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Professional experience

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April 2004 – Apr 2009 Senior executive officer, Statistics Norway, Division for Social and Demographic Research
Dec 2002 – Mar 2004 Senior executive officer, Statistics Norway, Division for Welfare Statistics
Aug 2001 – Dec 2002 Research assistant, [Work Research Institute](#)
June 2000 – Dec 2000 Research assistant, [Department of criminology](#), University of Oslo

Education

June 2010 *PhD* in sociology, University of Oslo (UiO)
December 2001 *Cand polit.* degree in Criminology, UiO
1999 and 2001 Statistics (SS1 and SS3), Department of Economics, UiO
December 1998 *Cand mag.* degree with criminology, sociology and musicology, UiO

Articles in peer-review journals

Skarðhamar, T. and K. Telle (*forthcoming*) "Post-release employment and recidivism in Norway", [Journal of Quantitative Criminology](#)
Skarðhamar, T. and T. H. Lyngstad (2011) "Nordic Register Data and their Untapped Potential for Criminological Knowledge", [Crime and Justice: A review of research](#), vol 40, 613-45
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- Rønsen, M., & Skarðhamar, T. (2009). "Do welfare-to-work initiatives work?" [Journal of European Social Policy](#), vol 19, no 1
- Skarðhamar, T. (2007): "Om å begripe vitensgrepet. Tilsvar til Schaanning" [On the grip on knowledge. Reply to Schaanning], [Materialisten](#) 1/2-07
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- Monsbakken C.W., T. Skardhamar and T.H. Lyngstad (2012) *Crime and the transition to parenthood. The role of sex and relationship context*, Statistics Norway [Discussion papers no 673](#)
- Skarðhamar, T., L.R. Thorsen, K. Henriksen (2011) *Kriminalitet og straff blant innvandrere og øvrig befolkning*, [Rapport 2011/21](#), Oslo: Statistics Norway
- Skarðhamar, T. (2010) *Criminal careers and crime at different stages of life*, PhD-dissertation, Department of Sociology and Human Geography, University of Oslo
- Schafft, A., T. Skardhamar & T. Zhang (2010) *Ny evaluering av Tiltakssatsingen for sosialhjelpsmottakere*, [AFI-rapport no 1/2010](#)
- Skardhamar, T, T. Schweder, & S.G. Schweder (2010) "Modelling 'crime-proneness'. A comparison of models for repeated count outcomes", Statistics Norway [Discussion papers no 611](#)
- Skarðhamar, T. & K.Telle (2009) "Life after prison. The relationship between employment and re-incarceration", Statistics Norway [Discussion papers no 597](#)
- Rege, M., T. Skarðhamar, K.Telle & M. Votruba (2009) "Job Loss and Crime: Evidence from Plant Closure", Statistics Norway [Discussion papers no 593](#)
- Galloway, T.A. & Skarðhamar, T. (2009) "Does parental income matter for onset of offending?", Statistics Norway [Discussion papers no 588](#)
- Skarðhamar, T. (2009) "Reconsidering the theory on adolescent-limited and life-course persistent antisocial behaviour" Statistics Norway [Discussion papers no 587](#)
- Skarðhamar, T. & T. Lyngstad (2009) "Family formation, fatherhood and crime. An invitation to a broader perspective on crime and family transitions", Statistics Norway [Discussion papers no 579](#)
- Rønsen, M. & T. Skarðhamar (2007): Do welfare-to-work-initiatives work?, Statistics Norway [Discussion papers no 519](#)
- Rønsen, M. and Skarðhamar (2006): *Virkning av Arbeids- og velferdsdirektoratets tiltakssatsing blant sosialhjelpsmottakere* [The effect of labour marked initiatives directed towards long term recipients of social assistance], [Rapport 2006/41](#), Oslo: Statistics Norway
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- Skarðhamar, T. (2005): *Lovbruddskarrierer og levekår. En analyse av fødselskullet 1977*. [Criminal careers and living conditions. An analysis of the birth-cohort 1977], [SSB-Rapport 2005/9](#)
- Skarðhamar, T. (2002). *Levekår og livssituasjon blant innsatte i norske fengsler*. K-serien, no 1/2002, Department of criminology, University of Oslo

