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FIELDS OF INTEREST Empirical Microeconomics, Labor Economics, Family Economics

EDUCATION

University of Amsterdam PhD Economics	Sept 2020 - July 2025 (expected)
University of Michigan Research visit invited by Basit Zafar	March 2024
University of Pennsylvania Research visit invited by Francesco Agostinelli	Jan 2024 - Feb 2024
University of Amsterdam & Tinbergen Institute MPhil Economics	Sept 2018 - June 2020
Tilburg University BSc Economics	Sept 2015 - June 2018
Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Exchange Semester	Sept 2017 - Dec 2017

JOB MARKET PAPER **Parenthood Timing and Gender Inequality**
Abstract: I study how parenthood affects women's labor market outcomes and gender inequality. I introduce a method to quantify the impacts that simultaneously addresses selective parenthood timing and parenthood timing-dependent effects. The method leverages quasi-experimental variation in the success of assisted conception procedures throughout women's entire treatment histories. Using administrative Dutch data, I find that parenthood persistently reduces women's work hours and income by 9 to 24 percent. Despite that, I find that at least half of the observed post-child gender inequality in these outcomes is not caused by parenthood. Additionally, I propose a unified framework to disentangle and quantify how selective timing and timing-dependent effects bias conventional estimators, successfully reconciling key conflicting findings in the literature. My method is applicable to other settings where individuals are quasi-experimentally assigned to one state but may enter others either through direct selection or by opting into quasi-experimental reassignment.

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WORK IN PROGRESS Ilciukas, J., Lundborg, P., Plug, E., & Rasmussen, A. W. The Only Child.

TALKS	<p>2024 Preferences, Traits, and Skills Workshop (Amsterdam), AFÉPOP (Paris), Gender and Economics workshop (Luxembourg), Economics PhD Conference (Warwick), COMPIE (Amsterdam), ESPE (Rotterdam), EEA-ESEM (Rotterdam), EALE (Bergen), Berlin Workshop on Empirical Public Economics (Berlin)</p> <p>2023 EEA-ESEM (Barcelona), Junior Economists Meeting (Milan), ESPE (Belgrade), Baltic Economic Conference (Riga), Vilnius Winter Meeting (Vilnius)</p> <p>2022 New Paper Sessions (The Hague), ASPEC (Reading)</p> <p>2021 EALE (Virtual)</p>	
GRANTS AND AWARDS	<p>ASF Research Grant, €4,500 University of Amsterdam</p> <p>ASF Research Grant, €5,500 University of Amsterdam</p> <p>Best Paper by a PhD Student, €500 Baltic Economic Conference</p> <p>Full Graduate Scholarship, €11,520 Tinbergen Institute</p>	<p>2024</p> <p>2023</p> <p>2023</p> <p>2019</p>
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	<p>University of Amsterdam Teaching Assistant, Strategy (BSc Business Economics) Thesis Supervisor (BSc Economics and Finance)</p> <p>Tinbergen Institute Teaching Assistant, Microeconomics I (MPhil Economics) Teaching Assistant, Econometrics I (MPhil Economics)</p>	<p>2020 - Present</p> <p>2019</p>
ORGANIZER	<p>Work in Progress (University of Amsterdam) Vilnius Winter Meeting</p>	<p>2022-present 2023</p>
REFEREE	<p>JEBO, The Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Review of Economics of the Household, LABOUR</p>	
OTHER	<p>Education Board Tinbergen Institute</p> <p>Student Sounding Board Economics and Management Tilburg University</p> <p>Programming: Stata, Python, R, Java, L^AT_EX</p> <p>Nationality: Lithuanian</p>	<p>2018-2020</p> <p>2016-2018</p>