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EDUCATION

Ph.D.   Economics, University of Stirling, expected November 2022
MSc   Economics, University of Edinburgh, 2019
B.A.   Economics, University of Glasgow, 2014

FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION

Primary: Applied Econometrics
Secondary: Environmental Economics

DISSERTATION

Life Unleaded: the Socio-Economic Effects of Lead Pollution

WORKING PAPERS

Higney, A., Hanley, N., Moro, M., (2021). The Lead-Crime Hypothesis: A Meta-Analysis.

Higney, A., Hanley, N., Moro, M., (2022). The Impact of Lead Pollution on Human Capital Formation: Size of Dose Matters

WORKS IN PROGRESS

The Impact of Lead Water Pollution on Birth Outcomes: A Natural Experiment in Scotland

The Effect of School Starting Age on Economic Outcomes

TEACHING EXPERIENCE
Teaching Assistant, Macroeconomics (undergraduate), University of Stirling, Spring 2021
Teaching Assistant, Macroeconomics (undergraduate), University of Stirling, Spring 2022
Teaching Assistant, Microeconomics (undergraduate), University of Stirling, Autumn 2020
Teaching Assistant, Microeconomics (undergraduate), University of Stirling, Autumn 2021
Teaching Assistant, Statistics (undergraduate), University of Stirling, Spring 2020
Instructor, Special Session on Meta-Analysis (undergraduate), University of Stirling, Autumn 2020

RESEARCH AND RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE
Statistician, UK Department for International Development (DFID), 2014-2019

GRANTS AND AWARDS
UK Economic and Social Research Council Scholarship, 2019

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS
2020: Scottish Graduate Programme in Economics Conference
2021: Scottish Graduate Programme in Economics Conference
2021: European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (EAERE)
2021: Meta-Analysis in Economics Research Colloquium

LANGUAGES
English (Native)

COMPUTATIONAL SKILLS
R, Stata, HTML