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POSITIONS HELD

Assistant Professor of Economics

School of Public Policy, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR

September 2014-present

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

Dissertation: "Essays on School Finance and Teacher Performance"

Awards: Institute of Education Sciences Economics of Education Pre-Doctoral Fellow, 2009-2014

August 2014

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

The College of Wooster, Wooster, OH

Awards: Phi Beta Kappa, 2008

May 2009

RESEARCH FIELDS

Public Economics, Economics of Education, Urban Economics

PUBLICATIONS

"Michigan and Ohio K-12 Educational Financing Systems: Equality and Efficiency" (2014). *Education Finance and Policy*, 9(4), 417-445 (*with Michael Conlin*).

"An Evaluation of Empirical Bayes's Estimation of Value-Added Teacher Performance Measures" (2015). *Journal of Educational and Behavioral Statistics*, 40(2), 190-222. (*with Cassie Guarino, Michelle Maxfield, Mark Reckase, and Jeff Wooldridge*)

WORKING PAPERS

"School District and Housing Price Reactions to Fiscal Stress Labels: Evidence from Ohio"

"Ballot Order, Ballot Roll-Off, and Election Outcomes: Evidence from Local Referenda in Ohio" (*with Michael Conlin and Walter Melnik*)

"Impacts of New School Facility Construction: An Analysis of a State-Financed Capital Subsidy Program in Ohio" (*with Michael Conlin*)

"An Evaluation of Teacher Value-Added Estimation with Peer Effects" (*with Cassie Guarino, Mark Reckase, and Jeff Wooldridge*)

"Local Government and Housing Price Reactions to Fiscal Stress Labels: Evidence from Ohio"

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Oregon State University

ECON 435/535: The Public Economy
ECON 439: Public Policy Analysis
ECON 524: Introduction to Econometrics

Michigan State University (Graduate Student Instructor)

EC 202: Introduction to Macroeconomics

ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

2015: Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting, The Association for Education Finance and Policy Conference, Western Economics Association International Annual Meeting

2014: Oregon State University, Education Research Alliance for New Orleans, College of St. Benedict/St. John's University, Stanford University Center for Education Policy Analysis, College of Charleston, Elon University

2013: Lincoln Institute of Land Policy Conference on Property Tax and the Financing of K-12 Education, UM-MSU-WU Labor Day Conference, Michigan State University, Midwest Economics Association Annual Meetings, Oberlin College

2012: 105th Annual Conference on Taxation, Red Cedar Conference, The Association for Education Finance and Policy

2011: Michigan State University

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Referee, *Journal of Research on Educational Effectiveness*, *Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis*, *Economics of Education Review*, *National Tax Journal*

Advisor, OPAL Corvallis School District Research Team (2015)

Committee Member, Economics Department Awards Committee (2014-2015)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, Professors Cassie Guarino, Mark Reckase, and Jeff Wooldridge, Michigan State University Value Added Measurement Project (2010-2014)

Summer Intern, Michigan Department of Education (2011)

STUDENTS ADVISED

MPP Essay Committee Chair: Joe Whitley

MPP Essay Committee Member: Aaron Cochrane, Iaroslav Vugniavyi, Meredith Booker, Stephen Naimoli

Undergraduate Independent Study Advisor: Breanna Bannan