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Education

Tampere University, Finland

D. Sc. (Economics), June 2019

Title: Essays on optimal lifetime redistribution, inequality and well-being

M.Sc., Economics, 2011

University of Helsinki, Finland

M.Sc., Mathematics

expected: 2022

Current positions

2020- **Senior Researcher**, VATT Institute for Economic Research, Finland

Work experience

06/19-12/2019 **Senior Researcher**, Labour Institute for Economic Research, Finland
2016-2019 **Junior Researcher**, Labour Institute for Economic Research, Finland
2015-2018 **PhD candidate** University of Tampere, Finland
2016-2018 **Secretary** Finnish Economic Association, Finland
2013-2014 **Grant researcher**, University of Tampere, Finland
2011-2012 **Economist**, Bank of Finland, Finland
2010-2011 **Teacher of Economics**, Eximia Oy, Finland
2008 & 2010 **Summer Intern**, Statistics Finland, Finland

Teaching experience

2019 **Lecturer**, Microeconomics (bachelor), Tampere University
2019 **Guest lecturer**, Recent topics in economics and policy (bachelor), Tampere University
2018 **Guest lecturer**, Quantitative methods for social scientists (bachelor), University of Tampere

Publications and ongoing research

Peer-reviewed journal articles

2018 | On the optimal lifetime redistribution and social objectives: a multidimensional approach, **International Tax and Public Finance** 25: 631, 2018. (coauthors: Sanna Tenhunen, Matti Tuomala)

Working papers and other publications

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| 2019 | PhD thesis "Essays on optimal lifetime redistribution, inequality and well-being", Tampere University |
| 2019 | The Effect of Relabeling and Incentives on Retirement: Evidence from the Finnish Pension Reform in 2005, Labour Institute for Economic Research, Working Paper 328, (coauthors: Ohto Kanninen, Jon Gruber, Satu Nivalainen, Roope Uusitalo) |
| 2018 | Top income distribution and income dynamics from a gender perspective : Evidence from Finland 1995-2012, (Labour Institute for Economic Research, Working Paper 321) |
| 2016 | On optimal income taxation and equality of opportunity (Tampere Economics Working Paper, nro 100) (coauthors: Sanna Tenhunen, Matti Tuomala) |
| 2012 | Market share of Finnish goods exports contracted sharply since 2000, Bank of Finland Bulletin, Economic outlook . 3/2012 (together with Seppo Orjasmaa) |
| 2011 | Yritysten kannattavuuskehitys Suomessa 1975-2010, BoF Online 8/2011 , Bank of Finland (Profitability of Finnish Firms, in Finnish) |

Work in Progress

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| Retirement, relabeling and regret (project leader Ohto Kanninen) |
| The effects of working hours reduction on health and labour market exits: Evidence from the Finnish part-time pension program |
| Finnish top income distribution and inequality, evidence from years 1995-2014 using population-wide data |
| Top income distribution and women |
| Finnish pension reform 2005 and firms (project leader Ohto Kanninen) |
| Optimal lifetime taxation when initial endowments differ (together with Matti Tuomala) |
| Evaluation of labour market impacts of psychotherapy (together with Laura Peutere and Pekka Virtanen) |
| Disincentive effects of disability pension scheme (together with Tuuli Paukkeri) |
| Differential mortality in the old age and retirement decisions |

Policy work and other writings

In English:

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| 2019 | Towards an agile and evidence-based pension system, <i>report prepared for Tela</i> |
| 2014 | James Mirrlees: Interesting, important taxation. <i>Blog post for Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings 29.8.2014</i> |
| | Expectations, <i>Blog post for Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings 12.8.2014</i> |

In Finnish:

