

Curriculum Vitae

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Education:

2007 Ph.D. at the Norwegian School of Economics and Business Administration, Bergen
2001-03 Cand.oecon (equivalent to M.Sc. in Economics) from The Norwegian School of Economics and Business Administration, Bergen

Working experience:

2010- Uni Research Rokkan Centre. Senior Researcher, Research Leader 2012-2016.
2007-10 The University of Bergen, Department of Economics, Post Doc.
2003-07 The Norwegian School of Economics and Business, Department of Economics, Research scholar
1983-2001 Experience from financial management, (Hordaland county, Lindås municipality, SMP Marine Produkter AS, University of Bergen), financing and project evaluation (Den norske Industribank AS).

Articles in international peer-reviewed journals:

- Do Treatment Decisions Depend on Physicians' Financial Incentives?. With Kurt Brekke, Tor Helge Holmås and Odd Rune Straume. 2017. Forthcoming *Journal of Public Economics*.
- Socioeconomic status and Physicians' treatment decisions. With Kurt Brekke, Tor Helge Holmås and Odd Rune Straume. 2017. Forthcoming *Health Economics*.
- Family Matters? The Importance of Relatives for Frail Elders' Mortality and Hospital Readmission. With Tor Helge Holmås and Darina Steskal. *Journal of Population Ageing*, 2017, 1-18.
- Protocol for the Effect Evaluation of Independent Medical Evaluation after Six Months Sick Leave: a Randomized Controlled Trial of Independent Medical Evaluation versus Treatment as Usual in Norway. With Elisabeth Husabø, Tor Helge Holmås, Irene Øyeflaten, Erik L. Werner, and Silje Mæland. *BMC Public Health*, 2017, 17(1): 573.
- GP consultations for common mental disorders and subsequent sickness certification: register-based study of the employed population in Norway. With Sturla Gjesdal, Tor Helge Holmås, and Øystein Hetlevik. *Family Practice*, 2016, 33(6), 656-662.doi: 10.1093/fampra/cmw072.
- Worried Sick? Worker Responses to a Financial Shock. With Espen Bratberg. *Labour Economics*, 2015, 33: 111-120.
- Protocol for the effect evaluation of Individual Placement and Support (IPS): a randomized controlled multicenter trial of IPS versus treatment as usual for patients with moderate to severe mental illness in Norway. With V. Sveinsdottir, C. Løvvik, T. Fyhn, K. Ludvigsen, S. Øverland, S. Endresen Reme. *BMC psychiatry*, 2014, 14.1: 307.
- Waiting time and socio-economic status - an individual-level analysis. With Lars Birger Engesæter and Birgitte Espehaug. *Health Economics*, 2013, DOI: 10.1002/hec.2924.
- Inequity in the use of physician services in Norway before and after introducing patient lists in primary care. With Astrid Grasdal. *International Journal of Equity in Health*, 2011, 10:25.
- Education and Fertility: Evidence from a Natural Experiment. With Carol Propper and Kjell G. Salvanes. *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, 2008, 110.4: 827-852.

Other publications:

- Kommunale pleie- og omsorgstjenester – en studie av eldre med og uten nære pårørende. With Tor Helge Holmås and Egil Kjerstad. *Samfunnsøkonomen* 2016, no.6, pp.33-45.
- Mortalitet og reinnlegging – sammenhengen med pårønderessursar blant eldre pasientar. With Tor Helge Holmås and Darina Steskal. *Tidsskrift for omsorgsforskning* 2016(2), pp. 159-168.
- Evaluering av kommunal medfinansiering. With Jan Erik Askildsen, Tor Helge Holmås, and Oddvar Kaarbøe. [Evaluation of health care reform: the introduction of municipal copayment] *Tidsskrift for omsorgsforskning* 2016(2), pp. 135-141.
- Innsatsstyrt finansiering og sjukefråvær på norske sjukehus. *Tidsskrift for velferdsforskning* 2015(18), pp.198-211.
- Sosial ulikhet i fordelingen av helsetjenester – målemetoder og empiriske funn. With Astrid Grasdal. Chapter 13 in Haug, Kaarbøe og Olsen (eds.): *Et helsevesen uten grenser?* Cappelen Akademisk Forlag, 2009.
- Låg fertilitet blant dei høgt utdanna: Teoretiske forklaringar og internasjonal empiri. [Low Fertility among highly Educated: Theoretical Explanations and International Empirics], *Samfunnsøkonomen* 2008, 62(3), pp. 36-46.

Reports:

- Effektevaluering av Individuell jobbstøtte (IPS): Sluttrapport. With Silje Reme (PI), Tonje Fyhn, Simon Øverland, Kari Ludvigsen, Vigdis Sveinsdottir, Camilla Løvrvik, Stein Atle Lid. <https://bora.uib.no/handle/1956/15564>. . Uni Research, December 2016.
- “Effektevaluering av ny medisinsk vurdering (NMV) etter seks måneders sykmelding: underveisrapport». With Silje Mæland (PI), Tor Helge Holmås, Irene Øyeflaten, Elisabeth Husabø, Aase Aamland, <http://hdl.handle.net/1956/12809>. Report, Uni Research, August 2016.

Awards:

European Association of Labour Economists, Best Poster Award, Bonn 2012 for the poster “Worried Sick? Worker Response to Organizational Turmoil”

Referee:

Journal of Population Economics, Health Economics, Journal of the Royal Statistical Society, Economics Letters, Journal of Development Studies

Working papers and work in progress:

- “Competition and physician behaviour: Does the competitive environment affect the propensity to issue sickness certificates?” With Kurt Brekke, Tor Helge Holmås, and Odd Rune Straume. Working Paper 1/2017, Uni Research Rokkan Centre.
- “A randomized controlled multicenter trial of individual placement and support for patients with moderate to severe mental illness”. With Silje Endresen Reme, Tonje Fyhn, Vigdis Sveinsdottir, Camilla Løvrvik, Stein Atle Lie, and Simon Øverland. 2017. Submitted *British Journal of Psychiatry*.
- “Evaluering av kommunal medfinansiering”. With Jan Erik Askildsen, Tor Helge Holmås, and Oddvar Kaarbøe. Working paper 6/2015, Uni Research Rokkan Centre.
- “Evaluating the Effect of a National Labour and Welfare Administration Reform (Nav-reform) on Employment, Social Insurance and Social Assistance”. With Arild Aakvik and Tor Helge Holmås. Working paper 4/2014, Uni Research Rokkan Centre.
- "Is teenage motherhood contagious? Evidence from a Natural Experiment". CEPR DP 8505/2011. With Carol Propper and Kjell G. Salvanes.

Ongoing projects:

- Evaluation of Independent Medical Evaluation after six months' sick leave, a Randomized Controlled Trial. With Silje Mæland (Principal investigator (PI)) and others. Financed by The Norwegian Labour and Welfare Administration (NAV).
- Aging, Health and Labour market participation. With Arild Aakvik (PI), Tor Helge Holmås, Maarten Lindeboom and Egil Kjerstad. Norwegian Research Council, grant given May 2014.
- Sickness Absence and Working Life Conditions. PI, Norwegian Research Council grant given June 2014. With Espen Bratberg, Tor Helge Holmås and Maarten Lindeboom.
- Sickness absence: Using random assignment of GPs in emergency centers as a natural experiment. With Tor Helge Holmås (PI) and others, Norwegian Research Council grant given June 2014.