

# **Christian Bjørnskov**

## **Curriculum Vita** (as of 24 November, 2018)

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### **Personal information and education**

Born August 27, 1970, in Haderslev, Denmark  
High school, Haderslev Katedralskole, 1986-1989  
MSc (Economics), Aarhus University, 2001  
“Aspects of Microcredit”, thesis advisor: Martin Paldam  
PhD (Economics), Aarhus School of Business, 2005  
“Investigations in the Economics of Social Capital”, thesis advisors: Gert Tinggaard Svendsen and Martin Paldam

### **Primary research areas**

Social Trust and Informal Institutions  
Public Choice / Political Economy  
Subjective Well-Being and Life Satisfaction  
Trade Theory / International Economics

### **Job experience (academic)**

Researcher, Agricultural Policy Research Division, the Danish Research Institute of Food Economics, 2001-2002  
Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Aarhus School of Business, 2005-2007  
Associate Professor, Department of Economics and Business, Aarhus University, 2007-2013  
Professor, Department of Economics, Aarhus University, 2013-present  
External lecturer, School of Economics and Management, Aarhus University, 2006  
External lecturer, Department of Political Science, Aarhus University, 2006-2010  
External consultant, Copenhagen Consensus, 2009  
Visiting Professor, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen, April-August 2010  
Visiting Professor, University of Heidelberg, 2016-2019

Affiliated researcher, Research Institute of Industrial Economics (IFN), Stockholm, January 2015-present

## Teaching experience (academic)

Courses: International Economics, Development Economics, Political Economy / Public Choice, General Economics, Institutional Economics

Current PhD students: Ruby Elorm Agbenyega (October 2015-), Andrea Páramo Florencio (September 2016-), Andrea Sàenz de Viteri (at Universidad de Navarra, September 2016-)

Previous: Philipp Meinen (April 2010 - July 2013), Sylvanus Afesorgbor (August 2012 – November 2015), Viktoria Obolevich (second advisor, August 2014-December 2017), Yohannes Ayele (February 2015-June 2018)

## Languages

Fluent in Danish (native) and English; good knowledge of German, Swedish and Norwegian; some knowledge of French

## Publications

### Journals with peer review

1. Regulation and Government Debt. Forthcoming in *Public Choice*. (With Niclas Berggren, WP-version available)
2. Crisis, Ideology, and Interventionist Policy Ratchets. Forthcoming in *Political Studies*. (With Martin Rode, WP-version available)
3. The Context of Entrepreneurial Judgment: Organizations, Markets, and Institutions. Forthcoming in *Journal of Management Studies*. (With Nicolai Foss and Peter Klein)
4. Trust us to Repay: Social Trust, Long-Term Interest Rates and Sovereign Credit Ratings. Forthcoming in *Journal of Money, Credit and Banking*. (With Andreas Bergh, WP-version available)
5. *International Journal of Constitutional Law*. (With Stefan Voigt)
6. Do Social Rights Affect Social Outcomes? Forthcoming in *American Journal of Political Science*. (With Jacob Mchangama, WP-version available)
7. Why Do Governments Call a State of Emergency? On the Determinants of Using Emergency Constitutions. *European Journal of Political Economy*, vol. 54 (2018), 110-123. (With Stefan Voigt)
8. The Hayek-Friedman Hypothesis on the Press: Is there an Association between Economic Freedom and Press Freedom? *Journal of Institutional Economics*, vol. 14 (2018), 617-638.
9. Do Equal Rights for a Minority Affect General Life Satisfaction? *Journal of Happiness Studies*, vol. 19 (2018), 1465-1483. (With Niclas Berggren and Therese Nilsson)
10. The Architecture of Emergency Constitutions. *International Journal of Constitutional Law*, vol. 16 (2018), 101–127.
11. Do Liberalizing Reforms Harm the Environment? Evidence from the Post-Communist Transition. *Economics Affairs*, vol. 38 (2018), 22-37.
12. Dealing with Disaster: Analyzing the Emergency Constitutions of the U.S. states. *Arizona State Law Journal*, Vol. 49 (2017), 883-906. (With Stefan Voigt)