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| 2019 | Verotus, tulojakauma ja terveys, <i>Kansantaloudellinen aikakauskirja 3/2019</i> |
| | Lukuvihje – Anu Kantola ja Hanna Kuusela: Huipputuloiset – Suomen rikkain promille, <i>Talous & Yhteiskunta 3/2019</i> |
| | Lukuvihje – Jonathan D. Ostry, Prakash Loungani ja Andrew Berg: Confronting Inequality. How Societies Can Choose Inclusive Growth, <i>Talous & Yhteiskunta 2/2019</i> |
| | Sopeuttamistoimien erilaiset vaikutukset tuloluokittain, <i>PT Policy Brief 1/2019</i> |
| 2018 | Naiset tulojakauman huipulla, <i>Talous & Yhteiskunta 4/2018</i> |
| | Sosiaaliturvauudistuksen tavoitteet ja keinot kaipaavat kirkastusta, <i>PT-blogi 3.8.2018</i> |
| 2017 | Lukuvihje – Pasi Pyöriä (toim.): Työelämän myytit ja todellisuus, <i>Talous & Yhteiskunta 2/2017</i> |
| 2016 | Lukuvihje – Robert H. Frank: Success and Luck, Good Fortune and the Myth of Meritocracy, <i>Talous & Yhteiskunta 4/2016</i> |
| | Kolumni – Äänestäjien toivomaa veropolitiikkaa etsimässä, <i>Talous & Yhteiskunta 4/2016</i> |
| | Opiskelijapolitiikka - hyödyllinen satsaus työuraan?, <i>PT-blogi 4.8.2016</i> |
| 2011 | Yritysten kannattavuuskehitys Suomessa 1975-2010, BoF Online 8/2011, Bank of Finland (Profitability of Finnish Firms, in Finnish) |

Personal grants

Palkansaajasäätiö: 19 000 euros for project: *Income and taxation in Finland over long period* (2018)

Social Insurance Institute, Finland: 26 000 euros for project: *Gradual retirement and health* (2017)

Palkansaajasäätiö: 19 300 euros for project: *Income and wage development over time between genders: equality perspective* (2017).

OP research foundation: 25 000 euros for PhD dissertation work (2013)

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Presentations

2019	LIER-seminar (Helsinki, Finland), ECINEQ (Paris, France), APET (Strasbourg, France), IIPF (Glasgow, UK), Tela-report publication event (Helsinki, Finland), Fingo "Beyond Growth" -conference (Helsinki, Finland)
2018	Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory (Canazei, Italy), LIER-seminar (Helsinki, Finland), FDPE workshop (Helsinki, Finland), Summer Seminar of Finnish Economists (Jyväskylä, Finland), IIPF (Tampere, Finland), EuHEA Student-Supervisor Conference (Catania, Italy)
2017	Allecon seminar (Tampere, Finland), IIPF (Tokyo, Japan), ECINEQ (New York, USA), Summer Seminar of Finnish Economists (Jyväskylä, Finland), LIER-seminar (Helsinki, Finland), PhD Workshop on Lifecourse effects on Retirement (University of Helsinki, Finland), Strategic Research Council WIP-seminar (Helsinki, Finland)
2016	IIPF (Lake Tahoe, USA), Allecon seminar (Tampere, Finland)
2015	IIPF (Dublin, Ireland), Nordic Workshop on Tax Policy and Public Economics (Oslo, Norway), Finnish Economic Association's Annual Meeting (Helsinki, Finland)
2014	Summer Seminar of Finnish Economists (Jyväskylä, Finland), FDPE workshop (Helsinki, Finland), Uppsala University Brown Bag seminar (Sweden).

IT-skills and languages

IT: *Statistical and mathematical softwares:* Stata (working knowledge), Matlab (working knowledge), R (basic knowledge) SPSS (basic knowledge), SAS (basic knowledge), OxMetrics (basic knowledge).

Programming languages: Java (working knowledge), Python (basic knowledge)

Document preparation: Office (working knowledge), LATEX (working knowledge)

Languages: Finnish (native), Swedish (good), English (fluent), French (good), German (good), Spanish (basics)