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Education

University of Wisconsin - Madison

Ph.D. in Economics 2024 (Expected)
Committee: John Kennan (co-chair), Rasmus Lentz (co-chair), Dean Corbae

Renmin University of China

B.A. in Economics 2015
Exchange student: University of Hong Kong

Research Interests

Macroeconomics · Labor Economics · Economic Growth · Firm Dynamics · Innovation

Working Papers

"Worker Mobility, Knowledge Diffusion, and Non-Compete Contracts" *Job Market Paper*

"Strategic Restraint: When do Human-Capital-Intensive Companies Choose (Not) to Use Noncompete Agreements?" with Martin Ganco, Haifeng Wang & Shotaro Yamaguchi
– 3rd round / minor revise and resubmit at *Strategic Management Journal*

"Regional Policy Spillovers and Complementarity in the Great Lockdown" with Xiaodong Fan & Chao He

"Signals and Human Capital in Admission Tournament"

Work in Progress

"Teachers' Labor Market and Student Outcomes" with Chao Fu, Christopher Taber & Matthew Wiswall

"Domestic Outsourcing and its Relation to Firm Size" with Rosemary Kaiser

Teaching Experience

Head Teaching Assistant, ECON 102 Principles of Macroeconomics (undergraduate) Spring 2023

Teaching Assistant, ECON 704 Economics (graduate) Fall 2022

Research Mentor, Summer Research Group (graduate) Summer 2022

Teaching Assistant, ECON 102 Principles of Macroeconomics (undergraduate) Fall 2018, Spring 2018

Teaching Assistant, ECON 101 Principles of Microeconomics (undergraduate) Fall 2017

Research Experience

Special Sworn Status Researcher, U.S. Census Bureau 2022 - Present

Research Assistant, UW-Madison (for Prof. Jenna Nobles) 2019 - 2022

Project Assistant, UW-Madison (for Profs. Ananth Seshadri & Christopher Taber) 2019

Awards and Honors

David Edwin Davies Dissertation Fellowship	2023
Juli Plant Grainger Teaching Excellence Scholarship	2023
Department Travel Fund	2023
Susan Jane Blake Kocin Scholarship	2021
Juli Plant Grainger Summer Research Scholarship	2019

Conferences and Seminars

Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, Minnesota-Wisconsin International/Macro Workshop	2023
Strategic Management Society Annual Conference	2021

Miscellaneous

Security Clearance: U.S. Census Bureau Special Sworn Status
Programming: Julia, MATLAB, Stata, Python, SAS

References

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