13. Economic Freedom and Veto Players Jointly Affect Entrepreneurship. *Journal of Entrepreneurship and Public Policy*, vol. 6 (2017), 340-358. (With Jacob Lihn)
14. Trust and Delegation: Theory and Evidence. *Journal of Comparative Economics*, vol. 45 (2017), 644-657. (With Nurullah Gur, *available at SSRN*)
15. The Market-Promoting and Market-Preserving Role of Social Trust in Reforms of Policies and Institutions. *Southern Economic Journal*, vol. 84 (2017), 3-25. (With Niclas Berggren, WP-version available)
16. What Aspects of Society Affect the Quality of Life of a Minority? Global Evidence from the New Gay Happiness Index. *Social Indicators Research*, vol. 132 (2017), 1163-1192. (With Niclas Berggren and Therese Nilsson, WP-version available)
17. Growth, Inequality and Economic Freedom: Evidence from the US States. *Contemporary Economic Policy*, vol. 35 (2017), 518-531.
18. Economic Freedom and Economic Crises. *European Journal of Political Economy*, vol. 45 (2016), S11-S23. (WP-version available)
19. Institutions, Entrepreneurship, and Economic Growth: What Do We Know? And What Do We Still Need to Know? *Academy of Management Perspectives*, vol. 30 (2016), 292-315. (With Nicolai J. Foss, WP-version available)
20. An Offer You Can't Refuse: Murdering Journalists as an Enforcement Mechanism of Corrupt Deals. *Public Choice*, vol. 167 (2016), 221-243. (With Andreas Freytag, *available at SSRN*)
21. Economic Shocks and Subjective Well-Being: Evidence from a Quasi-Experiment. *World Bank Economic Review*, vol. 30 (2016), 55-77. (With Jacob Gerner Hariri and Mogens Kamp Justesen, WP-version available)
22. Social Trust Fosters an Ability to Help Those in Need: Jewish Refugees in the Nazi Era. *Political Studies*, vol. 63 (2015), 951-974. (WP-version available)
23. How do Institutions Affect Happiness and Misery? A Tale of Two Tails. *Comparative Sociology*, vol. 14 (2015), 353-385. (With Ming-Chang Tsai)
24. Constitutional Property Rights Protection and Economic Growth: Evidence from the Post-Communist Transition. *Constitutional Political Economy*, vol. 26 (2015), 247-280. (WP-version available)
25. The Productivity of Trust. *World Development*, 70 (2015), 317-331. (With Pierre-Guillaume Méon, WP-version available)
26. Legitimacy and the Cost of Government. *Public Choice*, vol. 162 (2015), 307-328. (With Niclas Berggren and David Lipka, WP-version available)
27. What Matters for Growth in Europe: Institutions versus Policies, Quality versus Stability. *Journal of Economic Policy Reform*, vol. 18 (2015), 69-88. (With Niclas Berggren and Andreas Bergh, WP-version available)
28. Does Economic Freedom Really Kill? On the Association between 'Neoliberal Policies' and Homicide Rates. *European Journal of Political Economy*, vol. 37 (2015), 207-219. (WP-version available)
29. Constitutional Verbosity and Social Trust. *Public Choice*, vol. 161 (2014), 91-112. (With Stefan Voigt, WP-version available)
30. Trust, Welfare States and Inequality: Sorting out the Causality. *European Journal of Political Economy*, vol. 25 (2014), 183-199. (With Andreas Bergh, WP-version available)
31. Economic Growth and Institutional Reform in Modern Monarchies and Republics: A Historical Cross-Country Perspective 1820-2000. *Journal of Theoretical and Institutional Economics*, vol. 170 (2014), 453-481. (With Peter Kurrild-Klitgaard, WP-version available)
32. Exploiting the Poor: Bureaucratic Corruption and Poverty in Africa. *World Development*, vol. 58 (2014), 106-115. (With Mogens Kamp Justesen, WP-version available)

33. Do Economic Reforms Alleviate Subjective Well-Being Losses of Economic Crises? *Journal of Happiness Studies*, vol. 15 (2014), 163-182.
34. Public Choice, Political Economy and Development: An Introduction to the Life, Times and Themes of Martin Paldam. *Public Choice*, vol. 157 (2013), 357-365. (With Toke Aidt, Peter Kurrild-Klitgaard and Gert T. Svendsen)
35. Is Trust the Missing Root of Institutions, Education, and Development? *Public Choice*, vol. 157 (2013), 641-669. (With Pierre-Guillaume Méon, WP-version available)
36. Is Social Capital a Good Concept? *Social Indicators Research*, vol. 114 (2013), 1225-1242. (With Kim Sønderskov, WP-version available)
37. Are Debt Repayment Incentives Undermined by Foreign Aid? *Journal of Comparative Economics*, vol. 41 (2013), 1073-1091. (With Philipp Schröder, WP-version available)
38. Does Social Trust Determine the Size of the Welfare State? Evidence Using Historical Identification. *Public Choice*, vol. 157 (2013), 269-286. (With Gert T. Svendsen)
39. The Size and Scope of Government in the US States. Does Political Ideology Matter? *International Tax and Public Finance*, vol. 20 (2013), 687-714. (With Niklas Potrafke, WP-version available)
40. Inequality and Happiness: When Perceived Social Mobility and Economic Reality Do Not Match. *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*, vol. 91 (2013), 75-92, (With Axel Dreher, Justina Fischer, Kai Gehring and Jan Schnellenbach, WP-version available)
41. Does Religiosity Promote Property Rights and the Rule of Law? *Journal of Institutional Economics*, vol. 9 (2013), 161-185. (With Niclas Berggren, WP-version available)
42. How Strategic Entrepreneurship and the Institutional Context Drive Economic Growth. *Strategic Entrepreneurship Journal*, vol. 7 (2013), 50-69. (With Nicolai J. Foss)
43. Can Bribes Buy Protection Against International Competition? *Review of World Economics*, vol. 148 (2012), 751-775. (WP-version available at SSRN)
44. On the Determinants of Honesty Perceptions in the United States. *Rationality and Society*, vol. 24 (2012), 257-294.
45. The Growth Effects of Institutional Instability. *Journal of Institutional Economics*, vol. 8 (2012), 187-224. (With Niclas Berggren and Andreas Bergh, WP version available)
46. How Does Social Trust Affect Economic Growth? *Southern Economic Journal*, vol. 78 (2012), 1346-1368. (WP-version available)
47. Political Ideology and Economic Freedom across Canadian Provinces. *Eastern Economic Journal*, vol. 38 (2012), 143-166. (With Niklas Potrafke, WP-version available)
48. The Spirit of Capitalism and Socialism: A Cross-Country Study of Ideology. *Public Choice*, vol. 150 (2012), 469-498. (With Martin Paldam, WP-version available)
49. Is the Importance of Religion in Daily Life Related to Social Trust? Cross-Country and Cross-State Comparisons. *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*, vol. 80 (2011), 459-480. (With Niclas Berggren, WP-version available)
50. Social Trust and Human Development. *Journal of Socio-Economics*, vol. 40 (2011), 753-762. (With Burcu Özcan)
51. Combating Corruption: On the Interplay between Institutional Quality and Social Trust. *Journal of Law and Economics*, vol. 54 (2011), 135-159. (WP-version available at SSRN)
52. Social Diversity, Institutions, and Trust: A Cross-National Analysis. *Social Indicators Research*, vol. 101 (2011), 305-322. (With Ming-Chang Tsai and Leslie Laczko)
53. Growth, Debt Burdens and Alleviating Effects of Foreign Aid in Least Developed Countries. *European Journal of Political Economy*, vol. 27 (2011), 143-153. (With Christina Bjerg and Anne Holm, WP-version available)
54. Politics and Privatization in Central and Eastern Europe: A Panel Data Analysis. *Economics of Transition*, vol. 19 (2011), 201-230. (With Niklas Potrafke, WP-version available at SSRN)

