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EDUCATION

Brandeis University Waltham, MA PhD - International Economics and Finance 2012 - 2016**Brandeis University** Waltham, MA M.S. International Economics and Finance 2010 - 2012School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS) at Johns Hopkins Bologna, Italy 2000 2010

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University of California at Los Angeles B.S. Mathematics, Cum Laude EXPERIENCE Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland Research Economist II Cleveland, OH Research Economist I Cleveland Research Economist I Cleveland, OH Research Associate Boston, MA Research Associate World Bank World Bank World Bank Washington, D.C. Short-Term Consultant - Trade and Competitiveness Global Practice Group State Street Global Advisors Summer Intern - Advanced Research Center, Global Active Equities Group US International Trade Commission Washington, D.C. Summer Intern 2010, 2011	Graduate Diploma - International Relations and Economics	2009–2010
Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland Research Economist IICleveland, OH 2021-PresentFederal Reserve Bank of Cleveland Research Economist ICleveland, OH 2018-2021Federal Reserve Bank of Boston Research AssociateBoston, MA 2014-2018World Bank Short-Term Consultant - Trade and Competitiveness Global Practice GroupWashington, D.C.State Street Global Advisors Summer Intern - Advanced Research Center, Global Active Equities GroupBoston, MA 2012US International Trade CommissionWashington, D.C.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	9 ,
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RESEARCH

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

C. L. Foote, L. Loewenstein, and P. S. Willen, "Cross-sectional patterns of mortgage debt during the housing boom: Evidence and implications", The Review of Economic Studies, vol. 88, no. 1, pp. 229–259, 2021.

K. Gerardi, L. Loewenstein, and P. S. Willen, "Evaluating the benefits of a streamlined refinance program", Housing Policy Debate, vol. 31, no. 1, pp. 51–65, 2021.

Working Papers

- D. Glancy, R. Kurtzman, L. Loewenstein, and J. Nichols, "Recourse as shadow equity: Evidence from commercial real estate loans", Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, Working paper 21-20, Sep. 2021.
- C. L. Foote, **L. Loewenstein**, and P. Willen, "Technological innovation in mortgage underwriting and the growth in credit: 1985–2015", 2018.
- **L. Loewenstein**, "Consumption of housing during the 2000s boom: Evidence and theory", Working Paper, 2018.
- K. Graddy, L. Loewenstein, J. Mei, M. Moses, and R. A. Pownall, "Anchoring or loss aversion? empirical evidence from art auctions", 2014.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- **L. Loewenstein**, "Why wasn't there a nonbank mortgage servicer liquidity crisis?", *Economic Commentary*, no. 2021-15, 2021.
- **L. Loewenstein**, "Subprime may not have caused the 2000s housing crisis: Evidence from Cleveland, Ohio", *Economic Commentary*, no. 2020-25, 2020.

Teaching

• Instructor at Brandeis University	Summer 2012 & 2014
$Intermediate\ Microeconomics\ (Undergraduate)$	
• Teaching Assistant at Brandeis University	2014
Time Series Econometrics (Graduate), Professor Davide Pettenuzzo	
• Teaching Assistant at Brandeis University	2013
Empirical Industrial Organization (Graduate), Professor Ben Shiller	
• Teaching Assistant at Brandeis University	2013
Central Banking Seminar (Undergraduate), Instructor: Lynn Browne	
• Teaching Assistant at Brandeis University	2012
Game Theory (Undergraduate), Professor Adam Jaffe	
• Teaching Assistant at Brandeis University	2012
Health Economics (Undergraduate), Professor Christine Bishop	
• Teaching Assistant at Brandeis University	2010
International Trade (Undergraduate), Professor Rachel McCulloch	
• Teaching Assistant at School of Advanced International Studies at Johns Hopkins Universit	y 2009
Intermediate Microeconomics (Masters), Professor Matteo Alvisi	

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Humane Studies Fellowship	2014–2015
AFA Student Travel Award	2014
• Kauffman Dissertation Fellowship	2013
• Brandeis University Graduate Student Fellowship	2012–2014
• Daisy International Prize	2012
• Best Columnist for the UCLA Daily Bruin	2006
• California Golden State Scholarship	2003
• California State Art Scholar	2002

Invited Conferences and Presentations

- 2022: AREUEA at the ASSAs (Discussant)
- 2021: Federal Reserve Board Finance Forum; Midwest Economics Association Annual Conference; ASSA Annual Conference (Discussant); CREDA Symposium; Federal Reserve System Regional Conference (Discussant)
- 2020: Bonn University Seminar Series; ASSA Annual Conference (Presenter and Discussant); Federal Reserve System Committee Meeting on Regional Analysis (Discussant)
- 2019: Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting; Southwestern Allied Social Science Association Annual Conference; Federal Reserve Committee Meeting on Financial Institutions, Regulation, and Markets (Discussant); Federal Reserve System Committee Meeting on Regional Analysis; Kent State University Seminar Series; Western Economic Association International Annual Conference (Session Chair and Discussant); Federal Reserve Research Scrum; American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association
- 2018: Consumer Financial Protection Bureau Seminar Series; Kenyon College Seminar Series; Center for Financial Innovation and Stability and Center for the Economic Analysis of Risk Conference on Financial Stability Implications of New Technology; Federal Reserve System Conference on Regional Analysis; American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association National Conference (Presenter and Discussant); Ohio State University PhD Conference on Real Estate and Housing (Discussant); Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland Seminar Series; Federal Reserve Board Seminar Series; Federal Reserve System Day-Ahead Conference on Financial Markets and Institutions
- 2017: Federal Reserve Bank of Boston Greater Boston Urban and Real Estate Economics Seminar; Brandeis University Economics Department Seminar Series
- 2016: NBER Summer Institute Joint session of Real Estate and Urban Economics

Referee Service

Journal of International Money and Finance; Journal of Finance; Review of Economic Studies; Housing Policy Debate; Journal of Banking and Finance; Journal of Regional Science; Macroeconomic Dynamics; Yale Law School Journal of Law and Economics

OTHER SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

• CREDA Affiliate 2021–Present

• CSWEP liason to the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland

2020-Present

• Women in Economics Symposium at the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland (Panelist)

2020

CITIZENSHIP

United States; United Kingdom; Switzerland