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Capital One
Consumer Credit Risk Management
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Employment

Principal Quantitative Associate, Capital One	June 2020 - present
Graduate Research Fellow, Texas Policy Lab	July 2018 - June 2020

Education

Ph.D., Economics, Rice University DISSERTATION: Essays on Child Development and Parental Migration	May 2020
MA., Economics, University of Texas at Austin	May 2014
B.A., Economics & B.S., Mathematics, University of Texas at Austin	May 2013

Research Interests

Labor & Development Economics, Child Development, Human Capital, Applied Microeconometrics

Publications

“Estimating Peer Effects on Career Choice: A Spatial Multinomial Logit Approach”, with Robin Sickles & Jenny Williams, *Advances in Econometrics*, Vol. 41, pp. 359-381, 2020.

Work In Progress

“The Effect of Parental Rural-to-Urban Migration on Children’s Cognitive Skill Formation”
“Ex Ante Migration Policy Evaluation and Cognitive Achievements of Left-behind Children”
“Estimating Demand for Early Child Care and Education Arrangements”

Invited Talks & Conferences

Econometric Society North American Winter Meeting	2021
Australian National University, Cornerstone Research	2020
Jinan University, Midwest International Economic Development Conference	2019
Texas Econometrics Camp	2018

Fellowships, Grants, and Awards

Jennifer & Purvez Captain Award for Outstanding Economics Dissertation, Rice University	2020
Graduate Fellowship, Texas Policy Lab	2018 - 2020
George R. Zodrow Award for Best Performance in a Workshop, Rice University	2017
Children and Families Research Grant (\$2,000), Rice University	2017
Janey & Melvin Lack Fellowship of Economics, Rice University	2014 - 2018

Programming skills

Python (PySpark), SQL (Spark), Stata, Fortran, MATLAB