55. A Different Rationale for Redistribution: A Comment. *Journal of Happiness Studies*, vol. 12 (2011), 343-347.
56. Historical Trust Levels Predict the Current Size of the Welfare State. *Kyklos*, vol. 64 (2011), 1-19. (With Andreas Bergh, WP-version available)
57. Formal Institutions and Subjective Wellbeing: Revisiting the Cross-Country Evidence. *European Journal of Political Economy*, vol. 26 (2010), 419-430. (With Axel Dreher and Justina Fischer, WP-version available)
58. How does Social Trust lead to Better Governance? An Attempt to Separate Electoral and Bureaucratic Mechanisms. *Public Choice*, vol. 144 (2010), 323-346.
59. Do Elites Benefit from Democracy and Foreign Aid in Developing Countries? *Journal of Development Economics*, vol. 92 (2010), 115-124.
60. How Comparable are the Gallup World Poll Life Satisfaction Data? *Journal of Happiness Studies*, vol. 11 (2010), 41-60.
61. Social Trust and the Growth of Schooling. *Economics of Education Review*, vol. 28 (2009), 249-257. (WP-version available)
62. Social Capital and Happiness in the United States. *Applied Research in Quality of Life*, vol. 3 (2008), 43-62.
63. The Growth-Inequality Association: Government Ideology Matters. *Journal of Development Economics*, vol. 87 (2008), 300-308.
64. Social Trust and Fractionalization: A Possible Reinterpretation. *European Sociological Review*, vol. 24 (2008), 271-283.
65. Analyzing Trends in Subjective Well-Being in 15 European Countries, 1973-2002. *Journal of Happiness Studies*, vol. 9 (2008), 317-330. (With Nabanita Datta Gupta and Peder Pedersen, WP-version available)
66. On Decentralization and Life Satisfaction. *Economics Letters*, vol. 99 (2008), 147-151. (With Axel Dreher and Justina Fischer)
67. Healthy and Happy in Europe? On the Association between Happiness and Life Expectancy over Time. *Social Science & Medicine*, vol. 66 (2008), 1750-1759.
68. Economic Freedom and Entrepreneurial Activity: Some Cross-Country Evidence. *Public Choice*, vol. 134 (2008), 307-328. (with Nicolai J. Foss, WP-version available). Also published as chapter 16 in Nicolai J. Foss (ed.), *Knowledge, Economic Organization, and Property Rights*. London: Edward Elgar (2009); and chapter 10 in Andreas Freytag and Roy Thurik (eds.), *Entrepreneurship and Culture*. Dordrecht: Springer (2009).
69. Cross-Country Determinants of Life Satisfaction: Exploring Different Determinants across Groups in Society. *Social Choice and Welfare*, vol. 30 (2008), 119-173. (With Axel Dreher and Justina Fischer, WP-version available)
70. How to Construct a Robust Measure of Social Capital: Two Contributions. *Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis*, vol. 9 (2007), 275-292. (With Gert T. Svendsen) *Awarded best paper in the JCPA 2007*.
71. The Bigger the Better? Evidence of the Effect of Government Size on Life Satisfaction around the World. *Public Choice*, vol. 130 (2007), 267-292. (With Axel Dreher and Justina Fischer, WP-version available)
72. Determinants of Generalized Trust. A Cross-Country Comparison. *Public Choice*, vol. 130 (2007), 1-21.
73. The Multiple Facets of Social Capital. *European Journal of Political Economy*, vol. 22 (2006), 22-40.
74. Underlying Policies in the WTO, the Harbinson Proposal and the Modalities Agreement. *Revue Economique*, vol. 56 (2005), 1385-1412. (With Kim Martin Lind)
75. Does Political Ideology Affect Economic Growth? *Public Choice*, vol. 123 (2005), 133-146.

