching Lecture Videos? 2014

University of Colorado, Boulder

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Potsdam 2016 - 2017
The Georgia Institute of Technology 2012 - 2014
Georgia State University 2010 - 2012

SERVICE

Workshop Facilitator

Machine Learning in Physics Education Research

American Association of Physics Teachers Meeting

2019

Internship Facilitator

Educational Data Mining Summer Internship

University of Oslo Centre for Computing in Science Education

2018 - 2019

Guest Editor

Focused Collection on Quantitative Methods in PER: A Critical Examination

Physical Review Physics Education Research

2018 - 2019

Peer Reviewer

Physical Review Physics Education Research

2017 - present

Peer Reviewer

The Physics Teacher

2017 - present

Research Track Committee Member

EMOOCS Conference

2017

Committee Member American Association of Physics Teachers **Committee on Educational Technologies**

2013 - 2015

PUBLICATIONS

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