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### Short biography

I am an Associate Professor at Stockholm University's Department of Sociology and a Visiting Fellow in the Department of Methodology at the London School of Economics. Previously, I have worked as a senior researcher at the Office for National Statistics. My research covers a range of topics relating to demography, sociology, migration studies, geography, epidemiology, political science and research methods. I have received large-scale funding for several projects that aim to understand the lives of immigrants, refugees, and their descendants. My recent research includes studies of family formation, health inequalities, and the impact of childhood on early-adult life course trajectories. My teaching reflects my research interests, in particular topics relating to demography, migration, and methodology.

### Academic and research positions

2021 - ongoing	<b>Associate Professor</b> (Docent), Department of Sociology, Stockholm University
2016 - ongoing	<b>Visiting Fellow</b> , Department of Methodology, London School of Economics
2018 - 2021	<b>Researcher</b> , Stockholm University Demography Unit
2016 - 2018	<b>Postdoctoral researcher</b> , Stockholm University Demography Unit
2014 - 2016	<b>Fellow</b> , Department of Methodology, London School of Economics
2012 - 2013	<b>Researcher</b> , Department of Social Policy, London School of Economics
2007 - 2010	<b>Senior researcher</b> , Office for National Statistics
2006	<b>Researcher</b> , Food Ethics Council
2005	<b>Analyst</b> , BG Group
2001 - 2003	<b>Researcher</b> , University of Brighton
2000 - 2001	<b>Analyst</b> , South East Water

### Education

2021	<b>Docent</b> (Associate Professor) in Sociology, Stockholm University
2011 - 2015	<b>PhD (Demography)</b> , London School of Economics (LSE) Thesis title: <i>Origin, destination and convergence: Understanding the fertility of international migrants and their descendants</i> Supervisors: <i>Wendy Sigle and Jouni Kuha</i>
2012 - 2014	<b>Postgraduate Certificate of Higher Education</b> (full certificate), LSE
2010 - 2011	<b>MSc Social Research Methods</b> (distinction), LSE
2001 - 2003	<b>MSc Statistical Consultancy</b> , University of Brighton
2000 - 2002	<b>BSc Psychology</b> , Open University
1996 - 1999	<b>BEng Civil Engineering</b> , University of Leeds

### Research interests

Social demography  
Socioeconomic and health inequalities  
The lives of immigrants and their descendants  
Families, children and childbearing  
Research design and methodology

### Google scholar profile

Citations: 977; H-index: 20; i10-index: 29 [\[link\]](#)

## Peer-reviewed publications

- 2024** Wilson, B. (2024)  
**The childbearing of immigrants who arrived as children: Understanding the role of age at arrival for women and men**  
*Demography* (in press)  
Previously: *Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2021:29
- Wilson, B., Wallace, M. and Saarela, J. (2024)  
**Understanding the intergenerational impact of migration: An adult mortality advantage for the children of forced migrants?**  
*Epidemiology*, 35(5), 589-596.  
<https://doi.org/10.1097/EDE.0000000000001763>  
Previously: *Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2023:9
- Wallace, M., Mussino, E., Aradhya, S., Harber-Aschan, L., and Wilson, B. (2024)  
**Childhood socioeconomic background and elevated mortality among the young adult second generation in Sweden: A population-based cohort study**  
*BMJ Public Health*, 2 (1), 1-9.  
<https://doi.org/10.1136/bmjph-2023-000643>  
Previously: *Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2023:21
- 2023** Ugglå, C., and Wilson, B. (2023)  
**Parental age gaps among immigrants and their descendants: Adaptation across time and generations?**  
*Population Studies*, 77 (2), 311-333 (Online ISSN 1477-4747)  
<https://doi.org/10.1080/00324728.2021.1998583>  
Previously: *Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2020:17
- Tønnessen, M. and Wilson, B. (2023)  
**Visualising immigrant fertility profiles of childbearing and their implications for migration research**  
*Journal of International Migration and Integration*, 24 (Suppl 1), 23-46  
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s12134-020-00762-5>  
Previously: *Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)* 2019:23
- 2022** Nisén, J., Bijlsma, M. J., Martikainen, P., Wilson, B., Myrskylä, M. (2022)  
**The gendered impacts of delayed parenthood on educational and labor market outcomes: a dynamic analysis of population-level effects over young adulthood**  
*Advances in Life Course Research*, 53(100496): 1-16 (Online ISSN 1879-6974)  
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.alcr.2022.100496>  
Previously: *MPIDR Working Paper, WP-2019-017*
- Wallace, M., Wilson, B. and Darlington-Pollock, F. (2022)  
**Social inequalities experienced by children of immigrants across multiple domains of life: A case study of the Windrush in England and Wales**  
*Comparative Migration Studies*, 10(18): 1-21 (Online ISSN 2214-594X)  
<https://doi.org/10.1186/s40878-022-00293-1>  
Previously: *Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2020:40

