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Areas of specialization

Microeconomic Theory • Labor Economics • Industrial Organization

Education

2014 AB in Economics and Mathematics, Washington University in St. Louis
2016 M.A. in Economics, Duke University
2020 Ph.D. in Economics, Duke University

Teaching

Econ 200: Introduction to Microeconomics
Econ 201: Introduction to Macroeconomics
Econ 382: Introduction to Econometrics
Econ 422: Investment, Capital, and Finance
Econ 602: Teaching Introductory Economics

Published Papers

“Communities, Co-ops, and Clubs: Social Capital and Incentives in Large Collective Organizations”
with Aaron Kolb and Curtis Taylor (August 2021, AEJ: Microeconomics)

Working Papers

“Income-Share Agreements on the Job Market: Debt Versus Equity” (Job Market Paper)
“What’s Your Greatest Weakness? The Optimality of Uninformative Interviews”
with Scott Abrahams

Fellowships & awards

- 2018–2019 Economics Dissertation Fellowship, Duke University
- 2015–2020 Graduate School Full Tuition Scholarship, Duke University
- 2016–2017 Summer Research Fellowship, Duke University
- 2014–2015 Graduate School Tuition Scholarship, Duke University