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Background

Education

BSc. Economics

Stockholm School of Economics in Riga, Latvia

MSc. Health Economics (Economics and Business), *Cum laude*

Erasmus School of Economics, Erasmus University Rotterdam

Research

5 years in marketing research at various companies.

MSc. thesis project: Decomposition of informal care supply across Europe.



Research interests

The long term health effects of early life socio-economic circumstances:

- Medical science predicts that circumstances in utero and at birth have long-term impact on health.
- Challenge – to identify causal effects.

Patient cost-sharing arrangements in health insurance:

- Effects of increasing deductibles on health care utilization and costs.
- Effects of a voluntary deductible on moral hazard and adverse selection.

Supervisors

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