\*Saarela, J. and \*Wilson, B. (2022)

**Forced migration and the childbearing of women and men:**

**A disruption of the tempo and quantum of fertility?**

*Demography*, 59(2): 707-729 (Print ISSN 0070-3370)

<https://doi.org/10.1215/00703370-9828869>

\* Shared first-authorship

Previously: *Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2020:20

Wallace, M., and Wilson, B. (2022)

**Age variations and over-coverage:**

**Is the migrant mortality advantage merely a data artefact?**

*Population Studies*, 76(1): 81-98

<https://doi.org/10.1080/00324728.2021.1877331>

Previously: *Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2020:02

**2021** Mussino, E., Wilson, B. and Andersson, G. (2021)

**The fertility of immigrants from low fertility settings:**

**Adaptation in the tempo and quantum of childbearing?**

*Demography*, 58 (6): 2169-2191

<https://doi.org/10.1215/00703370-9476273>

Previously: *Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2020:22

Niséen, J., Klüsener, S., Dahlberg, J., Dommermuth, L., Jasilioniene, A., Kreyenfeld, M., Lappegård, T., Li, P., Martikainen, P., Neels, K., Riederer, B., te Riele, S., Szabó, L., Trimarchi, A., Viciano, F., Wilson, B., Myrskylä, M. (2021)

**Educational differences in cohort fertility across sub-national regions in Europe**

*European Journal of Population*, 37, 263-295

<https://doi.org/10.1007/s10680-020-09562-0>

Previously:

*MPIDR Working Paper, Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, WP-2019-018*

**2020** Batyra, E., Coast, E., Wilson, B. and Cetorelli, V. (2020)

**The socioeconomic dynamics of trends in female genital mutilation/cutting across Africa**

*BMJ Global Health*, 5 (10): e003088

<http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/bmjgh-2020-003088>

Previously: *Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)* 2020:25

Wilson, B., Drefahl, S., Sasson, I., Henery, P. and Uggla, C. (2020)

**Regional trajectories in life expectancy and life-span variation:**

**Persistent inequality in two Nordic welfare states**

*Population, Space and Place*, 26(8): e2378

<http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/psp.2378>

Previously: *Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)* 2019:10

Cetorelli, V., Wilson, B., Coast, E. and Batyra, E. (2020)

**Female genital mutilation/cutting in Mali and Mauritania:**

**Understanding trends and evaluating policies**

*Studies in Family Planning*, 51(1), 51-69

<http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/sifp.12112>

Bijlsma, M. and Wilson, B. (2020)  
**Modelling the socio-economic determinants of fertility:  
A mediation analysis using the parametric g-formula**  
*Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: Series A*, 183(2), 493-513  
<https://doi.org/10.1111/rssa.12520>

Previously:  
*Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper) 2017:08* and  
*MPIDR Working Papers, Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, WP-2017-013*

Wilson, B. (2020)  
**Understanding how immigrant fertility differentials vary  
over the reproductive life course**  
*European Journal of Population*, 36, 465-498  
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s10680-019-09536-x>

**2019** Wallace, M. and Wilson, B. (2019)  
**Migrant mortality advantage versus origin and the selection hypothesis**  
*Population and Development Review*, 45(4), 767-794  
<https://doi.org/10.1111/padr.12298>

