

# ***Jesper Lindgaard Christensen, Curriculum Vitae***

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## *Current research*

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Innovation surveys, Financing of innovation, Regional industrial  
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## *Selected, recent work*

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