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Education

- Ph.D., Economics, University of Oregon, 2015
- M.S., Economics, University of Oregon, 2011
- B.S., Economics, University of Washington, 2010
- B.A., Mathematics, University of Washington, 2010
- A.A.S., Bellevue Community College, 2008

Research Interests

- Macroeconomics and behavioral economics

Research

- “A Real Business Cycle Model with Money as a Sunspot Variable.” Forthcoming in the *Journal of Economics and Business*
- “Rationality with Preference Discovery Costs.” *Theory and Decision*, Aug. 2018, vol. 85, no. 2, 231-251.
- “Observed Altruism in Dental Students” (with Crutchfield, Jarvis, and Olson). *Journal of Dental Education*, Nov. 2017, vol. 81 no. 11, 1301-1308. Selected as one of the “10 Most Notable Articles of 2017” by the *Journal of Dental Education*.
- “Disaggregation and the Equity Premium Puzzle.” Revise and resubmit with the *Journal of Empirical Finance*
- “Disaggregation Reverses the Risk-free Rate Puzzle: Households Aren’t Buying Too Many Bonds – They’re Buying Too Few” (working paper)

Other Publications

- “Is Your Opponent Underrated?” *Chess Life*, Dec. 2018
- “Fischer-Karpov 1975: Who Would Have Won?” *ChessBase*, Nov. 2018
- “Reforming the Candidates Cycle.” *Chess Life*, Feb. 2017
- “1.e4 – ‘Best by Test’?” *ChessBase*, Jan. 2014
- “Are the Chess World Champions Just Lucky?” *ChessBase*, Sep. 2013

Employment

- Visiting Assistant Professor at Binghamton University, 2019-Present
- Assistant Professor at Truman State University, 2016-2019
- Temporary Assistant Professor at Truman State University, 2015-2016
- Research Assistant for George Evans, funded by NSF grant, Summer 2013
- Graduate Teaching Fellow at University of Oregon, 2010-2015

Teaching

- Econ 303 Intermediate Macroeconomics
- Econ 200 Principles of Macroeconomics
- Econ 160 Principles of Microeconomics
- Econ 340 Public Economics (no calculus)
- Econ 445 Public Expenditure and Public Choice (with calculus)
- Econ 411 Economics of Public Expenditures (with calculus)
- Econ 311 Intermediate Microeconomics
- Econ 327 Game Theory (no calculus)
- Econ 461 Game Theory (with calculus)

Conferences and Seminars

- 46th Annual Conference of the Eastern Economic Association (2020). Presenter in Session J6 “Real Business Cycles and Budgets.” Discussant in Session I7 “Great Recession.”
- Economic seminar series speaker at Loyola Marymount University (2020). “A Real Business Cycle Model with Money as a Sunspot Variable.”
- 83rd Annual Meeting of the Midwest Economics Association (2019). Chair of Session 2K Macro and Monetary Economics
- 91st Annual Western Economics Association International Conference (2016). Presenter and Discussant in the session “Volatility and Business Cycles.”
- 5th Lindau Meeting on Economic Sciences (2014). Essay selected for media publication: “The Economic Impact of Beliefs”

Awards

- Co-authored one of the “10 Most Notable Articles of 2017.” Awarded by the *Journal of Dental Education*
- Student Award for the Lindau Meeting of Nobel Laureates and Students, awarded by the NSF (2014)
- Research Paper Award from the University of Oregon Economics Department (2013)
- Kleinsorge Research Fellowship, awarded by the University of Oregon Economics Department (2012)

References

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