Busetta, A., Mendola, D., Wilson, B. and Cetorelli, V. (2019)  
**Measuring vulnerability of asylum seekers and refugees in Italy**  
*Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 47(3), 596-615  
<https://doi.org/10.1080/1369183X.2019.1610368>

Naci, H., Salcher-Konrad, M., Mcguire, A., Berger, F., Kuehne, T., Goubergrits, L.,  
Muthurangu, V., Wilson, B. and Kelm, M. (2019)  
**Impact of predictive medicine on therapeutic decision making:  
A randomized controlled trial in congenital heart disease**  
*Nature NPJ Digital Medicine*, 2: 17  
<https://doi.org/10.1038/s41746-019-0085-1>

Bijlsma, M.J., Wilson, B., Tarkiainen, L., Myrskylä, M. and Martikainen, P. (2019)  
**The impact of unemployment on antidepressant purchasing:  
Combining the parametric g-formula and individual intercepts  
to adjust for time-varying confounding and unobserved selection**  
*Epidemiology*, 30(3), 388-395  
<https://doi.org/10.1097/EDE.0000000000000985>

Wilson, B. (2019)  
**The intergenerational assimilation of completed fertility:  
Comparing the convergence of different origin groups**  
*International Migration Review*, 53(2), 429-457  
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0197918318769047>

**2017** Wilson, B. and Kuha, J. (2017)  
**Residential segregation and the fertility of immigrants and their descendants**  
*Population, Space and Place*, 24(3): e2098  
<https://doi.org/10.1002/psp.2098>

Busetta, A., Cetorelli, V. and Wilson, B. (2017)  
**A universal health care system?  
Unmet need for medical care among regular and irregular immigrants in Italy**  
*Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*, 20(2), 416-421  
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s10903-017-0566-8>

- 2016 Wilson, B. and Dyson, T. (2016)  
**Democracy and the demographic transition**  
*Democratization*, 24(4), 594-612  
<https://doi.org/10.1080/13510347.2016.1194396>
- 2012 Adserà, A., Ferrer, A. M., Sigle-Rushton, W. and Wilson, B. (2012)  
**Fertility patterns of child migrants:  
 Age at migration and ancestry in comparative perspective**  
*The ANNALS of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*, 643(1), 160–189  
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0002716212444706>
- 2010 O’Leary, L., Natamba, E., Jefferies, J. and Wilson, B. (2010)  
**Fertility and partnership status in the last two decades**  
*Population Trends*, 140, 5-35
- Wilson, B. (2010)  
**Children with a non-resident parent**  
*Population Trends*, 140, 53-81
- Wilson, B. and Stuchbury, R. (2010)  
**Do partnerships last?  
 Comparing marriage and cohabitation using longitudinal census data**  
*Population Trends*, 139, 37-63
- 2009 Wilson, B. (2009)  
**Estimating the cohabiting population**  
*Population Trends*, 136, 21-27
- 2008 Wilson, B. and Smallwood, S. (2008)  
**Age differences at marriage and divorce**  
*Population Trends*, 132, 17-25
- Wilson, B. and Smallwood, S. (2008)  
**The proportion of marriages ending in divorce**  
*Population Trends*, 131, 28-36
- 2007 Wilson, B. and Smallwood, S. (2007)  
**Understanding recent trends in marriage**  
*Population Trends*, 128, 24-32

## Books

- 2007 Smallwood, S. and Wilson, B. (2007)  
**Focus on Families 2007**  
 London: Palgrave Macmillan

## Book chapters and other publications

- 2015 Wilson, B. (2015). **Origin, destination and convergence: understanding the fertility of international migrants and their descendants.** *PhD thesis*, LSE
- 2011 Wilson, B. (2011). **Migrant fertility in England and Wales: Measuring fertility convergence.** *Masters dissertation*, LSE
- 2009 ONS (2009) **Households, Families and Children.** *Social Trends* 39 (pp. xxvi-xxx)

