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## Short presentation

Research interests

Development economics

Poverty

Income distribution and growth

Micro- and macroeconomic policy and modeling

Teaching and supervision

I have over the years lectured at a great variety of institutions and places around the world, including countries in both the North and the South and have supervised a large number of students at bachelors, masters and PhD level at the University of Copenhagen. The focus in my teaching has been and remains development economics and its diverse sub-components. I am not at present teaching on a regular basis at the Department of Economics at the University of Copenhagen.

Recent publications

*Mozambique at a Fork in the Road: An Institutional Diagnostic*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2023. Editor with A. Cruz, I. Ferreira and J. Flento.

'Assessing the Impact of Covid-19 in Mozambique in 2020'. Published online in *The European Journal of Development Research*. With V. Salvucci.

'Imports, Supply Chains and Firm Productivity'. *World Development*, vol. 172, 2023. With C. Newman and J. Rand.

'Good Business Practices Improve Productivity in Myanmar's Manufacturing Sector'. *Journal of Development Studies*, vol. 59(8), 2023. With P. Falco, H. Hansen, J. Rand and N. Trifkovic.  
Most downloaded publications (source: RePEc)

'On the Empirics of Foreign Aid and Growth'. *The Economic Journal*, vol. 114(496), 2004, pp. F191-FF216. With C.-J. Dalgaard and H. Hansen.

'Aid and Growth Regressions'. *Journal of Development Economics*, vol. 64(2), 2001, pp. 547-70. With H. Hansen.

'Business Cycles in Developing Countries: Are They Different?' *World Development*, vol. 30(12), 2002, pp. 2071-88. With J. Rand.

'Financial Liberalization, Financial Development, and Economic Growth in LDCs'. *Journal of International Development*, vol. 15(2), 2003, pp. 189-208. With T. B. Andersen.

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'Aid and Growth Regressions'. *Journal of Development Economics*, vol. 64(2), 2001, pp. 547-70. With H. Hansen.

'Aid Effectiveness Disputed'. *Journal of International Development*, vol. 12(3), 2000, pp. 375-98. With H. Hansen.

'On the Empirics of Foreign Aid and Growth'. *The Economic Journal*, vol. 114(496), 2004, pp. F191-FF216. With C.-J. Dalgaard and H. Hansen.

*Foreign Aid and Development: Lessons Learnt and Directions for the Future*. London and New York: Routledge, 2000, 512 pages. Editor, assisted by P. Hjertholm.

Media presence

'Overcoming the challenge of illicit financial flows - Four pieces of advice for policymakers'. *WIDERAngle*, October 2023.

'How institutions matter in Mozambique'. *WIDERAngle*, October 2023.

'From Monterrey to Addis Ababa, and What Has Happened Since?'. *WIDERAngle*, March 2023.

'In Memory of Martin Ravallion - A Global Leader in Development Economics (19 March 1952 – 24 December 2022)'. *WIDERAngle*, January 2023. With T. Addison and K. Sen.

'Forskere: En Universel Basisindkomst Kan Have Langvarige Positive Effekter'. *Udvikling*, 4 April 2022. With S. Jones (in Danish).

'Poverty and Vulnerability Dynamics in Myanmar'. London School of Economics, 18 February 2022. With I. Ferreira and V. Salvucci.

Metrics

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