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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics

May 2015 (Expected)

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

M.A. in Economics May 2011

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

B.A. in History and Economics May 2006

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Labor Economics, Economics of Education, Public Economics, and Industrial Organization

PUBLICATIONS

Handling Correlations between Covariates and Random Slopes in Multilevel Models (with Katherine Castillano, Sophia Rabe-Hesketh, and Anders Skrondel), forthcoming at the Journal of Educational and Behavioral Statistics

WORKING PAPERS

Public and Private Learning in the Market for Teachers (Job Market Paper)
Job Separation Under Asymmetric Employer Learning

WORK IN PROGRESS

Nonlinear Estimation in the Presence of Selection on Unobservable Effects (with Leslie Papke and Jeffrey Wooldridge)

Predicting Factors of Financial Distress (with David Arsen, Thomas DeLuca, Yongmei Ni)

Presentations

Causal Inference in Education Research Seminar, Ann Arbor, MI	June 2014
UM-MSU-WU Labor Day Conference, London, ON, Canada	May 2014
The National Council of Measurement in Education, Philadelphia, PA	April 2014
The Midwestern Economic Association, Evanston, IL	March 2014
The Association of Education Finance and Policy, San Antonio, TX	March 2014
The Missouri Valley Economic Association, Kansas City, MO	October 2013

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant: Under Jeffrey Wooldridge and Leslie Papke 2012-present

Non-linear Estimation Using Panel Data. Michigan State University

Visiting Scholar: Under Sophia Rabe-Hesketh 2013

Multilevel Modeling. University of California, Berkeley

Research Assistant: Under David Arsen 2011-2012

Michigan K-12 Finance: Predicting Factors of Financial Distress. Michigan State University,

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor: Introduction to Macroeconomics. Michigan State University 2014 Teaching Assistant: Capstone Course in Economics. Michigan State University 2011 Intermediate Macroeconomics. Michigan State University 2011 Introduction to Macroeconomics. Michigan State University 2010 Economics of Energy and the Environment. Michigan State University 2010 Teacher of Record: Middle School Mathematics and Social Studies. New City Academy, Lansing, MI 2009-2010 Seventh Grade Self-Contained. New City Academy, Lansing, MI 2008-2009 Sixth Grade Mathematics and Earth Sciences. Aspira Haugan Middle School, Chicago, IL 2006-2008

AWARDS AND HONORS

Institute for Education Sciences Economics of Education Fellow, Michigan State University	$2010 ext{-}present$
Harold D. Osterweil Prize in Economics, University of Michigan	2006
Ron and Eileen Weiser Fellowship, University of Michigan	2004
William J. Branstrom Freshman Prize, University of Michigan	2003

Professional Memberships

American Economic Association, American Educational Research Association, Association for Education Finance and Policy, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Midwestern Economic Association, National Council of Measurement in Education

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