- 2007 McConnell, H., & Wilson, B. (2007). **Families**. In S. Smallwood & B. Wilson (Eds.), *Focus on Families 2007* (pp. 1–18). London: Palgrave Macmillan
- Wilson, B., & Smallwood, S. (2007). **Family geography**. In S. Smallwood & B. Wilson (Eds.), *Focus on Families 2007* (pp. 71–86). London: Palgrave Macmillan

### Preprints, working papers and work in progress

- 2024 Weber, R., Pupaza, E., Wilson, B. and Ichou M. (2024)  
**From segregation to the mainstream: Childhood neighborhoods of immigrants and their descendants in France and Sweden**  
*Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2024:37  
<https://doi.org/10.17045/sthlmuni.26779198.v2>
- Wilson, B. (2024) **Using Swedish administrative registers to study immigrants and their descendants: Identifying immigrants, measuring their migration background, and linking data across generations**  
*Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2024:16  
<https://doi.org/10.17045/sthlmuni.25407814.v1>
- 2023 Pupaza, E., Harber-Aschan, L. and Wilson, B. (2023)  
**Persistent Educational Inequality among the Children and Grandchildren of Refugees?**  
*Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2023:1  
[https://su.figshare.com/articles/preprint/Persistent\\_Educational\\_Inequality\\_among\\_the\\_Children\\_and\\_Grandchildren\\_of\\_Refugees\\_/21896496](https://su.figshare.com/articles/preprint/Persistent_Educational_Inequality_among_the_Children_and_Grandchildren_of_Refugees_/21896496)
- 2022 Harber-Aschan, L., Pupaza, E. and Wilson, B. (2022)  
**The legacy of exile for children of refugees: Inequality and disparity across multiple domains of life**  
*Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2022:22  
[https://su.figshare.com/articles/preprint/The\\_legacy\\_of\\_exile\\_for\\_children\\_of\\_refugees\\_s\\_Inequality\\_and\\_disparity\\_across\\_multiple\\_domains\\_of\\_life/21739436](https://su.figshare.com/articles/preprint/The_legacy_of_exile_for_children_of_refugees_s_Inequality_and_disparity_across_multiple_domains_of_life/21739436)
- Wilson, B., Mussino, E. and Uggla C. (2022)  
**Patterns of early adult disadvantage among the children of immigrants: Life course trajectories across multiple domains of life**  
*Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2022:10  
[https://su.figshare.com/articles/preprint/Patterns\\_of\\_early\\_adult\\_disadvantage\\_among\\_the\\_children\\_of\\_immigrants\\_Life\\_course\\_trajectories\\_across\\_multiple\\_domains\\_of\\_life/19922915](https://su.figshare.com/articles/preprint/Patterns_of_early_adult_disadvantage_among_the_children_of_immigrants_Life_course_trajectories_across_multiple_domains_of_life/19922915)
- 2021 Pupaza, E., Hofstetter, S. and Wilson, B. (2021)  
**Economic Effects of Partner Loss: Examining vulnerability at the intersection of gender and nativity**  
*Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2021:26  
[https://su.figshare.com/articles/preprint/Economic\\_Effects\\_of\\_Partner\\_Loss\\_Examining\\_vulnerability\\_at\\_the\\_intersection\\_of\\_gender\\_and\\_nativity/16691311](https://su.figshare.com/articles/preprint/Economic_Effects_of_Partner_Loss_Examining_vulnerability_at_the_intersection_of_gender_and_nativity/16691311)
- Wilson, B., Bijlsma, M.J., Aradhya, S. and Goisis, A. (2021)  
**Problems in the family: Controlling for age, period or cohort in sibling comparison designs**  
*Stockholm Research Reports in Demography (working paper)*, 2021:4  
[https://su.figshare.com/articles/preprint/Problems\\_in\\_the\\_family\\_Controlling\\_for\\_age\\_period\\_or\\_cohort\\_in\\_sibling\\_comparison\\_designs/14055407](https://su.figshare.com/articles/preprint/Problems_in_the_family_Controlling_for_age_period_or_cohort_in_sibling_comparison_designs/14055407)

