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### POSITIONS:

St. Olaf College, Assistant Professor of Economics  
Saint Michael's College, Assistant Professor of Economics

August 2020 – Present  
August 2018 – June 2020

### EDUCATION:

Ph.D. Economics, The University of Virginia May 2018  
M.A. Economics, The University of Virginia January 2015  
B.A. Mathematics, *Summa Cum Laude*, *Phi Beta Kappa*, The College of William & Mary May 2013

### DISSERTATION:

Title: Endogenous Network Formation: Theory and Application  
Main Advisor: Eric Young  
Other Advisors: Peter Troyan, Maxim Engers

### FIELDS OF INTEREST:

Network Economics, Mathematical Economics, and Macroeconomics

### PUBLICATIONS:

#### Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

- [“The Influence of Peer Institutions on Colleges’ Decisions: Evidence from Fall 2020 Reopening Plans”](#)  
With Riley Acton and Emily Cook *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization* (2022)  
Vol. 195 p. 288 – 302
- [“Teaching Nash Equilibrium with Python”](#) *Journal of Economic Education* (2023)  
Vol. 54 Issue 2 p. 177-183
- [“Optimal Open-Locating Dominating Sets in Infinite Triangular Grids”](#) *Discrete Applied Mathematics* (2015)  
As “Allison Oldham,” with Rex Kincaid and Gexin Yu Vol. 193 p.139-144

#### Book Chapters

- [“Teaching Focused Jobs” and “Job Market Materials for Academic Jobs”](#)  
*Thriving In Economics: PhD Student Edition*  
Editor: T. Deryugina  
(2023)
- [“An Experimental Study of Jury Voting Behavior”](#) *The Political Economy of Governance*  
As “Allison Oldham,” with Charles Holt, Katri Sieberg,  
and Lisa Anderson Editors: N. Schofield and G. Caballero  
(2015)

### WORKING PAPERS:

- [“Aggregate Output and Pairwise-Stable Production Networks”](#) Under Review
- [“Missing Financial Network Data”](#) Under Review

[“Do High Schools Choose Financial Education Policy Based on Their Peers?”](#)

With Carly Urban

Under Review

[“The Transfer Velocity of Money”](#)

With Carolina Mattsson and Frank Takes

Under Review

["A Guide to the U.S. Academic Economics Job Market for Teaching-Focused Jobs"](#)

With Benjamin Harrell, Melanie Fox, Nakul Kumar, Dan Lee, and Gina Pieters

Working Paper

**WORKS IN PROGRESS:**

“University of Leadership and Education Background”

With Emily Cook, Jaime Davila, and Kaya Gendreau (St. Olaf College Student)

“College-to-College Peer Networks and College Decisions”

With Henry Fisher (St. Olaf College Student)

**AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS:***St. Olaf College:*

Magnus the Good Fellowship (with Henry Fisher, St. Olaf Undergraduate Student)

March 2023

Center for Interdisciplinary Research Project Domain Expert

Fall 2021 – Spring 2022

(Funded by NSF Program to Enhance the Mathematical Science Workshop for the 21st Century)

*Saint Michael's College:*

Saint Michael's College Junior Faculty Summer Research Grant

December 2018

Saint Michael's College Faculty Development Grant

November 2018

*University of Virginia:*

The Bankard Pre-Doctoral Fellowship

January 2017

Economics Department Teaching Award

Fall 2014 – Fall 2016

Tomorrow's Professor Today Teaching Fellowship

July 2016

The Jefferson Fellowship

February 2013

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE:***St. Olaf College (Assistant Professor):*

Econ 121, Principles of Economics

Fall 2020, 2023

FYS 120, First-Year Seminar: Networks

Fall 2021

Econ 222, Game Theory

Fall 2023

Econ 261, Macroeconomic Theory

Spring 2021, 2022, 2024

Econ 383, Network Economics

Spring 2022, 2023

Econ 374, Money and Banking

Fall 2020, 2021, and Spring 2023

Econ 396, Research Experience

Interim 2021, 2023

*Saint Michael's College (Assistant Professor):*

EC 101, Principles of Macroeconomics

Spring 2019, 2020, Fall 2019

EC 311, Macroeconomic Theory

Fall 2018, 2019

EC 327, Advanced Topics: Game Theory

Spring 2019

EC 355, Money and Banking

Spring 2020

EC 391, Introduction to Econometrics

Fall 2018, 2019

*University of Virginia (Instructor):*

Econ 3020, Intermediate Macroeconomics

Summer 2016

*University of Virginia (Teaching Assistant):*

Econ 2010, Principles of Microeconomics

Fall 2014, 2015, 2016

Econ 2020, Principles of Macroeconomics

Spring 2015, 2016, 2017

Econ 5090, Mathematical Economics (Graduate Course – Ph.D. Program)

