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CURRENT & PAST EMPLOYMENT

2019- Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Oklahoma
2017 Research Consultant, Independent Evaluation Office, International Monetary Fund

EDUCATION

2019 Ph.D., Economics, University of Texas at Austin
Dissertation: “*Essays on Macroeconomic Development Policy*”
2014 B.A., Mathematical Economics, Temple University

PUBLISHED & FORTHCOMING WORKS

Utilitarian benchmarks for emissions and pledges yield equity, climate, and development advantages (with Mark Budolfson, David Anthoff, Francis Dennig, Frank Errickson, Dean Spears, and Navroz Dubash), Forthcoming. *Nature Climate Change*.
“Assessing IMF Involvement in Fragile States” (with Charles Collyns and Shinji Takagi), 2021. Chapter in *Macroeconomic Policy in Fragile States* (eds. Ralph Chami, Raphael Espinoza, Peter Montiel), Oxford University Press.
“Animal-based foods have high climate and social costs” (with Frank Errickson and Jonathan McFadden), 2021. *Nature Food*.
“What Should We Agree on about the Repugnant Conclusion?” (consensus statement with 20+ coauthors), 2021. *Utilitas*.
“Quantifying India’s Climate Vulnerability” (with Melissa LoPalo, Dean Spears and Mark Budolfson), 2019. *India Policy Forum Vol 15* (eds. Shekhar Shah, Barry Bosworth, Karthik Muralidharan).

WORKING PAPERS

Are IMF Rescue Packages Effective? A Synthetic Control Analysis of Macroeconomic Crises [Revision Requested: *Journal of Monetary Economics*]
Monetizing the Externalities of Animal Agriculture: Insights from an Inclusive Welfare Function (with Jonathan McFadden) [Resubmitted: *Social Choice and Welfare*]
Population Issues in Welfare Economics, Ethics, and Policy Evaluation (with Dean Spears and Mark Budolfson) [prepared for *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Economics and Finance*]
Foreign Aid and Forecast Errors (with Anjali Priya)
Revenue recycling turns tradeoffs into synergies between climate action and Sustainable Development Goals (with Climate Futures Initiative Team) [Resubmitted: *Nature Climate Change*]

In Progress

Total National Welfare
The Marginal Welfare Effects of Population (with Maya Eden)
Major League Baseball Attendance & the Willingness to Pay for a Cooler Day (with Melissa LoPalo and Sean O’Connor)

POLICY WRITINGS

“The IMF and Fragile States: Assessing Macroeconomic Outcomes,” 2018. Background research paper (BP 01/05) for *The IMF and Fragile States: Evaluation Report 2018*, Independent Evaluation Office, IMF.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Conference Presentations and Seminars

- 2021 Welfare Economics and Economic Policy Virtual Seminar; Global Priorities Workshop, University of Oxford; Early Career Conference Programme, Global Priorities Institute, University of Oxford
- 2020 Population, Climate Change, and Social Welfare Economics, University of Texas at Austin; Early Career Conference Programme, Global Priorities Institute, University of Oxford
- 2019 Centre for Advanced Financial Research and Learning (CAFRAL), Reserve Bank of India; University of Oklahoma; University of South Florida; University of Maine; OU Arts and Sciences Research Discussion Series
- 2018 India Policy Forum (New Delhi); Macroeconomic Policy in Fragile States, University of Oxford; Texas A&M University; University of Texas at Austin

PhD Committees

- Sean O'Connor (**Chair**; 2021)
- Zhengang Xu (2021)
- Saini Das (2021)
- Brent Norwood (2021)
- Amir Tayebi (Expected 2022 graduation)
- Tejas Ghirnikar (Expected 2022 graduation)
- Salimeh Abedini Birang (Expected 2022 graduation)
- Anthony Mayberry (Expected 2022 graduation)

Refereeing

Review of Economics and Statistics (3x); Social Choice and Welfare (2x); Nature Scientific Reports

TEACHING

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| Principles of Macroeconomics (Honors) | F 2019; Sp 2020; F 2020 |
| Principles of Macroeconomics (Large Lecture) | F 2020; Sp 2021; F 2021 |
| Environmental Economics | Sp 2020; F 2021 |
| Independent Readings | F 2020 |
| The Mathematics of Money
(Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth, Hong Kong) | Summer 2016, 2017 |

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS & AWARDS

- 2021-2022 Longview Philanthropy (Two course releases)
- 2021 Global Priorities Fellow, Forethought Foundation for Global Priorities Research
- 2021 Junior Faculty Fellowship, University of Oklahoma Research Council
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