- 2019** Wilson B., Marten L., Marbach M., Hangartner D. and Hainmueller J. (2019)  
**Age at arrival and the integration trajectories of childhood refugees**  
 (available on request)
- Wilson B., Goisis A. and Aradhya S. (2019)  
**The impact of early parenthood on the integration of childhood refugees**  
 (available on request)
- 2018** Wilson, B. and Sigle, W. (2018)  
**Defining and testing the convergence of migrant fertility**  
 (available on request)

### Grants, funding, and consultancy

- 2024** Swedish Research Council (VR) **Principal applicant**  
*The role of family in determining life course trajectories for those who arrived in Sweden as refugees*  
**4.8m SEK (\$415,000)**
- 2023** FORTE (Sweden) **Co-applicant**  
*Segregation across multiple domains: How does workplace and neighbourhood segregation shape the employment trajectories of refugees and their children?*  
**4.9m SEK (\$470,000)**
- 2020** European Research Council (ERC) **Principal applicant**  
*A Better Life for the Children of Exile: Intergenerational Adaptation of the Descendants of Refugees (REFU-GEN)*  
**1.4m Euros (\$1.7m)**
- 2018** Riksbankens Jubileumsfond (Sweden) **Co-applicant**  
*The Neighbourhood Revisited: Spatial Polarization and Social Cohesion in Contemporary Sweden*  
**40.2m SEK (\$4.5m)**
- FORTE (Sweden) **Co-applicant**  
*Influences of origin and destination on migrant fertility*  
**3.7m SEK (\$430,000)**
- 2017** Swedish Research Council (VR) **Principal applicant**  
*Exposure to Swedish society and immigrant integration: The family formation of immigrants who arrived as children*  
**3.4m SEK (\$420,000)**
- 2016** FORTE (Sweden) **Co-applicant**  
*Migrant Trajectories: Geographical Mobility, Family Careers, Employment, Education, and Social Insurance in Sweden 1990-2016*  
**9m SEK (\$1.1m)**
- LSE RIIF (UK): **Co-investigator**  
*Funding to carry out the first wave of a longitudinal survey of Syrian and Iraqi refugees arriving in Greece*  
**£30,000 (\$39,000)**

	STICERD Grant (UK) <i>Seed funding for a project to understand trends and evaluate policies relating to female genital mutilation in Africa</i> <b>£5,000 (\$6,000)</b>	<b>Co-applicant</b>
	FP7-funded project, CARDIOPROOF (Europe) <i>Design, conduct, and analysis of a randomized survey-based experiment</i> <b>£2,000 (\$3,000)</b>	<b>Consultant</b>
<b>2015</b>	BBC Media Action (UK) <i>(1) Longitudinal analysis to evaluate the impact of targeted public broadcasting on reproductive health outcomes in Ethiopia</i> <i>(2) Propensity score matching to evaluate the effects of media exposure on governance outcomes in Kenya</i> <b>£4,000 (\$5,000)</b>	<b>Consultant</b>
	LSE RIIF (UK) <i>Seed funding to pilot a longitudinal survey of refugees who arrive in Lesbos, Greece</i> <b>£3,000 (\$4,000)</b>	<b>Co-investigator</b>
<b>2013</b>	ESRC (UK) <i>Analysis of UK data sources for the EU Joint Programming Initiative, "More Years, Better Lives - The Potential and Challenges of Demographic Change"</i> <b>£3,000 (\$4,000)</b>	<b>Consultant</b>

### **Selected conference presentations**

**The distribution of reproduction during a fertility transition: Understanding the declining spread of parenthood in Brazil**, *British Society for Population Studies conference*, Bath, September 2024

**How neighbourhood context determines inequality later in life for the children of refugees**, *European Regional Science Association (ERSA)*, Azores (Portugal), August 2024

**Does neighborhood context determine inequality later in life? Quasi-experimental evidence for the Swedish-born children of Iranian refugees**, *Population Association of America*, Columbus (USA), April 2024

**Understanding the intergenerational impact of migration: An adult mortality advantage for the children of forced migrants?**, *Population Association of America*, New Orleans (USA), April 2023