Fall 2015

*The College of William & Mary (Undergraduate Teaching Assistant):*

Math 214, Foundations of Mathematics

Fall 2012

Econ 372, Econometrics

Fall 2010 – Spring 2013

**PRESENTATIONS:**

2023 Liberal Arts Macroeconomics Conference, Furman University

August 2023

“Missing Financial Network Data”

Lafayette College Department Seminar

May 2023

“Missing Financial Network Data”

American Economic Association Annual Meeting Presentation

January 2023

“Measuring the Velocity of Money” (Virtual)

Cambridge University, Janeway Institute Network Seminar

February 2022

“Measuring the Velocity of Money”

American Economic Association Annual Meeting Paper Session

January 2022

“Economic Network Formation”

Cambridge-INET Young Academics Networks Conference (Virtually)

May 2021

“Missing Financial Network Data”

Virtual Macroeconomics Seminar (Virtually)

May 2021

“Missing Financial Network Data”

90<sup>th</sup> Annual Southern Economic Association Conference (Virtually)

November 2020

“Volatile Financial Networks”

90<sup>th</sup> Annual Southern Economic Association Conference (Virtually)

November 2020

“Teaching Nash Equilibrium with Python”

2020 Liberal Arts Macroeconomics Conference, Pomona College (Virtual).

August 2020

“Volatile Financial Networks”

89<sup>th</sup> Annual Southern Economic Association Conference, Ft. Lauderdale, FL

November 2019

“Fortifying the Banks”

2019 Liberal Arts Macroeconomics Conference, Macalester College

August 2019

“Preparing Liberal Arts Undergraduates for Graduate School”

St. Michael’s College Social Science Research Luncheon, Colchester, VT

May 2019

“Fortifying the Banks”

45<sup>th</sup> Annual Eastern Economic Association Conference, New York, NY

March 2019

“Endogenous Network Formation”

13<sup>th</sup> Annual Jefferson Fellows Symposium, Charlottesville, VA

February 2015

**SERVICE TO THE SCHOOL:***St. Olaf College:*

Departmental Mentor for New Tenure-Track Economics Faculty	August 2023 – Present
Faculty Parliamentarian (Elected Position)	August 2023 – Present
Institute for Freedom and Community, Director's Council	January 2023 – Present
Faculty Governance Committee	December 2021 – May 2022
Review of Reviews Working Group: Assessment of Teaching	Summer 2021
Economics Department Seminar Organizer	September 2020 – Present
St. Olaf College Women in Economics Faculty Advisor	September 2021 – Present
St. Olaf/Carleton Research Accountability Organizer	February 2021 – December 2021

*Saint Michael's College:*

Library and Technology Committee  
 Co-Organizer, Social Science Research Luncheons  
 Economics Department Graduate School Coordinator

*University of Virginia:*

Raven Society Selections Co-Chair	April 2017 – April 2018
Chief Organizer and Creator of the Jefferson Fellows Women in Academia Reading Group	August 2015 – August 2017
Chief Organizer of the Economics Graduate Student Workshop	August 2016 – May 2017
President of the Graduate Economics Club	May 2016 – May 2017
Assistant Organizer of the Economics Graduate Student Workshop	August 2015 – May 2016

**SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION:**

Referee, <i>Journal of Economic Education</i>	October 2023
Referee, <i>Journal of Economic Letters</i>	October 2021
Referee, <i>Journal of Economic and Finance Education</i>	July 2021, February 2022
Steering Committee, Liberal Arts Macroeconomics Conference	August 2019 – Present
CSWEP "Successfully Navigating Your Ph.D." Workshop Mentor	November 2020

**WORKSHOP PARTICIPATION:**

CSWEP CeMent Mentoring Workshop (Non-PhD Granting Institutions)	January 2020
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