Contact Department of Economics

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Languages: English Citizenship: Canada

Current

Queen's University

EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor of Economics, 2020 – Current

Past

University of Toronto

EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor of Economics, 2019 – 2020

Aarhus University

Postdoc Researcher, 2018 - 2019

EDUCATION

University of Minnesota

Ph.D. in Economics (2018) M.A. in Economics (2016)

University of Toronto

M.A. in Economics (2012)

University of Manitoba

B.A. (First Class Honours) in Economics (History Minor) (2010)

RESEARCH FIELDS

Primary: Industrial Organization, Labor, Macro, Trade. Secondary: Applied Econometrics, Computational Methods.

Working Papers

"Dynamic Wage Setting: The Role of Monopsony Power and Adjustment Costs" (with Elena Mattana, Sergio Salgado, and Ming Xu)

Working Paper

"Heterogeneous Passthrough from TFP to Wages" (with Sergio Salgado and Ming Xu)

Revise & Resubmit at the Journal of Labor Economics

"Scalable vs. Productive Technologies" (with Guangbin Hong, Joachim Hubmer, Serdar Ozkan, and Sergio Salgado)

Working Paper

"An Empirical Framework for Matching with Imperfect Competition" (with Kory Kroft, Elena Mattana, and Ismael Mourifié)

Submitted

"How Substitutable are Labor and Intermediates?"

Submitted

"The Impact of Research and Development on Quality, Productivity and Welfare" (with Amil Petrin and Frederic Warzynski)

Working Paper

"Trade, Occupation Sorting and Inequality" (with Ming Xu and Luke Rawling)

Work in Progress

"Allowing for Heterogeneous Preferences over Unobserved Quality in Random Coefficient Demand Models" (with Amit Gandhi, Kyoo-il Kim, and Amil Petrin)

Working Paper

"Firm Productivity and Labor Quality" (with Sergio Salgado, Frederic Warzynski, and Ming Xu) Work in Progress

SEMINAR

2024: Aarhus University, U.S. Census, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics.

Presentations

2023: Hong Kong University.2022: University of Copenhagen.

2021: Minneapolis Federal Reserve, Aarhus University. 2019: Queen's University, Wilfrid Laurier University.

2018: Aarhus University, Bank of Canada, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Georgetown University in Qatar, McGill University, McMaster University, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Queen's University, Ryerson University, UBC Sauder School of Business, University of Cambridge, University of Copenhagen, University

of Toronto, University of Western Ontario, York University.

Research Visits

School of Business and Social Sciences, Aarhus University (April-June 2024)

School of Business and Social Sciences, Aarhus University (July-September 2022) School of Business and Social Sciences, Aarhus University (November-December 2021)

Department of Economics, University of Toronto (March 2019)

Weatherall Visiting Scholar, Department of Economics, Queen's University (March 2019)

Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (August 2017)

School of Business and Social Sciences, Aarhus University (October 2015, June 2017)

Awards and Grants

SIG Explore Grant (SSHRC, 2023-2024)

Insight Development Grant, \$69,298 (Co-investigator, SSHRC, 2021-2024)

Insight Development Grant, \$73,759 (Principal Investigator, SSHRC, 2020-2023)

Research Initiation Grant (Queen's, 2020)

Institutional Grant (SSHRC, 2019)

Best Rising Star Paper Prize (International Industrial Organization Conference, 2018)

Richard L. Sandor Dissertation Fellowship (Minnesota, 2017)

Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship (Minnesota, 2016)

COGS Travel Grant (Minnesota, 2016)

Graduate Research Partnership Program Fellowship (Minnesota, 2016)

First Place, Hardy Third-Year Paper Competition (Minnesota, 2015)

Distinguished Teaching Assistant (Minnesota, 2014 & 2015) Herbert Mohring Fellowship in Economics (Minnesota, 2013)

CLA Graduate Fellowship (Minnesota, 2012)

CGS Doctoral Fellowship (SSHRC, 2012-2016)

Graduate Fellowship (Toronto, 2011)

Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarship (SSHRC, 2011)

Faculty Gold Medal in Honours (Manitoba, 2010)

Dr. A.W. Hogg Scholarship (Manitoba, 2009)

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Isbister Scholarship (Manitoba, 2009) UMSU Scholarship (Manitoba, 2009)

Referee Service

Quarterly Journal of Economics, Journal of Political Economy (x2), Journal of Political Economy: Micro (x2), RAND Journal of Economics (x2), International Economic Review, Review of Economic Dynamics, Review of Economics and Statistics, American Economic Review: Policy, Journal of Industrial Economics, Structural Change and Economic Dynamics,

Teaching

Instructor (Department of Economics, Queen's University, 2020-Present)

• Courses: PhD Advanced Macroeconomic Theory II (ECON817: 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024), PhD Advanced Topics in Macroeconomics (ECON917: 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024). The Economics of Regulation (ECON371: 2023, 2024).

