

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Employment

October 1988 - March 1993 Lecturer in Economics, University College London.

October 1991 - September 1993, September 1994- Half time at Centre for Economic Performance, London School of Economics.

April 1993 - February 1996 Reader in Economics, University College London.

September 1993 - July 1994 Visiting Associate Professor, Harvard University and National Bureau of Economic Research.

March 1996 - Professor of Economics, University College London.

September 2001 – July 2002 Visiting Professor, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Other Posts Currently Held

1. Research Director, Centre for Economic Performance, London School of Economics.
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Education 1982 – 1985, Wolverhampton Polytechnic
B.A.(Hons.) Economics: First Class

1985 – 1988, University of Warwick
Doctoral Programme in Economics: Ph.D. thesis on 'The Impact of Unions on Economic Performance: Empirical Tests Using British Micro-data' (awarded November 1988)

2010, University of Wolverhampton
Honorary PhD in Social Science

PUBLICATIONS (BY BROAD RESEARCH TOPIC)

I. Labour Market Inequality and Wage Structures

- 'Changes in UK Wage Inequality Over the Last Forty Years', in P. Gregg and J. Wadsworth (eds.) The Labour Market in Winter - The State of Working Britain 2010, Oxford University Press, (forthcoming, 2011)
- 'Changing Wage Structures: Trends and Explanations', in D. Marsden (ed.) Employment in the Lean Years, Oxford University Press, (forthcoming, 2011)
- 'Changes in Wage Inequality', in New Palgrave Dictionary of Economics (with J. Van Reenen) (2008)
- 'An Appraisal of Economic Research on Changes in Wage Inequality', Labour, 22, 7-26 (2008) [Keynote talk from 2007 Association of Italian Labour Economists Conference]
- 'Skill Biased Technology Change and Educational Outcomes', in G. Johnes and J. Johnes (eds.) International Handbook of the Economics of Education, (2004)
- 'Globalization, Skill-Biased Technological Change and Labour Demand', in M. Vivarelli (ed.) Understanding Globalization, Employment and Poverty Reduction (with E. Berman) (2004)
- 'Mobility and Joblessness' in R. Blundell, D. Card and R. Freeman (eds) Seeking a Premier League Economy, (with P. Gregg and A Manning) (2004)
- 'A Test of Competitive Labor Market Theory: The Wage Structure Amongst Care Assistants in the South of England', Industrial and Labor Relations Review, 57, 371-85 (with A. Manning) (2004)
- 'Skill-Biased Technical Change in the New Economy', in D. Jones (ed.) New Economy Handbook, Elsevier (2003)
- 'Wage Inequality Since 1975', in R. Dickens, P. Gregg and J. Wadsworth (eds.) The Labour Market Under New Labour, Palgrave MacMillan (2003)
- 'Subject of Degree and the Gender Wage Differential: Evidence from the UK and Germany', Economics Letters, 73, 393-400, (with P. Puhani) (2003)
- 'The Changing Nature of Labour Demand in the New Economy and Skill-Biased Technology Change', end of project report paper for Leverhulme Trust project "The Labour Market Consequences of Technological and Structural Change", Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, 63, 753-66 (2002)
- 'Technology and International Skill Demand', in T.Ten Raa and R. Schettkat (eds.) The Growth of Service Industries: The Paradox of Exploding Costs and Persistent Demand (2001)
- 'The Changing Distribution of Male Wages, 1966-92', Review of Economic Studies, 67, 635-66, (with A. Gosling and C. Meghir) (2000)
- 'Skill-Biased Technology Transfer Around the World', Oxford Review of Economic Policy, 16 (3), 12-22 (with E. Berman) (2000)
- 'The Causes and Consequences of Long-Term Unemployment in Europe', in O. Ashenfelter and D. Card (eds.) Handbook of Labor Economics, North Holland (with A. Manning) (1999)
- 'Another Nail in the Coffin? Or can the Trade Based Explanation of Changing Skill Structure be Resurrected?' Scandinavian Journal of Economics, 101, 533-54 (with T. Desjonqueres and J. Van Reenen) (1999)
- 'Wage Inequality in the 1970s, 1980s and 1990s', in P. Gregg and J. Wadsworth (eds) The State of Working Britain, Manchester University Press (1999)
- 'Will the NHS pay awards help recruitment?', British Medical Journal (Editorial), 318: 958.

