

# David Westerheide

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## EDUCATION

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- Lund University** Since 2022  
*Ph.D in Economics*
- Supervisors:
    - Prof. Kaveh Majlesi (Monash/Lund)
    - Prof. Arna Olafsson (CBS)
    - Prof. Claudio Damiano (Lund)
- Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam** 2021 - 2022  
*M.Sc. Finance*
- Thesis: "Gender, Wealth, and Stock Market Participation"
  - Supervisor: Prof. Arjen Siegmans
- University of Copenhagen** 2019 - 2021  
*M.Sc. Economics*
- Thesis: "A Step Towards Uniform Taxation: Analyzing a VAT Reform in Iceland"
  - Supervisor: Prof. Claus Thustrup Kreiner
- University of Mannheim** 2015 - 2018  
*B.Sc. Economics*
- Thesis: "Is China Heading for a Middle Income Trap?"
  - Supervisor: Prof. Harald Fadinger
- Tilburg University** 2017  
*Exchange Semester (Erasmus)*

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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- Copenhagen Business School (CBS)** Sep. 2020 - Sep. 2023  
*Research Assistant* *Dept. of Finance*
- Institute of Applied Economics and Health Research (ApHER)** Sep. 2019 - May 2020  
*Student Assistant* *Green Business*
- Leibniz-Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW)**  
Jun. 2019 - Aug. 2019  
*Affiliate* *Dept. for Corporate Taxation and Public Finance*
- Mar. 2019 - May 2019  
*Intern* *Dept. for Corporate Taxation and Public Finance*
- Jun. 2016 - Jul. 2017  
*Student Assistant* *Dept. for International Finance and Financial Management*

## CONFERENCES AND SUMMER SCHOOLS

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<b>5th Zurich Conference in Public Finance in Developing Countries</b> <i>Participant</i>	Dec. 2020 <i>Zurich (Zoom)</i>
<b>Graduate School of Economics and Social Science (GESS Mannheim)</b> <i>GESS Summer School on Empirical and Quantitative Methods</i>	Oct. 2019 <i>Mannheim</i>
<b>2019 CEA Conference</b> <i>Speaker/Discussant, Presentation of my Bachelor thesis</i>	Sept. 2019 <i>Stockholm</i>
<b>2019 ZEW Public Finance Conference</b> <i>Participant</i>	May 2019 <i>Mannheim</i>

## TEACHING

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TA in *NEKG52: Public Economics and the Welfare State* (2023)  
TA in *NEKG81: Fixed-Income Securities* (2023)

## AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

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<b>Finalist at the VSAE Econometric Games</b> Placed within the top-ten of the Econometrics "World Cup" in Amsterdam	2023
<b>Südwestmetall Schulpreis Ökonomie</b> Award for an outstanding performance and achievements in economics class and the Abitur	2015

## TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

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<b>Stata:</b> Advanced	<b>Python:</b> Intermediate	<b>R:</b> Intermediate
<b>VBA:</b> Intermediate	<b>LaTeX:</b> Advanced	<b>MS Office:</b> Advanced
<b>SQL:</b> Intermediate		

## LANGUAGES

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<b>English:</b>	Full professional proficiency
<b>Danish:</b>	Elementary proficiency
<b>Norwegian:</b>	Elementary proficiency
<b>German:</b>	Native

## MISCELLANEOUS

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Representative in the <b>Program Committee</b> at the VU Amsterdam	Sept. 2021 - Aug. 2022
Co-Organizer of weekly pro-European events for <b>Pulse of Europe</b>	Mar. 2017 - Jul. 2017