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## Current Employment \& Affiliations

July 2017 - Deputy Director, Norges Bank Research
May 2023- Adjunct Professor, BI Norwegian Business School and CAMP

## Past Employment and Affiliations

Jan 2017 - Apr 2023 Researcher II, BI Norwegian Business School and CAMP
Feb 2016 - Mar 2016 Visiting scholar, International Monetary Fund
Jan 2016 - Jun 2017 Senior Researcher, Norges Bank Research
Nov 2012 - Dec 2012 Visiting scholar, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland
Jul 2011 - Dec 2015 Senior Adviser, Norges Bank, Monetary policy department
Dec 2009 - Jun 2011 Senior Economist, Norges Bank, Monetary policy, Economics department
Jan 2007 - Nov 2009 PhD Internship, Norges Bank Research
Dec 2005 - Nov 2009 Research fellow at Department of Economics, University of Oslo
Feb 2005 - Dec 2005 Economist, Norges Bank, Financial stability, Financial markets department
Aug 2004 - Feb 2005 Student internship, Norges Bank, Financial stability

## Education

2010 | Ph.D. in Economics, University of Oslo |
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| Thesis: "Empirical Studies of Business Cycles and Monetary Policy in Real Time" |
| Advisors: Hilde C. Bjørnland (main advisor), Ragnar Nymoen (co advisor) |
| Committee: Steinar Holden, Anindya Banerjee, Michael Bergman |
| 2005 |
| Cand. Oecon. (Equivalent to Master) in Economics, University of Oslo |
| 2002 |$\quad$ Exam. Oecon. (Equivalent to Bachelor) in Economics, University of Oslo

Editorial Responsibilities
Jan 2019 - Associate Editor, Journal of Applied Econometrics

Applied Macroeconomics, Business Cycles, Monetary Policy, Housing markets, Commodity markets, Applied Econometrics, Forecasting, Bayesian statistics.

## Publications

1. "Nowcasting Norwegian Household Consumption with Debit Card Transaction Data", with Tuva Marie Fastbø, Eleonora Granziera, Kenneth Sæterhagen Paulsen and Kjersti Næss Torstensen). Journal of Applied Econometrics, Forthcoming.
2. "Changing supply elasticities and regional housing booms", with Bruno Albuquerque and André K. Anundsen. Journal of Money, Credit and Banking, Forthcoming.
3. "Quantifying time-varying forecast uncertainty and risk for the real price of oil", with Jamie Cross and Herman van Dijk (2023). Journal of Business \& Economic Statistics 41(2), 523-537.
4. "Has the Fed Responded to House and Stock Prices? A Time-Varying Analysis", with Francesco Furlanetto and Francesca Loria (2023). Review of Economics and Statistics 105(5), 1314-1324.
5. "Inflation Expectations and the Pass-Through of Oil Prices", with Hilde C. Bjørnland and Jamie Cross (2023). Review of Economics and Statistics 105(3), 733-743.
6. "Asymmetric effects of monetary policy in regional housing markets", with André K. Anundsen (2022). American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics 14(4), 499-529.
7. "Multivariate Bayesian Predictive Synthesis in Macroeconomic Forecasting", with Kenichiro McAlinn, Jouchi Nakajima and Mike West (2020). Journal of the American Statistical Association 115:531, 10921110.
8. "Residential investment and recession predictability", with André K. Anundsen and Eyo Herstad (2019). International Journal of Forecasting 35(4), 1790-1799
9. "Nowcasting the Business Cycle in an Uncertain Environment", with Francesco Ravazzolo and Herman van Dijk (2018). Journal of Business \& Economic Statistics, 36(1), 131-145.
10. "Economic Uncertainty and the Influence of Monetary Policy", with Gisle J. Natvik and Sergio Sola (2017). Journal of International Money and Finance 76, 50-67.
11. "Have Standard VARs Remained Stable Since the Crisis?", with Andrea Carriero, Todd Clark and Massimiliano Marcellino (2017). Journal of Applied Econometrics, 32(5), 931-951.
12. "Density forecasts with MIDAS models", with Claudia Foroni and Francesco Ravazzolo (2017). Journal of Applied Econometrics 32(4), 783-801.
13. "Identification and real-time forecasting of Norwegian business cycles", with Anne Sofie Jore and Francesco Ravazzolo (2016). International Journal of Forecasting 32(2), 283-292.
14. "The world is not enough! Small open economies and regional dependence", with Hilde C. Bjørnland and Leif Anders Thorsrud (2016). The Scandinavian Journal of Economics 118 (1), 168-195.
15. "What drives oil prices? Emerging versus developed economies", with Hilde C. Bjørnland and Leif Anders Thorsrud (2015). Journal of Applied Econometrics 30(7), 1013-1234.
16. "Oil price shocks in a data-rich environment". Energy Economics 45(C) 268-279.
17. "Nowcasting GDP in Real-Time: A Density Combination Approach", with Karsten R. Gerdrup, Anne Sofie Jore and Leif Anders Thorsrud (2014). Journal of Business \& Economic Statistics 32(1), 48-68.
18. "Estimating the Output Gap in Real Time: A Factor Model Approach," with Tørres Trovik (2014). Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance 54 (2), 180-193.
19. "Nowcasting Norwegian GDP: The role of Asset Prices in a Small Open Economy," with Tørres Trovik. Empirical Economics 42(1), 95-119.