76. Hvem kan U-landene samarbejde med i den nye WTO-runde? *Nationaløkonomisk Tidsskrift*, vol. 141 (2003), 112-129. (With Kim Martin Lind)
77. The Happy Few. Cross-Country Evidence on Social Capital and Life Satisfaction. *Kyklos*, vol. 56 (2003), 3-16.
78. Where Do Developing Countries Go After Doha? An analysis of WTO positions and potential alliances. *Journal of World Trade*, vol. 36 (2002), 543-562. (With Kim Martin Lind, WP-version available)
79. Counting In Social Capital When Easing Agricultural Credit Constraints. *Journal of Microfinance*, vol. 4 (2002), 17-36. (With Jarka Chloupková)

### Contributions to books, reports, proceedings and journals without peer-review

1. The Political Economy of Trust. Chapter 32 in Roger Congleton, Bernard Grofman and Stefan Voigt (Eds.), *Oxford Handbook of Public Choice*. Oxford: Oxford University Press (2019), 628-648.
2. Social Trust and Economic Growth. Chapter 22 in Eric M. Uslaner (Ed.), *Oxford Handbook of Social and Political Trust*. Oxford: Oxford University Press (2018), 535-555.
3. William Easterly's Challenge to the Development Community. Chapter 4 in William Easterly (Ed.), *The Economics of International Development: Foreign Aid versus Freedom for the World's Poor*. London: Institute of Economic Affairs (2016), 55-72.
4. Tillid og Velfærdsstaten. *Tidsskrift for Professionsstudier*, vol. 22 (2016), 22-28.
5. How Institutions of Liberty Promote Entrepreneurship and Growth. Chapter 6 in James Gwartney, Robert Lawson and Joshua Hall (eds.), *Economic Freedom of the World: Annual Report 2012*. Vancouver: the Fraser Institute, 247-270. (With Nicolai J. Foss)
6. Giver Aktivistisk Forskningspolitik Mening? Chapter 15 in David Budtz Pedersen and Jan Faye (eds.), *Hvordan Styres Videnssamfundet? Demokrati, Ledelse og Organisering*. Copenhagen: Nyt fra Samfundsvidenskaberne (2012), 359-372.
7. Wellbeing and the Size of Government. Chapter 6 in Philip Booth (ed.), *... and the Pursuit of Happiness*. London: Institute for Economic Affairs (2012), 162-180.
8. På Sporet af den Skandinaviske Tillid. Chapter 8 in Paul Hegedahl and Gunnar L.H. Svendsen (eds.), *Tillid – Samfundets Fundament*. Odense: Syddansk Universitetsforlag (2011), 127-140. (With Gert T. Svendsen and Gunnar L.H. Svendsen)
9. Tillid og Økonomisk Vækst. Chapter 6 in Paul Hegedahl and Gunnar L.H. Svendsen (eds.), *Tillid – Samfundets Fundament*. Odense: Syddansk Universitetsforlag (2011), 99-110.
10. Showdown om Vestlige Værdier i Paris. In Mikael Jalving and Nikolaj Gammeltoft (eds.), *89'erne - Politiske visioner fra en borgerlig revolution*. Copenhagen: Cepos (2010), 76-78.
11. Richard Wilkinson and Kate Pickett: *The Spirit Level: Why Greater Equality Makes Societies Stronger*. *Population and Development Review*, vol. 36 (2010), 395-397. (Book review)
12. Ottar Hellevik (2008): *Jakten på den Norske Lykken*. *Norsk Statsvitenskapelig Tidsskrift*, vol. 25 (2009), 289-292. (Book review)
13. Economic Growth. In Gert T. Svendsen and Gunnar L.H. Svendsen (eds.), *Handbook of Social Capital*. London: Edward Elgar (2009), ch. 20. (also available at SSRN)
14. The Relation between Inequality and Happiness – do Subjective Perceptions Matter? Pp. 471-477 in *Values and Economy. Proceedings of the 32<sup>nd</sup> LAREP Conference*. Ljubljana: Filozofska Fakulteta (2007). (With Axel Dreher and Justina Fischer)
15. Udviklingsbistand og Institutionel Kvalitet. *Økonomi & Politik*, vol. 80 (2007), 32-44.
16. *Basics of International Economics*. Copenhagen: Ventus. E-book available at [www.ventus.dk](http://www.ventus.dk).
17. Potential Coalitions and Convergence in the Doha Round. In Eugenio Diaz-Bonilla, Søren E. Frandsen and Sherman Robinson (eds.), *WTO Negotiations and International Trade Liberalization:*