- 'Implications of Skill-Biased Technological Change: International Evidence', Quarterly Journal of Economics, 113, 1245-79 (with E. Berman and J. Bound) (1998)
- 'Technology and Changes in Skill Structure: Evidence From Seven OECD Countries', Quarterly Journal of Economics, 113, 1215-44 (with J. Van Reenen) (1998)
- 'Recent Shifts in Wage Inequality and the Wage Returns to Education in Britain', National Institute Economic Review, 166, 87-98 (1998)
- 'Estimating the Effect of Minimum Wages on Employment From the Distribution of Wages: A Critical View', Labour Economics, 17, 1-22 (with R. Dickens and A. Manning) (1998)
- 'The Meaning and Determinants of Skills Shortages', Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, 60, 165-88 (with F. Green and D. Wilkinson) (1998)
- 'Can Supply Create its own Demand? Implications for Rising Skill Differentials', European Economic Review (Conference Volume), 41, 507-16 (with A. Manning) (1997)
- 'The Decline of Labour Market Institutions and the Rise in Wage Inequality in Britain', European Economic Review (Conference Volume), 41, 647-58 (1997)
- 'Evaluating The Pin Money Hypothesis', Journal of Population Economics, 10, 137-58 (with S. Harkness and J. Waldfogel) (1997)
- 'Wage Inequality in the UK', Oxford Review of Economic Policy, 12(1), 47-64 (1996)
- 'Changes in the Relative Demand for Skills in the UK Labour Market', Chapter 7 in A. Booth and D. Snower (eds.) Acquiring Skills: Market Failures, Their Symptoms and Policy Responses, Cambridge University Press (1996)
- 'Women's Pay and Family Incomes in Britain, 1979-91', Chapter 8 in J. Hills (ed.) The New Inequality, Cambridge University Press (with S. Harkness and J. Waldfogel) (1996)
- 'Skill-Biased Technological Change and Employment: Evidence From Around the World', Chapter 9 in S. Dowrick (ed.) The Economics of Innovation, Aldershot: Edward Elgar (with E. Berman) (1995)
- 'What Happened to the Wages of Men Since the Mid-1960s?', Fiscal Studies, 15, 63-87 (with A. Gosling and C. Meghir) (1994)
- 'Is the UK Rise in Wage Inequality Different?', Chapter 3 in R. Barrell (ed.) The UK Labour Market, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press (with P. Gregg) (1994)
- 'Low Pay, High Pay and Labour Market Efficiency', Chapter 5 in A. Glyn and D. Miliband (eds.) Paying for Inequality: The Economic Cost of Social Injustice, London: Rivers Orma Press (with P. Gregg and A. Manning) (1994)

II. Minimum Wages

- 'Minimum Wages and Firm Profitability', American Economic Journal: Applied, (with M. Draca and J. Van Reenen), 3, 129-51 (2011)
- 'Minimum Wages in a Low Wage Labour Market: Care Homes in the UK', Economic Journal Conference Volume, 114, 102-109 (with J. Wilson) (2004)
- 'Where the Minimum Wage Bites Hard: The Introduction of the UK National Minimum Wage to a Low Wage Sector', Journal of the European Economic Association (with A. Manning and L. Rahman), 1, 154-80 (2003)
- 'The Effects of Minimum Wages on Employment: Theory and Evidence From Britain', Journal of Labor Economics, 17, 1-22 (with R. Dickens and A. Manning) (1999)
- 'Minimum Wages and Economic Outcomes in Europe', European Economic Review (Conference Volume), 41, 733-42 (with A. Manning) (1997)
- 'Employment and the Introduction of a Minimum Wage in Britain', Economic Journal (Policy Forum), 106, 667-76 (with A. Manning) (1996)

