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CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

Economist, Federal Trade Commission

2018-Present

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Economics, Cornell University	2018
<i>Committee:</i> Francesca Molinari (<i>chair</i>), Richard Mansfield, Victoria Prowse	
M.A. Economics, Cornell University	2015
B.A. Economics, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i> , Mount Holyoke College	2012

FIELD CONCENTRATIONS

Labor Economics, Applied Econometrics, Industrial Organization

RESEARCH

Publications

Is There Still Son Preference in the United States? (with Francine D. Blau, Lawrence M. Kahn, Peter Brummund, and Jason Cook). Forthcoming at *Journal of Population Economics*. [link](#) [NBER](#)

Working Papers

Occupation Gender Segregation: Empirical Evidence from a Matching Model with Transfers (Job Market Paper, [link](#)) .

Intrahousehold Interaction and Married Family Labor Supply. [link](#)

GRANTS, AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

Affiliate, Cornell Population Center, Cornell University, 2016.

Sage Fellowship, Cornell University, 2012-2013.

Virginia Galbraith Graduate Fellowship, Mount Holyoke College College Department of Economics, 2012.

High Honor in Economics, for thesis:

The Effect of Child Care Subsidies on the Employment of Mothers, Mount Holyoke, 2012.

Phi Beta Kappa, Mount Holyoke College, 2012.

Sarah Williston Prize Winner, Mount Holyoke College, 2010.

Scholar Athlete Award, 2012.

Academic All-Conference Team (Track and Field), New England Women's and Men's Athletic Conference, 2010, 2012.

TEACHING

TA, Labor Economics (Cornell ILRE 2400) for Prof. George Jakubson	Spring 2018
TA, Labor Economics (Cornell ILRE 2400 and 5400) for Prof. Gary Fields	Fall 2017
TA, Econometrics (Cornell Econ 3140) for Prof. Francesca Molinari	Spring 2016
TA, Intro to Econometrics (Mount Holyoke Econ 220) for Prof. Sarah Adelman	Spring 2012
Tutor, Economics Department (Mount Holyoke College)	Fall 2011

RESEARCH ASSISTANCE AND WORK EXPERIENCE

<i>RA</i> for Prof. Mallika Thomas, Labor Economics, Cornell University ILR	2016-2017
<i>RA</i> for Prof. Richard Mansfield, Labor Economics, Cornell University ILR	Fall 2015
<i>RA</i> for Prof. Lawrence Kahn, Labor Economics, Cornell University ILR	2014-2015
<i>RA</i> for Prof. Levon Barseghyan, Economics, Cornell University	Spring 2014
<i>RA</i> for Prof. Kevin Hallock, Labor Economics, Cornell University ILR	Fall 2013
<i>Junior Fellow Intern</i> National Center for Education Statistics, Washington D.C.	Summer 2011
<i>Undergraduate Researcher</i> , NSF-REU in mathematics at Central Michigan University	Summer 2010
<i>Global Affairs Officer</i> Department of State, U.S. Embassy, Berlin, Germany	Summer 2009

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Co-coordinator, Bureau of Economics Seminar Series, FTC, 2019-Present

Co-organizer, Labor Work in Progress Seminar, Cornell University, 2016-2017.

Mentor, Graduate Student Association for Economics Mentorship Program, Cornell University, 2015-2017

OTHER

Programing: Stata, Matlab, L^AT_EX, Beamer, Excel

Languages: English (native), German (proficient), French (proficient).

Citizenship: USA.