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## Employment

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### Harvard University

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics	2026-
Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Economics	2025-2026

## Education

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### University of Chicago

2019-2025

Ph.D., Economics  
Fields: Labor Economics, Econometrics

### Johns Hopkins University

2015-2019

M.S., Applied Mathematics & Statistics  
B.A., Majors: Economics and Applied Mathematics & Statistics  
Minor: Mathematics

## Working Papers

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“Job Preferences, Labor Market Power, and Inequality.” (Job Market Paper).

“Discrete Choice with Generalized Social Interactions.” Revision Requested at *Econometrica*.

“The Linear-in-Means Model with Heterogeneous Interactions.” (with Magne Mogstad and Alex Torgovitsky).

“Linear Supply and Demand in Heterogeneous Markets.” (with Lancelot H. de Frahan, Ingvil Gaarder, Magne Mogstad and Alex Torgovitsky).

## Fellowships, Grants, and Awards

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Review of Economic Studies Tour	2025
China Star Tour	2025
Theodore Schultz Economics Fellowship Award, University of Chicago	2024-2025
Max Hochschild Award (for achievement in economics), Johns Hopkins University	2018-2019
Applied Mathematics & Statistics Achievement Award, Johns Hopkins University	2018-2019
Provost’s Undergraduate Research Award, Johns Hopkins University	2018
Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship, U.S. Department of Education	2017-2018

## Invited Seminars and Conference Presentations

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**2025-2026:** Duke, Stanford (SITE)

**2024-2025:** Columbia, Fudan University, Harvard, Joint Committee on Taxation, MIT, MIT Sloan School of Management, Northwestern, New York University, Ohio State University, Peking University, Princeton, Stockholm University (IIES), The Chinese University of Hong Kong, UCLA, University of Bristol, University of Minnesota, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, University of Padua, University of Toronto, Yale, Yale School of Management

**2022-2023:** North American Urban Economics Association Meeting

## Teaching

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### Lecturer Positions

Instructor: ECON 21020 (Econometrics)

*Autumn 2021*

### Teaching Assistant Positions

TA: UIS PHD401 (Econometrics), Magne Mogstad

*Summer 2022*

TA: ECON 31000 (Econometrics), Magne Mogstad

*Spring 2022*

TA: ECON 21020 (Econometrics), Joseph Hardwick

*Winter 2021*

TA: ECMA 31000 (Intro to Empirical Analysis), Joseph Hardwick

*Autumn 2020*

## Professional Service

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Co-Organizer of Public/Labor Student Workshop, University of Chicago (2023, 2024)

**Referee:** *AEJ: Economic Policy, Journal of Political Economy, Quarterly Journal of Economics*

## Additional Information

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**Programming Skills** Julia, R, Python, MATLAB, Stata, Git, ArcGIS

**Languages** English (Native), Spanish (Advanced), Portuguese (Intermediate)