- 'The Economic Impact of Minimum Wages in Europe', Economic Policy, 23, 317-72 (with J. Dolado, F. Kramarz, A. Manning, D. Margolis and C. Teulings) (1996)
- 'The Employer-Size Wage Effect. Can Dynamic Monopsony Provide an Explanation?', Oxford Economic Papers, 48, 433-55 (with F. Green and A. Manning) (1996)
- 'The Effects of Minimum Wages on UK Agriculture', Journal of Agricultural Economics, 46, 1-19 (with R. Dickens, D. Metcalf, A. Manning, J. Wadsworth and S. Woodland) (1995)
- 'Minimum Wages, Wage Dispersion and Employment: Evidence from the U.K. Wages Councils', Industrial and Labor Relations Review, 47, 319-29 (with A. Manning) (1994)
- 'Minimum Wages and Employment: A Theoretical Framework and an Application to the UK Wages Councils', International Journal of Manpower, 15, 26-48 (Special Issue on Minimum Wages), (with R. Dickens and A. Manning) (1994)
- 'Wages Councils: Was There a Case for Abolition?', British Journal of Industrial Relations, 31, 515-30 (with R. Dickens, P. Gregg, A. Manning and J. Wadsworth) (1993)

III. The Economics of Education

- 'Education and Mobility', Journal of the European Economic Association, (with P. Pelkonen and K. Salvanes), (forthcoming, 2011)
- 'Resources and Standards in Urban Schools', Journal of Human Capital, (with C. Meghir and S. McNally), (forthcoming, 2011)
- 'Variation in Educational Outcomes and Policies Across Countries and of Schools Within Countries', (with R. Freeman and M. Viarengo), in edited Brookings Institution volume (forthcoming, 2011).
- 'Ethnicity and Educational Achievement in Compulsory Schooling', Economic Journal, 120, F272-F297 (with C. Dustmann and U. Schoenberg) (2010)
- 'Housing Valuations of School Performance', (with S. Black), Handbook of the Economics of Education, North Holland (2010)
- 'Inequality and Education', (with J. Blanden), in D. Brewer and P. McEwan (eds.) Economics of Education, Amsterdam: Elsevier (2010), and reprinted in E. Baker, B. McGaw, and P. Peterson, P. (eds.) International Encyclopedia of Education, Amsterdam: Elsevier (2010).
- 'Intergenerational Inequality in Early Years Assessments', (with J. Blanden), in Hansen, K., H. Joshi and S. Dex (eds.) Children of the 21st Century, Policy Press (2010).
- 'Economics of Education Research: A Review and Future Prospects', Oxford Review of Education, 35, 617-32 (with L. Dearden and A. Vignoles) (2009)
- 'Education and Inequality', in W. Salverda, B. Nolan and T. Smeeding (eds.) Oxford Handbook of Economic Inequality, Oxford University Press (2009).
- 'Global Sex Differences in Test Score Variability', Science, 322, 1331-1332 (with T. Pekkarinen) (2008)
- 'The Literacy Hour', Journal of Public Economics, 92, 1441-62 (with S. McNally) (2008)
- 'Choice, Competition and Pupil Achievement', Journal of the European Economic Association, 6, 912-47 (with S. Gibbons and O. Silva) (2008)
- 'The New Economics of Education: Methods, Evidence and Policy', Journal of Population Economics, 21, 1-19 (2008)
[Keynote talk from 2007 European Society of Population Economics Conference]
- 'Valuing School Quality, Better Transport and Lower Crime: Evidence From House Prices', Oxford Review of Economic Policy, 24, 99-119 (2008)

