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# **EDUCATION:**

# University of Wisconsin-Madison, Wisconsin School of Business, Madison, WI

Ph.D. Candidate (third year, dissertator) – Actuarial Science, Risk Management, and Insurance

# Temple University, Fox School of Business, Philadelphia, PA

Bachelor of Business Administration, Summa Cum Laude, May 2020

Major: Risk Management and Insurance

Minor: Economics

Study Abroad: University of Oviedo (Spain), Summer 2018

Overall GPA – 4.00

### **RESEARCH INTERESTS:**

Social insurance, public economics, health insurance, behavioral economics, longevity risk management

# **PUBLICATIONS & REPORTS:**

• Welch, T.Q., and Z. Li (2019). "Social Security Retirement Earnings Test: How Earnings Affect Benefits," *Congressional Research Service*, R41242.

### **WORKING PAPERS:**

• "Inequities in the Golden Years: Increasing Returns to Wealth in Healthy and Work-Free Life" with H. Bavafa and A. Mukherjee *Under Review* 

# **WORKS IN PROGRESS:**

- "Access to Health Insurance and Social Security Claiming: Evidence from Medicaid Expansion"
- "Beyond Demand: Understanding Life Insurance Payouts and Utilization" with S. Park

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:**

- 2021: 29<sup>th</sup> Colloquium on Pensions and Retirement Research University of New South Wales (UNSW) & CEPAR (virtual, live/synchronous)
- 2022: American Risk and Insurance Association Annual Meeting (ARIA) Long Beach, CA (in-person)

# OTHER CONFERENCE ACTIVITY (A – attended; D – discussant):

- 2019: (A) ARIA San Francisco, CA; (A) Retirement and Disability Research Consortium (RDRC) Washington, D.C. (both in-person)
- 2020: (A) World Risk and Insurance Economics Congress (WRIEC)/ARIA (virtual)
- 2021: (A) ARIA; (A) Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA)/American Economic Association (AEA) (both virtual)
- 2022: (A) ASSA/AEA (virtual); (A/D) ARIA

#### **WORKSHOPS:**

• 2022: Financial Economics of Insurance, Becker Friedman Institute for Economics and the National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER) – University of Chicago (virtual and in-person)

#### TEACHING & EMPLOYMENT:

• University of Wisconsin-Madison, Wisconsin School of Business

Graduate Teaching Assistant – Principles of Risk Management (undergraduate): Fall 2020 – Present Graduate Research Assistant – Dr. Anita Mukherjee (Summer 2021 – Spring 2022)

Dr. Justin Sydnor (Summer 2021)

• National Academy of Social Insurance

Merton C. Bernstein Intern on Social Insurance (May 2019 – August 2019)

• Temple University, Fox School of Business

Undergraduate Peer Teacher – Introduction to Risk Management (January 2019 – June 2020) Managing Human Capital Risk (August 2019 – May 2020) Leadership and Organizational Management (April 2018 – May 2020) Research Assistant – Dr. Thorsten Moenig (October 2018 – May 2019)

### **MEMBERSHIPS:**

- Member, American Economic Association, 2021 Present
- Member, American Risk and Insurance Association, 2020 Present
- Associate Member, National Academy of Social Insurance, 2019 Present

# SER VICE:

- Student Representative, PhD and Research Committee, Wisconsin School of Business, 2022 Present
- Panelist, Teaching Assistant Training, Wisconsin School of Business, Fall 2022

### PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS:

Certified Employee Benefits Specialist (CEBS) - earned, June 2020

- GBA Group Benefits Associate, January 2020
- RPA Retirement Plans Associate, June 2020

#### **HONORS & SCHOLARSHIPS:**

- Spencer Educational Foundation Pre-Dissertation PhD Scholarship, Recipient, Fall 2022 Spring 2023
- Distinguished Teaching Award Wisconsin School of Business, Recipient, Fall 2021 Spring 2022
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- Distinguished Teaching Award Wisconsin School of Business, Recipient, Fall 2020 Spring 2021
- Joseph E. Boettner Award for Excellence in Risk Management and Insurance, Recipient, Spring 2020
- Spencer Educational Foundation Undergraduate Scholarship, Recipient, Spring 2019 Spring 2020
- Cole Family Award, Recipient, Spring 2019
- Maguire Foundation Scholar, Fall 2018 Spring 2020

#### IN THE MEDIA:

• "Report Looks at End to Earnings Test." FEDWeek, October 2019.

### LANGUAGES:

- English (native), Spanish (advanced)
- R, Stata, LaTeX