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Appointment

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics	University at Buffalo	2020
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Education

<i>Degree</i>	<i>Field</i>	<i>Institution</i>	<i>Year</i>
Ph.D.	Economics	University of Minnesota	2020
M.A.	Economics	University of Minnesota	2017
B.Sc.	Mathematics & Economics (<i>summa cum laude</i>)	Carroll University	2014

Dissertation

Title: "Essays on Fiscal Policies in Open Economies"

Dissertation Advisors: Professor V.V. Chari and Professor Larry Jones

Research Fields

Macroeconomics, International Economics, Public Finance

Working Papers

"Optimal Redistributive Policy in Debt Constrained Economies"

"Redistribution, Sovereign Debt, and Optimal Taxation"

"Sovereign Default and Inequality"

Publication

"Will the U.S. Velocity of Money Rise up Again? New Evidence from Random Walk Hypothesis,"

Undergraduate Economic Review (2014), Vol.10: Iss.1, Article 14

Other Research & Teaching Experience

<i>Research Analyst</i>	Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis	2016-2020
<i>Dissertation Intern</i>	Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis	Summer 2019
<i>Dissertation Fellow</i>	Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond	Summer 2017
<i>Teaching Assistant</i>	University of Minnesota	2015-2016
<i>Pioneer Research Scholar</i>	Carroll University	2013-2014
<i>Teaching Assistant</i>	Carroll University	2012-2014
<i>Math Center Assistant</i>	Carroll University	2011-2014
<i>Research Assistant</i>	Carroll University	2012-2013

Honors and Awards

2017	<i>AEA Summer Economics Fellowship</i>
2016	<i>Distinguished Teaching Assistant</i> , University of Minnesota
2015	<i>Morton and Artice Silverman Fellowship</i> , University of Minnesota
2014	<i>Bert and Susan Hill Gross Fellowship</i> , University of Minnesota

2014 *Mathematics Major of the Year*, Carroll University, WI
2014 *Phi Kappa Phi*, Carroll University, WI
2013, 2014 *Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities*, Carroll University, WI
2013 *Outstanding Student in Economics Award*, Carroll University, WI

Presentations

2021 NAWMES (scheduled)
2020 FRB Minneapolis, SUNY Buffalo, Yale-NUS College, Wesleyan University, NTA Annual Meeting (scheduled)
2019 NASMES (Seattle), FRB St. Louis
2018 MEA Meeting (Evanston), Midwest Macro (Madison), EEA Congress (Cologne, Germany)
2017 FRB Richmond, NTA Annual Meeting (Philadelphia)
2014 FRB Dallas

Computer Skills

Fortran, Python, Matlab, Stata, R, Julia, LaTeX, Lyx

Languages

English (fluent), Vietnamese (native)