

Biographical info, Per Krusell, April 2016

Professor of Economics at the Institute for International Economic Studies, Stockholm University.

Research areas:

Macroeconomics, broadly speaking.

Some specific subareas and questions: the role of technological change for economic growth and labor markets, the causes of inequality among consumers in their income and wealth, political economy and public finance; tools for understanding the interaction between macroeconomic fluctuations and inequality.

Current focus: a long-term research project on global climate change and its interaction with the economy, in collaboration with natural scientists.

Current positions of relevance:

Professional positions: aside from main affiliation (IIES),

--Centennial Professor at London School of Economics and Political Science (part-time)

--University of Gothenburg (part-time Visiting Professor)

--Sveriges Riksbank (part-time consultant in their Research Department)

Boards:

--SNS (Studieförbundet Näringsliv och Samhälle)

Research/peer evaluation:

--European Research Council panel (for Advanced Grants), since 2012

--Various Scientific Advisory Boards (institutes abroad)

--referee for many journals, foundations, research organizations

Memberships (based on election):

--Member of the Econometric Society (just elected Council member, their "board")

--Member of the Royal Academy of Sciences (KVA)

--Member of National Bureau of Economic Research (USA)

--Member of Centre for Economic Policy Research Royo (Europe)

Past positions of relevance:

Professional positions:

--Princeton University (2004-2009; full professor with unlimited tenure)

--University of Rochester (1994-2004; full professor with unlimited tenure)

--University of Pennsylvania (1993-1994; assistant professor on tenure track)

--Northwestern University (1991-1993; assistant professor on tenure track)

--Short-term visiting professor at various universities around the world

--Research consultant at several of the Federal Reserve Banks in the US

Boards:

--Riksgälden (2011-2012)

Research/peer evaluation:

--National Science Foundation (US)

--Prize Committee for the Sveriges Riksbank Prize in Economic Sciences in honor of Alfred Nobel (2003-2013, 2017-; chairman 2011-2013)

--European Economic Association Standing Committee for Women in Economics (2010-2013; including member of the Prize Committee for the Birgit Grodal Award, a prize for the best woman research economist in Europe)

Main publications: 46 anonymously reviewed publications, of which 15 in top-5 journals

Citations: 11154 GS citations (as of 20170103)

Major prizes and grants: 2007 Söderberg Prize; 4 consecutive 3-year NSF grants, advanced ERC, Wallenberg Scholar, Bank of Sweden Tercentenary Foundation