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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
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

## 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

“The Effect of Vaccine Mandates on Disease Spread: Evidence from College COVID-19 Mandates,” with Riley Acton (Miami), Wenjia Cao (MSU), Scott Imberman (MSU), Michael Lovenheim (Cornell). NBER Working Paper #30303. R&R, *Journal of Human Resources*.

**WORK IN PROGRESS**

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“Market Structure and College Access in the US”

“College Financial Aid Policies,” with Chao Fu (UW-Madison) and John Stromme (Vanderbilt)

“Partisan Sorting and College Choice,” with Riley Acton (Miami)

“The Effect of Federal Research Funding on Degree Programs and Degree Completion,” with Devaki Ghose (World Bank) and Ekaterina Khmelnitskaya (UBC)

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

“University Leadership,” with Allison Luedtke (St. Olaf), Jaime Davila (St. Olaf), and Kaya Gendreau

**PRESENTATIONS**

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2023— Washington University in St. Louis, University of Connecticut, Texas Tech University, Tulane-LSU Applied Micro Conference, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM, scheduled), Southern Economic Association (SEA)(scheduled)

2022— Association for Education Finance and Policy Conference, Tulane-LSU Applied Micro Conference, SEA, Rice University, NBER Education Program Fall Meeting

2021— Western Economic Association Conference, West Point (US Military Academy), SEA, 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, 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**

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Kurzius Family Early Career Professorship, Tulane	2023
COR Research Grant, Tulane	2023
CELT Classroom Enhancement Grant, Tulane	2023
CELT Faculty-Mentored Research Program, Tulane	2021, 2022, 2023
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

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Tulane:	
ECON 4980/6980: Industrial Organization	S 22, F 23
ECON 4710/6710: Economics of Education	F 21
ECON 7981: Graduate Labor Economics	S 21, S 23
ECON 1010: Introduction to Microeconomics	F 20, S 21, F 21, F 22, S 23, F 23
UVA:	
TA for ECON 4720: Econometric Methods	S 19, F 19, S 20
TA for ECON 3720: Introduction to Econometrics	S 16
TA for ECON 3010: Intermediate Microeconomics	F 15, F 16
TA for ECON 2020: Principles of Economics: Macroeconomics	Summer 15

## ADVISING

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Current graduate advisees:

Ruipu Gao, Tulane Econ PhD program, (chair, field paper committee)

Qinzheng Xu, Tulane Econ PhD program, (field paper committee member)

Gabe Olivier, Tulane Econ PhD program, (field paper committee member)

Lauren Hunter, Aging Studies Interdisciplinary Ph.D. Program, Tulane Medical School (dissertation committee member)

Kerui Geng, Tulane Econ PhD program (dissertation committee member)

## SERVICE ACTIVITIES

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Referee : *American Economic Review*, *Journal of Human Resources* (x2), *Journal of Industrial Economics*, *Economics of Education Review* (x3), *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management* (x2), *Contemporary Economic Policy*, *Education Economics*, *Education Finance and Policy*, *Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis*

External Reviewer: *Center for Security and Emerging Technology (CSET)*, *Sloan Foundation*

Seminar Series Organizer, Tulane Economics	AY 2023-2024
PhD Admissions Committee, Tulane Economics	Spring 2023
Mentor, CSWEP Workshop for 3rd & 4th Year PhD Students in Economics	F 22, F 23
Organizer for UVa Graduate IO Research Meetings	AY 2018–19
Organizer for UVa Economics Research Colloquium	Spring 2018
Organizer for Higher Education Reading Group, UVa	Summer 2018
Organizer for IO Reading Group, UVa	Fall 2017 – Spring 2018

## PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIPS

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American Economic Association (AEA), Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (AP-PAM), Southern Economic Association (SEA), Society of Labor Economists (SOLE), Association for Education Finance and Policy (AEFP)