

Curriculum vitae breve – Bengt-Arne Wickström

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Personal matters

Born 1948.04.06 in Borgsjö, Sweden; Austrian Citizen

Education

<i>School</i>	<i>Field</i>	<i>Degree</i>	<i>Year</i>
State University of New York at Stony Brook (SUNY at SB), New York, USA	Economics	Doctor of Philosophy	1975
SUNY at SB	Economics	Master of Arts	1973
SUNY at SB	Physics	Master of Arts	1970
Bowdoin College, Brunswick Maine, USA	Physics and Mathematics	Bachelor of Arts	1969
Sigtunastiftelsens Humanistiska Läroverk, Sigtuna, Sweden	Science and Mathematics	Examen Artium	1967

Work

Present positions

Professor (C4)	Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany
Honorary professor	Lucian-Blaga-University of Sibiu (Hermannstadt), Rumänien
Honorary professor	Universidad de La Habana

Past positions

Vice President	Deutsches Institut für Wirtschaftsforschung (DIW Berlin), Germany
Professor	Johannes-Kepler-Universität Linz, Austria
Honorary professor	Universitetet i Bergen, Bergen, Norway
Professor	Universitetet i Bergen, Bergen, Norway
Forskar I (Associate professor)	Universitetet i Bergen, Bergen, Norway
Fyrsteamanuensis (Assistant professor)	Noregs handelshøgskole (Norwegian School of Economics and Business Administration, NHH), Bergen, Norway
Guest professor	Noregs handelshøgskole (Norwegian School of Economics and Business Administration, NHH), Bergen, Norway
Lecturer	Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, USA
Lecturer, part time	SUNY at SB
Teaching assistant	SUNY at SB

Teaching experience

Public economics
 Economics and language
 Welfare theory
 Environmental economics
 Theory of pension systems
 Economic theory of justice
 Mathematics for economists
 Mathematical economics
 Micro economic theory
 The economics of social policy
 Public enterprise economics
 Public choice

Administrative and other activities (selection)

- Chairman of the Economics section of the Norwegian School of Economics and Business Administration, 1980.01-1981.12.
- Chairman of the Institute of Economics of Johannes-Kepler-Universität Linz, 1991.09-1992.09.
- Chairman of the examination committees of the School of Business and Economics of Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 1993.12-1996.03.
- Commissioner for international contacts (from 2010.04 Dean of International Relations) of the School of Business and Economics of Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 1997.01-.
- Director of the Master's Program in Economics and Management Science of the School of Business and Economics of Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 1998.06-.
- Deputy Dean of the School of Business and Economics of Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 2008.04 -.
- Chairman of the Program Committee and Local Organizer of the annual meeting of the European Public Choice Society / Société Européenne pour l'Analyse des Choix Publics in Solstrand (Bergen), Norway, 1988.05.18-21.
- President of the European Public Choice Society / Société Européenne pour l'Analyse des Choix Publics, 1988.05-1989.04.
- Local Organizer of the sixth annual meeting of the European Society for Population Economics in Gmunden (Linz), Austria, 1992.06.10-13.
- Chairman of the Local Arrangements Committee of the annual meetings of the European Economic Association and the Econometric Society European meeting, Berlin, 1998.08.29-09.05.
- Chairman of the *Ausschuß* for Population Economics of the German Economic Association (Verein für Socialpolitik), 2001-2005.
- Chairman of the Program Committee and Local Organizer of the annual meeting of the European Public Choice Society in Berlin 2004.04.15-18.
- Chairman of the Local Arrangements Committee of the annual meetings of the European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE) in Berlin 2004.09.02 – 05.
- Chairman of the *Ausschuß* for Public Economics of the German Economic Association (Verein für Socialpolitik), 2005-2009.
- Alexander von Humboldt Research Scholarship, Universität Mannheim, 1982.12-1983.08 and 1984.05-1984.08
- Guest stays (of at least one month)
 - Université d'Orléans
 - University of Stockholm
 - University of Bergen
 - Center for Economic Studies (CES), Universität München
 - Australian National University
 - Université de Paris I
 - University of Haifa
 - Universidad de La Habana
 - Università di Roma – La Sapienza
 - Università di Roma Tre.

