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Education

DPhil Economics, University of Oxford 2015.

MPhil Economics, University of Oxford, 2012.

B.A. Economics (First Class Honors), University of Alberta, 2010.

Research

Published

The *Didache* and Early Church Evangelism: An Economic Approach - 2020, *Interdisciplinary Journal of Research on Religion*

The Political and Economic Role of Elites in Persecution: Evidence from Witchcraft Trials in Scotland - 2019, *Review of Economics and Institutions*

Income Shocks and Suicides: Causal Evidence from Indonesia (with Lukas Hensel and Christopher Roth) - 2019, *Review of Economics and Statistics*

Shocks to military support and subsequent assassinations in Ancient Rome (with Liam Elbourne) - 2018, *Economics Letters*

Lynchings, Labour, and Cotton in the U.S. South: A Reappraisal of Tolnay and Beck - 2017, *Explorations in Economic History*

Working Papers

COVID-19 in Canada: Predictions for the Future and Lessons from Asia (with Francis Christian)

Economic shocks and unrest in French West Africa (with James Fenske)

Ongoing Projects

Constructing Fiscal Capacity in Roman Egypt (with Benjamin Kelly)

The Long-Run Economic Effects of Quebecois Nationalism (with Vincent Geloso)

Academic Work Experience (2015-Present)

Associate Professor of Economics, Brock University, 2021-present

Assistant Professor of Economics, Brock University, 2017-2021

Assistant Professor of Economics, St. Francis Xavier University, 2015-2017

Awards and Funding

Brock University

Research Initiative Award, 2019 (\$7,000)

St. Francis Xavier University

University Council for Research Fall grant 2016 (\$5,000)

Conferences and Invited Seminars

2019

University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Canada

University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada

Department of Classics, Brock University

2018

University of Montreal, Montreal, Canada

Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, Canada

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

2017

CNEH Meeting, Toronto, Canada

CEA Annual Meeting, Antigonish, Canada

ASSA Annual Meeting, Chicago, USA

2016

Mt. Allison University, Sackville, NB

St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, NS

Canadian Economics Association Conference, Ottawa, ON

2015

Dalhousie University, Halifax, NS

Centre for the Study of African Economies Conference, Oxford, UK

Pacific Conference for Development Economics, San Diego, USA

Economic History Society Annual Conference, Telford, UK

Academic Service

Brock University

Department of Economics Undergraduate Committee, 2020-present
 Department of Economics Seminar Series Co-Organizers, 2017-present
 Department of Economics Graduate Admissions Committee, 2017-2020
 Social Sciences Day 2019
 Smart Start 2019
 Open House 2019

Refereeing

Sociology Compass, Explorations in Economic History, Social Indicators Research, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of African Economies (x2), Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics

Teaching

Brock University Courses

Fall 2017: ECON 1P91 (2 sections)
 Winter 2018: ECON 1P91 (1 section)
 Fall 2018: ECON 1P91 (2 sections)
 Winter 2019: ECON 1P91 (1 section); ECON 2P32 (1 section)
 Spring 2019: ECON 1P91 (1 section)
 Fall 2019: ECON 1P91 (2 sections)
 Winter 2020: ECON 1P91 (1 section); ECON 4P34 (1 section)
 Spring 2020: ECON 1P91 (1 section)
 Fall 2020: ECON 1P91 (2 sections)
 Winter 2021: ECON 1P91 (1 section); ECON 3P04 (1 section)
 Spring 2021: ECON 3P04 (1 section)

Brock University Supervision - Undergraduate & Graduate

Fall 2020: Niall Hynes (ECON 4P60 - Directed Research in Economics)
 Winter 2020: Conrad Lipiec (ECON 4P60 - Directed Research in Economics)
 Fall 2019: Ryan McDonnell, Jeremy Blanchard (ECON 4P60 - Directed Research in Economics)
 Winter 2019: Yanqi He (ECON 5Foo - Major Research Project)

St. Francis Xavier University Courses

Fall 2015: ECON 201 (Intermediate Microeconomics I) , ECON 401 (Advanced Microeconomics)
 Winter 2016: ECON 491 (Economics of Violence), ECON 301 (Intermediate Microeconomics II)

Fall 2016: ECON 101 (Introductory Microeconomics), ECON 401 (Advanced Microeconomics)

Winter 2017: ECON 491 (Economics of Violence), ECON 415 (Game Theory)

Skills

Programming & Software

R, STATA, QGIS

Languages

English (fluent), French (intermediate)