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APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, UC Berkeley (2016 – present)

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics & School of International and Public Affairs, Columbia University (2012 – 2016)

AFFILIATIONS

Faculty Research Fellow, National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER) (2014 – present)

Affiliate, Bureau for Research and Economic Analysis of Development (BREAD) (2014 – present)

Research Fellow, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA) (2014 – present)

Research Affiliate, Innovations for Poverty Action (IPA), SME Initiative (2014 – present)

Research Affiliate, Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR) (2015 – present)

Affiliate, Poverty Action Lab (JPAL) (2015 – present)

Affiliate, CESifo (2016 – present)

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Political Economy and Government (Department of Economics), Harvard University (2007-2012)

M.P.A. in International Development (MPA/ID), Harvard University (2007)

B.S., Operations Research: Engineering Management Systems, Columbia University (2004)

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

National Science Foundation CAREER Award (2019-2024)

Sloan Research Fellowship (2018-2020)

Distinguished CESifo Affiliate Award in Behavioural Economics (2015)

David A. Wells Prize for “outstanding original research in a dissertation,” Harvard Economics Department (2012)

Giorgio Ruffolo Doctoral Fellow in Sustainability Science, Harvard University (2010-2011)

Dissertation Fellow, Project on Justice, Welfare, and Economics, Harvard University (2009-2010)

Public Policy and International Affairs Fellow, Harvard Kennedy School (2005-2007)

GRANTS

National Science Foundation CAREER award SES 1848452 (2019)

National Science Foundation research grant SES 1658937 (2017)

National Science Foundation research grant SES 1658931 (2017)

National Science Foundation research grant SES 1658924 (2017)
Agricultural Technology Adoption Initiative pilot grant (2016)
National Science Foundation research grant SES 1459928 (2015)
Spencer Foundation small research grant (2015)
Columbia President's Global Innovation Fund research grant (2015)
Research grant, Growth and Labour Markets in Low Income Countries Programme (2014)
Research grant, International Growth Centre (2014)
Exploratory grant, Private Enterprise Development for Low-Income Countries (PEDL) (2014)
Junior faculty grant, Office of the Provost, Columbia University (2013)
USAID Development Innovation Ventures grant (2012)
National Science Foundation research grant SES 0961857 (2009)
Warburg Funds research grant, Department of Economics, Harvard University (2009)
Research grant, Consortium on Energy Policy Research, Harvard University (2009)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Referee: American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, American Economic Review, Econometrica, Economic Development and Cultural Change, Journal of African Economies, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organizations, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Public Economics, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Management Science, Nature, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economic Studies, Science

PUBLICATIONS

“Nominal Wage Rigidity in Village Labor Markets,” *American Economic Review*, 2019, 109(10): 3585-3616.
“The Morale Effects of Pay Inequality” (with Emily Breza and Yogita Shamdasani). Forthcoming, *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 2018.
“Self-Control at Work,” (with Michael Kremer and Sendhil Mullainathan). *Journal of Political Economy*, 2015, 123(6): 1227-1277 [lead article].
“Self-Control and the Development of Work Arrangements,” (with Michael Kremer and Sendhil Mullainathan). *American Economic Review Papers and Proceedings*, 2010, 100(2): pp. 624-628.

WORKING PAPERS

“The Limits of Neighborly Exchange” (with Ryan Bubb and Sendhil Mullainathan), 2018.
“Does Financial Strain Lower Productivity?” (with Sendhil Mullainathan, Suanna Oh, Frank Schilbach)
“Labor Rationing: A Revealed Preference Approach from Hiring Shocks” (with Emily Breza and Yogita Shamdasani), 2019.

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

Separation Failures: Market-Level Evidence for Labor Misallocation” (with Aprajit Mahajan)

“The Poor Tax: The Effects of Redistributive Pressure on Labor Supply in Cote D’Ivoire” (with Aletheia Donald, Eliana Carranza, and Florian Grosset)

“Cognitive Endurance as Human Capital” (with Christina Brown and Heather Schofield)