Publications

1. Radio observations of filaments during the eclipses of September 11, 1969 and March 7, 1970 (with M. Simon). *Solar Physics*, **20** (1971) 122 – 129.
2. On the major Slutsky properties when money is the sole medium of exchange (with R. Dusansky and P. J. Kalman). *International Economic Review*, **15** (1974) 718 – 728.
3. An economic system with changeable preferences. Dissertation. State University of New York at Stony Brook (1975). 93 pages.
4. A dynamic nonlinear constrained optimal replacement model (with P. J. Kalman). *Naval Research Logistics Quarterly*, **23** (1976) 639 – 651.
5. Prepensely prejudicing preferences: Prologue to a probe of propaganda and proselytizing. *American Economist*, **23** (1979) 7 – 15.
6. Price uncertainty, economies of scale and the competitive firm (with L. Thorlund-Petersen). *Economics Letters*, **9** (1982) 147 – 151.
7. Income redistribution and the demand for social insurance. *Social Insurance* (L. Söderström, ed.). Amsterdam: North-Holland (1983) 21 – 33.
8. Economic justice and economic power: An inquiry into distributional justice and political stability. *Public Choice*, **43** (1984) 225 – 249.
9. Money and transaction costs under uncertainty (with R. Dusansky). *European Journal of Political Economy / Europäische Zeitschrift für Politische Ökonomie*, **1** (1985) 21 – 44.
10. Free riders and band wagons: On the optimal supply of public goods. *Public Goods and Public Allocation Policy* (series: Staatliche Allokationspolitik im marktwirtschaftlichen System, vol. 14) (R. Pethig, ed.). Frankfurt a. M.: Peter Lang Verlag (1985) 41 – 61.
11. Optimal majorities for decisions of varying importance. *Public Choice*, **48** (1986) 273 – 290.
12. Comment on a comment. *Public Choice*, **48** (1986) 295 – 298.
13. Transfers, collective goods and redistribution. *Journal of Economics / Zeitschrift für Nationalökonomie*, Suppl. **5** (1986) 243 – 258.
14. Steuer und Allokation. *Wirtschaftspolitische Blätter*, **33** (1986) 517 – 526.
15. The growth of government and the rise of pressure groups. *Efficiency, Institutions, and Economic Policy* (R. Pethig and U. Schlieper, eds.). Berlin: Springer-Verlag (1987) 39 – 57.
16. Ekonomiaj teorioj pri justeco. *Scienca revuo*, **39** (1988) 3 – 16.
17. Comment: The speed limit as life saver. *Essays in law and economics: Corporations, accident prevention and compensation for losses* (M. Faure and R. Van den Bergh, eds.). Antwerpen: Maklu Uitgevers (1989) 157 – 162.
18. The Norwegian social-security system: Present state and future prospects. *Essays in law and economics: Corporations, accident prevention and compensation for losses* (M. Faure and R. Van den Bergh, eds.). Antwerpen: Maklu Uitgevers (1989) 163 – 184.
19. Decentralization and pressure-group activities. *Optimal decisions in markets and planned economies* (R. E. Quant and D. Třiska, eds.). Boulder: Westview Press (1990) 189 – 196.
20. Comment: Public choice and the consumption tax. *Heidelberg congress on taxing consumption* (M. Rose, ed.). Berlin etc.: Springer-Verlag (1990) 240 – 243.

