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**Current position:** Professor

**Major research interests:** Labor Economics, Family Economics, Economics of Crime

**Education:** Ph.D. in Economics, University of Bergen, 2006-2010 (defended thesis on Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 2010). Title: Families and children's development: economic approaches

**Working experience:**

2017- Professor, Department of Economics, Norwegian School of Economics  
2017- Professor II, Department of Economics, University of Bergen  
2014-2017 Professor, Department of Economics, University of Bergen  
2013-2014 Associate Professor, Department of Economics, University of Bergen  
2013- Associate Editor, Review of Economic Studies  
2013- Associate Editor, Scandinavian Journal of Economics  
2012- Research Fellow, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Bonn  
2014- Op-ed columnist Dagens Næringsliv (8 week intervals)  
2010- Research Fellow, Research Department, Statistics Norway  
2011-2014 Op-ed columnist Bergens Tiende (6 week intervals)  
2010-2013 Postdoc, Department of Economics, University of Bergen

**Research-related supervisory activities:**

PhD Students (primary supervisor):

University of Bergen: A.L. Breivik (in progress), S. Abrahamsen  
(in progress), L.Andersland (in progress)

**Publications**

IF= Impact Factor 2014 from Journal Citation Reports (Thomson Reuters)

PhD = Article part of my PhD

- (1) Løken, K. V., S. Lundberg and J.Riise (2017): Lifting the Burden: Public Care of the Elderly and the Location and Labor Supply of Adult Children, *Journal of Human Resources*, 52,247-271 IF: 1.507
- (2) Dahl, G., K.V. Løken, M. Mogstad and K. Salvanes (2016): What Is the Case for Paid Maternity Leave? *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 98, 655-670 IF: 2.748
- (3) Carneiro, P., K. V. Løken and K. Salvanes (2015): A Flying Start? Maternity Leave and Long Run Outcomes of Children. *Journal of Political Economy*, 123, 365-412 . IF: 3.593. PhD.
- (4) Johnsen, J. and K. V. Løken (2015): Nordic Family Policy and Maternal Employment, *Nordic Economic Policy Review*, 2, 115-131
- (5) Black, S., P. Devereux, K. V. Løken and K. Salvanes (2014): Care or Cash? The Effect of Child Care Subsidies on Student Performance. *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 96, 5, 824-837. IF: 2.748. PhD
- (6) Dahl, G., K. V. Løken and M. Mogstad (2014): Peer Effects in Program Participation. *American Economic Review*, 104, 2049–2074. IF: 3.643

- (7) Bharadwaj, P. J. Johnsen and K. V. Løken (2014): Smoking Bans, Maternal Smoking and Birth Outcomes. *Journal of Public Economics*, 115, 72-93. IF: 1.581
- (8) Løken, K. V. (2014): Giving Kids a Fair Chance by J. J. Heckman, Book Review. *Journal of Economic Literature*, 52, 217-218. IF: 5.354
- (9) Bharadwaj, P., K. V. Løken, and C. Neilson (2013): Early Life Health Interventions and Academic Achievement. *American Economic Review*, 103, 1862-91. IF: 3.643
- (10) Løken, K. V., K. E. Lommerud, S. Lundberg (2013): Your Place or Mine? On the Residence Choice of Young Couples in Norway. *Demography*, 50, 285-310. IF: 2.616. PhD
- (11) Løken, K. V., M. Mogstad and M. Wiswall (2012): What Linear Estimators Miss: The Effect of Family Income on Child Outcomes. *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*, 4, 1-35. IF: 3.115. PhD
- (12) Løken, K. V. (2010): Family income and children's education: Using the Norwegian oil boom as a natural experiment. *Labour Economics*, 17, 118-129. IF: 0.916. PhD

### **Work in progress:**

Single Mothers and their Children: Evaluating a Work-encouraging Welfare Reform (joint work with Kjell Erik Lommerud and Katrine Holm Reiso), R&R Journal of Public Economics

Infant Health Care and Long-Term Outcomes (joint work with Aline Bütikofer and Kjell Salvanes), submitted

Incarceration, Recidivism and Employment (joint work with Manudeep Bhuller, Gordon Dahl and Magne Mogstad), submitted

Spillover Effects of Incarceration (joint work with Manudeep Bhuller, Gordon Dahl and Magne Mogstad)

### **In Norwegian**

Cathrine Holst i samtale med Eirik Holmøyvik og Katrine Løken: Den nye vinen. *Nytt Norsk Tidsskrift*, 2, 2015

Ved veis ende: Har familiepolitikken spilt fallitt som likestillingsverktøy? (med Julian Johnsen) *Nytt Norsk Tidsskrift*, 1, 2013

Politikkimplikasjoner fra litteraturen om familieinntekt og effekter på barns utdanning. *Søkelys på Arbeidslivet*, 1-2, 2011

### **Presentations 2014-2017:**

Invited seminar, Helsinki, Jan. 2014; Invited seminar, Uppsala, Feb. 2014; Invited seminar, Praha, March 2014; Invited seminar, Oslo, March 2014; Workshop, Montreal, April 2014; Invited seminar, Maastricht, April 2014; Sandmo Junior Lecture, NHH, April 2014; Workshop, Bergen, June 2014; Workshop, Helsinki, June 2014; Invited seminar, RESTUD Board meeting, Leuven, Sep 2014; Invited seminar, Department of Economics, Mannheim, Sep 2014; Invited seminar, Department of Economics, Humboldt University Berlin, Oct 2014; Workshop, London, May 2015; Invited session, EEA, Mannheim, Aug 2015; Invited seminar, IIES, Stockholm, Oct 2015; Invited seminar, SOFI, Stockholm, Oct. 2015; Stavanger-Bergen workshop in Berkeley, Dec. 2015; Invited seminar, University of Zürich, Feb. 2016; Invited seminar, University of

Bocconi, April 2016; Invited seminar, University of Autonomia, Barcelona, April 2016; Invited seminar LSE London, June 2016; Invited seminar, Gothenburg, Nov 2016; Invited workshop on family economics, Oslo, Nov 2016; Invited seminar, Southern University Denmark, March 2017; Invited seminar, CREST, Paris, March 2017; Invited seminar, University Pompeu Fabra, April 2017

### **Research stays**

2007-2008: University College London

2011-2012: University of California, San Diego

### **Refereeing**

American Economic Review, American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Policy, Demography, Economic Journal, European Economic Review, Industrial Relations, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Labour Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Quarterly Journal of Economics