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Interests	Industrial Organization, Environmental Economics	
Employment	University of Toronto Assistant Professor of Economics	2020 - Present
Education	Duke University , Durham, North Carolina USA Ph.D., Economics • Dissertation: “Efficiency Gain from Mergers: Evidence from the U.S. Railroads” • Committee: Daniel Yi Xu (Co-Chair), Allan Collard-Wexler (Co-Chair), Christopher Timmins, James Roberts M.A., Economics	2020 2014
	The University of Hong Kong , Hong Kong SAR B.A., Economics, Mathematics	2012
Publications	“Mortality decline, retirement age, and aggregate savings” (joint with Sau-Him Paul Lau), <i>Macroeconomic Dynamics</i> 20, no. 3 (2016): 715-736. “Economic incentives to target species and fish size: prices and fine-scale product attributes in Norwegian fisheries” (joint with Frank Asche and Martin D. Smith), <i>ICES Journal of Marine Science</i> 72, no. 3 (2014): 733-740. “Optimizing the scale of markets for water quality trading” (joint with Doyle, Martin W., Lauren A. Patterson, Kurt E. Schnier, and Andrew J. Yates), <i>Water Resources Research</i> 50, no. 9 (2014): 7231-7244.	
Working Papers	“Network Structure and Efficiency Gains from Mergers: Evidence from U.S. Freight Railroads”, 2021 “A structural empirical model of R&D, firm heterogeneity, and industry evolution” (joint with Daniel Yi Xu), 2021, <i>The Journal of Industrial Economics</i> , <i>R&R</i> “Collateral Damage: The Impact of Shale Gas on Mortgage Lending” (joint with James Roberts, Christopher Timmins and Ashley Vissing), 2021	
Teaching Experience	University of Toronto , Department of Economics Markets, Competition, and Strategy (UG) Industrial Organization I (G)	2020 - Present
	Duke University , Department of Economics Introduction to R Programming (G)	2019

Awards and Grants	SSHRC Insight Development Grant, CAD 38K,	2021-2023
	SSHRC Institutional Grant, CAD 2K,	2021
	NET Institute Summer Research Grant, USD 3K	2021
	Graduate Student Training Enhancement Grants (GSTEG), USD 5K	2019
	Duke Fellowship, Martina J. Bryant and Allen C. Kelley Endowment	2014-2019

Presentations **2021:** IOWW seminar, U of Toronto (IO Brownbag), Western University, North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society, IO Canada, Asian Meeting of Econometric Society, China Meeting of Econometric Society, European Summer Meetings

2020: National School of Development at Peking University; Microsoft Research, Office of the Chief Economist; Queen's University; Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania; University of Minnesota; Tuck School of Business; University of Toronto; Indiana University, Kelly School of Business; Luohan Academy; Uber Technologies; Monash University; University of Western Ontario; CEPR Virtual IO Seminar; CES North America Virtual Conference; IIOC Rising Stars

2019: Triangle Microeconomics Conference (UNC), China Meeting of Econometrics Society