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## CURRENT POSITION

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Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Criminal Justice Administrative Records System, University of Michigan, 2020-present

## EDUCATION

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Ph.D., Economics, University of Houston, 2020

M.A. Economics, University of Houston, 2016

B.S. Economics with honors and Mathematics, University of Oregon, 2014

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Applied Microeconomics, Labor Economics, Public Economics, Economics of Crime and Discrimination

## WORKING PAPERS

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“The Impact of Criminal Financial Sanctions on Labor Outcomes and Recidivism” joint with Carl Lieberman and Michael Mueller-Smith); *job market paper; under embargo at the U.S. Census*

“Not So Black and White: Uncovering Racial Bias from Systematically Misreported Trooper Reports” *under review*

“The Impact of Financial Sanctions in the U.S. Justice System: Regression Discontinuity Evidence from Michigan’s Driver Responsibility Program” (joint with Keith Finlay, Matthew Gross, and Michael Mueller-Smith) *under review*

## WORKS IN PROGRESS

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“Effects of Disparate Parking Enforcement on Long-term Outcomes”

“Effect of Early Education on Long term Educational Outcomes” (joint with Dan Engster, Scott Hofer, and M.C. Sunny Wong)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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**University of Houston**

*Instructor of Record*

2016–2019

*Houston, TX*

- Chinese Economy
- Intermediate Microeconomics
- Principles of Microeconomics

## AWARDS AND GRANTS

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- 2021** National Science Foundation, “Effects of Financial Sanctions in the Criminal Justice System,” 2021-2023
- 2019** Dr. Walter J. Primeaux Jr. and Natalie A. Primeaux Scholarship Endowment  
*Awarded to Ph.D. student who has made substantial progress on theses*  
University of Chicago Becker Friedman Institute Price Theory Summer Camp  
Cullen Fellowship Travel Grant, University of Houston  
*Competitive fellowship program to support graduate student travel*
- 2018** Best Graduate Presentation  
*Given for best presentation of a 4th year student in Ph.D. workshop;*  
*Awarded with paid trip to the Southern Economic Association Meetings*
- 2014** Graduate Fellowship, University of Houston

## PRESENTATIONS

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- 2022** Texas Economics of Crime Workshop, Western Economic Association Annual Conference, Conference of Empirical Legal Studies, Virtual Crime Economics APPAM (planned), Southern Economic Association Conference (planned)
- 2021** APPAM, Missouri Valley Economic Association Annual Conference
- 2019** Texas Econometrics Camp, Western Economic Association Annual Conference, STATA Texas Empirical Micro Conference (Poster), Missouri Valley Economic Association Annual Conference, University of Houston’s Graduate Research and Scholarship Project
- 2018** Southern Economic Association Conference, STATA Texas Empirical Micro Conference

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

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Referee for *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, *American Economic Review*, *The Economic Journal*

Moderator for *Association for Mentoring in Economics* Panel Discussion

## PAST WORK EXPERIENCE

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- 2018 - 2019** University of Houston Hobby School of Public Affairs, Research Assistant

## OTHER INFORMATION

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Citizenship: U.S.A.

Languages: English (native); Chinese (advanced); French (conversational)