**The legacy of exile for children of refugees: Inequality and disparity across multiple domains of life**, *British Society for Population Studies*, Winchester (UK), September 2022.  
Also presented at: *Portuguese Conference of Demography*, Lisbon (Portugal), October 2022  
Also presented at: *Population Association of America conference*, New Orleans (USA), April 2023

**Socioeconomic mediators of immigrant childbearing: The direct and indirect effects of age at arrival**, *quadrennial conference of the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population*, Online, December 2021

Also presented at: *MigrantLife Symposium*, Online and St. Andrews, Scotland, March 2022  
Also presented at: *Population Association of America conference*, Online, May 2021

**Parental age gaps among immigrants and their descendants: Adaptation across time and generations?**, *British Society for Population Studies conference*, Online, September 2021



**The life course trajectories of immigrants who arrive as children**, *IMISCOE (International Migration Research Network) conference*, Online, July 2021

Also presented at: *Nordic Migration Research Conference*, Online, January 2021

**The fertility of child migrants: Understanding the role of age at arrival for women and men**, *British Society for Population Studies conference*, Online, September 2020

**The Impact of Early Parenthood on the Integration of Childhood Refugees**, *Population Association of America conference*, Austin, April 2019

**Age at Arrival and the Integration Trajectories of Childhood Refugees**, *European Population Conference*, Brussels, Belgium, June 2018

**The impact of unemployment on depression: combining the parametric g-formula and individual intercepts to adjust for time-varying confounding and unobserved selection**, *The Scientific Meeting of the Italian Statistical Society (SIS)*, Palermo, Sicily, June 2018

**Regional inequalities in length of life: A Nordic comparison**, *Workshop on Inequality and Uncertainty in Length of Life*, Tel Aviv, Israel, May 2018

**Asylum Seekers and Refugees in Informal Settlements in Italy: A Multidimensional Vulnerability Assessment**, *Chaire Quetelet*, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium, November 2017

**A new approach to understanding the socio-economic determinants of fertility over the life course**, *Population Association of America conference*, Chicago, April 2017

**What is the influence of childhood exposure to cultural norms? The role of segregation and community composition in explaining migrant fertility**, *Conference of the Italian Association for Population Studies (AISP)*, Florence, February 2017

**What does the recent refugee crisis mean for the future of European demography? From policies and statistics to the voices of Syrian refugees**, *British Society for Population Studies conference*, Winchester, September 2016

**Female genital mutilation/cutting in Mali and Mauritania**, *British Society for Population Studies conference*, Winchester, September 2016

**What is the influence of childhood exposure to cultural norms? The role of segregation and community composition in explaining migrant fertility**, *European Population Conference*, Mainz, September 2016

**The interplay between socio-economic background and unmarried parental cohabitation: The case of France and Britain**, paper presented at *The Research Committee 28 on Social Stratification and Mobility (RC28) of the International Sociological Association (ISA) Summer Conference*, Philadelphia, August 2015

**A conceptual framework for migrant fertility**, paper presented at the *European Population Conference*, Budapest, June 2014

**Disentangling the quantum and tempo of immigrant fertility**, paper presented at the *International Union for the Scientific Study of Population conference*, Busan, August 2013

**Understanding the Fertility Convergence of Migrant Generations**, paper presented at the *International Union for the Scientific Study of Population* conference, Busan, August 2013

**Disentangling the quantum and tempo of immigrant fertility**, paper presented at the *International Conference of Population Geography*, Groningen, June 2013

**The quantum convergence of migrant fertility in the UK**, paper presented at the *Population Association of America* conference, New Orleans, April 2013

**Migration and fertility convergence**, paper presented at the *British Society for Population Studies* conference, Nottingham, September 2012

**Generational fertility convergence in England and Wales: Assessing the own-child method**, paper presented at the *European Population Conference*, Stockholm, June 2012

**Migrant fertility in England and Wales**, paper presented at the *British Society for Population Studies* conference, York, September 2011

**Migrant fertility: origins, generations, and convergence**, paper presented at the postgraduate demography conference *Popfest*, Groningen, July 2011

**Do partnerships last?**, *European Population Conference*, Vienna, June 2010

**Age difference at marriage and divorce**, *European Network for the Sociological and Demographic Study of Divorce* conference, Oslo, April 2008

