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EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor, Tulane University	July 2020 –
Senior Associate, Deloitte Financial Advisory Services, LLP	2013 – 2014
Associate, Deloitte Financial Advisory Services, LLP	2011 – 2013

EDUCATION

University of Virginia, Charlottesville	
Ph.D. in Economics	May 2020
Dissertation: “Competing Campuses: An Equilibrium Model of the U.S. Higher Education Market”	
Committee: Sarah Turner, Federico Ciliberto, Gaurab Aryal	
University of Virginia, Charlottesville	
M.A. in Economics	December 2015
University of Maryland, College Park	
B.A. in Economics, <i>magna cum laude</i>	May 2011
B.M. in Violin Performance, <i>summa cum laude</i>	May 2011

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Economics of Education, Industrial Organization, Labor Economics

PUBLICATIONS AND FORTHCOMING

“Progressivity of Pricing at U.S. Public Universities,” with Sarah Turner (UVA). *Economics of Education Review*, (2022) Volume 88.

“The Influence of Peer Institutions on Colleges’ Decisions: Evidence from Fall 2020 Reopening Plans,” with Riley Acton (Miami) and Allison Luedtke (St. Olaf). *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, (2022), Volume 195, pp. 288-302.

“Missed Exams and Lost Opportunities: Who Could Gain from Expanded College Admission Testing?,” with Sarah Turner (UVA). *AERA Open*, (2019) 5:2.

“Network Structure and Consolidation in the U.S. Airline Industry, 1990-2015,” with Federico Ciliberto (UVA) and Jonathan W. Williams (UNC-Chapel Hill). *Review of Industrial Organization*, (2019) 54:3.

“Transitioning from High School to College: Differences across Virginia,” with Jessie Romero (Richmond Fed) and Sarah Turner (UVA). *Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Economic Brief*, (2017) 17:12.

WORKING PAPERS

“Competing Campuses: Equilibrium Prices, Admissions, and Undergraduate Programs in US Higher Education” (under review)

“The Effect of College Vaccine Mandates on Local COVID-19 and Economic Outcomes,” with Riley Acton (Miami), Wenjia Cao (MSU), Scott Imberman (MSU), Michael Lovenheim (Cornell)

WORK IN PROGRESS

“College Financial Aid Policies,” with Chao Fu (UW-Madison)

“The Emergence of Computer Science Programs and the Market for Graduates in the US,” with Devaki Ghose (World Bank) and Ekaterina Khmelnitskaya (UBC)

“The Evolution of Enrollment at US Colleges, 1965-2020,” with Jiayun Ling (Tulane)

PRESENTATIONS

2022— Association for Education Finance and Policy Conference (scheduled)

2021— Western Economic Association Conference, West Point (US Military Academy), Southern Economic Association, NBER Education Program Fall Meeting

2020— Cornerstone Research, U.S. DOJ Antitrust Division, Tulane University, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, Southern Methodist University, UW-Madison, Federal Trade Commission, University of Western Ontario, International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC, canceled), Summer Higher Education Policy Seminar, EALE/SOLE/AASLE Virtual World Conference, Education Research Alliance for New Orleans (ERA) brown bag, E-economics of Education Seminar, Tulane University Department of Economics Lunchtime Seminar Series, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM), SEA

2019—IIOC, Society of Labor Economists Conference (SOLE), DC IO Day (poster presentation), APPAM, University of Virginia, Federal Trade Commission Brown Bag Seminar, SEA

AWARDS AND GRANTS

CELT Faculty-Mentored Research Program, Tulane	2021
Murphy Institute Seed Grant	2021
Faculty Research Award, Tulane SLA	2020
Snively Prize for Best Dissertation, Department of Economics, UVa	2020
Snively Graduate Teaching Award, Department of Economics, UVa	2020
Dissertation Completion Fellowship, UVa	2019
Doctoral Dissertation Grant, National Science Foundation	2018
Bankard Pre-doctoral Fellowship, UVa	2018
UVa Library Data Purchase Program Award	2018
GSASC Research Grant, UVa	2018
Snively Dissertation Proposal Prize, UVa	2017
Snively Summer Paper Prize, UVa	2016
Presser Foundation Scholar (for academic success in music)	2010

TEACHING

Tulane:

ECON 4980/6980: Industrial Organization Spring 2022

ECON 4710/6710: Economics of Education Fall 2021

ECON 7981: Graduate Labor Economics
ECON 1010: Introduction to Microeconomics

Spring 2021
Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021

UVA:

TA for ECON 4720: Econometric Methods
TA for ECON 3720: Introduction to Econometrics
TA for ECON 3010: Intermediate Microeconomics
TA for ECON 2020: Principles of Economics: Macroeconomics

Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Spring 2020
Spring 2016
Fall 2015, Fall 2016
Summer 2015

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Referee: *American Economic Review*, *Journal of Human Resources*, *Journal of Industrial Economics*, *Economics of Education Review*, *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, *Contemporary Economic Policy*

Organizer for UVa Graduate IO Research Meetings
Organizer for UVa Economics Research Colloquium
Organizer for Higher Education Reading Group, UVa
Organizer for IO Reading Group, UVa

AY 2018–19
Spring 2018
Summer 2018
Fall 2017 – Spring 2018