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Education

Ph.D. Economics, UCLA, Expected June 2021.

M.A. Economics, UCLA, December 2016.

B.A. Mathematics and Economics, University of Virginia, May 2013.

Research

“Immigrants, Legal Status, and Illegal Trade”

“The Effect of an Early-Childhood and Fertility Intervention on Firm and Farm Productivity” (with Tania Barham, Randall Kuhn, and Patrick Turner)

“How Much Are Car Purchases Driven by Home Equity Withdrawal? Evidence from Household Surveys” (with Daniel Vine and Karen Pence), 2019, Vol. 51, No. 5, *Journal of Money, Credit, and Banking*.

“Is Underemployment Underestimated? Evidence from Panel Data” (with Geng Li), May 2016, FEDS Notes.

Presentations

2021: Collegio Carlo Alberto, OCC, CFPB, GFLEC at GWU, USITC, Population Association of America Annual Meeting (poster), Networks Conference at INET (scheduled), EEA-ESEM (accepted), Annual Conference of the European Society for Population Economics (scheduled), Econ of Crime online seminar (scheduled), NBER Summer Institute (International Trade and Investment) (scheduled), Italian Society of Economics Annual Meeting (accepted)

2020: UCLA, DemSemX Virtual Conference, Online Crime Economics Graduate Student Seminar, CLEAN Seminar at Bocconi University, Economic Graduate Student Conference, APPAM Fall Research Conference (poster), Empirical Investigations in International Trade conference, European Winter Meetings of the Econometric Society

Honors and Awards

Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation Dissertation Fellowship, 2020-2021

Dissertation Year Fellowship, UCLA, 2020-2021

European Studies Fellowship, UCLA, 2020-2021

Best Paper Award, International Economics Proseminar, 2019-2020

NICHD Traineeship, California Center for Population Research, 2017-2018 and 2019-2020

Graduate Summer Research Mentorship, UCLA, 2017

Pauley Fellowship, UCLA, 2015-2016 and 2018-2019

Employment

UCLA, Teaching Assistant, 2016–2017

Introductory Macroeconomics, Fall 2016

Introduction to Econometrics, Winter 2017

UCLA, Guest Lecturer

Introduction to Econometrics Lab, Winter 2017 (x1)

Undergraduate Labor Economics, Spring 2019 (x2)

Federal Reserve Board of Governors, Research Assistant

Consumer Finance section, 2013-2015

Service

International Economics Student Proseminar organizer, 2018-2020

Graduate Students Association Forum member, 2017-2019

Graduate Economics Association, Co-President, 2017-2018

Social Science Council, Vice President of External Affairs, 2017-2018

UCLA Economics PhD Student Mentor, 2016-2018

References

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