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Academic Appointments

Lerner College of Business and Economics, University of Delaware
Assistant Professor of Economics

August 2022-Present

Education

Ph.D. in Economics, Princeton University *2022*

(Co-chairs: Leah Boustan and Ilyana Kuziemko)

M.A. in Economics, Princeton University *2018*

B.S. in Economics, Penn State University *2014*

B.S. in Mathematics, Penn State University *2014*

B.A. in Spanish, Penn State University *2014*

Research and Teaching Fields

Labor Economics, Health Economics, Economic History

Publications

“The Effect of Hospital Maternity Ward Closures on Maternal and Infant Health” *forthcoming, American Journal of Health Economics*.

“The Effects of Granting Temporary Work Visas on Labor Market Outcomes of Natives and Immigrants: Evidence from DACA” *Journal of Urban Economics*, vol. 134, March 2023.

“Malaria, Race, and Inequality: Evidence from the Early 1900s U.S. South” *The Journal of Economic History*, vol. 81, no. 4, 2021, pp. 1173-1222, with Faizaan Kisat.

Working Papers and Works in Progress

“The Effect of Pregnancy Accommodation Laws on Labor Market Outcomes” with Jessica H. Brown (*under review*)

“Encouraging Naturalization: The Broader Effects of DACA on Non-Recipients” with Thomas Pearson

“The Impact of Concentration in the U.S. Blood Plasma Industry on Health Outcomes and Disparities” with Lucy Xiaolu Wang

Research Presentations

2024-2025	APPAM Fall Research Conference, University of Delaware
2022-2023	Southern Economic Association Annual Conference
2021-2022	Abt Associates, Bowdoin University, Brookings Institution, Department of Justice, Federal Communications Commission, Federal Trade Commission, U.S. Census Bureau, University of Delaware, University of Houston, University of Nebraska, Wellesley University

Teaching Experience

University of Delaware	
Econometrics of Cross Sections and Panel Data (Graduate)	<i>Fall 2023-Fall 2024</i>
Econometric Methods and Models I (Undergraduate)	<i>Fall 2022-Fall 2024</i>
Princeton University (Teaching Assistant)	
Econometric Applications (Undergraduate)	<i>Spring 2020</i>
Introduction to Microeconomics (Undergraduate)	<i>Fall 2018, Spring 2019</i>
San Antonio Independent School District	
High School Mathematics Teacher	<i>2014-2016</i>

Professional Activities

Refereeing

American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Economic Review, American Journal of Health Economics, Health Affairs, Health Services Insight, ILR Review, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Economic Geography, Journal of Economic History, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Journal of Urban Economics, Review of Economic and Statistics

Honors, Scholarships, Fellowships, and Grants

Princeton University Graduate Fellowship, Princeton University	<i>2016-2022</i>
Richard A. Lester Fellowship, Industrial Relations Section	<i>2020-2021</i>
Graduate Student Teaching Prize, Department of Economics, Princeton University	<i>2020</i>
Clarence J. Hicks Memorial Fellowship, Industrial Relations Section	<i>2019-2020</i>
Marimar and Cristina Torres Prize for Best Third Year Paper, Princeton University	<i>2019</i>
Rising Star New Teacher of the Year, San Antonio ISD	<i>2014-2015</i>
William B. Forest Honors Scholarship in Mathematics, Penn State University	<i>2013</i>
John W. White Scholarship for Excellence in Spanish, Penn State University	<i>2013</i>
Evan Johnson Memorial Scholarship in Mathematics, Penn State University	<i>2012</i>
Women in Science and Engineering Research Scholarship, Penn State University	<i>2011-2012</i>

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