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## EDUCATION

- 2015            Ph.D. in Economics, Duke University  
                  Dissertation: [Dynamic Models of Human Capital Accumulation](#).  
                  Committee: [Peter Arcidiacono](#) (chair), [Patrick Bayer](#), [V. Joseph Hotz](#), [Arnaud Maurel](#)
- 2010            M.A. in Economics, Duke University
- 2009            B.A. in Economics (Magna Cum Laude), Brigham Young University

## EMPLOYMENT & AFFILIATIONS

- 2017-           Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Oklahoma
- 2017-           Research Affiliate, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA)
- 2015-2017      Postdoctoral Associate, [Social Science Research Institute](#), Duke University

## RESEARCH FIELDS

- Primary:        Labor Economics, Urban Economics
- Secondary:      Economics of Education, Machine Learning applications

## WORKING PAPERS

- 2016            “[College Attrition and the Dynamics of Information Revelation](#)” (with Peter Arcidiacono, Esteban Aucejo, and Arnaud Maurel), *R & R Journal of Political Economy*.
- “[Selective Migration, Occupational Choice, and the Wage Returns to College Majors](#)”
- “[The Effect of Business Cycle Fluctuations on Migration Decisions](#)”
- “[Do Foreigners Crowd Natives out of STEM Degrees and Occupations? Evidence from the U.S. Immigration Act of 1990](#)” (with John V. Winters)
- “[Changes across Cohorts in Wage Returns to Schooling and Early Work Experiences](#)” (with Jared Ashworth, V. Joseph Hotz and Arnaud Maurel)

## **WORKS IN PROGRESS**

- “Understanding Migration Aversion Using Elicited Expectations and Counterfactuals”
- “How Substitutable are Native- and Foreign-born Workers? Wage Effects from STEM In-flow” (with John V. Winters)
- “Are There Benefits to Participating in High School Athletics?” (with Michael R Ransom)

## **INVITED CONFERENCE & SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS**

- 2017-2018      *Scheduled:* Arizona State
- 2016-2017      IZA Workshop on the Economics of Education: Higher Education (Bonn, Germany), SEA (Washington, DC), Navy, AEA (Chicago), BYU, Charles River Associates, Oklahoma, T-Mobile (Bellevue, WA), Carolina Population Center (Chapel Hill), 2nd IZA Junior/Senior Labor Symposium (Austin), SOLE (Raleigh)
- 2015-2016      NARSC (Portland, OR), SEA (New Orleans), CS-Fullerton, Oklahoma State, Barcelona GSE Summer Forum on Migration
- 2014-2015      Wake Forest, SMU Cox School of Business, Econometric Society World Congress (Montréal)
- 2013-2014      BYU, WEAI (Denver)
- 2012-2013      Georgia State, NSF Census Research Network Meeting (RTP, NC; poster session)

## **PAPER DISCUSSIONS**

- 2017            “Tunnel Effect versus Loss Aversion: Evidence from the Workplace” by K. Keskin and T. Zeydanlı (IZA Conference, Austin, TX)
- 2016            “Effects of Removing State Postsecondary Grant Aid Eligibility” by C. Gibbs and R. Marksteiner (SEA, Washington, DC)
- 2015            “Workforce Innovation Fund Evaluation Design Report: Summer Career Pathways” by M. Baird, J. Engberg, G. Gonzalez, I. Gutierrez, and E. Thornton (SEA, New Orleans)
- “IV Quantile Regression for Group-level Treatments, with an Application to the Distributional Effects of Trade” by D. Chetverikov, B. Larsen, and C. Palmer (NARSC, Portland)

## **FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS**

- 2012-2015      Triangle Census Research Fellowship
- 2014            Conference Travel Fellowship
- 2012,2014      Graduate School Summer Research Fellowship

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Oklahoma	Economics of Education (undergraduate)
Duke	Foundations of Matlab (PhD, field course) Causal Inference for Data Scientists (co-developer, with eBay DataLabs) SSRI Education & Human Development seminar (co-instructor) Introduction to Julia (workshop) Conducting Research Using the SIPP (TA, workshop) <a href="#">Data+</a> (project leader)
BYU	Principles of Economics (TA, undergraduate honors)

## SKILLS

Coding Expertise:	Matlab, Stata, R, Julia, $\text{\LaTeX}$ , Shell/Bash, SLURM, Git
Coding Experience:	SAS, Qualtrics, HTML
Security Clearance:	Special Sworn Status (US Census Bureau)
Certification:	Certificate in College Teaching (Duke University)
Languages:	English (native), Japanese (fluent)

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Referee:	<i>Economic Inquiry</i> (2), <i>Journal of Labor Economics</i> , <i>Journal of Human Resources</i> , <i>Journal of Public Economics</i> , <i>Southern Economic Journal</i>
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## DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

2016	Recruiting committee, SSRI Education & Human Development Scholars
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## REFERENCES

Available upon request