- 'Up and Down the Generational Income Ladder in Britain: Past Changes and Future Prospects', National Institute Economic Review, 205, 101-116 (with J. Blanden) (2008)
- 'Competition for Private and State School Teachers', Journal of Education and Work, 21, 385-404 (with F. Green, R. Murphy and Y. Zhu), (2008)
- The Economics of Education and Training', Physica-Verlag Studies in Empirical Economics (jointly edited with Christian Dustmann and Bernd Fitzenberger) (2008)
- 'Public and Private Schooling Initiatives in England: The Case of City Academies', in R. Chakrabarti and P. Peterson (eds.) School Choice International, (with J. Wilson) (2008)
- 'Education Expansion and Intergenerational Mobility in Britain', in L. Woessmann and P. Peterson (eds.) Schools and the Equal Opportunity Problem, MIT Press (2007)
- 'New Technology in Schools: Is There a Payoff?', Economic Journal, 117, 1145-67 (with S. McNally and O. Silva) (2007)
- 'Paying for Primary Schools: Admissions Constraints, School Popularity or Congestion?', Economic Journal, 116, 77-92 (with S. Gibbons) (2006)
- 'Gender and Student Achievement in English Schools', Oxford Review of Economic Policy, 21, 357-72 (with S. McNally) (2005)
- 'What's the Good of Education? The Economics of Education in the United Kingdom', Princeton University Press (jointly edited with A. Vignoles) (2005)
- 'Changes in Intergenerational Mobility in Britain', in M. Corak (ed.) Generational Income Mobility, Cambridge University Press (with J. Blanden, A. Goodman and P. Gregg) (2004)
- 'Improving Pupil Performance in English Secondary Schools: Excellence in Cities', Journal of the European Economic Association Proceedings, 2, 396-405 (with S. McNally and C. Meghir) (2004)
- 'Educational Inequality: The Widening Socio-Economic Gap', Fiscal Studies, 25, 107-28 (with A. Vignoles) (2004)
- 'Educational Inequality and the Expansion of UK Higher Education', Scottish Journal of Political Economy, 51, 230-49 (Special Issue on Economics of Education), (with J. Blanden) (2004)
- 'Valuing English Primary Schools', Journal of Urban Economics, 53, 197-219 (with S. Gibbons) (2003)
- 'Higher Education, Family Income and Changes in Intergenerational Mobility', in R. Dickens, P. Gregg and J. Wadsworth (eds.) The Labour Market Under New Labour, Palgrave MacMillan (2003)
- 'The Relationship Between Childhood Experiences, Subsequent Educational Attainment and Adult Labour Market Performance', in K. Vleminckx and T. Smeeding (eds.) Child Well Being in Modern Nations: What do we Know? (with P. Gregg) (2001)
- 'Poor Kids: Child Poverty in Britain, 1966-96', Fiscal Studies (with P. Gregg and S. Harkness) (1999)
- 'Childhood Disadvantage and Success or Failure in the Labour Market', in D. Blanchflower and R. Freeman (eds.) Youth Employment and Joblessness in Advanced Countries, National Bureau of Economic Research, Cambridge, MA (with P. Gregg) (1999)
- 'Intergenerational Inequality' in Persistent Poverty and Lifetime Inequality: The Evidence, HM Treasury Occasional Paper 10 (1998) .
- 'Intergenerational Mobility in Britain', Economic Journal, 107, 47-66 (with L. Dearden and H. Reed) (1997)
- 'Intergenerational Transmissions of Economic Status', in P. Gregg (ed.) Jobs, Wages and Poverty, Centre for Economic Performance: London (1997)

IV. The Economics of Crime

- 'Panic on the Streets of London: Crime, Police and the July 2005 Terror Attacks', American Economic Review, (with M. Draca and R. Witt), (forthcoming, 2011)
- 'The Crime Reducing Effect of Education', Economic Journal, (with O. Marie and S. Vujic), (forthcoming, 2011)
- 'Crime and Police Resources: The Street Crime Initiative', Journal of the European Economic Association, (with O. Marie) (forthcoming, 2011)
- 'Crime Displacement and Police Interventions: Evidence from London's "Operation Theseus"', (with M. Draca and R. Witt), in Di Tella, R., S. Edwards and E. Schargrodsky (eds.) The Economics of Crime: Lessons For and From Latin America, NBER Conference Volume (Inter-American Seminar of Economics Series), University of Chicago Press (2010).
- 'Crime and Benefit Sanctions', Portuguese Economic Journal (Special Issue on Labour Economics), 5, 149-65 (with O. Marie) (2006)
- 'Crime and Economic Incentives', Journal of Human Resources, 39, 958-79 (with C. Meghir) (2004)
- 'Spatial Crime Patterns and the Introduction of the UK National Minimum Wage', Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, 64, 677-98 (with K. Hansen) (2003)