## Other Publications

20. "The Evolution of Forecast Density Combinations in Economics", with James Mitchell, Francesco Ravazzolo, Herman van Dijk (2019). Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Economics and Finance, 4, 1-39.
21. "Contributed discussion on: Using Stacking to Average Bayesian Predictive Distributions", with Kenichiro McAlinn and Mike West (2018). Bayesian Analysis 13(3), 971-973.
22. "Discussion of: Forecasting with factor-augmented error correction models". International Journal of Forecasting 30(3), 613-615.

## Working Papers

23. "The leverage-liquidity trade-off of mortgage regulation", with Ragnar Juelsrud and Ella Getz Wold. Norges Bank Working Paper 6/2022. Submitted
24. "The Price Responsiveness of Shale Producers: Evidence From Micro Data", with Hilde C. Bjørnland and Thomas Gundersen. Norges Bank Working Paper 6/2022. Revision requested by Quantitative Economics
25. "Housing Bubble Scars", with AndrÃ" K. Anundsen, Bjã ${ }_{s}$ rnar K. Kivedal and Erling RÃ ${ }_{s}$ ed Larsen. Norges Bank Working Paper 13/2023. Submitted
26. "The Housing Channel of Intergenerational Wealth Persistence", with Ella Getz Wold, Eirik Eylands Brandsaas, Ragnar E. Juelsrud and Gisle J. Natvik. Norges Bank Working Paper 16/2023. Submitted
27. "Taylor Rules with Endogenous Regimes", with Jamie L. Cross, Francesco Furlanetto and Herman van Dijk. Submitted

## Work in Progress

28. "Quantile combination: An application to US GDP forecasts", with Saskia ter Ellen and Giulia Mantoan
29. "What Do 12 Billion Card Transactions Say About House Prices and Consumption?", with Jesper Böjeryd, Magnus A. H. Gulbrandsen, Ragnar E. Juelsrud and Kasper Roszbach.

Norges Bank workshop: "Borrower-Bases Macroprudential Policies", Workshop in Empirical Macroeconomics (King's College, London)

Bank of Finland (seminar), Statistics Norway (seminar), SNDE (Orlando), NTNU (seminar), AREUA National Conference (Washington DC), CEBRA Annual Conference (New York), Danmarks Nationalbank conference: "New Developments in Business Cycle Research Macroeconomic risks, uncertainty, and sustainability", IMF (seminar)

Deutsche Bundesbank conference (virtual): "Revisiting and Improving Prediction Tools for Central Banks", SNDE (virtual), NHH (Seminar), Nordic Meeting on Register Data and Economic Modelling (Krusenberg), EABCB conference (Eltville): "Challenges in Empirical Macroeconomics since 2020", UEA North American meeting (World Bank, DC), Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Seminar), Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland conference: "Real-Time Data Analyis, Methods, and Applications."

University of Strathclyde (virtual), Norges Bank Spring Institute (virtual), ISBA World Meeting (virtual), Joint OGWG - ECFIN - JRC Conference (virtual):
"Assessment of output gaps and potential output in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic and its aftermath"

JSM (virtual), SNDE (virtual), Nordic Heads of Research meeting (virtual)
SNDE (Dallas), Royal Economic Society Conference (Warwick), NBER - NSF SBIES Conference (Brown University), CEBRA Annual Meeting (Columbia University)

ASSA (Philadelphia), Norges Bank Spring Institute, University of Southern California conference: "Housing, Urban Development, and the Macroeconomy", University of Chicago conference: "Market Microstructure and High Frequency Data", European Central Bank Workshop on "Forecasting Techniques", European Central Bank Day-After workshop, IAAE (Montreal), JSM (Vancouver), Oslo Macro Group

University of Chicago conference: "Market Microstructure and High Frequency Data", IAAE (Sapporo), Keio Univerity, ESEM (Lisbon), Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, MEG (Texas A\&M University), CFE (London)

SNDE (Tuscaloosa), IAAE (Milan), Free University of Bozen/Bolzano, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, International Monetary Fund, Duke University (Econ Dept.), Duke University (Stat Dept.) CFE (Seville)

