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INFORMATION**

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**RESEARCH
INTERESTS**

Macroeconomics; Monetary theory and policy; Economics pedagogy

EDUCATION

University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC
Ph.D. Economics, December 2011

Clemson University, Clemson, SC
B.A. Economics & B.A. Mathematical Sciences, *Cum Laude*, May 2004

EMPLOYMENT

Associate Teaching Professor, University of California, Irvine, 2019 – Present
Assistant Teaching Professor, University of California, Irvine, 2015 – 2019
Visiting Lecturer, University of California, Irvine, 2013 – 2015
Lecturer, University of California, Los Angeles, 2013 – 2014
Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Montana, 2011 – 2013

JOURNAL ARTICLES

- J6 “Supporting Economic Understanding and Student Success through Peer Assistance in an Economics Learning Center”. *The American Economist* 69(2), 2024, 278-287.
- J5 “Search, Unemployment, and the Beveridge Curve: Experimental Evidence” (with John Duffy). *Labour Economics*, 87, April 2024, 1-14.
- J4 “A Python-Based Undergraduate Course in Computational Macroeconomics”. *The Journal of Economic Education* 53(2), 2022, 126-140.
- J3 “Risk Averse Banks and Excess Reserve Fluctuations” (with Michael K. Salemi). *The B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics (Contributions)* 20(1), 2020, 1-19.
- J2 “A Classroom Experiment in Monetary Policy” (with John Duffy). *The Journal of Economic Education* 50(2), 2019, 89-107.
- J1 “Revisiting Unemployment in Intermediate Macroeconomics: A New Approach for Teaching Diamond-Mortensen-Pissarides” (with Arghya Bhattacharya and Paul Jackson). *The Journal of Economic Education* 49(1), 2018, 22-37.

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Federal Reserve Policies and the Great Depression” (with Gary Richardson).
“Teaching Economics More Efficiently (and Effectively) with Python”

**TEACHING
EXPERIENCE**

University of California, Irvine:
Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Financial Markets and the Macroeconomy, Intermediate Macroeconomics, Intermediate Macroeconomics (Quantitative), Money and Banking, Asymmetric Information, International Money, Computational Macroeconomics, Social Sustainability (Social Science GE), Honors thesis advising

University of California, Los Angeles:

Intermediate Macroeconomics, Principles of Microeconomics

University of Montana:

Macroeconomic Theory (Graduate), Money and Banking, Intermediate Macroeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Senior Thesis Advising, Independent Study

University of North Carolina:

Financial Markets and Economic Fluctuations, Introduction to Economics

SERVICE

University of California, Irvine:

Director of Undergraduate Studies, Department of Economics, 2015 – Present

Founding Director, Economics Learning Center, Fall 2014 and Fall 2015 – Present

Academic Integrity Review Board

Member, Fall 2020

Vice Chair, Winter – Spring 2021

Chair, 2021 – Present

Member of Executive Committee, School of Social Sciences, 2017 – 2019

Member of search committee for Teaching Professor in Economics, 2019

Member of Academic Senate Assessment Committee, 2016 – 2018

Member of search committee for LARC Supplemental Instruction Coordinator, 2015

AWARDS

2019-2020 School of Social Sciences Dean's Award for Outstanding Teaching Innovation

2023 Division of Teaching Excellence and Innovation Dean's Honoree for Teaching Excellence

CONFERENCE
PRESENTATIONS

Western Economic Association International, International Conference, 2021

PROFESSIONAL
AFFILIATIONS

American Economic Association, Econometric Society

REFEREE

The Journal of Economic Education, Journal of Economics Teaching, Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics, International Review of Economics Education

PROGRAMMING

Python, L^AT_EX