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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Indiana University, Kelley School of Business

Assistant Professor of Finance

Acting Assistant Professor of Finance

July 2025-July 2024-present

EDUCATION

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ

Ph.D in Economics

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ

M.A. in Economics

Aug. 2018 - Mar. 2025 (expected)

2018-2020

2014-2018

Indiana University, Bloomington, IN

B.A. in Economics, Highest Distinction (Summa Cum Laude), Departmental Honors

B.S. in Mathematics, Highest Distinction (Summa Cum Laude), Departmental Honors

RESEARCH FIELDS

Insurance, Urban & Spatial Economics, Macroeconomics, Banking

Working Papers

From Long to Short: How Interest Rates Shape Life Insurance Markets

with Ziang Li

Beyond the Storm: Climate Risk and Homeowners' Insurance

with Ankit Kalda, Varun Sharma, and Vikas Soni

Priced Out: Rent Control, Wages, and Inequality

with Geraldo Cerqueiro, Isaac Hacamo, and Pedro Raposo

Banks in Space

with Ezra Oberfield, Esteban Rossi-Hansberg, and Nicholas Trachter

National Pricing and the Geography of U.S. Life Insurers

SEMINARS & CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

^{*} presented by co-author, (s) scheduled

- **2025**: AFA Annual Meeting, AREUEA-ASSA Meetings, USC Macro-Finance Conference, Maryland Juniors Conference (s), Northeastern University Finance Conference (s)
- 2024: University of Kentucky Gatton College of Business, Duke University Fuqua School of Business, Indiana University Kelley School of Business, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago*, University of Michigan*, University of Chicago*, Harvard Business School*, New York University*, NBER Insurance Working Group Meeting, Society for Economic Dynamics Annual Meeting*, NBER Summer Institute International Trade & Investment*, Minnesota Macro Conference*, NFA Annual Meeting, Harvard University*,

2023: Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Brown Bag, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Core Week*

DISCUSSIONS

(s) – scheduled

2025: The Spatial Consequences from Financial Frictions: Evidence from Brazil (s) by Daniel Ramos-Menchelli and Bernardus van Doornik

IMF Macro-Finance Conference

2024: Branching Out Inequality: The Impact of Credit Equality Policies

by Jacelly Cespedes, Erica Jiang, Carlos Parra, and Jinyuan Zhang

3rd Holden Memorial Conference, Indiana University

TEACHING

Indiana University

BUS-F420: Equity and Fixed Income Investments, Fall 2024

Princeton University (TA)

ECO493/FIN593: Financial Crises, Spring 2024

ECO101: Principles of Macroeconomics, Fall 2020, 2021, 2022

ECO464/FIN519: Corporate Restructuring, Spring 2022

SELECTED HONORS & AWARDS

Graduate Student Teaching Award, Department of Economics, Princeton University (May 2023)

International Economics Section Summer Fellowship, Princeton University (2022-2023)

Outstanding Senior Award, Department of Economics, Indiana University (April 2018)

Stadelmann Scholarship, Department of Economics, Indiana University (February 2018)

Carrington Scholarship, Department of Economics, Indiana University (April 2017)

SERVICE

Referee

Journal of Political Economy, AEJ: Applied Economics, Journal of Corporate Finance

Program Committee Craig Holden Memorial Conference (2024)

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Statistical Consultant, Stokes Viz Hub, Princeton University (Jan. 2022-May 2024) Data Consultant, Fleur De Lis Communications, Louisville, KY (Feb. 2023-present)

Phi Beta Kappa Honors Society

Miscellaneous

Citizenship United States

Hometown New Albany, IN (Louisville, KY metro)

Last Update: February 24, 2025