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Research

My research is in applied microeconomics and contract theory in particular. My most recent work has combined an interest in the foundational work on the make-vs-buy dichotomy, and an interest in out-sourcing of public-sector activities with a focus on the incentives created by different institutional arrangements.

Qualifications

Economics, PhD, Lund University
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Employment

Professor, Head of department
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Research outputs

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On the screening power of incentive schemes

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Awards

Uphandling, uppföljning och otillåten påverkan inom välfärdssektorn: Nätverksbygge i juridik, nationalekonomi och praktik

Andersson, F. (PI)

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Projects

Public Art and the New Commons - Integrating perspectives on actors, institutions and structures forming public space - Theme, Pufendorf, IAS

Wennersten, U. (PI), Andersson, F. (PI), Kärrholm, M. (Researcher), Zander, U. (Researcher), Lindqvist, K. (Researcher), de Wit Sandström, I. (Researcher), Lyrevik, A. (Researcher) & Qvarnström, L. (Researcher)

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Public Management Research

Ramberg, U. (Researcher), Hellström, M. (Researcher), Mattisson, O. (Researcher), Anell, A. (Researcher), Thomasson, A. (Researcher), Glenngård, A. (Researcher), Ellegård, L. M. (Researcher), Haraldsson, M. (Researcher), Rennstam, J. (Researcher), Andersson, F. (Researcher) & Nordgren, L. (Researcher)

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