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| ACADEMIC POSITIONS | Postdoctoral researcher in Political Science <i>Department of Political Science</i> | 2023 - 2026 Aarhus, Denmark |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research area: Political Economy; Public Opinion <i>Parental leave</i> | 08/2024 - 01/2025 |
| EDUCATION | Ph.D. in Political Science <i>Department of Political Science, Aarhus University</i> | 2020 - 2023 Aarhus, Denmark |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research area: Welfare state attitudes and economic inequality M.A. in Political Science <i>Department of Political Science, Aarhus University</i> | 2018 - 2020 Aarhus, Denmark |
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| PUBLISHED PAPERS | 1. Christensen, M.E. 2025. Mitigating Tough Times? How Material Self-Interest Influences Citizens' Welfare State Behavior <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> . | |
| | 2. Christensen, M.E., Sønderkov, K.M., and Peter T. Dinesen. 2024. Unequal and Unsupportive: Exposure to Poor People Weakens Support for Redistribution among the Rich. <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> , 54(4): 1424-1434 | |
| | 3. Christensen, M.E., and Carsten Jensen. 2025. Danskernes holdning til velfærdsstaten. <i>Politica</i> , 57(3): 42-58 | |
| WORKING PAPERS | 1. Christensen, M.E. n.d.. Downward Competition: How Voters' Perceptions of their Economic Distance to the Poor Shape Attitudes toward Redistribution. Invited for R&R | |
| | 2. Christensen, M.E., Larsen, M.V., Jensen, C. and T. Bøgild. n.d. Stable Demand and Individual-level Responsiveness: The Role of Persistent Pessimism in Welfare Opinion Formation. | |
| | 3. Leipziger, L.E., Aarslew, L.F., and Christensen, M.E.. n.d. Do Group-Based Inequalities Feel More Unjust? Experimental Evidence from Economically Disadvantaged Groups in India, South Africa, and the United States. Invited for R&R | |
| | 4. Christensen, M.E., Sønderkov, K.M., and Peter T. Dinesen. n.d. It's the (relative local) economy, stupid: Local income position is robustly linked to subjective well-being, <i>working paper</i> | |
| | 5. Christensen, M.E.. n.d. Greater Generosity, Diminished Demands: Increased Social Insurance Benefits Temper Public Support for Welfare Expansion, <i>working paper</i> | |
| VISITING RESEARCHER | University of Konstanz <i>Department of Political Science</i> | 2022.03 - 2022.06 Konstanz, Germany |
| | Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin <i>Department of Political Science</i> | 2018.09 - 2019.01 Berlin, Germany |

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| CONFERENCE PAPERS | • American Political Science Association Annual Meeting | 2021 |
| | • American Political Science Association Annual Meeting | 2022 |
| | • American Political Science Association Annual Meeting | 2023 |
| | • American Political Science Association Annual Meeting | 2025 |
| | • European Political Science Association Conference | 2022 |
| | • European Political Science Association Conference | 2023 |
| | • Midwest Political Science Conference | 2021 |
| ACADEMIC SERVICES | Reviewers for: <i>British Journal of Political Science,</i> <i>Socio-Economic Review,</i> ... | |
| TEACHING EXPERIENCE | • Inequality and Political Behavior, MA | 2022 |
| | • Political Behaviour and Public Opinion Formation, BA | 2023 |
| | • Teaching Assistant in General Political Science, BA | 2020 |
| | • Teaching Assistant in Methods I, BA | 2019 |
| | • Teaching Assistant in Methods II, BA | 2019 |
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| | • AU Small Grant | 30,000 DKK |
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| | • Nordea Foundation | 10,000 DKK |
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