21. Precedence, privilege, preferences, plus Pareto principle: Some examples on egalitarian ethics and economic efficiency. *Public Choice*, **73** (1992) 101 – 115.
22. Politically stable pay-as-you-go pension systems: Why the social-insurance budget is too small in a democracy (with Johann K. Brunner). *Journal of Economics / Zeitschrift für Nationalökonomie*, Suppl. **7** (1993) 177 – 190.
23. Rent-seeking in different political environments. *Governance by legal and economic measures* (P. Andersen et al., eds.). Copenhagen: GEC Gad (1993) 11 – 32.
24. Symposium on: „Social Insurance Economics“ (editor). *Journal of Population Economics*, **8** (1995) 135 – 221.
25. Equilibrium selection in linguistic games: Kial ni (ne) parolas esperanton? (with Werner Güth and Martin Strobel). *Understanding Strategic Interaction: Essays in honor of Reinhard Selten* (Wulf Albers et al., eds.). Berlin etc.: Springer-Verlag (1997) 257 – 269.
26. Was ist Gerechtigkeit zwischen Generationen? *Beziehungen zwischen Generationen* (Ch. Badelt, ed.). Wien: Schriftenreihe des ÖIF, **4** (1997) 47 – 57.
- 27a. Kio estas kostoj kaj utilo de lingvouzo? *La kostoj de la eŭropa lingva (ne-)komunikado* (R. Selten, ed.). Rom: „Esperanto“ radikala asocio (1997) 5 – 13.
- 27b. Quali sono i costi e l'utilità dell'uso di una lingua? *I costi della (non)comunicazione linguistica europea* (R. Selten, ed.). Rom: „Esperanto“ radikala asocio (1997) 5 – 13 (Italian translation of 27a).
- 27c. What are the costs and benefits of the use of a language? *The costs of European linguistic (non)communication* (R. Selten, ed.). Rom: „Esperanto“ radikala asocio (1997) 6 – 14 (English translation of 27a).
28. Comment on „The politics of European federalism“. *Constitutional law and economics of the European Union* (D. Schmidtchen and R. Cooter, eds.). Cheltenham: Edward Elgar (1997) 105 – 107.
29. The use of scandals in the progress of society (with M. J. Holler). *Homo oeconomicus*, **16** (1999) 97 – 110.
30. Regulation of natural monopoly: A public-choice perspective. *Approaches to and Dilemmas in Economic Regulation: Politics, Economics and Dynamics* (A. Midttun and E. Svindland, eds.). Houndmills and New York: Palgrave Publishers (2001) 55 – 73.
31. The economic consequences of terror (editor, with T. Brück). *European Journal of Political Economy*, **20** (2004) 291 – 515.
32. The economic consequences of terror: Guest editors' introduction (with T. Brück). *European Journal of Political Economy*, **20** (2004) 293 – 300.
33. Can bilingualism be dynamically stable? A simple model of language choice. *Rationality and Society*, **17** (2005) 81 – 115.
34. Fairness, rights, and language rights: On the fair treatment of linguistic minorities. *Public Economics and Public Choice: Contributions in Honor of Charles B. Blankart* (P. Baake and R. Borck, eds.). Berlin: Springer (2007) 81 – 102.
35. Ökonomie und Sprache. *Interlinguistische Informationen*, **Beiheft 16** (2009) 137 – 156.
36. *Finanzpolitik und Schattenwirtschaft* (series: Schriften des Vereins für Socialpolitik, vol. 324) (editor). Berlin: Duncker & Humblot (2010). 196 pages.
37. *Finanzpolitik und Unternehmensentscheidung* (series: Schriften des Vereins für Socialpolitik, vol. 325) (editor). Berlin: Duncker & Humblot (2010). 260 pages.

38. Lingvaj rajtoj kaj lingva justeco. *La arto labori kune: Festlibro por Humphrey Tonkin* (Detlev Blanke and Ulrich Lins, eds.). Rotterdam: UEA (2010) 97 – 103.
39. The optimal Babel: An economic framework for the analysis of dynamic language rights. forthcoming (2010) xx – yy.

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