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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Economics and Business Economics, Aarhus University  
School of Business and Social Sciences (2024 – present)

## OTHER ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

Research Fellow, TrygFonden's Centre for Child Research  
Sponsored Affiliate, Education Policy Initiative, University of Michigan

## EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, University of Michigan (2024)  
M.A., Economics, University of Michigan (2019)  
B.S.E., *Cum Laude*, Computer Science, Princeton University (2014)

## PUBLICATIONS

“The Power of Certainty: Experimental Evidence on the Effective Design of Free  
Tuition Policies (with Elizabeth Burland, Susan Dynarski, Katherine Michelmore, and  
Stephanie Owen). Published in *American Economic Review: Insights*.

## WORKS IN PROGRESS

“Family Preferences and Horizontal Differentiation in Urban School Choice  
Markets”  
“Mobility and the Distributional Implications of State Divestment in Higher Education”  
(with John Bound, Soyoung Han, and Andrew Simon)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Aarhus BSS, *Lecturer*  
Industrial Organization and Strategy (Fall 2024)  
Econometrics of Policy Evaluation (Fall 2024)  
University of Michigan, *Graduate Student Instructor*  
Strategy (Winter 2019, Fall 2019)  
Principles of Economics I (Fall 2018)

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Hillary for America, *Analyst - Analytics Technology* (Jul 2016 – Nov 2016)

Democratic National Committee, *Analytics Engineer – Data Science* (May 2015 – Nov 2016)

Pure Storage, *Software Engineer* (Aug 2014 – Apr 2015)

## **SELECTED FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS**

Departmental Fellow, Department of Economics, University of Michigan (Fall 2023)

Predocutorial Fellow, Causal Inference in Education Policy Research, University of Michigan (Fall 2020-Winter 2023)

Outstanding Third Year Paper Award, Department of Economics, University of Michigan (2020)

William Haber Fellowship, Department of Economics, University of Michigan (Fall 2017-Winter 2018)

## **ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Referee (*Journal of Public Economics; Southern Economic Journal*)

Education Policy Initiative Antiracism Working Group, University of Michigan (Participant, 2022-2024)

Graduate Economics Society, University of Michigan (Women in Economics Coordinator, 2018-2019)

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

2022: Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting

## **CITIZENSHIP: U.S.**

## **DISSERTATION COMMITTEE**

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