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Department of Economics Contact E-mail: robert.ainsworth@ufl.edu Information University of Florida Website: people.clas.ufl.edu/robert-ainsworth EMPLOYMENT Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Florida 2020-present EDUCATION Ph.D., Economics, Columbia University 2020 B.A., Economics, Williams College 2013 FIELDS Public economics, political economy, the economics of education Why do households leave school value added "on the table"? Research The roles of information and preferences Revised and resubmitted to the American Economic Review with Rajeev Dehejia, Cristian Pop-Eleches, and Miguel Urquiola The turnout effects of district competitiveness: evidence from repeated redistricting in North Carolina with Emanuel Garcia Munoz and Andres Munoz Gomez Measuring gerrymandering by recovering preferences and turnout costs New draft soon The effects of district partisan slant on voter preferences with Rudyard Kretschmar and Andres Munoz Gomez The effects of students' incoming information on major choice and the likelihood of major switching with Damon Clark, David Gill, and Victoria Prowse The equilibrium effects of multidimensional preferences for school attributes with Rajeev Dehejia, Cristian Pop-Eleches, and Miguel Urquiola Supplementary school funding and residential sorting of high-SES families with Emanuel Garcia Munoz Spring 2022 Teaching Masters Cost-Benefit Analysis, University of Florida Undergraduate Public Economics, University of Florida Fall 2020, Fall 2021 PhD Econometrics II, University of Florida Spring 2021 Principles of Economics (TA), Columbia University Fall 2015-Spring 2016 Pre-doctoral Litigation consultant, Red Peak Economics Consulting 2013-2014 WORK POPULAR PRESS "Teaching global health in the undergraduate liberal arts: a survey of fifty colleges," (with David

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"Learning to value value-added: Information and preferences in school choice," (with Rajeev Dehejia, Cristian Pop-Eleches, and Miguel Urquiola), *VoxEU*, February 2021, voxeu.org/article/information-and-preferences-school-choice.

Presentations Columbia University, NBER Summer Institute Education Meetings, University of Florida,

UC Berkeley CPL, Bob Graham Center for Public Service Future of Florida Summit, Atlanta Fed

Southeastern Labor Workshop (discussant)

Referee service Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Human Resources

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