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Curriculum Vitae
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Research Interests

My research interests lie at the intersection of labour economics, international economics, and environmental economics. I currently pursue three strands of research:

1. impact of **migration** on the sending and receiving countries,
2. impact of the **environment** (especially pollution) on human capital formation,
3. the effect of **peers** and teachers on human capital,

Current Positions

2024-	Head of School	School of Economics, University College Dublin
2023-	Professor	University College Dublin
2018-	Research Fellow	Institute of Labor Economics (IZA)
2016-	Research Fellow	Centre for Research and Analysis of Migration (CReAM), University College London
2018-	Research Fellow	Geary Institute for Public Policy

Past Positions

2018-2023	Assistant Professor	University College Dublin
2014-2017	Senior Research Associate	Institute of Labor Economics (IZA)
2012-2014	Research Associate	Institute of Labor Economics (IZA)

Education

2013	PhD Economics	Trinity College Dublin
2008	M.A. Economics	Universität Regensburg

Publications

Google scholar: **Number of citations:** 1026; **h-index:** 13

Refereed Journals

1. Elsner, B. (2013). Does emigration benefit the stayers? Evidence from EU enlargement. *Journal of Population Economics*, 26(2), 531–553.