Instructor (Department of Economics, University of Toronto, 2019-2020)

• Courses: Managerial Economics 1 (Competitive Strategy), Managerial Economics 2 (Personnel Economics).

Teaching Assistant (Department of Economics, University of Minnesota, 2013-2015)

Courses: PhD Applied Econometrics, International Trade, Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics

Invited Conference Presentations "Dynamic Wage Setting: The Role of Monopsony Power and Adjustment Costs," presented at the Columbia Junior Micro/Macro Labor Conference (NYC, 2024), the BSE Summer Forum* (Macro Fluctuations with Micro Frictions, Barcelona, 2024), the Society for Economic Dynamics (Cartagena, 2023), European Association of Labor Economics (Prague, 2023), Canadian Economic Association Annual Meeting (Winnipeg, 2023), Canadian Macro Studies Group (Montreal, 2022), LAEF Workshop on Labor Markets and Macroeconomic Outcomes* (Santa Barbara, 2022).

"Heterogeneous Passthrough from TFP to Wages," presented at Lisbon Macro Workshop* (Lisbon, 2022), Canadian Economic Association (Ottawa, 2022); American Economic Association Conference (Virtual, 2022), Oslo Macro Conference* (Virtual, 2020); New Developments in the Macroeconomics of Labor Markets (Rescheduled 2021); Econometric Society World Congress* (Virtual, 2020); Southern Economic Association Meeting* (Virtual, 2020); International Industrial Organization Conference* (Virtual 2020); Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics (Stanford, 2019); Society for Economic Dynamics Annual Meeting* (St. Louis, 2019); Nordic Summer Institute in Labor Economics (Uppsala, 2019); 12th Annual Nordic Meeting on Register Data and Economic Modelling (Ebeltoft, 2019); Comparative Analysis of Enterprise Data* (Ann Arbor, 2019); Midwest Economics Association* (St. Louis, 2019); 2nd Annual Dale T. Mortenson Conference (Sønderborg, 2018).

"Scalable vs. Productive Technologies," presented at the NBER Summer Institute* (Micro Data and Macro Models, Boston, 2024), the Society for Economic Dynamics (Barcelona, 2024), the BSE Summer Forum* (Macro Fluctuations with Micro Frictions, Barcelona, 2024).

"An Empirical Framework for Matching with Imperfect Competition," presented at the US Census (Virtual, 2024), DUFE IAER (Dalian, 2024), Queen's University (Kingston, 2023), the NBER Summer Institute (Labor Studies, Boston, 2022), European Meeting of the Econometric Society (Milan, 2022), Midwest Economic Association Conference (Minneapolis, 2022); Southern Economic Association Conference (Virtual, 2021); Society for Economic Dynamics Annual Meeting (Minneapolis, 2021); Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory (Virtual, 2021); International Industrial Organization Conference (Virtual, 2020); Economic Society World Congress (Virtual, 2020); American Economic Association Conference (San Diego, 2020); Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics* (Stanford, 2019).

"How Substitutable are Labor and Intermediates?" presented at the European Trade Study Group (Warsaw, 2018), IZA World Labor Conference (Berlin, 2018), International Industrial Organization Conference (Indianapolis, 2018); Danish International Economics Workshop (Aarhus, 2017); Annual Conference of the Canadian Economic Association (Ottawa, 2016).

"The Impact of Research and Development on Quality, Productivity and Welfare," presented at the Comparative Analysis of Enterprise Data (Ann Arbor, 2019); Midwest Economics Association (St. Louis, 2019).

"Trade, Occupation Sorting and Inequality," presented at the European Trade Study Group* (Warsaw, 2018), Mid-west Macro Meeting (Baton Rouge, 2017); North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society (Philadelphia, 2016); Aarhus University Lunch Seminar (Aarhus, 2015); Annual Conference of the Canadian Economic Association (Toronto, 2015).

"Allowing for Heterogeneous Preferences over Unobserved Quality in Random Coefficient Demand Models," presented at the North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society* (St. Louis, 2017).

"Firm Productivity and Labor Quality," presented at the Society for Economic Dynamics Annual Meeting (Madison, 2022); International Industrial Organization Conference (Boston, 2022), Minneapolis Federal Reserve Conference for Recent Graduates (Virtual, 2021); Southern Economic Association Conference (Virtual, 2020); North American Productivity Workshop (Virtual, 2020); Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory* (Seoul, 2021); American Economic Association Conference* (San Diego, 2020).

Note: Presentations by a coauthor denoted with an *