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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Economics, University of Texas at Austin, August 2012

M.S. Economics, University of Texas at Austin, May 2008

B.S. Economics, Louisiana State University, May 2006

- Minor in Mathematics
- Graduated Cum Laude

FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION

Primary: Macroeconomics, Public Finance

Secondary: Computational Economics

EMPLOYMENT

Fellow in Public Economics, Baker Institute, Rice University (May 2017-present)

Economist, Wharton Public Policy Initiative, University of Pennsylvania (August 2015 – April 2017)

Economist, Louisiana Department of Revenue (March 2015 - August 2015)

Visiting Assistant Professor, Louisiana State University (August 2012 - March 2015)

PUBLICATIONS, WORKING PAPERS, AND PRESENTATIONS

“Federal Subsidization and State Medicaid Provision,” (with Stephen Barnes), *Review of Economic Dynamics*, 21, 2016.

Presented: Louisiana State University (October 2013),

Midwestern Macroeconomics Meetings, Minneapolis, MN (November 2013)

University of Florida (March 2015)

Wharton Public Policy Initiative, University of Pennsylvania (July 2015)

“Federal Subsidization and Optimal State Provision of Unemployment Insurance in the United States”

Presented: University of Texas at Austin, Macroeconomics Seminar (September 2011),

Joint Committee on Taxation, Washington D.C. (January 2012)

“Optimal Monitoring of Unemployment Insurance Recipients”

Presented: Midwestern Macroeconomics Meetings, Boulder, CO (November 2012)

WORKING PAPERS IN PROGRESS

“Net Operating Loss Carryforwards and Tax Policy”

“Distributional Impacts of State and Local Tax Policy in a Heterogeneous-Agent Model”

AWARDS

Excellence in Teaching Award, Department of Economics, Louisiana State University, 2013
Murray S. Johnson Fellowship, University of Texas at Austin, Fall 2011, Spring 2012
Department of Economics Fellowship, University of Texas at Austin, Summer 2011
Outstanding Undergraduate in Econometrics, Louisiana State University, 2005

TEACHING

Instructor, Rice University

- Economic Modeling and Public Policy, Fall 2017

Instructor, University of Chicago, OSM Lab

- Optimization Theory, Summer 2017

Instructor, Louisiana State University

- Mathematics for Economists (Ph.D. level), Fall 2012, Fall 2014
- Healthcare Economics, Fall 2012
- Public Finance, Spring 2013
- Principles of Microeconomics, Spring 2013

Teaching Assistant, University of Texas at Austin

- Microeconomic Theory, Fall 2008, Spring 2009, Fall 2009, and Spring 2010
- Principles of Macroeconomics, Spring 2011
- Principles of Microeconomics, Fall 2006, Spring 2007, and Fall 2010

REFERENCES

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