V. Trade Unions

- 'Have Unions Turned the Corner? New Evidence on Recent Trends in Union Recognition in UK Firms', British Journal of Industrial Relations, 44, 169-90 (with J. Blanden and J. Van Reenen) (2006)
- 'HRM as a Substitute for Trade Unions in British Workplaces', Industrial and Labor Relations Review, 58, 201-18 (with S. Wood) (2005)
- 'Factors of Convergence and Divergence in Union Membership', British Journal of Industrial Relations, 42, 423-38 (2004)
- 'Cross-Generation Correlations of Union Status For Young People in Britain', British Journal of Industrial Relations, 41, 391-416, (with J. Blanden) (2003)
- 'Trade Union Decline, New Workplaces, New Workers', in Howard Gospel and Stephen Wood (eds.) The Future of Unions, Volume 1, Routledge (2003)
- 'Union Decline in Britain', British Journal of Industrial Relations, 38, 631-45 (2000)
- 'Trade Unions and Training Practices in British Workplaces', Industrial and Labor Relations Review, 52, 179-95 (with F. Green and D. Wilkinson) (1999)
- 'What has Happened to Union Recognition in Britain?', Economica, 63, 1-18 (with R. Disney and A. Gosling) (1996)
- 'Trade Unions and Financial Performance', Oxford Economic Papers, 48, 213-41 (with M. Stewart) (1996)
- 'British Unions in Decline: An Examination of the 1980s Fall in Trade Union Recognition', Industrial and Labor Relations Review, 48, 403-19 (with R. Disney and A. Gosling) (1995)
- 'Trade Unions and the Dispersion of Earnings in British Establishments, 1980-90', Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, 57, 167-84 (with A. Gosling) (1995)
- 'Plant Closures and Unionization in British Establishments', British Journal of Industrial Relations, 33, 55-68 (1995)
- 'Signals and Cycles: Productivity Growth and Changes in Union Status in U.K. companies,

- 1984-1989', Economic Journal, 103, 894-907, (with P. Gregg and D. Metcalf) (1993)
- 'The Economic Effects of Multiple Unionism: Evidence from the 1984 Workplace Industrial Survey', Scandinavian Journal of Economics, 95, 279-96 (with M. Stewart and J. Van Reenen) (1993)
- 'Multiple Unionism, Fragmented Bargaining and Economic Outcomes in U.K. Unionised Establishments', Chapter 4 in Metcalf, D. and Milner, S. (eds.) New Perspectives on Industrial Disputes, London:Routledge (with M. Stewart and J. Van Reenen) (1993)
- 'Testing Dynamic Models of Employment Determination Using Firm-level Data', Chapter 13 in J.C. Van Ours, G. Pfann and G. Ridder (eds.) Labour Demand and Equilibrium Wage Formation, Amsterdam: North-Holland (with A. Manning and C. Meghir) (1993)
- 'Unions, the Demise of the Closed Shop and Wage Growth in the 1980s', Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, 54, 53-72 (with P. Gregg) (1992)
- 'Testing Dynamic Models of Worker Effort', Journal of Labor Economics, 10, 288-305 (with A. Manning) (1992)
- 'The Productivity Effects of Unionisation and Firm Size in British Engineering Firms', Economica, 58, 479-90 (1991)
- 'The Effects of Unions on Organisational Change and Employment: Evidence from WIRS', Economic Journal, 101, 835-54 (with S. Wadhvani) (1991)
- 'Unions and the Capture of Economic Rents: An Investigation using British Firm Level Data', International Journal of Industrial Organisation, 9, 261-74 (1991)
- 'The Effects of Unions on Investment and Innovation: Evidence from WIRS', Economic Journal (Conference Volume), 101, 324-30 (with S. Wadhvani) (1991)
- 'Changes in Union Status, Increasing Competition and Wage Growth in the 1980s', British Journal of Industrial Relations, 29, 603-12 (with P. Gregg) (1991)
- 'The Relationship Between Union Wage and Profitability Effects', Economics Letters, 37, 315-21 (with J. Cable) (1991)
- 'Unions and the Financial Performance of British Private Sector Establishments', Journal of Applied Econometrics, 5, 327-50 (with M. Stewart) (1990)
- 'Unions and the Incidence of Performance Linked Pay Schemes in Britain', International Journal of Industrial Organisation, 6, 91-107 (with P. Gregg) (1988)

VI. Corporate Performance

- 'Corporate Growth and Profitability', Journal of Industrial Economics, 45, 171-90 (with P. Geroski and C. Walters) (1997)
- 'Product Market Competition, Wages and Productivity: International Evidence From Establishment-Level Data', Annales D'Economie et de Statistique, 41/42, 219-53 (with D. Blanchflower) (1996)
- 'The Impact of Knowledge Accumulation on Wages: Evidence From a Panel of European Corporations' in A. Belcher (ed.) R&D Decisions, Strategy and Policy, Routledge (with J. Van Reenen) (1996)
- 'Taking Care of Business: Executive Compensation in the United Kingdom', Economic Journal (Policy Forum), 105, 704-14 (with M. Conyon and P. Gregg) (1995)
- 'Innovation, Profitability and Growth', in K. Aiginger and J. Finsinger (eds.) Applied Industrial Organization, Kluwer Academic Publishers (with P. Geroski) (1994)
- 'The Profitability of Innovating Firms', RAND Journal of Economics, 24, 198-21, (with P. Geroski and J. Van Reenen) (1993)

