

Professional Experience

Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, Washington, D.C. July 2023 – Present
Economist
Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA Aug 2018 – May 2023
Assistant Professor of Economics

Education

Ph.D. in Economics, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX 2018
Fields: Applied Microeconomics, Behavioral Economics

Skills

Quantitative: Econometrics, Statistical Analysis, Data Visualization, Experimental Economics
Programming: Stata, SQL, R, Python

Selected Publications & Working Papers

WARNings: The Impact of Negative Economic News on Racial Animus, with Adam Bestenbostel, *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 2026
Does the National Flood Insurance Program Drive Migration to Higher Risk Areas? (Editor's Choice article), *Journal of the Association of Environmental and Resource Economists*, 2024
Taxes and the Labor Supply of the Stars, with Daniel Keniston, *NBER Working Paper 30698*
The Impact of Election Fraud on Government Performance, *accepted, Journal of Public Economics*
Electoral Cycles in Politician Effort, with Radine Rafols, *reject and resubmit, Journal of Development Economics*

Leadership & Other Experience

President, Civic Orchestra of Baton Rouge 2022–2023

Awards

LSU E.J. Ourso College of Business Dean's Award for Excellence in Teaching - Undergraduate, 2021
Undergraduate Teaching Award, LSU Department of Economics, 2020