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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

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Assistant Professor, *Wake Forest University*

July 2024 –

## RESEARCH FIELDS

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Primary: Macroeconomics, Time Series Econometrics  
Secondary: Finance, Banking, Computational Economics

## EDUCATION

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Ph.D. in Economics, *University of Oregon*

2019 - 24

B.S. in Mathematics & Economics, *Tufts University*

2015 - 19

## PUBLICATIONS

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- [1] “[Measuring economic activity in the presence of superstar MNEs](#)” (with Philip Economides)  
**Economics Letters**, 2023.

## WORKING PAPERS

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- [4] “[Measuring Dynamic Transmission using Pass-Through Impulse Response Functions](#)”  
[3] “[Commercial Bank Heterogeneity and the Transmission of Monetary Policy Through Bank Lending](#)”  
[2] “[Computing Temporary Equilibria using Exact Aggregation](#)” (with David Evans)  
[1] “[The Evolution of Community Bank Interconnectedness](#)”

## WORKS IN PROGRESS

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- “Estimating Large Bayesian Dynamic Factor Models”  
“Inference on PT-IRFs: VARs and Local Projections”  
“Monetary Transmission via Expectations in DSGEs with Bounded Rationality” (with Edder Martínez Lazo)

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

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- [4] “[A Replication of ‘The Macroeconomic Impact of Europe’s Carbon Taxes’ by Metcalf and Stock \(2023\)](#)” (with Thomas Ash) **I4R Discussion Paper Series**, 2024.  
[3] “[Mass Reproducibility and Replicability: A New Hope](#)” (with Abel Brodeur, Derek Mikola, Nikolai Cook, Ethan Struby, Thomas Ash and many others) **IZA Discussion Paper**, 2024.  
[2] “[News Shocks Under Financial Frictions: A Comment on Görtz et al. \(2022\)](#)” (with Thomas Ash and Ethan Struby) **I4R Discussion Paper Series**, 2023.  
[1] “[Using deep learning to examine the correlation between transportation planning and perceived safety of the built environment](#)” (with Justin Hollander, Alphonsus Adu-Bredu, Minyu Situ, and Shabnam Bista) **Environment and Planning B: Urban Analytics and City Science**, 2021.

## SEMINARS & CONFERENCES

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**2025:** Liberal Arts Finance Group Seminar (Scheduled); Elon University (Scheduled)

**2024:** Southern Economic Association 94th Annual Meeting (Washington D.C); Liberal Arts Macroeconomics Conference 2024 (*Kenyon College*); Western Economic Association International 99th Annual Conference (Seattle); Bentley University; James Madison University; Vassar College; Wake Forest University

**2023:** Georgian Economic Association Job Market Workshop (*Virtual*); Fall Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings (*Texas Tech University*); 33rd Annual Meeting of the Midwest Econometrics Group (*Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland*); Community Banking Research Conference (Invited Attendee, *Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis*); Western Economic Association International 98th Annual Conference (San Diego)

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

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**Referee:** *Studies in Nonlinear Dynamics and Econometrics*; *China Finance Review International*

**Discussions:** “Small Banks Really Are Different: Unexpected Deposit Flows, Loan Production, and Off-Balance-Sheet Funding Liquidity Risk” by Thierno Amadou Barry, Gamze Ozturk Danisman, Alassane Diabaté, Amine Tarazi, and Lawrence White (SEA 94th Annual Conference); “Information and Efficiency: Forecasting with Disaggregated GDP Revisions” by Adam Check, Tyler Schipper, and Richard Higgins (WEAI 99th Annual Conference); “The Credit Card and Small Business Lending Channels of Monetary Policy” by Max Littlejohn (WEAI 98th Annual Conference)

## HONORS & AWARDS

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CBRC Emerging Scholar, <i>CSBS / Federal Reserve / FDIC</i>	2023
Graduate Teaching Award, <i>University of Oregon</i>	2023
Kleinsorge Fellowship, <i>University of Oregon</i>	2023
Best PhD Research Paper Award, <i>University of Oregon</i>	2022
Graduate Teaching Fellowship, <i>University of Oregon</i>	2020 - 24
Edward G. Daniel Scholarship, <i>University of Oregon</i>	2020
Graduate Student Fellowship, <i>University of Oregon</i>	2019-20
Highest Honors in Thesis, <i>Tufts University</i>	2019

## TEACHING

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(4x) Introduction to Economics, *Wake Forest University*  
(3x) Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory, *University of Oregon*  
(2x) Money and Banking, *University of Oregon*  
(1x) Monetary Policy, *University of Oregon*  
(3x, TA) Core PhD Macroeconomics, *University of Oregon*  
(1x, TA) Advanced Macroeconomic Theory, *University of Oregon*  
(1x, TA) Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory, *University of Oregon*  
(1x, TA) Introduction to Econometrics, *University of Oregon*

## OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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Economist Intern, <i>Amazon</i>	2023
Research Assistant (to David Evans), <i>University of Oregon</i>	2022
Research Assistant (to Justin Hollander), <i>Tufts University</i>	2018 - 19
Research Assistant, <i>Macroeconomic Research Division of the National Bank of Georgia</i>	2018
Investment Management Summer Analyst, <i>Dorsar Investment Co.</i>	2017

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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**Languages:** English, Georgian, Russian, Spanish (basic)

**Programming:** Julia, R, Python, SQL, Bash, Git, SLURM