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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

2016 Jul. – Columbia University, Assistant Professor
2015 Sep. – 2016 Jun. Princeton University, IES Fellow

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

2019 – National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER) Faculty
Research Fellow (Development of the American Economy,
International Trade and Investment)
2017 – Center for Economic Policy Research (CEPR) Research
Affiliate (International Trade and Regional Economics)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

2019 – Associate Editor, Journal of International Economics

EDUCATION

2010 – 2015 PhD in Economics, London School of Economics
2009 – 2010 MSc in Economics, London School of Economics, *with
distinction*
2003 – 2009 MA in Economics, Corvinus University of Budapest
Rajk László College for Advanced Studies

RESEARCH INTERESTS

International Trade, Economic History, Development and Growth

PUBLICATIONS

“Temporary Protection and Technology Adoption: Evidence from the Napoleonic
Blockade” *American Economic Review*, 108 (11): 3339-76
Awarded FREIT-EIIT Best Graduate Paper Prize, 2014

WORKING PAPERS

“Technology Adoption and Productivity Growth: Evidence from Industrialization in France” (with Mara P. Squicciarini and Nico Voigtländer) *Revision requested at the Journal of Political Economy*

“All Aboard: The Effects of Port Development” (with César Ducruet, Dávid Krisztián Nagy and Claudia Steinwender)

“Spinning the Web: Codifiability, Information Frictions and Trade” (with Claudia Steinwender)

SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS

“Measuring Global Industrial Policy” (with Nathan Lane and Lauri Ojala)

“From Malthus to Miracle: The Sources of Japanese Industrialization” (with Shogo Sakabe and David Weinstein)

GRANTS AND AWARDS

2021	ISERP Seed Funding (\$30,000, with Nathan Lane and Lauri Ojala), Lenfest Junior Faculty Grant (\$15,000, with Ethan Ilzetzki and Nathan Lane), STEG Small Research Grant (£21,431, with Nathan Lane and Lauri Ojala)
2020	Lenfest Junior Faculty Grant (\$15,000, with Nathan Lane and Lauri Ojala)
2017	Provost’s Grant for Junior Faculty who Contribute to the Diversity Goals of the University, Columbia University (\$25,000)
2016	Alexander Gerschenkron Prize
2016-2019	NSF Grant “Firm Dynamics and Productivity Growth During the Industrial Revolution”, with Mara Squicciarini and Nico Voigtländer (\$367,350)
2015	John Hicks Prize for Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation
2014 – 2015	LSE Class Teacher Award
2014	FREIT Empirical Investigations in International Trade Best Graduate Paper Prize
2013 – 2014	Royal Economic Society Junior Fellowship
2013	LSE Economics Department Runner-up Teaching Prize
2012	STICERD Research Grant (with Silvana Tenreyro) (£3,500)
2009	Corvinus Pro Universitate Prize

INVITED SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES

- 2021 Brown, AEI, Hong Kong Trade Seminar, UBC, Stanford (scheduled), University Of Padova (scheduled), Warwick (scheduled)
- 2020 NBER Summer Institute (DAE and Macro Productivity), Penn State, CEU, LSE, IEM Minneapolis Fed, EHA 2020, Atlanta Fed/Emory Workshop on International Economics, Boston University, UCL
- 2019 Stanford, UCSD, Society for Economic Dynamics 2019 (St Louis), NBER Summer Institute (ITI & UE), Princeton, UEA Philadelphia 2019, MIT-Harvard (joint seminar), UCLA, Yale, Université de Montréal, Stanford IGC Conference on Firms, Trade and Development
- 2018 Chicago Booth, GMU, FRB Dallas - U. of Houston Conference on International Economics, Temple University, Magyar Közgazdasági Egyesület Éves Konferencia (Budapest)
- 2017 Berkeley HAAS, Columbia Economic History, Barcelona Summer Forum 2017, Society for Economic Dynamics 2017 (Edinburgh), NBER Summer Institute (DAE & ITI), Galatina Summer Forum 2017, EHA 2017 (San Jose), Stockholm University, City University New York, Duke
- 2016 Georgetown, Rutgers, UCLA, Michigan, PSE, Toulouse, Namur, Annual Cliometrics Conference 2016 (Pittsburgh), Harvard, UC Davis, University of Virginia, WIMAKS 2016 (Paris), Hitotsubashi University, National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, Tokyo, University of Tokyo, University of Kyoto
- 2015 Yale, Dartmouth, Stanford, Princeton, EEA 2015 (Mannheim), 15th Annual SAET Conference on Current Trends in Economics (Cambridge), Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, CEPR ERWIT 2015 (Paris), RES Annual Conference (Manchester), CEMFI, Cambridge University, Columbia, Columbia Business School, World Bank Development Research Group, Chicago Booth, MIT, Berkeley, UCSD, University of Colorado Boulder, Kellogg School of Management
- 2014 Econometric Society European Winter Meeting (Madrid), University of Warwick, FREIT EIIT North American Meeting (Eugene), NEUDC 2014 (Boston), LSE Economic History thesis seminar, ETSG 2014 (Munich), Hungarian Academy of Sciences Summer Meeting (Budapest), Belgrade Young Economists Conference 2014, CEP Annual Conference, Warwick Economic History Departmental Seminar

REFEREING

American Economic Review, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Econometrica, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of the European Economic Association, Economic Journal, AEJ Micro, AEJ Applied, Journal of Economic History, Explorations in Economic History, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Regional Science, Oxford Bulletin of Economics, National Science Foundation (NSF)

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

2018-2019 SED Program Committee

2016-2017 PhD - Royal Economic Society Program Committee

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Posztoszocialista fejlődési pályák (Post-socialist development paths, in Hungarian) Közgazdasági Szemle, 57 (March 2010) pp. 222-240. MA dissertation published in the Economic Review (monthly journal of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences).

The optimal rate of inflation and the inflation target: international experience and the Hungarian perspective, MNB Bulletin (September 2008) pp. 30-37.