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### Employment

2014-Present: Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Mississippi

### Education

Ph.D., Economics and Public Policy, Carnegie Mellon University, 2014

M.S., Economics, Carnegie Mellon University, 2009

B.A., Economics and Political Science, *summa cum laude*, University of Colorado, Boulder, 2004

### Research

#### *Publications*

“If I Leave Here Tomorrow: An Option View of Migration when Labor Market Quality Declines.”  
With Josh Hendrickson. Forthcoming. Southern Economic Journal.

“A Simple Approximation to the Average Effect of the Treatment on the Treated in Panel Settings  
with Selective Enrollment.” Forthcoming. Applied Economics Letters.

“Staying when the Going Gets Tough: The Equivalent Predictions of Option and Search Theory on  
Migration During Economic Downturns.” With Josh Hendrickson. Forthcoming. Economics  
Bulletin.

“Migration and Wages: New Evidence from the African American Great Migration.” 2016. IZA  
Journal of Migration 5 (1).

#### *Working papers*

“City-Specific Racial Differences in the Labor Supply of Women.” With Natalia Kolesnikova

“Identification and Estimation of Average Causal Effects when Treatment Status is Ignorable within  
Unobserved Strata”

“Roy-Model Bounds on Differential Treatment Effects”

“Intergenerational Altruism in the Migration Decision Calculus: Evidence from the Great Migration”

#### *Conference presentations*

“Identification and Estimation of Average Causal Effects when Treatment Status is Ignorable within  
Unobserved Strata.” Econometric Society Summer Meetings. St. Louis, MO. 2017.

“Nonparametric Estimation of Average Causal Effects when Treatment Status is Ignorable within  
Unobserved Strata.” Southern Economics Association Conference. Washington, DC. 2016.

“Intergenerational Altruism in the Migration Decision Calculus: Evidence from the Great Migration.”  
Southern Economics Association Conference. New Orleans, LA. 2015.

“Roy-Model Bounds on Group Differences in Treatment Effects: Theory with an Application to the Great Migration.” Western Economics Association. Honolulu, HI, 2015.

“The Great Migration and Wages in the Northern United States.” Southern Economics Association. Tampa, FL, 2013.

“Alliterative Names and Election Outcomes.” Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, IL, 2010.

“Deterrence Externalities and Racial Bias in Law Enforcement.” Western Economics Association. Portland, OR, 2010.

“Diversity and Trust among Lifelong Residents: An Empirical Test of Constrict Theory,” Association for Public Policy and Management. Washington, D.C., 2009.

## **Teaching**

### *Instructor*

Applied Economics (Undergraduate), Ph.D. Microeconomics (Guest lecturer, Doctoral), Economic Principles of Policy Analysis (Masters), Principles of Economics (Undergraduate), Regression Analysis (Undergraduate), Microeconomic Research Methods (Doctoral), Behavioral Economics (Undergraduate)

### *Teaching assistant*

Labor Economics (Masters), Strategic Corporate Management (MBA), Trade and Investment Strategy (MBA), Program Evaluation (Masters), Principles of Economics (Undergraduate), Law and Economics (Undergraduate/Masters), Econometric Theory and Methods II (Doctoral), Ph.D. Microeconomics (Doctoral), Applied Econometrics II (Masters), Economic Analysis (Masters)

## **Grants**

College of Liberal Arts Summer Research Grant, University of Mississippi, 2015-2016  
Graduate Student Small Project Help Research Grant, Carnegie Mellon University, 2011

## **References**

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