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POSITIONS	Economist, European Central Bank, 1/2009 - 6/2009, 2/2010 - present Economist, OECD, 7/2009 - 1/2010 Economist, Sveriges Riksbank, 9/2006 - present ( <i>on leave</i> ) Economist, European Central Bank, 3/2006 - 8/2006
ACADEMIC EDUCATION	<b>Uppsala University</b> , Uppsala, Sweden Ph.D., Economics, 2005 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Thesis: Quantitative New Keynesian Macroeconomics and Monetary Policy</li></ul> Filosofi licentiatexamen (~ M.Phil.), Economics, 2004 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Thesis: Assessing Predetermined Expectations in the Standard Sticky Price Model: A Bayesian Approach</li></ul> <b>Universitat Pompeu Fabra</b> , Barcelona, Spain Visiting Ph.D.-student, 1/2003 - 3/2003 <b>University of Glasgow</b> , Glasgow, United Kingdom M.Sc., Economics, 2000 ( <i>Distinction</i> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Thesis: On the Stability of European Money Demand</li></ul> <b>Stockholm University</b> , Stockholm, Sweden ERASMUS/SOKRATES student, 8/1997 - 8/1998 <b>University of Kiel</b> , Kiel, Germany Vordiplom (~intermediate examination), Economics, 1997 Studies in economics and business administration, 1996 - 1999 Zwischenprüfung (~intermediate examination) Mathematics, Kiel, 1995 Studies in mathematics and philosophy for teaching profession, 1993 - 1996

OTHER EDUCATION Secondary school, technical branch  
 Abitur (~a-level), 1990 - 1993

Provinzial Versicherung (Insurance company)  
 Vocational training, Insurance salesman, 1987 - 1990

EXPERIENCE

**European Central Bank**, Frankfurt, Germany

<i>Economist, DG-Economics, Monetary Policy Stance</i>	<b>2/2010 - present</b>
<i>Economist, DG-Economics, Monetary Policy Strategy</i>	<b>1/2009 - 6/2009</b>
<i>Economist, DG-Research, Monetary Policy Research</i>	<b>3/2006 - 8/2006</b>
<i>Intern, DG-Economics, Monetary Policy Stance</i>	<b>9/2005 - 12/2005</b>
<i>Graduate Research Programme, DG-Research</i>	<b>2/2004 - 6/2004</b>

**OECD**, Paris, France

<i>Economist, Economics Department, Sweden/Denmark Country Desk</i>	<b>7/2009 - 1/2010</b>
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**Sveriges Riksbank**, Stockholm, Sweden

<i>Economist, Monetary Policy Department, Modelling Division</i>	<b>9/2006 - 12/2008</b>
<i>Intern, Monetary Policy Department</i>	<b>6/2002 - 8/2002</b>

**Uppsala University**, Uppsala, Sweden

<i>Lecturer, Department of Economics</i>	<b>1/2006 - 2/2006</b>
<i>Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics</i>	<b>9/2004 - 11/2004</b>

**Ifo Institute**, Munich, Germany

<i>Intern</i>	<b>6/2003 - 8/2003</b>
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**Stockholm University**, Stockholm, Sweden

<i>Teaching assistant</i>	<b>4/1998 - 4/1998</b>
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**University of Kiel**, Kiel, Germany

<i>Research Assistant, Department of Economics (Prof. Willms)</i>	<b>6/1996 - 6/1999</b>
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**Provinzial Versicherung**, Kiel, Germany

<i>Working student, part-time</i>	<b>6/1995 - 5/2000</b>
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## PUBLICATIONS

- Robust Inflation-Targeting Rules and the Gains from International Policy Coordination, Department of Economics Discussion Paper 0208, University of Surrey (with Paul Levine and Joseph Pearlman), 2008.
- Assessing Predetermined Expectations in the Standard Sticky-Price Model: A Bayesian Approach, European Central Bank Working Paper No 621, 2006.
- Can A Time-Varying Equilibrium Real Interest Rate Explain the Excess-Sensitivity Puzzle?, Uppsala University Working Paper 2006:20 (with Annika Alexius), 2006.
- Quantitative New Keynesian Macroeconomics and Monetary Policy, Economic Studies 88, Uppsala University (Ph.D. thesis), 2005.
- Interest Rate Smoothing versus Serially Correlated Errors in Taylor Rules: Testing the Tests, Uppsala University Working Paper 2005:14 (with Pär sterholm), (revise and resubmit "Topics in Macroeconomics", BE Press), 2005.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Annual Congress of the Verein für Socialpolitik (German Economic Association), 2004, 2005, 2006.
- Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, 2005, 2006.
- 10th Conference "Theories and Methods in Macroeconomics" (T2M), Toulouse, 2006.
- IXth Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Warsaw, Poland, 2004.

## SERVICE

### *Sveriges Riksbank's representative*

- DSGE-net committee

### *Referee*

- Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control
- Xth Spring Meeting of Young Economists

### *Student representative*

- Student/staff board, Uppsala University.
- Student/staff board, University of Glasgow.

## AWARDS

C. Borgström and C. Berch Foundation, Uppsala University, 2002 - 2004.

Glasgow University Faculty Scholarship Award, 1999 - 2000.

## LANGUAGES

German (native), English (fluent=level C1), Swedish (very good=level B2), French (basic=level A2), Spanish (basic=level A2)

## COMPUTER EXPERTISE

MATLAB, RATS, EViews, Scientific Workplace, LaTeX, MS Office (all very good), Gauss (basic)

## MEMBERSHIPS

Euro Area Business Cycle Network, Verein für Socialpolitik (German Economic Association), Nationalekonomiska föreningen (Swedish Economic Association)