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**PERSONAL INFORMATION:**

Date of birth: September 17, 1992  
Citizenship: Austrian

**UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES:**

BSc., Economics, Johannes Kepler University, 2015

**MASTERS LEVEL WORK:**

MSc, Economics, Stockholm University, 2017

**DOCTORAL STUDIES:**

IIES, Stockholm University, 2018 to present  
Thesis Title: “*Essays on Macroeconomics*”  
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**RESEARCH FIELDS:**

Primary fields: Macroeconomics, Labor economics

Secondary fields: Inflation, Nonhomothetic Preferences, Monetary Economics, Entrepreneurship

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

Spring 2022	Monetary Economics, Ph.D. level, Stockholm University, teaching assistant for Daria Finocchiaro and Andreas Westermark (both Riksbank)
Spring 2021, 2022	Econometrics II, Ph.D. level, Stockholm University, teaching assistant for Konrad Burchardi, Arash Nekoei and David Schönholzer

Spring 2020	Macroeconomics I, Ph.D. level, Stockholm University, teaching assistant for Alexandre Kohlhas
Spring 2017	Labour Economics and Wage Setting Theory, Masters level, Stockholm University, teaching assistant for Lars Calmfors

#### **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND OTHER EMPLOYMENT:**

Jul. 2018 – Aug. 2020	Institute for International Economic Studies, Stockholm University, research assistant for Timo Boppart, Per Krusell and Kurt Mitman
Aug. 2017 – Jun. 2018	European Central Bank, Directorate General Research, Frankfurt, research assistant (trainee) for Oreste Tristani, Philipp Hartmann and Luc Laeven
Summer 2016	ifo Economic Research Institute, Munich, summer intern
Jan. – May 2015	Johannes Kepler University, Linz, research assistant for René Böheim and Thomas

#### **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

2023	Referee for Empirica: Journal of European Economics
Sep. 2020 – Jun. 2022	Organizer of the “Macro Group”, internal seminar series at the Institute for International Economic Studies

#### **HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND FELLOWSHIPS:**

2019 (postponed)	Jan Wallander and Tom Hedelius Foundation Scholarship for studies abroad
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#### **Skills:**

Languages: German, English, Swedish  
Software: Python, R, Matlab, Stata

#### **RESEARCH PAPERS:**

##### **“Declining Hours Worked Among Entrepreneurs” (Job Market Paper)**

I document a new empirical fact, which shows that the average weekly hours spent working has decreased substantially more for entrepreneurs than for workers. On average the weekly hours of entrepreneurs relative to workers has decreased by around 4.5 hours during 1989-2022. I document this fact for the US as well as Germany for the same time period. This fact is robust along several dimensions including sex, age, occupation, industry, number of children and income. I explore several possible mechanisms that an occupational choice model suggests could have caused the decline and show which mechanisms can be ruled out.

##### **“A Nonhomothetic Price Index and Cost-of-Living Inequality”**

joint with Markus Pettersson and Christoffer Jessen Weissert

We derive a nonhomothetic generalization of all superlative price indices and document cost-of-living inequality in the United States. When necessities and luxuries are separable in the expenditure function, this generalization eliminates the need to estimate a complete demand model. Using CEX-CPI data from 1995 to 2020, we find no differences in average inflation rates across the expenditure distribution, but 2.5 times higher inflation volatility for the bottom decile than the top decile, stemming from a larger exposure to food, gasoline, and utilities. Our analysis challenges inequality measurements using group-specific homothetic price indices and suggests an income-effect bias in these estimations.

#### **RESEARCH PAPERS IN PROGRESS:**

##### **“Welfare Implications of an Energy Price Shock”**

joint with Per Krusell and Kurt Mitman