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EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor of Economics, Brigham Young University, 2022-Present Assistant Professor of Economics, Brigham Young University, 2014-2022

AFFILIATIONS

Research Fellow, Institute of Labor Economics (IZA), 2020-Present Visiting Scholar, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, 2016

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, Princeton University, 2014 (Advisor: Richard Rogerson) M.A., Economics, Princeton University, 2011

B.A., Economics, *summa cum laude*, Brigham Young University, 2009 B.S., Mathematics, *summa cum laude*, Brigham Young University, 2009

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macroeconomics, Labor Economics

PUBLICATIONS

"Reconciling Occupational Mobility in the Current Population Survey" (with Cache Ellsworth and Zachary Kroff), *Journal of Labor Economics*, October 2022, Volume 40, Number 4, p.1005-1051.

"The Return to Hours Worked Within and Across Occupations: Implications for the Gender Wage Gap" (with Jeffrey Denning, Brian Jacob, and Lars Lefgren), *ILR Review*, October 2022, Volume 75, Issue 5, p. 1321-1347.

"The Investment Network, Sectoral Comovement and the Changing U.S. Business Cycle" (with Thomas Winberry), *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, February 2022, Volume 137, Issue 1, p.387-433.

"Experience, Skill Composition, and the Persistence of Unemployment Fluctuations" (with Aspen Gorry and David Munro), *Labour Economics*, April 2020, Volume 63.

"Labor Market Polarization, the Decline of Routine Work, and Technological Change: A Quantitative Analysis," *Journal of Monetary Economics*, April 2020, Volume 110, p.62-80

"Understanding the Decline in the U.S. Labor Share: Evidence from Occupational Tasks," *European Economic Review*, September 2018, Volume 108, p.191-220.

"Male Labor Supply and Generational Fiscal Policy," (with Aspen Gorry and Eric O'N Fisher) *Review of Economic Dynamics*, April 2018, Volume 28, p.121-146.

WORKING PAPERS

"The Winners and Losers of Immigration: Evidence from Linked Historical Data" (with Joe Price and Riley Wilson)

"Structural Change in Production Networks and Economic Growth" (with Paul Gaggl and Aspen Gorry)

WORK IN PROGRESS

"Measuring Employer to Employer Transitions Accurately" (with Etienne Lalé and Hans Nilsson)

"The Changing Dynamics of Real and Financial Fluctuations" (with Jeremy Bejarano and Zane Griffith)

"Inflation Dynamics and Optimal Monetary Policy in the Investment Network" (with Thomas Winberry)

"Putty-Clay Models of Adjustment Dynamics in Production Networks" (with Thomas Winberry)

TEACHING

Econ 581 Advanced Macroeconomics (Undergraduate – Brigham Young University)

Econ 432 Economic Growth (Undergraduate – Brigham Young University) Econ 381 Intermediate Macroeconomics (Undergraduate – Brigham Young University)

AWARDS/HONORS

Marjorie Pay Hinckley Early Career Faculty Award, 2023
BYU Department of Economics Teaching Excellence Recognition, 2022
McGraw Graduate Fellow, Princeton University, 2012-2014
Outstanding Teaching Award, Princeton University MPA Program, Fall 2011-2012
Harold Willis Dodds Merit Fellowship, Princeton University, 2009-2010
Princeton University Graduate Fellowship 2009-2014

PRESENTATIONS

2023: Utah Macro Workshop (Logan, UT); NBER/FRB-Phil Annual Conference on Macroeconomics Across Time and Space (Philadelphia, PA)

2022: Clemson Workshop on Growth; Society for Economic Dynamics Meetings (Madison, WI); Virginia Commonwealth University

2021: ASSA Meetings (remote, co-author panelist); NBER EFG Winter Meetings; Society of Labor Economists Meetings (Philadelphia, PA; remote); North American Econometric Society Summer Meetings (Montreal, CA; remote); Congressional Budget Office (remote)

2020: Midwest Macro Spring Meetings (Logan, UT; cancelled); AASLE-EALE-SOLE Joint Meetings (Berlin, Germany; remote); Virtual Macro Seminar (VMACS) Junior Edition (co-author panelist)

2019: Midwest Macro Spring Meetings (Athens, GA); North American Econometric Society Summer Meetings (Seattle, WA); Quantitative Savings and Pensions Society Workshop (Logan, UT); Utah Macro Workshop (Logan, UT)

2018: Utah Macro Workshop (Logan, UT); Midwest Macro Spring Meetings (Madison, WI); Society for Economic Dynamics Meetings (Mexico City); INAPP Conference on "The Socio-economic Impact of Technological Change" (Rome, Italy)

2017: Quantitative Savings and Pensions Society Workshop (Logan, UT); North American Econometric Society Summer Meetings (St. Louis, MO); SCE Computing in Economics and Finance Conference (Manhattan)

2016: Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis; Midwest Macro Spring Meetings (Lafayette, IN); North American Econometric Society Summer Meetings (Philadelphia, PA); Society for Economic Dynamics Meetings (Toulouse, France); Texas Tech University; Utah Macro Workshop; Southern Economic Association Meetings (Washington D.C.)

2015: Society for Economic Dynamics Meetings (Warsaw, Poland); Econometric Society World Congress Meetings (Montreal, Canada); BYU-USU Macro Workshop

2014: Brigham Young University, TASKS III Conference (Nuremberg, Germany), Utah State University

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Program committee: Spring 2020 Midwest Macro Meetings (cancelled), Spring 2022 Midwest Macro Meetings

Referee: American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, American Economic Review, Economics of Education Review, Economic Inquiry, European Economic Review, International Economic Review, International Review of Economics and Finance, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Labor Research, Journal of Monetary Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economics Dynamics, Review of Economics and Statistics