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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2015-present Assistant Professor, Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
2014-2015 Lecturer, Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

EDUCATION

2014 PhD, Economics, University of California, Berkeley
2004 BA, English, University of California, Berkeley

PUBLICATIONS

“Air Pollution and the Labor Market: Evidence from Wildfire Smoke” with David Molitor and Eric Zou, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, forthcoming.

“The Early Origins of the Civil Rights Movement in the US: An Analysis of the Growth of the NAACP” with Dan Aaronson, Jala Abner, and Bhash Mazumder, *Oxford Encyclopedia of Economics and Finance*, forthcoming.

“Youth Disconnection during the Covid-19 Pandemic” with Yuci Chen, *Labour Economics*, 2022, 78: 102241.

“Partisanship and Survey Refusal” with HeePyung Cho and Darren Lubotsky, *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*, 2022, 200: 332-357.

“Did the ACA Medicaid Expansion Save Lives?” with Jacob Vogler, *Journal of Health Economics*, 2020, 72: 102333.

“Run for Your Life? The Effect of Close Elections on the Life Expectancy of Politicians” with Jacob Vogler, *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*, 2019, 167: 18-32.

“Minimum Wages and Retirement” with HeePyung Cho, *ILR Review*, 2020, 73(1): 153–177.

“Paying to Avoid Recession: Using Reenlistment to Estimate the Cost of Unemployment” with Paco Martorell, *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*, 2018, 10 (3): 101-27.

“A Path Out: Prescription Drug Abuse and Suicide” with Adriana Corredor-Waldron and Guillermo Marshall, *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*, 2018, 149: 169-184.

WORKING PAPERS

“CEO Stress, Aging, and Death” with Marius Guenzel, Canyao Liu, and Ulrike Malmendier, Revision resubmitted at *Journal of Finance*

"Gender Norms and Relative Age in Marriage," with Yuhao Yang, Under review

WORK IN PROGRESS

“The Affordable Care Act, Breastfeeding, and Women’s Labor Force Participation” with Rebecca Thornton (funded by *Russell Sage Foundation*)

“Schooling and Political Activism in the Early Civil Rights Era” with Dan Aaronson and Bhash Mazumder (funded by *University of Illinois Multiracial Democracy Initiative*)

"Immigration and Inequality in the Next Generation" with HeePyung Cho, Darren Lubotsky, and Jonathan Rothbaum (proposal resubmitted to *National Science Foundation*)

OTHER WORK

“Effects of Military Service on Earnings and Education Revisited: Variation by Service Duration, Occupation, and Civilian Unemployment,” with Paco Martorell, Trey Miller, Lindsay Daugherty, RAND RR-342-OSD, 2014

“The Effect of Presidential Service on Life Expectancy,” Mimeo, UC Berkeley, 2014

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

2021	UIUC Campus Research Board Award, Multiracial Democracy Initiative (PI, \$30,000)
2019	Russell Sage Foundation, Social, Political and Economic Effects of the Affordable Care Act (PI, \$115,200)
2018	Research Grants Council of Hong Kong (co-PI, HK\$237,642 \cong US\$30,000)
2017	UIUC Campus Research Board Award (PI, \$30,000)
2016	W.E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research Early Career Award (PI, \$5,000)
2013-2014	Dissertation Fellowship, Center for Retirement Research, Boston College Grant #5001537, Social Security Administration
2012-2013	Center for Equitable Growth Continuing Fellowship, UC Berkeley
2011-2012	Dean's Normative Time Fellowship, UC Berkeley
2010-2011	National Institute of Aging Training Fellowship
2010	Institute for Business and Economic Research, UC Berkeley, Dissertation Grant
2008-2009	National Institute of Child Health and Development Training Fellowship

SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES

2023	NBER Cohort Studies; NBER Immigration and the U.S. Economy; Mid-Midwest Economics Conference at Purdue University; Society of Labor Economics Annual Meetings; Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics; Southern Economics Association Annual Meetings
2022	Northern Illinois University; University of California, Berkeley; University of California, Davis