- What's at Stake for Developing Countries?* Wallingford: CABI Publishing (2006), 142-161. (With Kim Martin Lind)
18. Corruption Trends. In Johan Lambsdorff, Markus Taube and Matthias Schramm, (eds.), *The New Institutional Economics of Corruption*. London: Routledge (2004), 59-75. (With Martin Paldam)
  19. EU's handelsinitiativer overfor udviklingslandene: Cotonou-aftalen og 'Everything but Arms' initiativet. In *Landbrugets Økonomi - Efteråret 2001 (Danish Agricultural Economy - autumn 2001)*, the Danish Research Institute of Food Economics (2001), ch. 2.

### Working papers and notes (not published in journals)

- Coups, Regime Transition, and the Dynamics of Press Freedom. IFN Working Paper no 1226; ILE Working Paper no. 15, 2018; CESifo Working Paper no. 7198. (With Andreas Freytag and Jerg Gutmann) – under review
- How Persistent is Life Satisfaction? Evidence from European Immigration. IFN Working Paper no 1206. (With Niclas Berggren, Andreas Bergh and Shiori Tanaka) – under review
- Do Voters Dislike Liberalizing Reforms? New Evidence Using Data on Satisfaction with Democracy. IFN Working Paper no 1197. (With Niclas Berggren) – under review
- Why do Military Dictatorships Become Presidential Democracies? IFN Working Paper no 1194. – under review
- Burying the Bumblebee Once and for All: Does Big Government Hurt Growth Less in High-Trust Countries? IFN working paper 1119. (With Andreas Bergh) – under review
- Did Africa's First Choices Matter? Persistent Growth Effects of Leaders at Independence. IFN working paper 1090. (With Christina Mangaard Jørgensen) – under review
- Trust and Identity in a Small, Post-Socialist, Post-Crisis Society. World Bank Policy Research Working Paper 6828. (With Zeljko Bogetic, Arye Hillman and Milenko Popovic) – under review (second round)
- Types of Foreign Aid. Department of Economics and Business, Working Paper 2013-08, Aarhus University. (*available at SSRN*) – under review
- On Gender Gaps in Life Satisfaction: Does Discrimination Matter? EFI Working Paper 657, Stockholm School of Economics. (With Axel Dreher and Justina Fischer)
- Økonomisk Frihed og Iværksætteraktivitet – en Lande-Undersøgelse. Discussion Note, 22 January 2007, Center for Political Studies, Copenhagen. (With Nicolai J. Foss)
- The Determinants of Trust. Ratio Institute Working Paper 06-86. Contribution to the project *Markets, Morality, Trust and Growth* at the Ratio Institute, Stockholm.
- Cross-Country Determinants of Life Satisfaction. Exploring Different Determinants across Groups in Society. University of St. Gallen Working Paper 2005-19. (With Axel Dreher and Justina Fischer)
- Life Satisfaction: Is there a Role for Policy? Discussion note, 29 September 2005, the Danish Center for Political Studies, Copenhagen; Policy Paper no. VI, European Enterprise Institute, Brussels.
- Political Ideology and Economic Freedom. Department of Economics, Working Paper 05-8, Aarhus School of Business.
- Legal Quality, Inequality and Tolerance. Department of Economics, Working Paper 04-09, Aarhus School of Business.
- Inequality, Tolerance and Growth. Department of Economics, Working Paper 04-08, Aarhus School of Business.

- Corruption and Social Capital. Department of Economics, Working Paper 03-13, Aarhus School of Business.
- Measuring Social Capital. Is There a Single Explanation? Department of Economics, Working Paper 03-05, Aarhus School of Business. (With Gert Tinggaard Svendsen)
- Why Does the Northern Light Shine So Brightly? Decentralisation, Social Capital and the Economy. Working Paper 02-15, Aarhus School of Business. (With Gert Tinggaard Svendsen)
- Reaping the Gains from Trade: Constraints and Opportunities of Agricultural Credit Markets. Unit of Economics Working Paper 13/2001, the Royal Veterinary and Agricultural University. (With Jarka Chloupková)
- From Lomé to Cotonou. The New EU-ACP Agreement. FOI Working Paper 14/2001, the Danish Research Institute of Food Economics. (With Ekaterina Krivonos)

