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Academic Positions

- 2018- Assistant Professor, Department of Policy Analysis and Management, Cornell University
2019-2020 Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Princeton University
2015-2018 Postdoctoral Associate, Department of Policy Analysis and Management, Cornell University

Education

- 2016 Princeton University
Ph.D. in Economics, May 2016
- 2009 University of California, Berkeley
B.A. in Applied Mathematics (High Distinction), May 2009

Publications

“Unemployment Insurance and Means-Tested Program Interactions: Evidence from Administrative Data”, with Christopher O’Leary, *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, Forthcoming.

“Employment Effects of the Affordable Care Act Medicaid Expansions”, with Alexandre Mas, *Industrial Relations*, 2018, 57(2): 206-234.

“Effect of Unemployment Benefits on the Duration of Unemployment Insurance Receipt: New Evidence from a Regression Kink Design in Missouri, 2003-2013”, with David Card, Andrew Johnston, Alexandre Mas, and Zhuan Pei, *American Economic Review: Papers & Proceedings*, 2015, 105(5): 126-130.

Working Papers

“Are Sufficient Statistics Necessary? Nonparametric Measurement of Deadweight Loss from Unemployment Insurance”, with David Lee, Christopher O’Leary, Zhuan Pei, and Simon Quach (Under Review)

Works In Progress

“Further Education During Unemployment”, with Zhuan Pei

“State Responses to Federal Matching Grants: The Case of Medicaid”

Fellowships, Honors, and Awards

- 2019-2020 Affinito-Stewart Award, President’s Council of Cornell Women, Cornell University, \$6,855
2017-2019 Institute of Social Sciences Small Grant (co-PI), with Zhuan Pei (PI), Cornell University, \$7,500
2017-2018 Center for the Study of Inequality Faculty Research Grant (co-PI), with Jordan Matsudaira (PI) and Zhuan Pei (co-PI), \$60,777

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- 2014-2015 Richard A. Lester Fellowship, Princeton University
2014 Towbes Prize for Outstanding Teaching, Princeton University
2013-2014 Clarence J. Hicks Memorial Fellowship, Princeton University
2010-2013 Industrial Relations Section Fellowship in Economics, Princeton University
2009 Phi Beta Kappa, University of California, Berkeley

Seminars and Conference Presentations

- 2019 Western Economics Association Meeting, NBER Summer Institute, IIPF Annual Congress, IZA Workshop on Labor Market Institutions, NTA Annual Conference, AASLE Conference
2017 Institute for Economic and Social Research Labor Conference (Jinan University)
2016 Princeton University, SOLE Annual Meeting, Econometric Society China Meeting, APPAM Fall Research Conference
2015 AEA Annual Meeting, Syracuse University
2014 Upjohn Institute

Teaching

Instructor, Cornell University

Economics of the Public Sector (Undergraduate), Fall 2018

Economics of the Public Sector (Master), Fall 2018

Economics of the U.S. Social Safety Net (Undergraduate/Master), Spring 2016, 2017, 2018

Instructor, Princeton University

Junior Independent Work (Undergraduate), Fall 2019

Teaching Assistant, Princeton University

Econometric Applications (Undergraduate), Professor Hank Farber, Spring 2014

Econometrics (Undergraduate), Professor Bo Honore, Fall 2013

Environmental Economics (Undergraduate), Professor Smita Brunnermeier, Fall 2012

Refereeing

American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Journal of Health Economics, Health Affairs, Health Economics, Industrial and Labor Relations Review, Industrial Relations, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Journal of Public Economics, Labour Economics, National Tax Journal, Review of Economics and Statistics, Southern Economic Journal