

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

2021 – present    Senior Financial Economist, Center for Financial Research, FDIC  
2010 – 2021      Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Toronto

#### **EDUCATION**

2011              PhD, Economics, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois  
2008              MA, Economics, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois  
2005              BA, *summa cum laude*, Economics and East Asian Studies, Hebrew University, Jerusalem

#### **AWARDS AND HONORS**

2023, 2024      STAR Award, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation  
2015              Dean's Excellence Award, Faculty of Arts and Science, University of Toronto  
2009              Susan Bies Prize, Department of Economics, Northwestern University  
2004, 2005      Excellence Award, Department of Economics, Hebrew University

#### **WORKING PAPERS**

"The Impact of Unions on the Wage Distribution: Evidence from Higher Education" with Michael Baker, Kory Kroft, Alexandre Mas and Derek Messacar, Conditional Accept, *American Economic Review: Insights*  
"Gender Identity and Mode-Switching Behavior: Evidence from the Human Voice"

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

"Transparency and the Gender Gap" with Michael Baker, Kory Kroft, Alexandre Mas and Derek Messacar, *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*, 2023, 15(2): 157-183  
"Homophily, Group Size, and the Diffusion of Political Information: Evidence from Twitter" with Brian Knight, *Journal of Public Economics*, 2016, 143: 73-88  
"Perceived Masculinity Predicts US Supreme Court Outcomes" with Daniel Chen and Alan Yu, *PLoS ONE*, 2016, 11(10): e0164324  
"Trial and Error: Decision Reversal and Panel Size in State Courts", *Journal of Law, Economics and Organization*, 2016, 32: 94-118  
"Spending within Limits: Evidence from Municipal Fiscal Restraints" with Leah Brooks and Justin Phillips, *National Tax Journal*, 2016, 69: 315-352  
"Presidential Coattails versus The Median Voter: Senator Selection in US Elections" with Pablo Montagnes, *Journal of Public Economics*, 2015, 121: 40-51

#### **RESEARCH GRANTS**

2019 – 2021      SSHRC Insight Grant, \$49,941  
2018              Institute for Gender and the Economy at the Rotman School of Management, \$6,500, with Michael Baker, Kory Kroft, Alex Mas and Derek Messacar  
2014 – 2016      Connaught New Researcher Award, \$9,953  
2013 – 2016      SSHRC Insight Development Grant, \$57,484, with Brian Knight

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Citizen of Israel, United States, and Canada; Hebrew, English, Spanish (proficient)