### Conference papers and unpublished papers (available on request)

- *Investigations in the Economics of Social Capital*. Unpublished PhD thesis, 2005.
- Globalization and Economic Freedom. Presented at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Danish International Economics Workshop, Aarhus, May 2006, at the Copenhagen Business School, June, 2006, and at the University of Copenhagen, 10 November, 2006.
- Lobbying for Anti-Dumping Measures: Evidence from the European Union. Presented at the joint ASB-IWE conference, Kiel, 18-19 December, 2008, the Danish Economics Association, 8-9 January, 2010, and the PEIO conference, Georgetown, 28-30 January, 2010 (With Philipp Meinen, Jørgen Ulff-Møller Nielsen and Philipp Schröder)
- Ideological Interpretations of Easterlin's Income-Happiness Paradox: A Warning. Presented at IAREP/SABE, Paris, July, 2006.
- On Globalization and Human Rights: The Importance of Types of Globalization. Presented at the conference Beyond Basic Questions, Göttingen, 10-11 October-11, 2008.
- Foreign Aid and the Real Price of Investments. Presented at the annual meeting of the Public Choice Society, Las Vegas, 5-8 March, 2009, and the University of Bath, 4 November, 2009. (*available at SSRN*)
- Political Ideology and the Structure of National Accounts in the Nordic Countries, 1950-2004. Presented at the annual Meeting of the European Public Choice Society, Jena, 27-30 March, 2008.
- On the Income Elasticity of National CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions.
- Historical Correlates of Social Trust. Presented at the annual conference of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, 12-15 April, 2012; and George Mason University, 7 March, 2018. (*available at SSRN*) – under review
- Democratic Transitions and Institutional Change: What's Behind the Association? Presented at the annual meetings of the European Public Choice Society, Cambridge, 3-6 April, 2014. (With Martin Rode, *available at SSRN*)
- When does Government Ideology Matter? Evidence from Subjective Well-Being in Europe. Presented at the annual meeting of the European Public Choice Society, Groningen, 7-10 April, 2015. – under review
- Stolper-Samuelson With Democratization. Presented at the 10<sup>th</sup> Danish International Economics workshop, Aarhus, 12-13 June, 2014 and the WINIR conference, Greenwich, 11-4 September, 2014. (With Martin Rode) – under review



- The Determinants of Emergency Constitutions. Presented at the annual meetings of the Public Choice Society, San Antonio, 12-15 March, 2015 and the European Association of Law and Economics, Vienna, 17-19 September, 2015. (With Stefan Voigt, *available at SSRN*) – under review
- Profiting from Natural Disaster? Inquiring into the Effectiveness of Emergency Constitutions. Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Southern Economic Association, Washington DC, November 19-21. (With Stefan Voigt)
- Who Likes Whom in Europe?
- The Effect of Coups d'états on Repression: Are all Coups Alike? Presented at the Annual International Conference of the Research Group on Development Economics, Heidelberg, 3-4 June, 2016; and annual meeting of the European Public Choice Society, 19-22 April, Budapest, 2017. (With Katharina Pfaff) – under review
- Wellbeing and Entrepreneurship: Using Establishment Size to identify Treatment Effects. Presented at Steninge workshop, Steninge, 1-4 June, 2017. (With Nicolai Foss) – under review
- Happiness among the Homeless: Sleeping with One Eye Open. (With Emilie Lav, Kasper Iversen and Per Lav Madsen) – under review
- When do Coups Succeed? Presented at the annual meetings of the Public Choice Society, Charleston, 1-4 March, 2018. (With Greta Piktozyte and Martin Rode)
- Corruption, Institutional Stability and Inequality. Presented at the inaugural workshop of the Institute for Corruption Studies, Chicago, 3-5 May, 2018. (With Niclas Berggren)
- Catalan Secession and the Political Economy of Social Trust. Paper presented at the Bowling Green Workshop in Applied Ethics and Public Policy, Bowling Green, Ohio, 20-21 April. (With Miguel Ángel Borrella Mas, María Nolla and Martin Rode)
- Does Economic Freedom Boost Growth for Everyone? To be presented at the annual meetings of the Public Choice Society, Louisville, 14-19 March, 2019. (With Andreas Bergh)
- Populism and Constitutional Reform in Latin America and the Caribbean. Presented at the annual meetings of the Public Choice Society, Charleston, 1-4 March, 2018; the Beyond Basic Questions Workshop, Gengenbach, 27-28 July, 2018; and the annual conference of the Southern Economic Association, Washington DC, 17-20 November, 2018. (With Andrea Sáenz de Viteri)
- Regime Types and Regime Changes: A New Dataset. (With Martin Rode) – under review (second round)
- Terror and States of Emergency. Presented at the annual meetings of the Public Choice Society, Charleston, 1-4 March, 2018. (With Stefan Voigt) – under review (second round)

### **Current projects / work in progress**

- The Economic Impact of Major Sporting Events: Evidence from Hosting the FIFA World Cup. Presented at the annual Danish Public Choice Workshop, Odense, 27 January, 2012. (With Meta Reimer Brødsted and Rasmus Rødby Kristiansen)
- Strikes, Ideology and Inequality: Is There Any Connection? Presented at the annual conference of the Southern Economic Association, Washington DC, 19-21 November, 2011. (With Niklas Potrafke)
- Market Solutions to Knightian Uncertainty: Life Insurance in the Apollo Space Program.
- The British Disease and the Cure of Mrs. Thatcher. (With Gert T. Svendsen)
- Are We Measuring Press Freedom Correctly? (With Andreas Freytag)

