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#### Education

2018 Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA

Ph.D. in Economics

Committee: Claudia Olivetti, Robert Margo, and S Anukriti

2010 MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY, EAST LANSING, MI

B.S. in MathematicsB.S. in Economics

### **Fields**

Public Economics, Health Economics, Labor Economics, Economic History

#### **Publications**

"Explaining Declines in U.S. Rural Mortality, 1910-1933: The Role of County Health Departments" Explorations in Economic History 70 (2018): 42-72.

# Papers Under Review

"The Impact of No-Fault Unilateral Divorce Laws on Divorce Rates in Mexico" (with Jacob Penglase)

Conditionally Accepted - Economic Development and Cultural Change

"The Long-term Impact of Public Health Measures Targeting Children" Revise and Resubmit – The Economic Journal

"The Protestant Legacy: Missions, Literacy, and Economic Development in India" (with Rossella Calvi and Federico Mantovanelli)
Submitted

#### Working Papers

"Taxation, Inequality, and the Provision of Local Public Health"

"Divorce Laws and Women's Bargaining Power: A Combined Reduced Form-Structural Approach" (with Jacob Penglase)

"Revisiting the Rural Mortality Decline in the United States, 1900-1930"

### Research in Progress

"Public Health Spillovers: City Infrastructure Investments and the Nearest Neighbor Effect"

## Teaching Experience

Econometrics (Spring 2019)

Public Economics (Spring 2019)

Introduction to Economics (Fall 2018)

Introduction to Statistics (Fall 2015, Spring 2015)

Statistics Stata Lab (Fall 2016, Spring 2016, Fall 2014)

### Awards and Honors

Graduate Student Workshop, Western Economic Association International (2017)

Donald J. White Teaching Excellence Award, Teaching Fellow (2016)

Boston College GIS Contest: 1st Prize Winner (2016)

Donald J. White Teaching Excellence Award, Teaching Assistant (2015)

### **Presentations and Conferences**

2019: Society of Labor Economists Annual Meeting

2018: Haveford College, World Economic History Congress, Columbia University, Vassar College, Colby College, Bryn Mawr College, United States Military Academy at West Point, Furman University

2017: Boston College Human and Economic Development Workshop, Harvard Economic History Lunch, Western Economic Association International

2016: NBER Summer Institute (DAE), Economic History Association Annual Meeting, Midwest Economic Association Annual Conference (2010)

#### Professional Memberships

American Economic Association, Economic History Association, Society of Labor Economists, Royal Economic Society, American Public Health Association

### Research and Professional Experience

RESEARCH ASSISTANT BOSTON COLLEGE (2012-2017)

Claudia Olivetti, Scott Fulford, Can Erbil, Mathis Wagner, Joseph Quinn

Analysis Group, Boston, MA (2012-2013)

Analyst Keystone Strategy, New York City, NY (2012)

RESEARCH ASSISTANT CENTER FOR RETIREMENT RESEARCH (2011)

RESEARCH ASSISTANT MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY (2008-2009)