SNDE (Oslo), Tinbergen Institute Amsterdam, NBER-NSF Time Series conference (Vienna), CFE (London)

ASSA (Philadelphia), SNDE (New York), University College London workshop: "Uncertainty and Economic Forecasting", CEF (Oslo), IAAE (London), ISF (Rotterdam), ESEM (Toulouse)

Econometric Society North American Summer Meeting (Los Angeles), Bank of Korea, ISF (Seoul), CFE (London)

ASSA (Chicago), Norges Bank workshop: "Modeling and forecasting oil prices", Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, ISF conference (Boston)

Federal Reserve Bank of New York, SNDE (Washington D.C.), CEF (San Francisco), Riksbank workshop on "Nowcasting: Advances, implementation and logistics", ESEM (Oslo), CFE (London)

EEA (Glasgow), Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City workshop: "Central Bank Forecasting"

Norges Bank, Spring Meeting of Young Economists in Istanbul, Pompeau Fabra University Macro Breakfast, NHH-UiO Workshop on Economic Dynamics in Bergen, University of Manchester conference: "Growth and Business Cycles in Theory and Practice", ESEM (Barcelona), DYNARE (Oslo), BI Norwegian Business School, University of Oslo, Statistics Norway

University Macro Breakfast, ISF (Nice), CEF (Paris), EEA (Milan), Norges Bank mini workshop on Nowcasting, CIRANO Workshop on Data Revision in Macroeconomic Forecasting and Policy (Montreal), University of Oslo econometrics seminar

University of Oslo econometrics seminar

## Conference Discussions

1. "Sentimental Business Cycles" by Andresa Lagerborg, Evi Pappa and Morten Ravn. Dolomiti Macro Meetings, Castelrotto, June 2019
2. "Golden Fetters and the Causal Effects of Countercyclical Monetary Policy" by Kris James Mitchener and Goncalo Pina. Annual IJCB conference, Oslo, June 2019.
3. "On the determinants of food price volatility" by Kuhanathan Ano Sujithan, Sanvi Avouyi-Dovi and Lyes Koliai. IMF International Conference on Food Price Volatility: Causes and Challenges, Rabat, February 2014)
4. "Forecasting with factor-augmented error correction models" by Anindya Banerjee, Massimiliano Marcellino and Igor Masten. IIF Workshop: Forecasting the Business Cycle, Bank of France, Paris, December 2011

## Teaching

Teaching assistant, Macroeconomics (M.Phil.), Autumn 2007
Teaching assistant, Econometrics (M.Phil.), Spring 2006 and Spring 2007
Teaching assistant, Macroeconomics (B.A.), Autumn 2006

## Professional Activities

Referee for Journal of Monetary Economics, Journal of European Economic Association, Journal of Business $\mathcal{E}$ Economic Statistics, Quantitative Economics, Journal of Money, Credit and Banking, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Review of Economic Dynamics, European Economic Review Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, International Journal of Forecasting, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Journal of Forecasting, Journal of Empirical Finance, Journal of International Money and Finance, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Energy Economics, Empirical Economics, Oxford Economic Papers, International Journal of Central Banking, Journal of Royal Statistical Society Series A, Journal of Royal Statistical Society Series C, Economic Inquiry, Econometrics, Journal of the Operational Research Society, Economics The Open-Access, Open-Assessment E-Journal, Economic Modelling.

Reviewer for Swiss National Science Foundation

Conference Organizer:

- Oslo Macro Conference, (Oslo, 2019, 2021, 2022, 2023).
- European Summer Symposium in International Macroeconomics, (Oslo, 2018).
- Norges Bank workshop on Housing and Household Finance, (Oslo, 2017).

Conference Program Committee:

- International Association for Applied Econometrics Annual Conference (Thessaloniki, 2024).
- International Association for Applied Econometrics Annual Conference (Oslo, 2023).
- International Association for Applied Econometrics Annual Conference (Rotterdam, 2021).
- International Association for Applied Econometrics Annual Conference (Nicosia, 2019).
- Computational and Financial Econometrics Annual Conference (London, 2017).
- Computational and Financial Econometrics Annual Conference (Seville, 2016).
- Society of Nonlinear Dynamics and Econometrics Annual Conference (Tuscaloosa, 2016).

PhD Candidates Advised:

- Thomas S. Gundersen (BI Norwegian Business School, currently a Researcher at Statistics Norway)
- Helene O. Kalstad (current PhD student at BI Norwegian Business School)
- Jonas Hölz (current PhD student at BI Norwegian Business School)


## Personal Information

Born: May 11, 1980. Citizenship: Norway.

