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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

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M.A. in Economics

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

May 2011

B.S. in Economics, *Magna Cum Laude*

Oakland University, Rochester, MI

Minors: Finance, Spanish

May 2009

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Public Economics, Applied Econometrics, Economics of Education, Labor Economics

WORKING PAPERS

The Effects of the Earned Income Tax Credit on Child Achievement and Long-Term Educational Attainment (Job Market Paper)

An Evaluation of Empirical Bayes' Estimation of Value-Added Teacher Performance Measures (*with Cassandra Guarino, Mark Reckase, Paul Thompson, and Jeff Wooldridge*). Revise and Resubmit at the Journal of Educational and Behavioral Statistics

WORK IN PROGRESS

Income, Labor Supply, and Marriage Dissolution

The Sensitivity of Value-Added Teacher Performance Measures to the Inclusion of Peer Effects Measures (*with Cassandra Guarino, Mark Reckase, Paul Thompson, and Jeff Wooldridge*)

EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record:

Intermediate Macroeconomics, Michigan State University, Summer 2013.

Teaching Assistant:

Michigan State University:

Government and Markets, Fall 2009.

Honors Microeconomics and Public Policy, Fall 2009.

Intermediate Microeconomics, Spring 2010.

Advanced Microeconomics, Spring 2010.

Oakland University:

Managerial Economics, Fall 2008.

Research Assistant:

Cassandra Guarino, Mark Reckase, and Jeff Wooldridge.
Teacher Value-Added Measurement.
Michigan State University, August 2010 - present.

Ronald Fisher and Robert Wassmer.
California Debt and Advisory Commission.
Michigan State University and California State University, May - June 2010.

Kevin Murphy and Oded Izraeli.
Analysis of Michigan Charter Schools.
Oakland University, September - December 2007.

Other Experience:

Contract Researcher, Michigan Department of Education, May - August 2011.
Internal Audit Intern, BorgWarner Inc., Auburn Hills, MI, May - August 2007.

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington, D.C., November 2013.
MSU Applied Economics Seminar, East Lansing, MI, November 2013.
MSU Empirical Micro Lunch, East Lansing, MI, April 2013.
Midwest Economics Association Annual Meetings, Columbus, OH, March 2013.
Red Cedar Conference, East Lansing, MI, April 2012.
Association for Education Finance and Policy, Boston, MA, March 2012.
MSU Economics of Education Program Meeting, East Lansing, MI, December 2011.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Institute for Education Sciences (IES) Economics of Education Program Fellow, Michigan State University, Fall 2009 - Present.
Graduate Office Fellowship, Michigan State University, Spring 2010.
Talented Scholar Award, Oakland University, Fall 2005 - Spring 2009.
Captain of Oakland University Womens Varsity Tennis Team and Athletic Scholarship, Fall 2005 - Spring 2009.
Gale Blank Copple Economics Endowed Scholarship, 2008.
Marvin L. Katke School of Business Administration (SBA) Endowed Scholarship, 2008.
Paul F. Lorenz/Texas Instruments Scholarship (Junior with Highest GPA in SBA), 2007.
J. Alford Jones SBA Scholarship, 2006, 2007 and 2008.
Credit Union One Scholarship (Honors College Full Tuition Scholarship), 2005.