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Research Fields

Primary Labor Economics
Secondary Applied Microeconometrics

Education

2017 - 2021 BOSTON COLLEGE
(expected) Ph.D. in Econometrics (ABD)

2015 - 2017 BOSTON COLLEGE
 M.A. in Economics

2005 - 2009 HARVARD UNIVERSITY
 B.A. in Economics

Papers

Working Papers

Impact of Self-Defense Regulations on Crime - Evidence from the Stand Your Ground Law
(*with Abby Hong*) [*Job Market Paper*]

Work in Progress

Impact of the Stand Your Ground Law on Crime in Michigan
(*with Abby Hong*)

Using the RFM Method to Predict Regional Crime

Research Experience

Research Associate, Harvard Business School:

- Data analysis for project on the impact of career connections on trading volume and trading rate, May 2020 - Aug 2020
- Data analysis for project on the impact of supply chain relationships on corporate social responsibility, May 2019 - Aug 2019

Teaching Experience

Instructor (designed and sole-taught):

- Statistics, Spring 2019 (two sections)

Teaching Assistant (grading and leading discussions):

- Statistics, Spring 2020 (one section), Fall 2018 (two sections), Spring 2018, Fall 2017, Spring 2016 (one section each)
- Econometrics, Fall 2019 (one section)
- Microeconomic Theory, Fall 2015 (one section)

Conferences

2021 Western Economic Association International (WEAI) Virtual International Conference

Skills

- **Tools:** Stata, R, Matlab, Python, SQL, SAS, EViews, Git, Tableau, C++, L^AT_EX
- **Knowledge:** Logistics Regressions, Time Series Forecasting, Causal Random Forest Prediction, Hypothesis Testing, Monte Carlo Simulation

Languages

Chinese (native), English (fluent), Japanese (basic), French (basic)

References

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