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| Current position | Postdoctoral Fellow , Consumer Protection Initiative Financial Inclusion Program, Innovations for Poverty Action |
| Education | University of California, Davis (2014-2020) PhD, Agricultural & Resource Economics Fields: Development Economics, Econometrics Dissertation: Social Network Structure and Risk in the Developing World University of California, Davis (2013-2014, conferred 2019) MS, Agricultural & Resource Economics University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire (2008-2013) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i> , University Honors Program BA, Economics BA, Mathematics |
| Working papers | Putman, D.S. and R. Mazer. "Competition Authority of Kenya Digital Credit Market Inquiry: Administrative Data Analysis Report" Putman, D.S. "Social Network Structure and the Scope of Risk Pooling" Putman, D.S. "Risk Preferences and Risk Pooling in Networks: Theory and Evidence using Community Detection in Ghana" Putman, D.S., Cabanillas, O.B., Lybbert, T., & Blumenstock, J. "Digital Breadcrumbs & Dietary Diversity: Can mobile phone metadata predict food security outcomes among rural Haitian households?" |
| In progress | Putman, D.S. "Social Network Response to Social Unrest: Evidence from Mobile Phone Metadata in Haiti" Putman, D.S. "Robust Inference for Audit Studies" |
| Policy reports | Mazer, R., Putman, D., and Blackmon, W. (2021) "Report on the Competition Authority of Kenya Digital Credit Market Inquiry" Lew, D. K., Putman, D., & Larson, D. M. (2016). "Attitudes and Preferences Toward Pacific Halibut Management Alternatives in the Saltwater Sport Fishing Charter Sector in Alaska: Results from a Survey" (Technical Memorandum No. NMFS-AFSC-326). |

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| Research Experience | Co-PI with Michael King (PI) and Channing Jang (Co-PI) (ongoing): “A Digital Bridge Over Troubled Waters: Strategies for Reducing Non-Institutional Fraud and Building Trust in a Digital Market Platform” |
| | Co-PI with Xavier Giné, Rafe Mazer, and William Blackmon (2021): Measuring Phishing Fraud Prevalence in IPA Countries |
| | PI (2020-2021): Analysis of Transaction Data to Monitor Consumer Risks in Digital Credit (in collaboration with the Competition Authority of Kenya) |
| | Consultant for the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association (Summer 2018): research assistance on “American Journal of Agricultural Economics Volume 100: A Century of Publishing the Frontiers of the Profession” |
| | Graduate Student Researcher for Travis Lybbert, UC Davis (2016-2018): Evaluating the Impact of World Food Program’s Emergency Operation Cash Transfer on Haitian Households |
| | Graduate Student Researcher for Travis Lybbert, UC Davis (Summer 2016): Lotto Linked Savings Accounts in Haiti |
| | Graduate Student Researcher for Doug Larson, UC Davis and Daniel Lew, NOAA/UC Davis (2015-2016): Halibut Catch Sharing Project Survey |
| Teaching experience | Undergraduate Researcher for Laura Middlesworth, UW-Eau Claire (2011-2013) Foreclosures and Double-Trigger Theory |
| | Undergraduate Researcher for Eric Jamelske, UW-Eau Claire (2011-2013) Knowledge, Perceptions, and Awareness of Climate Change in the US and China |
| | Instructor , Microeconomics of Development, UC Davis (ARE/ECN 115A): 2019 Summer Session 1 |
| Honors, grants & fellowships | Teaching Assistant , Microeconomics of Development, UC Davis (ARE/ECN 115A): 2014 Fall, 2016 Spring, 2016 Summer Session 1, 2018 Fall, 2019 Winter, 2019 Spring, 2019 Fall, 2020 Winter |
| | Teaching Assistant , Intermediate Microeconomics, UC Davis (ARE 100A): 2014 Summer Session 1 |
| | IPA Consumer Protection Research Initiative Grant (2021) Erika C. Meng Award Scholarship for Development Policy (2017) Henry A. Jastro Research Award (2017) Departmental Fellowship, UC Davis ARE (2015) Travel Award, Southern Economics Association Conference (2012) Kappa Mu Epsilon (2011) Gerald and Mary Jacobson Economics Scholarship, UW-Eau Claire (2010) Omicron Delta Epsilon (2010) |

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| Conference presentations | 2021 Conference on Network Science and Economics, Competition Authority of Kenya Validation Workshop 2020 Pacific Conference for Development Economics, Agricultural & Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation 2018 Annual Giannini Agricultural & Resource Economics Student Conference 2013 National Conference on Undergraduate Research 2012 Wisconsin Economics Association, University of Wisconsin System Symposium on Undergraduate Research 2011 Wisconsin Economics Association |
| Coverage & blogs | 2021 “From the Field to Policy Formulation How Research is Informing Consumer Protection in Sierra Leone” with Wycliffe Ngwabe, Rafe Mazer, William Blackmon, and Filippo Cuccaro |
| Professional service | Co-organized 2017 Annual Giannini Agricultural & Resource Economics Student Conference Referee: <i>American Journal of Agricultural Economics</i> |
| Skills | R, Stata, L ^A T _E X, Python, SurveyCTO |
| Languages | English (Native), Spanish (Basic) |
| Associations | American Economics Association, Agricultural and Applied Economics Association |

References

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