

## **Matz DAHLBERG**

### **DEGREES**

Docent (Associate Professor) in Economics, Uppsala University, 2001.  
PhD in Economics, Uppsala University, 1997  
BA in Economics, Uppsala University, 1992

### **EMPLOYMENT**

Uppsala University, Sweden  
Professor in Economics, 2008-  
Associate Professor in Economics, 2001-2008  
Assistant Professor in Economics, 1997-2001

### **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

#### **Visiting positions and research affiliations**

Visiting researcher, University of Barcelona (IEB), April 2007 and March 2010  
Visiting scholar, CESifo, Munich, January-February 2006  
Visiting scholar, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, January-July 1995  
Affiliated researcher at IEB, University of Barcelona, 2008-  
Research member, CESifo, 2006-  
Research associate, Institute for Labour Market Policy Evaluation (IFAU), Uppsala, 1997-

#### **Editorial duties**

Editor for *CESifo Economic Studies*, 2010-  
Member, Editorial Board, *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 2007-2010  
Editor for *Ekonomisk Debatt*, Journal of the Swedish Economic Association, 2001-02

#### **Awards**

The Peggy and Richard Musgrave Prize for 2004, awarded at the 2004 IIPF conference in Milan, Italy  
Myrdalspriset (Gunnar Myrdal price for best paper in *Ekonomisk Debatt* in 2000)  
IIPF Young Scholars Award, awarded at the 1998 IIPF conference in Cordoba, Argentina

#### **Other positions and appointments**

Member of the board, Uppsala Center for Fiscal Studies, 2010-  
Member of the board, Institute for Housing and Urban Research, Uppsala University, 2008-  
Director of Graduate Studies in Economics at Uppsala University, 2009-  
Director of Master Program in Economics at Uppsala University, 2006-2009  
Acting director of graduate studies, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 2001-02  
Member of the board, Department of Economics, Uppsala University, 1999-2008

Member of local organizing committee for the 2010 IIPF Conference in Uppsala, Sweden  
Member of scientific committee for the 2009 IIPF conference in Cape Town, South Africa  
Member of scientific committee for the 2005 IIPF conference at Jeju Island, South Korea

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

“Are Local Governments Governed by Forward Looking Decision Makers? An Investigation of Spending Patterns in Swedish Municipalities”, *Journal of Urban Economics* 44, 254-271, 1998. (With Tomas Lindström)

“Small Sample Properties of Jackknife IV and LIML Estimators: Experiments with Weak Instruments”, *Journal of Applied Econometrics* 14, 69-88, 1999. (With Sören Blomquist)

“An Examination of the Dynamic Behavior of Local Governments using GMM Bootstrapping Methods”, *Journal of Applied Econometrics* 15:4, 401-416, 2000. (With Eva Johansson)

“On the Vote Purchasing Behavior of Incumbent Governments”, *American Political Science Review* 96:1, 2002. (With Eva Johansson)

“The Effects of Grants and Wages on Municipal Labour Demand”, *Labour Economics* 11, 315-334, 2004. (With Pål Bergström and Eva Mörk)

“Direct Displacement Effects of Labour Market Programmes”, *Scandinavian Journal of Economics* 107, 475-494, 2005. (With Anders Forslund)

“Public Employment and the Double Role of Bureaucrats”, *Public Choice* 126, 387-404, 2006. (With Eva Mörk)

“The Case Against JIVE: A Comment”, *Journal of Applied Econometrics* 21, 839-841, 2006. (With Sören Blomquist)

“Do Politicians’ Preferences Correspond to those of the Voters? An Investigation of Political Representation”, *Public Choice* 130, 137-162, 2007. (With Eva Mörk and Hanna Ågren)

“On the Performance of the Sargan Test in the Presence of Measurement Errors in Dynamic Panels”, *Applied Economics Letters* 15, 349-353, 2008. (With Eva Mörk and Per Tovmo)

“Inequality and Crime: Separating the Effects of Permanent and Transitory Income”, *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* 70, 129-153, 2008. (With Magnus Gustavsson)

“Is there a ‘Race-to-the-Bottom’ in the Setting of Welfare Benefit Levels: Evidence from a Policy Intervention”, *Journal of Public Economics* 92, 1193-1209, 2008. (With Karin Edmark).

“Using a Discontinuous Grant Rule to Identify the Effect of Grants on Local Taxes and Spending”, *Journal of Public Economics* 92, 2320-2335, 2008. (With Eva Mörk, Jørn Rattsø, and Hanna Ågren).

“Estimating Preferences for Local Public Services Using Migration Data”, Forthcoming in *Urban Studies*. (With Matias Eklöf, Peter Fredriksson and Jordi Jofre Monseny)

“Is there an Election Cycle in Public Employment? Separating Time Effects from Election Year Effects”, forthcoming in *CESifo Economic Studies*. (With Eva Mörk)