**Cohabitation ending in separation**, *British Society for Population Studies* conference, Manchester, September 2008

**Marriages ending in divorce**, *GSS methodology conference*, London, April 2008

**Age difference and trends in marriages ending in divorce**, *British Society for Population Studies* conference, Manchester, September 2007

## **Invited presentations**

**What is the legacy of exile? New evidence about the children and grandchildren of refugees**, invited presentation at the *University of Lisbon (Portugal)*, October 2024

**Educational inequality among the children and grandchildren of refugees**, invited presentation at *Utrecht University (Netherlands)*, March 2024

**The intergenerational adaptation of demographic outcomes: What can we learn by studying the children of refugees?**, invited presentation for the *Population studies research group at the London School of Economics (UK)*, July 2022

**Intergenerational adaptation among the children of immigrants and refugees: The latest findings from Sweden**, *University of Palermo (Italy)*, Palermo, November 2021

**Understanding adaptation among the children of immigrants and refugees: What we can learn from recent quantitative research and how we can go beyond the limits of current knowledge?**, *University College London (UK)*, online seminar, October 2021

**Adaptation of family formation among the children of immigrants and refugees**, *Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute (Netherlands)*, online seminar, October 2021

**The fertility of child migrants later in life: Understanding the role of age at arrival for women and men**, *Penn Population Studies Center*, Online seminar, April 2021

**The fertility of child migrants later in life: Understanding the role of age at arrival for women and men**, *Swedish Institute for Social Research (SOFI)*, online seminar, March 2021

**Understanding the lives of immigrants and their descendants: From selection to adaptation**, *School of Governance, Law and Society*, Tallinn University, September 2019

**Age at Arrival and the Integration Trajectories of Childhood Refugees**, *Institut national d'études démographiques (INED)*, Paris, January 2018

**What is the influence of childhood exposure to cultural norms? The role of segregation and community composition in explaining migrant fertility**, *Centre for Economic Demography*, Lund University, Lund, February 2017

**The quantum convergence of migrant fertility in the UK**, *Oxford Fertility Seminar Series*, Oxford, February 2013

**Migration and fertility convergence**, *Demographic Liaison Group*, City Hall, London, April 2011

**Family trends using the General Lifestyle Survey**, *GLF user group*, London, April 2009

**Social Trends: Families and households**, presentation to the *UK media*, London, April 2009

**The proportion of marriages ending in divorce**, presentation to the charity *OnePlusOne*, London, April 2008

## Teaching experience

I have more than 800 hours of experience in teaching for higher education, including courses for undergraduates, postgraduates, faculty, and professional researchers. I have a degree in teaching and have designed several courses, most recently a summer school in survey research methods.

A summary of my teaching experience is as follows:

**2016-ongoing Lecturer and course leader/organiser**, London School of Economics  
*How to analyse data from population registers and other administrative sources*  
*Survey research methods: from design to analysis (summer school)*  
*Event history methods for the social sciences*

**2017-ongoing Lecturer**, Stockholm University  
*Migration, ethnicity and integration*  
*Complex Inequalities*

- 2021**      **Lecturer**, European Association for Population Studies (EAPS) PhD Masterclass  
*Understanding the causes of intergenerational adaptation:  
Explaining inequalities for the children of refugees and other immigrants*
- 2019**      **Lecturer and course organiser**, Tallinn University  
*Methods Masterclass: Causal inference in the social sciences*
- 2014-2016**      **Fellow**, Department of Methodology, London School of Economics  
*Fundamentals of social science research design  
Survey methodology  
Causal inference for experimental and observational studies  
Statistical analysis of survey data and the use of survey weights  
Event history analysis  
Introduction to quantitative analysis  
Applied regression analysis  
Dissertation supervision*
- 2011-2014**      **Graduate Teaching Assistant**, London School of Economics  
*Causal inference for experimental and observational studies  
Assessing social progress  
Applied regression analysis  
Introduction to linear regression  
Introduction to quantitative analysis  
Survey methods (LSE methods summer school)*
- 2013**      **Graduate Teaching Assistant**, Essex Summer School  
*Logit and probit models*
- 2012-2013**      **Graduate Teaching Assistant**, ICPSR Summer Program, Berkeley  
*Causal inference for the social sciences*

