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CURRENT POSITION

Research Fellow, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, Sweden, September 2009-Present

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Washington, July 2009

Dissertation Title: "Essays on the Economics of the Life Course"

M.A. in Economics, University of Washington, 2006

M.A. in Economics, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary, 2003

Thesis Title: "Is labor reallocation productivity improving? Micro-evidence from Lithuania"

B.A. in Economics, EuroFaculty Program, University of Vilnius, Lithuania 2001

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Applied Microeconomics, Labor Economics, Applied Econometrics, Development Economics

WORKING PAPERS

"Child support payments and noncompliance cost: Does It Matter whether Money comes from the Wallet or from the Purse?"

"Intelligence, Personality and Marital Outcomes"

"Even More Power to the Pill: Variation in the Availability of Oral Contraceptives and its effect on Men's Labor Market Outcomes"

"Modeling the Dynamic Effects of Work Experience on Intrahousehold Resource Allocation"

"Education Policy and Finance Project for Tennessee: Investments to Improve Student Performance", with Richard N. Brandon, T.J. Stutman, Human Services Policy Center, University of Washington (*Report*)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant for Professor Seik Kim, University of Washington, Summer 2008

Research Assistant for Professor Shelly Lundberg, University of Washington, Spring 2008, Summer 2006, Jun 2004 - Sep 2005

Research Assistant, Human Services Policy Center, University of Washington, Summer 2007

CSDE Fellow, under mentorship of Professor Shelly Lundberg, Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology, University of Washington, Sep 2005 – Jun 2007

Research Assistant for Professor Gardner Brown, University of Washington, Summer 2006

Research Assistant for Professor John S. Earle, CEU Labor Project, Budapest, Hungary, Fall 2001

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor, University of Washington:

- Introductory Microeconomics, Winter 2008, Winter 2009
- Introductory Macroeconomics, Fall 2008

Teaching Assistant, University of Washington:

- Introductory Microeconomics with Professor Eugene Silberberg, Winter 2004
- Introductory Macroeconomics with Senior Lecturer Haideh Salehi-Esfahani, Spring 2004

HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

2007	Grover and Creta Ensley Fellowship in Public Policy
2005-2007	CSDE-Shanahan Fellowship, University of Washington
2005	Graduate School Top Scholar Award, University of Washington
2005	Lithuanian Foundation supplementary grant, Lithuanian Foundation
2003	The James O. York Fellowship, University of Washington
2003	Global Supplementary Grant to provide support to study at the UW, Open Society Institute
2001-2003	Open Society Foundation scholarship, CEU, Soros Foundation

WORKSHOPS AND PRESENTATIONS

"Child support payments and noncompliance cost: Does It Matter whether Money comes from the Wallet or from the Purse?", poster presentation at IZA European Summer School in Labor Economics, Munich, Germany, May 2008

"General User Workshop on the National Longitudinal Surveys", Ohio State University, June 2005

Workshop on "Retirement, Savings and Marriage", Center for Research on Families, University of Washington, June 2004

SKILLS

Econometric and Programming Software: Stata, Matlab, aML, LaTeX, Eviews, SPSS
Extensive experience managing large datasets, including PSID, NLSY, CPS, and IPUMS
Languages: English, Russian, Lithuanian (native)

REFERENCES

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