2021	American Economic Association Annual Meetings; Dalhousie University
2020	American Economic Association Annual Meetings; University of Kentucky
2019	UIUC Gies School of Business; IZA Junior-Senior Conference; Society of Labor Economists Annual Meetings; Midwest Health Economics Conference-X; NBER Summer Institute, Development of the American Economy; University of Wisconsin, Madison; UIUC Political Science; University of California, Berkeley
2018	NBER Environment and Energy Economics; Dartmouth; Carnegie Mellon; Society of Labor Economists Annual Meetings; Purdue; National Tax Association Annual Meetings
2017	Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Science; University of California, Davis; UIUC Political Science; Population Association of America Annual Meetings; H2D2 Day at University of Michigan; NBER Summer Institute, Aging Sessions; W.E. Upjohn Institute
2016	Population Association of America Annual Meetings; Midwestern Economics Association Annual Meetings; UIUC pERE; Chinese University of Hong Kong; Hong Kong University of Science and Technology; IZA Environment-Labor Conference; University of Iowa; University of Illinois, Chicago
2015	Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago; University of Illinois, Chicago; University of Michigan; Society of Labor Economists Annual Meetings; University of Chicago; Southern Economic Association
2011-2014	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; University of Virginia; University of Miami; United States Military Academy; Census Bureau, LEHD Group; University of California, Berkeley; RAND; San Francisco State University; Population Association of America Annual Meeting

TEACHING

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign:

Applied Microeconometrics (graduate): Spring 2016, Spring 2017, Spring and Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Fall 2022

Labor Economics I (graduate): Spring 2015, Spring and Fall 2017, Spring 2019

Labor Economics (undergraduate): Spring 2016, Fall 2019, Spring 2021, Spring 2022, Spring 2023

Public Policy for an Aging Population (undergraduate): Fall 2014

Racial Disparity (undergraduate, co-instructor): Spring 2020

University of California, Berkeley:

Economic Demography: Summer 2013

Intermediate Macroeconomics: Summer 2011, 2012

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Referee: *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Economic Review, American Journal of Preventative Medicine, Canadian Journal of Economics, Economic History Review, Economic Inquiry, Economic Letters, ILR Review, IZA Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Demographic Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Internal Medicine, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of the European Economic Association, Land Economics, Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance, Review of Finance*

Reviewer: National Science Foundation, University of Illinois Campus Research Board
Conference Organizer: Resek Mini-Conference on the Economics of Education, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Fall 2015, Fall 2016, Fall 2017

Illinois Economic Tournament, Keynote Speaker 2022
Illinois Covid-19 Expert Panel, 2020
Immigration, Migration, and Refugees and the 2016 Election Conference, Speaker, 2016

PhD COMMITTEES

2023	Eduardo Medina-Cortina (co-chair, co-author), Cornerstone, Economist Irina Valenzuela: International Fund for Agricultural Development, Economist
2022	Yuhao Yang (co-chair, co-author): Southwest University of Economics and Finance, Assistant Professor
2020	Raissa Dantas (University of Illinois at Chicago PhD): McKinsey & Company Jacob Vogler (co-chair, co-author): Mathematica, Health Economist Yuci Chen (co-author): W.E. Upjohn Institute, Researcher HeePyung Cho (co-author): Korea Institute of Public Finance, Researcher; Korea University, Assistant Professor Isabel Musse: Mathematica, Health Economist
2019	Sofia Fernandez-Guerrico, Postdoctoral Researcher, Université Libre de Bruxelles Adriana Corredor-Waldron (co-author): Princeton Center for Health and Well-being, Post-doctoral Researcher; North Carolina State, Assistant Professor Eunhye Kwak: Korean Labor Institute, Researcher
2016	Cong Zhang: Amazon
2015	Luke Godwin-Jones: Capital One

UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING

Graduation with Distinction: Hedy Yang (2020), Lefei Chen (2020), Xiao Tan (2020), Wesley Au (2020), Mike Huang (2019), Suyoung Park (2018), Collin Schumock (2018), Gloria Liu (2018)

OTHER INFORMATION

Affiliations: Research Affiliate, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA); American Economic Association; Population Association of America; Society for Labor Economics
Citizenship: USA

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