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Employment and Affiliations

Researcher	2024–present
Institute for Housing and Urban Research, Uppsala University	
Research Coordinator	2022–present
Uppsala Immigration Lab, Uppsala University	
Research Affiliations	
Uppsala Center for Labor Studies	2022–present
Tax and Transfer Policy Institute, ANU	2024–present

Past employment

Postdoctoral Researcher	2021–2024
Department of Economics, Uppsala University	

Education

PhD in Economics, <i>Cum Laude</i>	2021
Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain	
MRes in Economics	2015
Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain	
MSc in Economics	2014
Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain	
Bachelor of Arts (German, Philosophy)	2012
Australian National University, Australia	
Bachelor of Economics, <i>First Class Honours</i>	2011
Australian National University, Australia	

Research Papers

Working papers:

“Workplace segregation and the labour market performance of immigrants,” CESifo Working Paper No. 9895 (*R&R, Labour Economics*)

“Professional networks and the labour market assimilation of immigrants” (with Olof Åslund and Mattias Engdahl) IFAU Working Paper 2024:9

“The dynamics of ethnic segregation in the German labour market,” available at SSRN: <https://ssrn.com/abstract=4223158>

Teaching

Econometrics I, Uppsala University PhD in Economics, <i>with Johan Vikström</i>	2023, 2024
Labour Economics, Australian National University Undergraduate, <i>guest lecturer</i>	2023
Stata Boot Camp, Barcelona School of Economics Masters in Economics, <i>main instructor</i>	2017–2020
Foundations of Probability, Universitat Pompeu Fabra Undergraduate (in Catalan), <i>TA to Mireia Besalú and Elisa Alòs</i>	2016–2018
Topics in Microeconometrics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra Advanced undergraduate (in Catalan), <i>TA to Jaume García</i>	2017
Long-term Persistence in Development, Universitat Pompeu Fabra PhD in Economics, <i>TA to Luigi Pascali</i>	2017
Survey Methods, Barcelona School of Economics Masters in Public Policy, <i>TA to Laura Crespo and Laura Hospido</i>	2016, 2017
Foundations of Statistics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra Undergraduate (in Catalan), <i>TA to Eulalia Nualart</i>	2014

Grants and awards

Handelsbankens forskningsstiftelser Travel grant; 30,000 SEK	2023
Stiftelse Siamon Travel grant; 12,000 SEK	2023
Universitat Pompeu Fabra Teaching assistant scholarship	2015–2019
Australian Treasury Honours year scholarship, 5000 AUD	2011

Conference and seminar presentations

2024	(4 talks + 2 conferences)
Research School of Economics, Australian National University; Crawford School of Public Policy, Australian National University; 8th Linked Employer-Employee Data Workshop (scheduled); European Association of Labour Economists (scheduled); IFAU (scheduled); University of Copenhagen (scheduled)	

2023 (3 talks + 4 conferences)

Research School of Economics, Australian National University; 12th ifo Dresden Workshop on Labor Economics and Social Policy; Jönköping International Business School; III Catalan Economic Society Conference; UCLS annual conference; European Association of Labour Economists; Stockholm School of Economics

2022 (1 talk + 4 conferences)

Swedish Institute for Social Research, Stockholm University; Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Université d'Orléans; CEMIR Junior Economist Workshop on Migration Research, ifo Institute; UCLS annual conference; 12th annual conference on Immigration in OECD countries, CEPI-OECD

2021 (1 talk + 4 conferences)

Department of Economics, Uppsala University; Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association; European Association of Labour Economists (online); Asian & Australasian Society of Labour Economics (online); Association of Swedish Development Economists

Research visists

Research School of Economics, ANU April 2023

Crawford School of Public Policy, ANU February 2024

Deparment of Economics, Monash University March 2024

Professional activities

Referee service

Labour Economics, Journal of Comparative Economics

Languages

Natural: English (native), French (native), German, Catalan, Spanish, Swedish, Italian

Artificial: R, Stata/Mata, Python, Matlab, Bash, L^AT_EX