Jonna Olsson

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Academic positions

Associate Professor (tenure track), NHH Norwegian School of Economics, 2023 –

Research Affiliate, CEPR, MG Program, 2022 –

Lecturer (Assistant Professor), University of Edinburgh, 2020 – 2023

Assistant Professor, University of Amsterdam, 2019 – 2020

Education

Ph.D. in Economics, Institute for International Economic Studies (IIES), Stockholm University, 2019

M.Sc. in Economics and Business, Stockholm School of Economics, 2005

M.Sc. in Engineering (media technology), Royal Institute of Technology (KTH), 2005 Visiting student Rhodes University, South Africa, 2002

Publications

Boppart, Timo, Karl Harmenberg, Per Krusell, and Jonna Olsson. "Integrated epi-econ assessment of vaccination." *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control* (2022): 104308.

"Labor supply when productivity keeps growing" (with Timo Boppart and Per Krusell) [Forthcoming Review of Economic Dynamics]

Working papers

"Singles, couples, and their labor supply: long-run trends and short-run fluctuations" (previously circulated as "Structural transformation of the labor market and the aggregate economy") [Conditionally accepted AEJ:Macro]

"Subjective life expectancies, time preference heterogeneity and wealth inequality" (with Richard Foltyn)

[Revise & Resubmit Quantitative Economics]

"Integrated epi-econ assessment: quantitative theory" (with Timo Boppart, Karl Harmenberg, John Hassler, and Per Krusell)

"Health dynamics and heterogeneous life expectancies" (with Richard Foltyn)

"Who should work how much?" (with Timo Boppart and Per Krusell)

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Academic activities

Invited seminars

2024 (including scheduled*): Aix-Marseille*.

2023: Durham University; NHH Norwegian School of Economics.

2022: University of Dundee; NHH Norwegian School of Economics; University of Manchester; LMU Munich; UCL.

2021: University of Essex; Copenhagen Business School; University of Pennsylvania; Ashoka University.

2019: University of Edinburgh; Sveriges Riksbank; University of Oslo; Uppsala University; University of Amsterdam; University of Aarhus; University of Bristol; NHH Norwegian School of Economics.

Conferences etc

2023 (including scheduled*): Heterogeneity and Macroeconomics of Labor Markets (Gerzensee, discussant)*, Workshop on Fertility, Health, and Human Capital (Belfast), T2M (Paris).

2022: The Private and Social Insurance Implications of Demographic Change (Goethe University Frankfurt); Perspectives on Kurtosis in Macroeconomics (Stockholm); Crieff SPGE Conference (Scotland, discussant); CBS Inequality Platform 3rd Workshop on Health and Inequality (Copenhagen).

2021: CEPR macro and growth programme meeting (Rome, discussant); Norface TRISP Final Conference; DIAL Final Conference; Oslo Macro Conference; Nordic Junior Macro Seminar Series; Sveriges Riksbank; SED; IMDb Summer Institute; ifo Conference on Macroeconomics and Survey Data.

2020: Longevity Heterogeneity and Pension Design (Louvain-la-Neuve); MacCaLM workshop Economics of Covid-19 (Edinburgh, discussant); Institute for Futures Studies workshop on models and policymaking (Stockholm).

2019: ESWM (Rotterdam); Norface TRISP (IFS, London); The Changing Economy and the Business Cycle (Norges Bank, discussant); Normac (Smögen); SED (St Louis); Barcelona GSE Summer Forum workshop on Income Dynamics and the Family.

Prior to 2019: ECB DG-R PhD Candidates Workshop; CEPR Conference on Demographics and the Macroeconomy (Bank of Finland); Growth, Stagnation and Inequality (Bank of England, discussant); ENTER Jamboree (London); ENTER Jamboree (Mannheim, discussant).

Refereeing AEJ:Macro; Economic Inquiry; Economic Theory; International Economic Review; Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control; Macroeconomic Dynamics; Review of Labour Economics and Industrial Relations; Review of Economic Dynamics; Review of Economic Studies; Scandinavian Journal of Economics.

Grants and awards

The Arnberg Prize (80,000 SEK) awarded by the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences, 2020 Hedelius Research Fellowship, 2015 (declined)

Per Eriksson's Scholarship for Outstanding Achievements in Undergraduate Studies, Stockholm School of Economics, 2005

Bertil Ohlin's Scholarship for Distinguished Master Thesis in International Economics, Stockholm School of Economics, 2005

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Teaching

University of Edinburgh

Macro 2: Business cycles (MSc), lecturer and course organizer, spring 2022, 2023

Economics 1: Introductory macro (undergraduate), lecturer, spring 2021

Economics 2: Introductory macro (undergraduate), lecturer and course organizer (joint with Axel Gottfries), fall 2022

Structural transformation of the labour market (undergraduate), lecturer and course organizer (joint with Ludo Visschers), fall 2020, 2021, 2022

Topics in Macroeconomics (undergraduate), teaching assistant, spring 2022

Supervision of Honours Dissertations (25)

Supervision of MSc theses (5)

University of Amsterdam

International Trade Theory and Policy (MSc), spring 2020

Microeconomics AE (BSc), fall 2019

Supervision of MSc theses (8)

Pre-PhD

Macroeconomics I (PhD), teaching assistant for Per Krusell, Gothenburg University, spring 2015 Intermediate Microeconomics (BSc), teaching assistant for Hans Wijkander, Stockholm University, fall 2014

Non-academic employment prior to Ph.D.

Granular AB (Stockholm), Financial Director, 2010-2013 Ministry of Finance (Stockholm), Head of Section, 2009-2010 Everis (Mexico City), Senior Consultant, 2007-2008 Copenhagen Economics (Copenhagen), Consultant, 2005-2006 BIDPA (Gaborone), Research Assistant, 2004

Personal

Languages Swedish (native); English (fluent); Spanish (working knowledge); German (basic).

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