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Education

University of Wisconsin - Madison - PhD in Economics (*Expected* May 2025)

University of Wisconsin - Madison - MS in Economics (2021)

University of Rochester – BS in Mathematics with Honors (2019)

University of Rochester – BA in Economics with Honors (2019)

References

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Research Fields

Labor Economics, Macroeconomics, Public Economics

Research Papers

“Long-term Employment Contracts for Earnings and Hours” (Job Market Paper)

“The Effect of Bilingual Education on Long-run Student Outcomes” with Hyun Lim (Working Paper)

“The Effect of Marriage and Divorce on Retirement Decisions” (Working Paper)

“The Partial Retirement Penalty within and across Firms” (Work in Progress)

Policy Articles

"Implementation Delays in Pension Retrenchment Reforms" with Huixin Bi and Sarah Zubairy. *Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas Economic Review*, July (2019), 53-70

Teaching Experience

Instructor, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Summer 2023

Computation Camp (4-week summer course for Ph.D. students)

Head Teaching Assistant, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Spring 2021

ECON101, Intro to Microeconomics (Undergrad)

Teaching Assistant, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Fall 2020

ECON101, Intro to Microeconomics (Undergrad)

Teaching Assistant, University of Rochester, 2017-2019

ECO217, Contract Theory (Undergrad)

MTH203, Mathematical Statistics (Undergrad)

MTH201, Probability Theory (Undergrad)

STT212, Applied Statistics (Undergrad)



Research Experience

Dissertation Fellow, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, 2024
Thomas J. Sargent Dissertation Fellow, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, 2024
Research Assistant for Corina Mommaerts, UW-Madison, 2021-2023
Research Assistant for Mark Bills, University of Rochester, Fall 2018
Research Assistant for Chenyu Yang, University of Rochester, Spring 2018
Research Intern for Huixin Bi, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Summer 2018
Research Intern for Jose Mustre del Rio, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Summer 2018

Honors, Scholarships and Fellowships

Best Student Paper, Spring Midwest Macro Meeting, 2024
Christensen Graduate Fellowship in Empirical Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2024
Douglas W. and Sherry A. Caves Dissertation Fellowship, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2024
Christensen Scholarship for Empirical Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2023
Summer Research Scholarship, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2022
University Fellowship (2-years), University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2019
William Morse Hastings Essay Prize for Best Senior Thesis, University of Rochester, 2019

Conferences and Seminars

2024: Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, North American Summer Meeting of Econometric Society (Vanderbilt), Spring Midwest Macro Meeting (Richmond Fed and VCU)

2023: Fall Labor and Finance Group Conference (Chicago Fed)

Service

Research Officer, Wisconsin Economics Graduate Organization, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2021-2023

Technical Skills

Julia, R, Stata, MATLAB, Python, SQL, LaTeX, Microsoft Office