- Institutional Shocks and Economic Crises. Presented at the Australasian Public Choice Conference, Melbourne, 5-6 December, 2014, the 2015 IFN Stockholm conference, Vaxholm, 11-12 June, 2015; the Southern Economic Association, New Orleans, 20-23 November, 2015; Ruhr-Universität Bochum, 13 January, 2016; and the College of Charleston, 28 February, 2018.
- The Macroeconomic Cost of Gender Discrimination. (With Pierre-Guillaume Méon)
- When Are Lifestyle Policies Acceptable? A View from Behavioural Political Economy with an Application to Tobacco Policy. Presented at the annual meetings of the Public Choice Society, Fort Lauderdale, 10-12 March, 2016 (With Viktoria Obolevich)
- Religious Freedom and Economic Growth. (With Niclas Berggren)
- Press Freedom, Market Information, and International Trade. Presented at the annual conference of the Southern Economic Association, Tampa, 16-19 November, 2017; and the annual meetings of the European Public Choice Society, 11-4 Rome, 2018. (With Philipp Schröder and Erdal Yalcin)
- Political Opportunism and State-Level Emergency – Evidence from the Indian President’s Rule. (With Shruti Rajagopalan and Stefan Voigt)
- Economic, Political and Personal Freedom: Can You Have One Without the Other? Presented at the annual meetings of the Association for Private Enterprise Education, Las Vegas, 1-4 April, 2018. (With Niclas Berggren and Martin Rode)
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- Democratic Transitions and Monetary Policy: Are Democratic Central Banks Different? (With Martin Rode)

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- Borgernes udgiftsbyrde bliver større. *Børsen*, 8 November, 2018.
- No-go for briterne at deltage i EU's toldunion. *Børsen*, 25 October, 2018.
- Derfor er valg særligt dyre i Danmark. *Børsen*, 18 October, 2018.
- Lad os få aflivet myten: Eksport skaber ikke flere jobs. *Ræson*, 14 October, 2018.
- Offentlige virksomheder skal også kunne gå fallit. *Børsen*, 27 September, 2018.
- Underskud på betalingsbalancen er ikke et problem, og eksport skaber ikke jobs, så Trumps politik kan kun fejle. *Ræson*, 18 September, 2018.
- Danmarks vækstproblem skyldes kollektiv misrøgt. *Børsen*, 13 September, 2018.
- Tyrkiet er Europas syge mand – og det bliver værre. *Børsen*, 31 August, 2018.
- Skadelige virkninger af handelshindringer undervurderes. *Børsen*, 16 August, 2018.
- Journalister skal begynde at gøre deres job. *Børsen*, 2 August, 2018.
- Udlicitering af hjemmepleje giver velfærd. *Børsen*, 20 July, 2018.
- Euroens store problem er Italien. *Børsen*, 5 July, 2018.
- Politiske mavefornemmelser er dyre for vælgerne. *Børsen*, 21 June, 2018.
- Man beskytter ikke arbejdspladser med toldmure. *Børsen*, 7 June, 2018.