## Supervision and examination

PhD supervisor:	Frankseco Yorke      (ongoing) Ane Tømmerås      (ongoing)
MSc supervisor:	Stockholm University: 5 students 2017-ongoing London School of Economics: 2 students 2015-2016
PhD thesis examiner:	Selcan Mutgan (2021, reserve) Helena Honkaniemi (2022)
PhD upgrade:	Amy Heshmati (2022)
MSc thesis examiner:	Stockholm University 2022-ongoing: 1 student
MSc thesis opponent:	Stockholm University 2017-ongoing: 3 students

## Professional memberships

International Union for the Scientific Study of Population  
European Association for Population Studies  
Population Association of America  
British Society for Population Studies  
Swedish Demographic Association  
Italian Population Association  
Fellow of the Higher Education Academy

## Professional service

- Service as expert:** I am an expert for *Population Europe* (the network of Europe's leading demographic centres). I have also served as an expert for the following groups:  
*Expert advisory panel: National population projections (UK)*  
*Mapping research on segregation (Swedish Research Council)*
- Project management:** I am a member of the steering committee for the RJ programme: *'The Neighbourhood Revisited: Spatial Polarization and Social Cohesion in Contemporary Sweden'*.
- I am also currently managing my own ERC project on the *'Intergenerational Adaptation of the Descendants of Refugees'*
- Previously, I have managed a 3-year VR-funded project on *'Exposure to Swedish society and immigrant integration'* and co-managed two LSE-funded projects, including a survey of Syrian and Iraqi refugees arriving in Greece from 2015-16.
- Work as a referee:** I have refereed more than 50 articles for journals including:  
*Advances in Life Course Research, American Journal of Political Science, American Sociological Review, Canadian Journal of Political Science, Democratization, Demographic Research, Demography, European Journal of Population Studies, Genus, International Migration, International Migration Review, Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies, Journal of International Migration and Integration, Plos One, Population, Population and Development Review, Population Research and Policy Review, Population Space and Place, Population Studies, and Population Trends*
- Many of these are summarised on my [publons profile](#)
- Advisory boards:** I am on the advisory board of the project: *AVRAI - Assessing the Vulnerability of Refugees and Asylum seekers in Italy*
- Teaching boards:** I am a Visiting Professor as part of the PhD in Population Sciences at the University of Lisbon.  
I also serve as a PhD board member for the University of Palermo
- Research networks:** Founder member and editor of *'demotrends'*, a collaborative blog for population researchers  
Member of *'research network for the study of migration and fertility'*  
Former member of *'European network for the sociological and demographic study of divorce'*
- Conference and seminar organisation and leadership:**
- Organiser: *Population Association of America 2022 ('immigrant fertility' session)*  
*British Society for Population Studies 2022 ('migration' strand)*  
*British Society for Population Studies 2020 ('children of immigrants' session)*  
*British Society for Population Studies 2013 ('methods' session)*  
*London School of Economics population studies seminar 2013*  
*British Society for Population Studies 2012 ('methods' session)*  
*British Society for Population Studies 2012 ('families and households' strand)*  
*London School of Economics population studies seminar 2012*  
*British Society for Population Studies 2010 ('families and households' strand)*  
*British Society for Population Studies 2009 ('families and households' strand)*  
*British Society for Population Studies 2008 ('families and households' strand)*

Chair/discussant: Various conferences, in particular at the *Population Association of America annual conference (2017-2024)*, *European Population Conference (2016, 2018)* and *British Society for Population Studies annual conference (2008-2024)*

### **Awards**

Economic and Social Research Council Studentship 2010-2014  
LSE Departmental Teaching Prize (Methodology) 2013  
Best Overall Performance: MSc Social Research Methods 2011

### **Languages**

Advanced: English;  
Intermediate: Swedish;  
Basic: Danish, Norwegian, French and Portuguese

*References available on request*