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EMPLOYMENT

2012-current	Professor, Department of Economics UCLA
2008-2012	Associate Professor with tenure, Department of Economics, UCLA
2008 summer	Visiting Scholar, Department of Economics, Yale University
2001-2008	Assistant Professor of Economics, Department of Economics and the Woodrow Wilson School of International and Public Affairs, Princeton University

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND POSITIONS

2016-present	Board of Editors, <i>Demography</i>
2014-present	Associate Editor, <i>Journal of Health Economics</i>
2011-present	Board of Editors, <i>American Economic Journal: Economic Policy</i>
2013-present	Social Sciences and Population Studies Study Section, National Institutes of Health.
2015-present	Population Association of America. Committee to organize PAA meetings
2014-present	Center for Economic and Social Research Fellow
2011-2014	Editor, <i>Journal of Health Economics</i>
2008-present	California Center for Population Research
2009-present	Research Associate, National Bureau of Economic Research
2009-2013	Rand Adjunct
2001-2009	Faculty Research Fellow, National Bureau of Economic Research

EDUCATION

2001	Ph.D. Economics, Columbia University
1998	M.A. Economics, Columbia University
1996	B.A. Economics, Louisiana State University
1995	DEUG Economics, Université de Paris IX–Dauphine

HONORS AND GRANTS

- 2017 Presidential Early Career Awards for Scientists and Engineers, awarded by President Obama to 102 scientists and engineers around the country
- 2016 *Fidelity Charitable Grant on behalf of Thomas J. Mather* “Burkina Faso Family Aspirations and Behaviors Study”
- 2016 *National Institute on Aging* 5 P30 AG012810-24 “Economic Growth, Pollution, and Health Improvements”
- 2016 *Social Security Administration* Grant (RRC08098400) “Do Youth Employment Programs Work? Evidence from the Civilian Conservation Corps
- 2014 NIH Grant #1 R01 HD077227-01 “The Long-Term Impact of Income Transfers During Childhood” (Principal Investigator)
- 2014 NIA Grant P30AG012810
- 2014 California Center for Population Research seed grant
- 2013 Grant from the Academic Senate UCLA.
- 2012 Excellence in Refereeing Award 2012, *American Economic Review*.
- 2011 NIH Grant #1 R03 HD066035-01A1 “Child Gender and Parental Investments: Are Boys and Girls Treated Differently” with Leandro Carvalho and Silvia Barcellos. (Principal Investigator)
- 2010 California Center for Population Research seed grant
- 2005 Ralph O. Glendinning University Preceptorship of Economics and Public Affairs, Princeton University
- 2004 NIH Grant # 5 R01 HD046162 “The Relationship between College Education and Health” with Christina Paxson and Cecilia Rouse. (Senior Investigator)
- 2003-2004 NBER Aging and Health Research Fellowship
- 2002 Dorothy S. Thomas Award by the Population Association of America awarded to the best graduate paper on the relationship between health and SES.
- 2001 PhD with distinction, Columbia University
- 1996-2001 President’s Fellow, Columbia University
- 1998-1999 Public Policy Consortium Fellowship, Columbia University
- 1998-1999 Bradley Fellowship, Columbia University
- 1996 B.A. Summa Cum Laude (GPA 4.0)
- 1995 DEUG Cum Laude Top 2% of graduating class (9th out of 768)
- 1992-1993 Valedictorian Scholarship, Universidad Externado de Colombia

PUBLICATIONS

“Declining health and longevity in America: A comment on Case and Deaton's *Morbidity and Mortality in the 21st century*”, *Brookings Papers on Economic Activity*, forthcoming.

“Mind the Gap: a review of *The Health Gap. The challenge of an unequal world* by Sir Michael Marmot”, *Journal of Economic Literature*, forthcoming.

“The Long Run Impact of Cash Transfers to Poor Families” (Joint with Anna Aizer, Shari Eli and Joe Ferrie), *American Economic Review*, 106(4): 935-71, April 2016.

“When does Education Matter for Health? The Protective Effect of Education for Cohorts Graduating in Bad Times” *Social Science and Medicine*, Volume 127, February 2015, pp. 63–73 (joint with David M. Cutler and Wei Huang)

“Did the Americanization Movement Succeed? An Evaluation of the Effect of English-Only and Compulsory Schooling Laws on the Education of Immigrants” *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, Vol. 7, No. 3, pp. 238-57, August 2015 (joint with Allison Shertzer)

“Child gender and Parental Investments in India: Are boys and Girls Treated Differently?” *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*, 6(1): 157-89, January 2014. (joint with Silvia H. Barcellos and Leandro Carvalho)

“Health, Education and Income in the United States, 1820-2000” in Human Capital in History: The American Record edited by Leah Boustan, Carola Frydman, and Robert Margo, University of Chicago Press, 2014: pp. 121-159. (joint with Dora Costa and Hoyt Bleakley)

“Education and Health: Insights from International Comparisons,” in Encyclopedia of Health Economics, Anthony J. Culyer (ed.), Vol 1. San Diego: Elsevier; 2014. pp. 232-245. (joint with David Cutler)

“Does Schooling prevent Teen Drinking and Smoking?” *Journal of Health Economics*. Vol. 31, No. 4: 644–657, July 2012. (joint with Rob Jensen).

