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CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

From 2023 Assistant Professor (non-TT), Department of Economics, University of Oslo

EDUCATION

2017 – 2023	PhD in Economics, University of Zurich Dissertation: Essays in Labor and Public Economics Advisors: Josef Zweimüller and Florian Scheuer
	MSc in Economics, Pompeu Fabra University BA in Economics, Charles University

OTHER AFFILIATIONS

From 2023	Research Fellow, Institute of Labor Economics (IZA)
2021 - 2022	Visiting Scholar, University of California, Berkeley

PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT

2015 - 2017	Researcher, Institute for Democracy and Economic Analysis, CERGE-EI,
	Prague
2014 - 2015	Research Assistant, DG/Research, European Central Bank, Frankfurt

WORKING PAPERS

"Directing job search in practice: Mandating wage information in job ads", Working paper.

"Collusion by Exclusion in Public Procurement" (with Regina Seibel), Submitted.

JOURNAL ARTICLES

"Do Elections Accelerate the COVID-19 Pandemic? Evidence from a Natural Experiment" (with René Levínský and Ján Palguta), *Journal of Population Economics*, 2022, 35(1), 197-240.

"Do women face a glass ceiling at home? The division of household work among dualearner couples" (with Tomáš Lichard and Filip Pertold), *Review of Economics of the Household*, 2021, 19(4), 1209–1243.

"Scientific publication performance of post-communist countries: Still lagging behind after so many years" (with Štěpán Jurajda, Stanislav Kozubek and Daniel Münich), *Scientometrics*, 2017, 112(1), 315-328.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

"Insuring the self-employed: Evidence on asymmetric information in UI".

"Fiscal multipliers in the European Union: Evidence from the use of European structural and investment funds in Slovakia".

TEACHING

Spring 2020, 2021; University of Zurich: Labor Economics (MA), TA for David Dorn Fall 2019, 2020; University of Zurich: Econometrics for Policy Analysts (MA), TA for David Yanagizawa-Drott

Fall 2016; CERGE-EI: Introductory Econometrics for Talented High School Students (*a short popularization course*), Instructor

INVITED TALKS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2023	"Labor, Firms, and Macro" Job Market Worshop (virtual), UPenn
2022	International Institute of Public Finance Annual Congress, Linz, Austria;
	Zurich-Lausanne Workshop "Job Search and the Labor Market", Weggis,
	Switzerland (poster); UC Berkeley "IO Student Workshop"; UC Berkeley
	"Labor Lunch"; Journal of Population Economics Workshop, online
2021	UC Berkeley "Labor Lunch"; Slovak Economic Association Meeting,
	Bratislava
2017	European Public Choice Society Annual Meeting, Budapest

AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS

2022	Honorable mention for IIPF Young Economics Award
2021	Slovak Economic Association Award for Young Economists (best paper
	authored by economist(s) up to 35 years of age)
2020	Doc.Mobility fellowship, Swiss National Science Foundation
2019	Director's grant, Department of Economics, University of Zurich
2013	Full scholarship, Barcelona Graduate School of Economics
2010	Merit scholarship, Charles University

POLICY WORK

Contributor to the "Spending review of education" by the Ministry of Finance of the Slovak Republic, 2017; Co-authored multiple policy papers at the Institute for Democracy and Economic Analysis, CERGE-EI, Prague (quoted by the President of the Slovak Republic)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Service PhD student member of hiring committee for Applied Microeconomics

AP position, University of Zurich; BA thesis supervision, University of

Zurich

Referee Economic Journal, International Journal of Public Finance