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#### **EMPLOYMENT**

Research Scientist at Opportunity Insights, Harvard University, 2021-present

# **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. Economics, University of Maryland at College Park, 2021

B.A. Economics and Mathematics, Williams College, 2012

#### PUBLISHED PAPERS

- "Female Executives and the Motherhood Penalty" (with Seth Murray and Danielle Sandler), *Journal of Human Resource*, 2024
- "Job Displacement and Job Mobility: The Role of Joblessness" (with Bruce Fallick, John Haltiwanger, and Erika McEntarfer), accepted, American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics
- "The Children of HOPE VI Demolitions: National Evidence on Labor Market Outcomes" (with John Haltiwanger, Mark Kutzbach, Giordano Palloni, Henry Pollakowski, and Daniel Weinberg), accepted, **Journal of Public Economics**
- "Cyclical Worker Flows: Cleansing vs. Sullying" (with John Haltiwanger, Henry Hyatt, and Erika McEntarfer), conditionally accepted, **Review of Economic Dynamics**

### WORKING PAPERS

- "Neighborhood Revitalization and Residential Sorting" (with Giordano Palloni and John Voorheis), 2024
- "The Intergenerational Transmission of Employers and the Earnings of Young Workers," 2023
- "Disparities in Spousal Income and Inefficient Household Behavior," 2021
- "When Children Rule: Parenting in Modern Families" (with Sebastian Galiani and Gustavo Torrens), 2017

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor, Applied Econometrics, University of Maryland, Summer 2017 Teaching Assistant, Intermediate Microeconomics, University of Maryland, Fall 2014

#### CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

- 2024: ASSA Annual Meeting, UCLA Conference on Low-Income Housing Supply and Housing Affordability, Purpose Built Communities National Conference, Society of Labor Economics Conference, UC Irvine, Linnaeus University
- 2023: University of Michigan: Stone Center for Inequality Dynamics, McGill University, RAND, North American Meeting of the Urban Economics Association, NBER Labor Studies Program Meeting, Nebraska Labor Summit, APPAM Annual Fall Research Conference, NBER Economics of Mobility Fall Meeting (*discussant*),
- 2022: Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics: Housing & Urban Economics, Society of Labor Economics Conference, NBER Children's Meeting, University of Southern California, ASSA Annual Meeting
- 2021: Brown University, City University of New York, U.S. Census Bureau, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, Federal Reserve Board, University of Rochester
- 2020: Washington Center for Equitable Growth Grantee Conference, Society of Labor Economics Conference
- 2019: 20th Anniversary LED Workshop, BLS-Census Workshop (poster), Society of Labor Economics Conference (poster)
- 2018: Population Association of America Annual Meeting
- 2017: Society of Economics of the Household Annual Meeting

# **RESEARCH POSITIONS**

Research Assistant, Prof. John Haltiwanger, U.S. Census Bureau, 2015-2021 Research Assistant, Prof. Jessica Goldberg, University of Maryland, Spring 2015 Research Fellow, Economic Policy Research Institute, Cape Town South Africa, 2013-2014 Quantitative Research Analyst, Dr. William G. Bowen, Ithaka S+R, 2012-2013 Research Assistant, Prof. David Zimmerman, Williams College, Spring 2012

# HONORS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

Dissertation Scholar, Washington Center for Equitable Growth, 2020-2021 Roger and Alicia Betancourt Fellowship in Applied Economics, University of Maryland, 2020 Vernon E. Jordan Jr. Fellowship Award, Economic Club of Washington D.C, 2019 Doctoral Research Grant, Washington Center for Equitable Growth, 2018 Poster Competition (First Prize), Dept. of Economics, University of Maryland, 2018 Kauffman Dissertation Fellowship, Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation, 2017 Allan Gruchy Graduate Fellowship, Dept. of Economics, University of Maryland, 2016 Melville J. Ulmer Graduate Fellowship in Economics, University of Maryland, 2016 BSOS Dean's Research Initiative Pre-Candidacy Research, University of Maryland, 2016 Graduate Summer Research Fellowship, University of Maryland, 2016 Graduate Research Fellowship (Honorable Mention), National Science Foundation, 2016 Poster Competition (Honorable Mention), Dept. of Economics, University of Maryland, 2016 Allan Gruchy Graduate Fellowship, Dept. of Economics, University of Maryland, 2015 BSOS Dean's Research Initiative Pre-Candidacy Research, University of Maryland, 2015 Williams in Africa Research Fellowship, Economic Policy Research Institute, 2013-2014 Goldberg Award for Senior Mathematics Colloquium, Williams College, 2012

Dean's List, Williams College, Fall '08, Spring '09, Fall '09, Fall '10, Fall '11, Spring '12 Williams College Alumni Sponsored Grant, Williams College, 2011

### CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR ORGANIZATION

- 2024: Opportunity Insights lunch seminar
- 2023: Conference on Economic Opportunity (Opportunity Insights), Cambridge-Area Junior Applied Micro Seminar, Opportunity Insights lunch seminar
- 2022: Inaugural Conference on Economic Opportunity (Opportunity Insights), Cambridge-Area Junior Applied Micro Seminar, Opportunity Insights lunch seminar
- 2021: Opportunity Insights lunch seminar

# REFEREE SERVICE

Quarterly Journal of Economics, American Economic Review, American Economic Review: Insights, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Human Resources, Labour Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, Economic Development and Cultural Change, Economic Inquiry, Oxford Economic Papers

### OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Advisory committee member for the Washington Center for Equitable Growth's economic mobility newsletter, 2024