- 'Profit Margins and the Business Cycle: Evidence from U.K. Manufacturing Firms', Journal of Industrial Economics, 41, 29-50 (with J. Van Reenen) (1993)
- 'Price and Quantity Adjustment over the Business Cycle: Evidence from Survey Data', Oxford Economic Papers 45, 257-68 (with V. Bhaskar and G. Reid) (1993)
- 'The Disappearing Relationship Between Directors' Pay and Corporate Performance', British Journal of Industrial Relations, 30, 1-10, (with P. Gregg and S. Szymanski) (1993)
- 'Do Innovating Firms Outperform Non-Innovators?', Business Strategy Review Summer, 79-90, (with P. Geroski) (1992)
- 'Market Structure and the Empirical Formulation of Profit Margins', Economics Letters, 35, 227-31 (with M. Conyon) (1991)
- 'Testing a Model of the Kinked Demand Curve', Journal of Industrial Economics, 39, 241-54 (with V. Bhaskar and G. Reid) (1991)
- 'Profit Determination in U.K. Manufacturing', Journal of Industrial Economics, 39, 369-82 (with M. Conyon) (1991)
- 'The Role of Profitability and Industrial Wages in Firm Level Wage Determination', Fiscal Studies, 12, 34-45 (with K. Denny) (1991)

VII. Other Applied Work

- 'Short Run Effects of the Scottish Smoking Ban', International Journal of Epidemiology, (with Jerome Adda and Samuel Berlinski) (2006)
- 'Valuing Rail Access Using Transport Innovations', Journal of Urban Economics, 57, 148-69 (with S. Gibbons) (2005)
- 'UK Economics and the Future Supply of Academic Economists', Economic Journal Features, 110, F334-49 (with A. Oswald) (2000)
- 'Colliery Closures and the Decline of the UK Coal Industry', British Journal of Industrial Relations, 35, 197-214 (with A. Glyn) (1997)

VIII. Recent Policy and Non-Technical Pieces (Since 2004)

- 'The Virtuous Equity-Efficiency Trade-off in Educational Outcomes', (with Richard Freeman and Martina Viarengo), VOX, January 2011 (2011)
- 'Academy Schools: The Policy U-Turn', (with James Veroit), in Britain in 2011, Annual Magazine of the Economics and Social Research Council (2010)
- 'Academy Schools: Who Benefits?', (with James Veroit), CentrePiece, Autumn 2010 (2010)
- 'The Educational Background of Postgrad Students', (with Richard Murphy), CentrePiece, Summer 2010 (2010)
- 'Economic Inequality in the UK', CentrePiece, Winter 2010 (2010)
- 'In Brief: Gender differences in test scores', (with Tuomas Pekkarinen), Centrepiece, Spring 2009 (2009)
- 'Academy schools and pupil performance', (with Joan Wilson), Centrepiece, Spring 2009 (2009)
- 'Inequality, Education and Comparative Political Economy', (with Christian Dustmann and David Soskice) Report for Anglo-German Foundation programme Creating Sustainable Growth in Europe (2009)
- 'Big Ideas: Rising Wage Inequality', Centrepiece, Autumn 2008 (2008)
- 'A Continuing Downward Trend in Intergenerational Mobility', (with Jo Blanden), Centrepiece, Autumn 2008 (2008)