- Vi har et skævt billede af verdens tilstand. *Børsen*, 26 April, 2018.
- Handelsbarrierer rammer som en boomerang. *Børsen*, 12 April, 2018.
- Velfærdsstaten er en barriere for kvinders karriere. *Børsen*, 15 March, 2018.
- Danske nationaløkonomer er nogle sejtrækkere. *Børsen*, 1 March, 2018.
- Handel fungerer bedst uden politisk indblanding. *Børsen*, 15 February, 2018.
- Sparekniv – ikke skatteskrue – er vejen til sunde offentlige finanser. *Børsen*, 7 February, 2018.
- Mangel på konkurrence er kernen i problemet. *Børsen*, 18 January, 2018.
- Derfor går det ofte galt med økonomisk politik. *Børsen*, 4 January, 2018.
- Bjørnskovs juleønske: Offentlige gaver, nej tak. *Børsen*, 21 December, 2017.
- Tobaksregulering ender i et styrt. *Børsen*, 7 December, 2017.
- Reaktion på skatteunddragelse afslører naiv tro. *Børsen*, 23 November, 2017.
- Socialismen er endnu dårligere end vi troede. *Børsen*, 9 November, 2017
- I Danmark koster højere skat samfundet penge. *Børsen*, 26 October, 2017.
- Vinder af Nobelpris har en blind vinkel. *Børsen*, 12 October, 2017.
- Der er ingen europæisk offentlig mening. *Børsen*, 28 September, 2017.
- Individualisme er godt for hele samfundet. *Børsen*, 14 September, 2017.
- Politikere køber stemmer med forløren velfærd. *Børsen*, 31 August, 2017.
- Skepsis overfor frihandel er dybt ulogisk. *Børsen*, 17 August, 2017.
- Mistillid til politikere er sundt for demokratiet. *Børsen*, 3 August, 2017.
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- Voldsomt energiforbrug er kinesisk akilleshæl. *Børsen*, 22 June, 2017.
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- Flere kommer i arbejde hvis politikerne gør mindre. *Børsen*, 11 May, 2017.
- Ønsker vi lighed – eller at gøre folk mere ens? *Berlingske Tidende*, 21 April, 2017 (with Otto Brøns-Petersen).
- Lær at forstå hvorfor vi skal deles om arbejdet. *Børsen*, 20 April, 2017.
- Vis respekt for de handlende – så bliver vi rige. *Børsen*, 30 March, 2017.
- Drop myten om den jobskabende infrastruktur. *Børsen*, 16 March, 2017.
- Obama og Bush gjorde Trump mere magtfuld. *Børsen*, 2 March, 2017.
- Her er fremtidens nye store markeder. *Børsen*, 16 February, 2017.
- Særbehandling er hverdag i velfærdsstaten. *Børsen*, 2 February, 2017.
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- Kære politikere, læs noget Schumpeter. *Børsen*, 5 December, 2016.
- LA stiller lappeløsningerne af skatten til skue. *Børsen*, 14 November, 2016.
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- Danmark hutler sig nedad ranglisterne. *Børsen*, 26 April, 2016.
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- Det grandiose EU-projekt fremmedgør folk. *Børsen*, 11 March, 2016.
- Lighedsprædikanter glemmer den sociale arv. *Børsen*, 26 February, 2016.
- Oxfam skaber illusioner om rigdom. *Børsen*, 16 February, 2016.
- Ren nonsens i ny ulighedsrapport. *Børsen*, February, 2016.
- Her er de bedste nationaløkonomer. *Børsen*, 7 January, 2016.
- Rystende ringe forskning om ulighed. *Børsen*, 23 September, 2015.
- Markedsdominans er en flygtig affære. *Børsen*, 28 August, 2015.
- Det afrikanske marked rummer stor variation. *Børsen*, 5 August, 2015.
- Politikere lytter nogle gange til vismændene. *Børsen*, 30 July, 2015. (With Anne Kristensen)
- Mindre politik giver bedre politik. *Børsen*, 8 July, 2015.
- Frihandel letter byrderne. *Børsen*, 5 June, 2015.
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- Arrogante og uvidende politikere ser bort fra fakta. *Børsen*, 14 January, 2015.
- I Østeuropa har markedsøkonomierne sejret. *Børsen*, 30 December, 2014.
- Vismænd er naive om dagpenge. *Børsen*, 26 November, 2014.
- Liberalisme er mere end partipolitik. *Information*, 18 November, 2014 (with Ryan Smith and Niels Westy)
- Alt for kontroversiel til Nobel-prisen. *Børsen*, 10 November, 2014.
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- James Buchanan i dag. *Berlingske Tidende*, 29 January, 2013.
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- Reformen er vigtigere end naturrigdom. *Børsen*, 27 December, 2012. (With Niels Westy Munch-Holbek)
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- Økonomisk frihed er afgørende. *Børsen*, 19 September, 2012. (With Nicolai J. Foss)
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- Margrethe Vestagers Medfølelse. *Børsen*, 21 August, 2012.
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- Tvivl om Obamas frihandelspolitik. *Danske Business*, February, 2009.
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- Could Social Capital Help Czech Agriculture? *Zemědělská Ekonomika*, vol. 48 (2002), 245-249. (With Jarka Chloupková)
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## Other professional activities, awards and more

- Refereeing for (among others) *American Economic Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *American Political Science Review*, *European Economic Review*, *European Journal of Political Economy*, *European Journal of Political Research*, *European Sociological Review*, *International Sociology*, *Journal of African Economies*, *Journal of Business Venturing*, *Journal of Development Economics*, *Journal of Economic Growth*, *Journal of Happiness Studies*, *Journal of Politics*, *Journal of Public Economics*, *Oxford Economic Papers*, *Political Studies*, *Public Choice*, *Public Opinion Quarterly*, *Review of International Organizations*, *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, *The Economic Journal*, *World Development*, *Economic Affairs*.
- PhD-committee and external examiner, Cambridge University, Massey University, Radboud University Nijmegen, University of Hamburg, University of Heidelberg, University of Cantabria, University of Alicante, University Jaume I (Castellon), University of Rovira i Virgili, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Queensland University of Technology, Charles University, University of Southern Denmark, University of Copenhagen.
- Member of the Editorial Board, *Public Choice*.
- Member of the Editorial Advisory Board, *European Journal of Political Economy*.
- Member of the Editorial Advisory Board, *Journal of Entrepreneurship and Public Policy*.
- Fellow, CesIFO, Munich.

- Member of the Academic Advisory Council, Institute of Economic Affairs, London.
- Associate Fellow, Center for Political Studies, Copenhagen.
- Affiliated researcher, Institute for Research in Economic and Fiscal Issues.
- Member of the Executive Board, the European Public Choice Society, 2007-2010.
- Lecturer and member of the programme committee, the Danish University Extension, Aarhus.
- Commentator and editor, [www.punditokraterne.dk](http://www.punditokraterne.dk).
- Recipient of the 2007 Statoil Prize for research in the social sciences.
- Listed in *Who's Who in the World* since the 2009 edition.