

Lars Persson – Curriculum Vitae

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Personal Info Date of birth November 6, 1978
Citizenship Swedish

Research Area Environmental and Public Economics, Fiscal federalism, Choice experiments

Employment

Umeå University, Sweden:

- Assistant professor in economics, 2010-09-01 – tillsvidare
- Teacher in economics, 2010-01-01 – 2010-08-31
- Assistant professor (temporary), 2008-12-01 – 2010-10-31
- Teacher in economics, 2008-01-01 – 2008-11-30
- PhD student, 2003-09-01 – 2007-12-31
- Assistant teacher/researcher, 2002-09-01 – 2003-08-31

Other:

- Part-time seller in a sports shop (Inter Sport), 1998 – 2002

Education

2008 PhD in economics, Department of economics, Umeå University, Sweden
Title of thesis: Environmental Policy and Transboundary Externalities – coordination and commitment in open economies.

2002-2008 PhD program, Department of Economics, Umeå University, Sweden

1998-2002 BSc Economics, Umeå University

Teaching

Department of Economics, Umeå University, Sweden:

- Research projects, Master level, 2010 –
- Macroeconometrics, Intermediate level, 2010 –
- Applied microeconomics and international trade, Introductory level, 2008 –
- Financial economics, Undergraduate level, 2008 –
- Research projects, Advanced (C/D) level, 2005 –
- Economic Policy in Open Economies (macroeconomics), Introductory (A) level, 2004 –
- Macroeconomics, Introductory (A) level (Teaching Assistant), 2003 - 2004
- Economic Policy in Open Economies (macroeconomics), Introductory (A) level (Teaching Assistant), 2002 - 2003

Working Papers

- Kommunerna och vindkraften (together with Åsa Waldo, Kristina Ek, Maria Johansson)
- Tax or no tax? Preferences for climate policy attributes. Umeå economic Studies no. 802 and CERE WP no. 4.
- Environmental policy, decentralized leadership and horizontal commitment power. Umeå Economic Studies no. 753.
- Does wage bargaining justify environmental policy coordination? Umeå Economic Studies no. 754. (together with T. Aronsson and T. Sjögren)
- Mixed taxation, public goods and transboundary externalities: A model with large jurisdictions. Umeå Economic Studies no. 747. (together with T. Aronsson and T. Sjögren)
- Environmental Policy Negotiations, Transboundary Pollution and Lobby Groups in Small Open Economies. Umeå Economic Studies no. 722.
- Optimal Taxation and Transboundary Externalities – Are Endogenous World Market Prices Important? Umeå Economic Studies no. 699. (together with T. Aronsson and T. Sjögren)
- Environmental Policy and Product Specialization. Umeå Economic Studies no. 653. (together with T. Aronsson and T. Sjögren)

Presentations

- The 11th Global Conference on Environmental Taxation, Bangkok (2010)
- Presentation at a department seminar, Gothenburg University, 2009
- The Ulvön Conference on Environmental Economics, 2008
- Nordic Workshop on Tax Policy and Public Economics, Helsinki, Finland - 2004.

Visiting Student Researcher

- University of California, Berkeley - 2005

Languages

- Fluent in Swedish and English
- Basic skills in German

Awards and Scholarships

- Nominated for Umeå student organisation's best teacher award, 2010
- The Hedelius Scholarship (Jan Wallander and Tom Hedelius Foundation) - 2005
- Nordeastipendiet (The Nordea Scholarship) - 2005
- Borgerskapets i Umeå Forskningsstiftelse (Borgerskapet Research Foundation) - 2005

Other Merits

- Responsible for higher seminars at the Department of economics, Umeå university, 2009 –
- Representative for the working environment at the Department of economics, Umeå university, 2009 –
- Trade Union Representative, Statstjänstemannaförbundet (ST), 2004 –