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CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA

- Ph.D. Candidate, Economics (Anticipated: Ph.D. 2017)
- M.A., Economics (2011)

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

- B.S., Mathematics (2010, Dean's List, Honors)
- B.S., Economics (2009, Dean's List, Honors)

RESEARCH FIELDS

Applied Microeconomics, Development Economics

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

- Health Services for the Nation: The History of Rural Health Departments and the Effect on Mortality, Productivity, and Inequality in the United States
- Externalities of Public Health Investment: City Water Infrastructure and the Effect on the Nearest Neighbor
- Declining Infant Mortality and the Investment Effects on Children: Evidence from the Historical United States
- The Household Bargaining Effects of the Legalization of Divorce: Evidence from Chile and Brazil

CONFERENCES

Papers Presented

• Midwest Economic's Association Annual Conference (2010)

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- Donald J. White Teaching Excellence Award (2015)
- $\bullet\,$ Full Tuition Remission and Stipend, Boston College

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA

• Statistics (Fall 2015, Spring 2015)

Teaching Assistant, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA

• Discussion Group: Statistics - Applications in Stata (Fall 2014, Spring 2016)

Teaching Assistant, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

- Head Macroeconomics Teaching Assistant (2010)
- Microeconomics Teaching Assistant (2009)

RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA

- Research Assistant for Scott Fulford (Summer 2014)
- Research Assistant for Can Erbil (Spring 2014)
- Research Assistant for Mathis Wagner (Spring 2011, Summer 2011, Fall 2011)
- Research Assistant for Joseph Quinn (Fall 2010)

Analysis Group, Boston, MA

• Analyst (2012-2013)

Keystone Strategy, New York City, NY

• Quantitative Analyst (2012)

Center for Retirement Research, Chestnut Hill, MA

• Graduate Research Assistant (2010-2011)

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

• Undergraduate Research Assistant (2008-2009)

SKILLS

Stata, Matlab, LaTex, SQL Server, SAS, ArcGis, Minitab, MS Office