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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Indiana University, Kelley School of Business

Acting Assistant Professor of Finance

July 2024-present

EDUCATION

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ

Ph.D in Economics

Aug. 2018 - Oct. 2024 (expected)

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ

M.A. in Economics

2018-2020

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

2014–2018

RESEARCH FIELDS

Primary Insurance, Banking

Secondary Macroeconomics, Spatial Economics

WORKING PAPERS

Equal Prices, Unequal Access: The Effects of National Pricing in the US Life Insurance Industry
Banks in Space, with Ezra Oberfield, Esteban Rossi-Hansberg, and Nicholas Trachter

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Growing by Grafting, with Ezra Oberfield, Esteban Rossi-Hansberg, Nicholas Trachter, and Chen Yeh

SEMINARS & CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

* presented by co-author, (s) scheduled

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*, NBER Insurance Working Group Meeting (s), Society for Economic Dynamics Annual Meeting* (s), NBER Summer Institute International Trade & Investment* (s)

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

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 Corporate Finance

Program Committee

Craig Holden Memorial Conference (2024)

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Statistical Consultant, Stokes Viz Hub, Princeton University (Jan. 2022-present)

Data Consultant, Fleur De Lis Communications, Louisville, KY (Feb. 2023-present)

Phi Beta Kappa Honors Society

MISCELLANEOUS

Programming Languages Stata, Python, Julia

Citizenship United States

Hometown New Albany, IN (Louisville, KY metro)