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PERSONAL DATA

CITIZENSHIP: Norwegian

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Behavioral Economics, Development Economics, Experimental Economics, Global Health, Political Economy, Public Economics, Taxation

WORK EXPERIENCE

MARCH 2021 | Senior Researcher

Chr. Michelsen Institute

AUGUST 2020 | Postdoctoral Researcher

Chr. Michelsen Institute

JULY 2019 - JUNE 2020 | Postdoctoral Researcher in Development Economics

Stockholm School of Economics

SEPTEMBER 2017 - JULY 2020 | Postdoctoral Researcher in Tax and Behavioral Economics

Centre for Applied Research at NHH (SNF)

Norwegian Centre for Taxation (NoCeT), FAIR - The Choice Lab

MAY 2012 - AUGUST 2013 | Research Assistant

Chr. Michelsen Institute (CMI)

EDUCATION

AUGUST 2013 - AUGUST 2017 | PhD Candidate in Economics

Norwegian School of Economics (NHH)

Department of Economics

Thesis: Essays on Behavioral Development Economics, defended 5. June 2018

Main Supervisor: Prof. Bertil Tungodden

Evaluation: Assoc. Prof. T. Harding, Prof. H. Mehlum, Prof. P. Martinsson

SEPTEMBER 2015 - JANUARY 2016

Visiting Scholar

Columbia University, New York

Host: Assoc. Prof. Jonas Hjort

AUGUST 2007 - DECEMBER 2011

Master of Philosophy in Economics (professional studies)

University of Bergen

Master Thesis: Determinants of Child Mortality in Angola

Thesis Supervisor: Prof. Gaute Torsvik

PUBLISHED PAPERS

Understanding the Resource Curse: A Large-Scale Experiment on Corruption in Tanzania (with Alexander W. Cappelen, Odd-Helge Fjeldstad, Donald Mmari and Bertil Tungodden). Journal of Economic Behavior Organization, 183, pp. 129-157, 2021

Household Bargaining and Spending on Children: Experimental Evidence from Tanzania. With Charlotte Ringdal. Economica, 2020.

The Customer is King: Evidence on VAT Compliance in Tanzania. With Odd-Helge Fjeldstad, Ephraim Mdee, Cecilia Kagoma and Vincent Somville. World Development, 128, 2020.

Investeringer i barns utdanning: Bryr kvinner seg mer enn menn? With Charlotte Ringdal. Magma - Norwegian Journal for Economics and Management, 6/2019.

To Pay or Not to Pay? Citizens Attitudes Towards Taxation in Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda and South Africa. With Merima Ali and Odd-Helge Fjeldstad. World Development, 64, pp. 828-842, 2014.

Working Papers

Accountability and Taxation: Experimental Evidence. In review

People's Views of Taxation in Africa: A Review of Research on Determinants of Tax compliance. With Odd-Helge Fieldstad and Colette Schulz-Herzenberg. CMI Working Paper, 2012

WORK IN PROGRESS

Successful Advances in Fiscal ARchitecture (SAFARI): Evidence from a new tax in Zanzibar. With Nadja Dwenger, Odd-Helge Fjeldstad, Lucas Katera, and Vincent Somville.

Embezzlement and taxation: Experimental evidence. With Louis Putterman and Jean-Robert Tyran. Data collected.

VAT compliance in Tanzania. With Odd-Helge Fjeldstad, Lucie Gadenne, Vincent Somville, Jonathan Weigel and Tanzania Revenue Authority. In progress.

Dishonesty and trust: Behavioral evidence from Tanzania. With Alexander W. Cappelen, Odd-Helge Fjeldstad, Donald Mmari and Bertil Tungodden. Manuscript in preparation.

Public services, security and the legacy of pre-colonial states in Uganda. With Odd-Helge Fjeldstad, Merima Ali, Godfrey Asiimwe, and Anne Mette Kjær. In progress.

ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

- 2021 *Invited session*, Meeting of the Norwegian Association for Economists 2021, University of Bergen, Norway
- University of Gothenburg, Sweden
 Nordic Africa Institute, University of Uppsala, Sweden
 Chr. Michelsen Institute, Bergen, Norway
 SNF, Bergen, Norway
 2019 Conference, CSAE, University of Oxford, UK
 ICTD 7th annual meeting, Kigali, Rwanda
 Kick off Meeting for NORGLOBAL2, NORAD & NRC, Oslo, Norway
- Lab Experiments in Economics, NHH, Bergen
 EEA Annual Congress, University of Cologne, Germany
 Women in Economics Mentoring Retreat, University of Cologne, Germany
 FAIR Development Workshop, NHH, Norway
 Workshop on Endogenous Institutions in Social Dilemmas, University of
 Copenhagen, Denmark
 Tax Day, Max Planck Institute for Tax Law and Public Finance, Germany
 Annual Meeting of the Norwegian Association for Economists, NHH, Norway
 SNF lunch seminar, Centre for Applied Research at NHH, Norway
- 2017 10th Norwegian-German Seminar on Public Economics, **CESifo**, Germany SNF lunch seminar, **Centre for Applied Research at NHH**, Norway 68°North Conference, **FAIR The Choice Lab**, Norway Bergen Summer Research School (invited plenary lecture), **UoB**, Norway Nordic Conference 2017, **EADI**, Bergen, Norway Bergen Seminar in Development Economies, **CMI**, Bergen, Norway 2017 Conference, **CSAE**, University of Oxford, UK Spring School in Behavioral Economics, **Rady School of Management**, UCSD, USA
- 2016 Gender and Development Project Workshop, UNU WIDER, Finland
 TrAcRevenues Workshop, NTNU, Norway
 2016 Annual Conference of the DSA, University of Oxford, UK
 Nordic Conference in Development Economics, University of Oslo, Norway
 REPOA Annual Research Workshop, REPOA, Tanzania
 2016 Conference, CSAE, University of Oxford, UK
- 2015 1st Annual Congress of ATRN, African Tax Research Network, South Africa Bergen Seminar in Development Economies, CMI, Norway The Choice Lab Extended Lunch Seminar, The Choice Lab, Norway
- 2014 Annual Meeting, ICTD, Tanzania
 Meeting with Royal Norwegian Embassy in Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania
 Bi-annual regional meeting, Tanzania Revenue Authority, Tanzania
- 2012 | 2012 Annual Meeting, ICTD, South Africa 2012 Conference, CSAE, University of Oxford, UK

TEACHING

2020 - 2021 | Guest lectures on lab experiments in development economics

Development economics for master students, taught by Martina Björkman Nyqvist, Stockholm School of Economics.

2020 | Guest lecture on Taxation

Development economics for master students, taught by Vincent Somville, Norwegian School of Economics.

2017 - 2018 | Plenary lectures: Understanding behavior to understand development

Bergen Summer Research School, organized by Norwegian School of Economics and University of Bergen.

2013 - 2017 | Teaching assistant

Various courses on competition analysis and crashes and crisis, Norwegian School of Economics.

2010 | Teaching assistant

Development economics and global development, University of Bergen.

MISCELLANEOUS

Referee for | Journal of African Economies, Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice,

Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, Journal of Public Economics, Magma, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Social Choice and Welfare, World

Development

Languages | Norwegian (mother-tongue), English (full professional proficiency)

Member of | The Rafto Prize Prize Committee (2019 -)

Early Career Network of Female Behavioral Development Economists (2019 -)

ICTD Resource Allocation Group (2019 -)

Affiliations | FAIR Centre of Excellence at NHH

Mistra Center for Sustainable Markets (Misum) at SSE

Organizer | Tax for Development Webinar series (with Odd-Helge Fjeldstad, 2020 -)

Cross-disciplinary Seminar Series (with Anwesha Dutta, 2021 -)

Workshop on Household Decision-making in low and middle income countries (with Ingvild Almås, Martina Björkman Nyqvist, and Charlotte Ringdal,

2021)