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Appointments

Postdoctoral Scholar, Department of Economics, University of Southern California, 2021-Present

Education

Ph.D. in Economics, Princeton University, 2021
B.Ed. in Education, University of Toronto, 2015
B.Sc. in Economics and Mathematics, University of Toronto, 2014

Fields

Labor Economics, Public Economics

Publications

1. Are Sufficient Statistics Necessary? Nonparametric Measurement of Deadweight Loss from Unemployment Insurance. with David S. Lee, Pauline Leung, Christopher J. O’Leary, and Zhuan Pei, *Journal of Labor Economics* 2021 39:S2, S455-S506

Working Papers

1. The Labor Market Effects of Expanding Overtime Coverage
2. The Extent of Downward Nominal Wage Rigidity: Evidence from a Natural Experiment [Draft Available Upon Request]

Works in Progress

1. Monopsony Power and No-Poach Agreements
2. The Welfare Effects of Conditioning the Potential Duration of UI Benefits on Prior Work History

Research Experience

Research Assistant to Prof. Ilyana Kuziemko, Princeton University	2017
Research Assistant to Prof. Christopher Neilson, Princeton University	2016
Research Assistant, Innovations for Poverty Action	2014
Research Assistant to Prof. Michelle Alexopoulos, University of Toronto	2013

Teaching

Princeton University

Assistant Instructor for Prof. Christopher Neilson, Junior Independent Work	2019–2020
Assistant Instructor for Prof. Jonathan Payne, Junior Independent Work	2019–2020
Assistant Instructor for Prof. Kelly Noonan, Junior Independent Work (4.9/5)	2017–2018
Assistant Instructor for Prof. David Price, Junior Independent Work (4.5/5)	2017–2018

Ontario Institute for Studies in Education

Student Teacher at Etobicoke School of the Arts, Economics (High School)	2015
Student Teacher at Harbord Collegiate, Mathematics (High School)	2014

University of Toronto

Teaching Assistant for Prof. Anthony Lam, Calculus I and II	2012–2015
Peer Mentor, Economics Study Centre	2012–2014
Volunteer Notetaker, University of Toronto Accessibility Services	2012–2013
Foreign Exchange Teacher, Taiyuan No.5 Middle School	2011
Volunteer Teacher's Aid, Lawrence Heights Middle School	2010–2011

Professional Activities

Affiliations

U.S. Census Bureau Special Sworn Status (SSS)	2019–Present
Canadian Research Data Centre	2018–Present

Refereeing

Review of Economics of the Household

Honors, Scholarships, Fellowships, and Grants

SSHRC Doctoral Fellowship	2016–2020
Richard A. Lester Fellowship for Industrial Relations, Princeton University	2018–2019
Louis A. Simpson *60 P90 Fellowship, Princeton University	2015–2016
Princeton Graduate Economics Fellowship	2015–2020
Vari Scholarship for Future Teachers, University of Toronto	2010–2015

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