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Curriculum Vitae Svante Prado

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Academic degrees

- 2003 Ph.D., Economic history, University of Gothenburg
Master, M.Sc. economic history, quantitative methods, mathematics, history of science, history of political theory, Russian literature, University of Gothenburg
- 1999 Bachelor, economic history, quantitative methods, University of Gothenburg

Main research fields:

Swedish wages and labour markets in historical perspective, International comparisons of labour productivity

Main teaching fields:

Environmental history, Modern economic growth

Academic experience

Research projects:

- 2016 - Technology, skills and inequality through the eyes of establishment-level data for Swedish manufacturing, 1879– 2012

Head of research project:

- 2017 - 2021 Technology, skills and inequality through the eyes of establishment-level data for Swedish manufacturing, 1879– 2012
- 2015 - 2019 Poles apart: a long-term perspective on inequality, industrialization and labour market institutions in Brazil and Sweden
- 2013 - 2017 Weights and Currencies: Estimating Levels of Swedish Labour Productivity in Agriculture, Industry and Services in Relation to the US and the UK, 1850–2010

International research projects:

- 2015 - 2019 Poles apart: a long-term perspective on inequality, industrialization and labour market institutions in Brazil and Sweden, Renato Perim Colistete, FEA, Universidade de Sao Paulo Dante Aldrighi, FEA, Universidade de Sao Paulo Felipe Pereira Loureiro, Instituto de Relações Internacionais, Universidade de Sao Paulo

Supervision of PhD students:

2011 - 2014 Kristoffer Collin, University of Gothenburg (Co-supervisor)
2010 - 2014 Svenja Gärtner, University of Gothenburg (Co-supervisor)

Opponent and/or examiner of PhD and licentiate theses:

2014 Karolin Sjöö, Lund University (Opponent)

Reviewer assignments:

, Scandinavian Economic History Review, Cliometrica, European Economic History, European Economic History, Cliometrica, Economic History Review, Journal of Economic History, Scandinavian Economic History Review

Academic assignments:

2012 - 2014 Scandinavian Economic History Review (Member of editorial board)

Arranging conference, symposium, seminar or workshop:

2015 Poles apart: a long term perspective on inequality, industrialization and labour market institutions in Brazil and Sweden, 2015-12-14

International academic experience:

2015 - 2015 Research project: Poles apart: a long term perspective on inequality, industrialization and labour market institutions in Brazil and Sweden
2015 - 2015 Doctoral student

Publications

Journal article (peer-reviewed)

Prado, Svante (2018) Inkomstfördelning, tillit och välfärdsstaten: en historisk tillbakablick. *Socialmedicinsk Tidskrift*, 95:3, p. 264-275.

Waara, Joacim, Prado, Svante (2018) Missed the starting gun! Wage compression and the rise of the Swedish model in the labour market. *Scandinavian Economic History Review*, 66:1.

Prado, Svante, Theodoridis, Dimitrios (2017) Electricity and the Technology–Skill Complementarity: Evidence from the Swedish Industrial Census of 1931. *Essays in Economic & Business History*, 35:1, p. 97-122.

Gärtner, Svenja, Prado, Svante (2016) Unlocking the Social Trap: Inequality, Trust and the Scandinavian Welfare State. *Social science history*, 40:1, p. 33-62.

Lundh, Christer, Prado, Svante (2015) Markets and politics: the Swedish urban-rural wage gap, 1865-1985. *European Review of Economic History*, 19:1, p. 67-87.

Enflo, Kerstin, Lundh, Christer, Prado, Svante (2014) The Role of Migration in Regional Wage Convergence. *Explorations in Economic History*, 52, p. 93-110.

Prado, Svante (2014) Yeast or mushrooms? Productivity patterns across Swedish manufacturing industries, 1869–1912. *Economic history review*, 67:2, p. 382-408.

Prado, Svante (2010) Fallacious convergence? Williamson's real wage comparisons under scrutiny. *Cliometrica*, 4:2.

Bohlin, Jan, Larsson, Svante (2007) The Swedish wage-rental ratio and its determinants, 1877-1926. *Australian Economic History Review*, 47:1, p. 49-72.

Journal article (other academic)

Bohlin, Jan, Prado, Svante (2011) Marknad med förhinder: prisutvecklingen på jordbruksfastigheter. *Jordbruk och skogsbruk i Sverige sedan år 1900. Studier av de areella näringarnas geografi och historia red. Hans Antonson & Ulf Jansson; Kungl. Skogs- och lantbruksakademien. Skogs- och lantbrukshistoriska meddelanden nr 53*, p. 117-132.

Bohlin, Jan, Prado, Svante (2011) A market with strings attached: agricultural price movements. *Agriculture and forestry in Sweden since 1900. Geographical and historical studies. ed. Hans Antonson & Ulf Jansson; The Royal Swedish Academy of Agriculture and Forestry. Skogs- och lantbrukshistoriska meddelanden nr 54*, p. 123-138.

Book chapter

Prado, Svante (2010) Nominal and real wages of Swedish manufacturing workers, 1860-2007. In *Historical monetary and financial statistics for Sweden, vol. 1: Exchange rates, prices and wages, 1277-2008*, p. 479-527. Stockholm : Ekerlids Förlag.

Doctoral thesis

Prado, Svante (2008) *Aspiring to a higher rank: Swedish factor prices and productivity in international perspective, 1860-1950*. Doct. thesis, Göteborg: University of Gothenburg.

Review

Prado, Svante (2014) Innovationer, tillväxt och strukturomvandling. *Historisk tidskrift*, 2014:4, p. 735-741.

Prado, Svante (2011) Vår världs ekonomiska historia: den industriella tiden. *Historisk tidskrift*, 2011, p. 401-403.

Prado, Svante (2010) The British Industrial Revolution in Global Perspective. *Scandinavian Economic History Review*, 58:3.

Prado, Svante (2010) The Industrious Revolution: Consumer Behaviour and the Household Economy, 1650 to the Present. By Jan de Vries. *Historisk tidskrift*, 2010:1.

Prado, Svante (2010) The Race between Education and Technology. *Historisk tidskrift*, 2010:2.

Prado, Svante (2009) An Economic History of South Africa. Conquest, Discrimination and Development. By Charles Feinstein. *Historisk tidskrift*, 2009:1.

Prado, Svante (2009) Growing unequal? Income distribution and poverty in OECD countries. By OECD. *European Journal of Social Security*, 11:3, p. 332-334.