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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

University of Chicago Booth School of Business

Assistant Professor of Economics, 2022-

Harvard University

Visiting Assistant Professor of Economics, 2024-2025

Princeton University

Postdoctoral Research Associate, Industrial Relations Section, 2021-2022

AFFILIATIONS

2023- Faculty Research Fellow, National Bureau of Economic Research
2022- Visiting Scholar, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago
2021- Research Affiliate, MIT Blueprint Labs

EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, California USA

Ph.D. Economics, May 2021
M.A. Statistics, May 2020

University of California, San Diego, San Diego, California USA

B.S., Statistics, June 2015
B.A., Economics, June 2015

PRIMARY RESEARCH FIELDS

Labor Economics, Economics of Education, Applied Econometrics

PUBLICATIONS

The Impact of Public School Choice: Evidence from Los Angeles's Zones of Choice
(with Caitlin Kearns)
Quarterly Journal of Economics 2024

Independent Contracting, Self-Employment, and Gig Work: Evidence from California Tax Data
(with Annette Bernhardt, Allen Prohofsky, Aparna Ramesh, Jesse Rothstein)
Industrial and Labor Relations Review 2023

WORKING PAPERS

Who Benefits from Remote Schooling? Self-selection and Match Effects
(with Jesse Bruhn, Eric Chyn, Anh Tran)
Revise and Resubmit at the American Economic Review

Social Interactions, Information, and Preferences for Schools: Experimental Evidence from Los Angeles
Under Review

Who Chooses and Who Benefits? The Design of Public School Choice Systems
(with Jesse Bruhn, Eric Chyn, Antonia Vazquez)
Under Review

College Major Choice, Payoffs, and Gender Gaps
(with Alonso Bucarey, Dante Contreras, Pablo Muñoz)
Under Review

SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS	Two Dimensional Report Cards: A Field Experiment on Socio-Emotional Growth Information (with Minseon Park)
	Long Term Effects of Centralizing College Admissions: Evidence from Sequential Reforms in Finland (with Andress Barrios-Fernandez, Martti Kaila, Otto Leppanen, Tuomo Virkola)
FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS	Charter Research Collaborative at Blueprint Labs, 2026-2027 BFI Data Acquisition Grant, 2025 Arnold Ventures, 2025-2026 BFI Development Economics Research Fund, 2024 BFI Industrial Organization Initiative, 2023 Biehler Junior Faculty Fellowship, 2022 UC Berkeley Statistics Departmental Award, 2019-2020 Center for Labor Economics (CLE) Dissertation Grant, 2019 Institute for Research on Labor and Employment Student Research Award, 2019 Economics Department Fellowship, UC Berkeley, 2017-2019 Grace Katagiri Prize (Best Empirical Second Year Paper), UC Berkeley, 2017 Chancellors Fellowship, UC Berkeley, 2015 and 2016 Seymour Harris Award (top undergraduate student in economics), UC San Diego, 2015 Sol Kauffler Memorial Scholarship, 2012
SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES	2025-2026 (including scheduled) Rochester University, University of Maryland, NBER Economics of Education Fall Meeting, Workshop on the Economics of Education (Chile), Midwest Economics of Education Conference (Notre Dame)
	2024-2025 Applied Micro Jamboree (Duke), APPAM, Economics of Education Workshop (Toulouse), Empirical Microeconomics Conference (ASU), Harvard PIER, Michigan, New York Fed, SITE Gender, SITE Empirical Market Design, West Point, Workshop on the Economics of Education (Chile)
	2023-2024 AFE Conference 2023, APPAM 2023, Boston University Wheelock, Columbia University , Duke University, PSE: Educational Choices and Transitions in Secondary and Higher Education Workshop, Harvard University, Michigan State University, RAND, Stanford University (Public), SIEPR, University of Illinois-Chicago
	2022-2023 ASSA 2023 (×4), Harvard Kennedy School, 7th IZA Workshop on the Economics of Education, LEAP Education Research Roundtable, NBER Spring Education Meeting, NBER Summer Institute, Race, Racism, and Structural Inequality Conference, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference, Stanford University (Labor), UC Davis, UC Merced, University of Chile, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Yale University, Western Economic Association Annual Conference
	2021-2022 AEFP, ASSA 2022, ASHE Research Seminar, Brookings Economic Studies, California Policy Lab, Eastern Economic Association, FGV EPGE, Harvard Kennedy School: School Choice in the Pandemic Era, Blueprint Labs, NBER Fall Education Meeting, Rutgers University, Princeton University,

University of Chicago, University of Florida, University of Pennsylvania

2020-2021

Boston University, Brown University, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Harvard University, Northwestern University, University of Chicago Booth School of Business, UC Berkeley, UC Irvine, UCLA Anderson School of Management, University of Chicago Harris School of Public Policy, UNC-Chapel Hill, USC, UT-Austin, University of Washington, Wharton

2019-2020

AEFP, UC Berkeley

REFEREEING
ACTIVITIES

American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, British Journal of Industrial Relations, Demographic Research, Econometrica, Economic Journal, Economics of Education Review, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Political Economy Microeconomics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Urban Economics, Nature, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, British Journal of Industrial Relations, RAND

ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION

Languages: English, Spanish

Citizenship: USA

Military Service: United States Marine Corps