- ‘Social Mobility: Evidence and Policy’, (with John Van Reenen) Fabian Society, July 2007 (2007)
- ‘Can More Police Resources Reduce Crime?’, Centrepiece, Spring 2006, (2006)
- ‘Education Policy in the UK’ (with Anna Vignoles), CESifo DICE Report, 3, 64-74 (2005)
- ‘The English Experiment’, Education Next, Summer 2005, 70-76, (2005)
- ‘What’s the Good of Education?’ (with Anna Vignoles), Centrepiece, Summer 2005, (2005)
- ‘Social Mobility: Low and Falling’ (with Jo Blanden and Paul Gregg), Centrepiece, Summer 2005, (2005)
- ‘Is Britain Pulling Apart? Area Disparities in Employment, Education and Crime’, in N. Pearce and W. Paxton (eds.) Social Justice: Building a Fairer Britain, IPPR: Politico’s, (2005)
- ‘Transport and Labour Market Linkages: Empirical Evidence, Implications for Policy and Scope for Further UK Research’ (with Steve Gibbons), paper for Eddington Group, (2005)
- ‘Education Experiences and Social Disadvantage’, OECD paper, (2005)
- ‘Education and Child Poverty’ (with Sandra McNally), Joseph Rowntree Foundation review (2005)
- ‘Intergenerational Mobility in Europe and North America’ (with Jo Blanden and Paul Gregg), Sutton Trust Report, (2005)
- ‘The Literacy Hour: Findings From Recent Research’ (with Sandra McNally), Literacy Today, (2004)
- ‘Large Benefits, Low Cost’ (with Sandra McNally), Centrepiece, Spring 2004, (2004)
- ‘The Economic Determinants and Costs of Crime’ (with Leon Feinstein, Olivier Marie and Ricardo Sabates), Home Office Report, (2004)
- ‘The ‘Enterprise Academy Concept’ Development’ (with Sandra McNally), Prince’s Trust Report, (2004)

CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS AND PAPERS

Draft papers are on my website <http://personal.lse.ac.uk/machin>

EDITORSHIPS

Editor, Economic Journal (1998-)

Editor, International Journal of Industrial Organization (1995 - 1997)

Guest Editor, Issue on Education, Oxford Review of Economic Policy (2004) (with Margaret Stevens)

Guest Editor, Special Issue on the Economics of Education: Policy Issues and Empirical Evidence, German Economic Review (2005) (with Patrick Puhani)

Guest Editor, Special Issue on Education and Training, Empirical Economics (2007) (with Christian Dustmann and Bernd Fitzenberger)

EDITORIAL BOARDS

Associate Editor, Journal of Industrial Economics (1993 - 1995)

Associate Editor, Economic Journal (1997 - 1998)

BOOK REVIEWS

Andrew Weiss 'Efficiency Wages', Economic Journal (1992)

Paul Geroski 'Entry and Market Dynamics' Economic Journal (1993)

Alison Booth 'The Economics of the Trade Union', British Journal of Industrial Relations (1996)

TEACHING

UCL - Graduate labour economics, applied economics and econometrics; undergraduate applied economics, econometrics, microeconomics, labour economics and industrial relations.

Harvard, MIT - Graduate course (PhD students) in labor economics.

ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATION

Departmental computer representative (1989 - 1992)

Staff seminar organiser (1991)

Member of committee on setting up new M.Sc. at UCL (1991)

Departmental representative on UCL Enterprise Initiative (1992 - 1993)

PhD Tutor (1993 - 1999)

Chair, Junior Recruitment Committee (1999-2001)

Head of Department (2002-2005)

Departmental RAE Coordinator (2006-2008)

PHD STUDENTS

Completed:

John Van Reenen, started October 1990, completed December 1992, now Professor of Economics, London School of Economics and Director, Centre for Economic Performance, London School of Economics.

David Paton, started October 1991, completed June 1997 (part-time), now Professor of Industrial Economics, University of Nottingham Business School..

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Susan Harkness, started October 1994, completed 2002 (part-time), now Lecturer in Economics, University of Bristol.

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Johannes Wiegand, started October 1996, completed 2001, now employed at International Monetary Fund..

Sonia Pereira, started October 1996, completed 2002, now Post-Doctoral Fellow, Yale University.

Stephen Gibbons, started October 1997, completed 2003, now Lecturer in Economic Geography,

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Sara Lemos, started October 1997, completed 2003, now Lecturer in Economics, University of Leicester.

Fabio Soares, started October 1999, completed 2004, now at United Nations Development Programme International Poverty Centre, Brasilia.

Jo Blanden, started October 2000, completed 2005, now Lecturer, University of Surrey.

Current:

Michele Ghidoni, started October 1998; Teresa Casey, started October 2002; Amanda Goodall, started October 2003; Panu Pelkonen, started October 2003; Emma Tominey, started October 2004; Mirko Draca, started October 2005; Richard Murphy, started October 2007; Michael Amior, started October 2008.