Other publications

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- Skarðhamar, T. & K. Telle (2009) “Livet etter soning - hindrer arbeid tilbakefall?” [After imprisonment – work and risk of re-incarceration]”, [Samfunnsspeilet](#), vol 23, no. 4: 47-53
- Skarðhamar, T. (2007): ”Oppvekstkår og registrert kriminalitet” [Childhood living conditions and registered crimes], [Statistiske Analyser no 93/2007](#): 146-157, Statistics Norway
- Skarðhamar, T. (2006): ”Ikke-vestlige innvandrere og kriminalitet: Like og forskjellige”, [Non-western immigrants and crime: Equal and different] [Samfunnsspeilet](#) no. 4
- Barstad, A. & T. Skarðhamar (2006): ”Utviklingen av levekårene i Oslo indre øst” [Changes in living conditions in eastern Oslo inner city], [Samfunnsspeilet](#) no. 2
- Skarðhamar, T. (2004): ”Noen få veier tungt i kriminalitetsbildet” [A minor proportion is heavily represented in the crime statistics], [Samfunnsspeilet](#) no. 3

Current projects

Release from prison. In collaboration with [Kjetil Telle](#). Funded by the Ministry of Justice.

Hooks for change? Family and employment as pathways to social inclusion for crime-prone individuals. Collaboration between a research group at Statistics Norway and the Frisch centre for Economic Research. Funded by the Norwegian Research Council.

Presentations

- Skarðhamar, T. & T. Telle (2010). Does employment reduce reincarceration?, American Society of Criminology Conference, San Fransisco 17-20 November.
- Skarðhamar, T. & T. Galloway (2010). Does parental income matter for onset of offending? European Society of Criminology Conference, Liege, Belgium, 8-11 September
- Skarðhamar, T. & T. Lyngstad (2009). Family formation, fatherhood and crime, American Society of Criminology Conference, Philadelphia 3-7 November.
- Skarðhamar, T. & K. Telle (2009). After prison: Does employment reduce recidivism? SCC seminar, Institutt for kriminologi og rettssosiologi, September
- Skarðhamar, T. & K. Telle (2009). “Overgang til sysselsetting etter løslatelse fra fengsel”, Instituttseminar, Institutt for kriminologi og rettssosiologi, Drøbak 17. august
- Skarðhamar, T. & K. Telle (2009). “Overgang til sysselsetting etter løslatelse fra fengsel”, Nordisk Samarbeidsråd for Kriminologi 51. forskerseminar, Gilleleje, Danmark, 14-16 mai.
- Skarðhamar, T. & T. Lyngstad (2009). “About time for cleaning up their act? Family formation, fatherhood and crime”, 12th May, 2009. Conference "Traditional Masculinities?". Hosted by Senter for likestilling, Universitetet i Agder
- Skarðhamar, T., Schweder, T., & Schweder, S. G. (2008). “Modelling crime-proneness”, *VIII Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology, 4-6 September 2008, Edinburgh, Scotland*
- Blokland, A., T. Skarðhamar, A van Wijk and C. Friestad (2008). “Offending diversity in sex offenders; comparing different types of sex offenders using Dutch and Norwegian police data”, *VIII Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology, 4-6 September 2008, Edinburgh, Scotland*
- Skarðhamar, T. (2008) “Exploiting Norwegian register data on crime and social conditions”, *CRIMPREV conference 22-23 July, Keele University, England*
- Skarðhamar, T. (2007) “Does group-based modelling support typological theories?” *VII Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology, 26-29 August 2007, Bologna, Italy*,
- Skarðhamar, T. (2007) “Does welfare-to-work initiatives work?” *XXI Annual Conference of the European Society for Population Economics, June 14-16, 2007, Chicago USA*

Skarðhamar, T. “A register study on criminal careers and social conditions, the Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology” (2004), *IV Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology*, 25-28 August 2004, Amsterdam, Netherlands

Skarðhamar, T. and Angelika Schafft (2003) “New Start in Working Life”, *III Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology*, 27-30 August 2003, Helsinki, Finland

Skarðhamar, T. (2002) “The prison population: the social background and living conditions”, *II Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology*, 4.-7. September 2002, Toledo, Spain

Teaching experience

Various lectures given at [The Correctional Service of Norway Staff Academy](#) (2002 – 2006), and at the [Department of Criminology and Sociology of Law](#), University of Oslo. (2002 – 2008). Seminar groups at the bachelor level at the [Department of Criminology](#) . (1999-2002). Supervising master students in sociology (2009–).

Awards

2010 European Society of Criminology ‘Young Criminologist Award’

Reviewer assignments

Criminology, Journal of Quantitative Criminology, European Journal of Criminology, Scandinavian Journal of Criminology and Crime Prevention, Materialisten, Tidsskrift for Ungdomsforskning, Gofs Research Paper Series, Sociology Compass