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Academic career

2017-2018:
ongoing

MSc Economics (Econometrics), University of Edinburgh

Core courses consisted of Econometrics, Macroeconomics, and Microeconomics. I have also undertaken three econometrics-focused optional modules as part of my degree.

In these option courses, attention was placed particularly in current issues related to big data.

My dissertation will focus on a similar topic – nowcasting key macroeconomic variables by using readily available internet search data.

2013-2017:

MA Economics (Honours), University of Dundee
First Class Honours

Modules included mathematics, politics, economic policy, econometrics, as well as intermediate micro- and macroeconomics.

2010-2013:

International Baccalaureate
Katedralskolan, Lund, Sweden (high school)

2007-2010:

Nyvångskolan, Dalby, Sweden
(primary education)

1994-2006:

Lived in the Netherlands.

Relevant work experience

Sep 2017 – May 2018:

Exam invigilator for undergraduate students, University of Edinburgh.

Jun 2016 – Aug 2016:   Internship, Swedish Transport Administration. Responsibilities included:

Taking inventory of road signs, using the resulting data to create useful ArcGIS layer files, and writing 'deviation reports'.

Miscellaneous

- Extensive experience with Stata, R, LaTeX, and Microsoft Office.
- Limited experience in Python, MATLAB, and ArcGIS.
- Swedish driver's license, obtained in 2013.

Language skills

- Native/fluent in Swedish, English, and Dutch.
- Working knowledge in French, German.