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## EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Stanford University	2022 (Expected)
Advisor: B. Douglas Bernheim	
B.A., <i>magna cum laude</i> , University of Rochester	2013
Economics, Physics and Astronomy	

## DISSERTATION COMMITTEE

Prof. Doug Bernheim (Primary)  
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## RESEARCH FIELDS

**Primary:** Behavioral and Experimental Economics

**Secondary:** Microeconomic Theory

## RESEARCH

JOB MARKET PAPER

**“Preferences for Compensatory and Retributive Justice”**

[Link to Draft](#)

PUBLICATIONS

**“A Theory of Chosen Preferences”**

2021

(with Douglas Bernheim, Luca Braghieri and Alejandro Martínez-Marquina)

*American Economic Review*, Vol. 111, No. 2 (February 2021), pages 720-754.

[Link to Paper](#)

## WORKING PAPERS

**“Unseen Preferences: Homophily in Highschool Friendship Networks”**    *(Submitted)*  
[Link to Draft](#)

## WORKS IN PROGRESS

**“Motivated Reasoning and Present Focus”**  
*(with Hunt Allcott, Douglas Bernheim, and Tingyan Jia)*

**“Motivated Naïveté”**

**Inconsistently Inconsistent: Variable Present Focus**

## TEACHING

Econ 1 (Principles of Economics), Teaching Assistant	Spring 2021, Fall 2020 Fall 2019, Fall 2018
Econ 1V (Principles of Economics, Online), Teaching Assistant	Spring 2020, Summer 2019
Econ 116 (American Economic History), Teaching Assistant	Spring 2015
Lead Tutor at College Track	2014 - 2015
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• College Track is an organization that serves students from low-income communities, helping them become the first in their family to attend college</li><li>• I worked with students one-on-one, usually helping them with either math or physics homework</li></ul>	

## AWARDS AND GRANTS

Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award, <i>Stanford University</i>	Spring 2021
Institute for Research in the Social Sciences (IRiSS) Research Data Grants, <i>Stanford University</i>	2021
Psychology and Economics of Poverty (PEP) Seed Funding Award, <i>CEGA</i>	2020
Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award, <i>Stanford University</i>	Fall 2019
Graduate Research Opportunity (GRO) Funding, <i>Stanford University</i>	2018
Phi Beta Kappa	2013

## RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIPS

RA for Professor B. Douglas Bernheim, Stanford University	2016 - 20
RA for the Behavioral Lab at the Graduate School of Business, Stanford University	2015 - 16

## WORKSHOPS

BIG Ideas Doctoral Workshop, Harvard University

2019

## PROFESSIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS AND SERVICE

Referee for *Dynamic Games and Applications*

President of GradQ (organization for queer graduate students and allies)

2019 - 2021

Organizer, Stanford Behavioral and Experimental Student Seminar

2017 - 18