“Socioeconomic Status and Health: Dimensions and Mechanisms,” in The Oxford Handbook of Health Economics, Glied, S. and Smith P. (ed.) Oxford University Press 2011: pp. 124-163 (joint with David Cutler and Tom Vogl)

“The Education Gradient in Old Age Disability,” in Research Findings in the Economics of Aging, edited by David A. Wise. University of Chicago Press 2010: pp. 101-120. (joint with David Cutler)

“The Needs Of The Army: Using Compulsory Relocation In The Military To Estimate The Effect Of Air Pollutants On Children’s Health,” *Journal of Human Resources*, Vol. 45, No. 3: 549-590, Summer 2010.

“Modern Medicine and the 20th Century decline in Mortality: New Evidence on the Impact of Sulfa Drugs,” *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*, Vol. 2, No. 2: 118-146, April 2010. (joint with Seema Jayachandran and Kim V. Smith)

“Understanding Health Differences by Education,” *Journal of Health Economics*, Vol. 29, No. 1: 1-28, January 2010. (joint with David Cutler).

“Life expectancy and human capital investments: Evidence from declines in maternal mortality,” *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, Vol. 124, No. 1: 349–397, February 2009. (joint with Seema Jayachandran)

“Health Inequality, Education and Medical Innovation” *Demography*, Vol. 45, No. 3: 741-761, August 2008 (joint with Sherry Glied).

“Education and Health: Evaluating theories and evidence,” in Making Americans Healthier: Social and Economic Policy as Health Policy, Robert F. Schoeni, James S. House, George Kaplan and Harold Pollack, editors, New York: Russell Sage Foundation 2008: pp. 29-60 (joint with David Cutler)

“Financial Development and Pathways of Growth: State Branching and Deposit Insurance Laws in the United States From 1900 To 1940,” *Journal of Law and Economics*, Vol. 50, No. 2: 239-272, May 2007 (joint with Rajeev Dehejia).

“Competing Risks and the War on Cancer,” *Econometrica*, Vol. 74, No. 6: 1675-1698, November 2006. (with Bo Honoré)

“The Determinants of Mortality,” *Journal of Economic Perspectives*, Vol. 20, No. 3: 97-120, Summer 2006. (with David Cutler and Angus Deaton)

“Estimation of Models with Grouped and Ungrouped Data by Means of “2SLS”,” *Journal of Econometrics*, (2006) Vol. 133, No. 3: 10-29. (with Phoebus J. Dhrymes)

“The Effect Of Education On Medical Technology Adoption: Are The More Educated More Likely To Use New Drugs?,” special issue of the *Annales d’Economie et Statistique* in memory of Zvi Griliches, No 79/80, 2006. (with Frank Lichtenberg)

Commentary on “Immigration, Health, and New York City: Early Results Based on the U.S. New Immigrant Cohort of 2003,” by Guillermina Jasso, Douglas S. Massey, Mark R. Rosenzweig, and James P. Smith. Federal Reserve Bank of New York *Economic Policy Review* 11, no. 2 (December) 2005: 153-5.

“Access to Care, Provider Choice and the Infant Health Gradient,” *American Economic Review Papers and Proceedings*, Vol. 95, No. 2: 248-252, May 2005. (with Anna Aizer and Mark Stabile)

“The Relationship between Education and Adult Mortality in the United States,” *Review of Economic Studies*, Vol.72, No. 1: 189-221, January 2005.

- Reprinted in Modern Classics in the Economics of Education, edited by Clive R. Belfield, Edward Elgar Publishing Inc., 2006.
- Awarded the Dorothy S. Thomas Award in 2002

“Booms, Busts and Babies’ Health,” *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, Vol. 119, No. 3: 1091-1130, August 2004. (joint with Rajeev Dehejia)

“Were Compulsory Education and Child Labor Laws Effective? An Analysis from 1915 to 1939 in the U.S.,” *Journal of Law and Economics*, Vol. XLV, No. 2: 401-435, October 2002.

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Breaking the Glass Ceiling: The Effect of Board Quotas on Female Labor Market Outcomes in Norway” April 2014 (joint with Marianne Bertrand, Sandra Black and Sissel Jensen), revise and resubmit to *Review of Economic Studies*.

“Estimation and Inference with Imperfectly Matched Data” (Joint with Federico Bugni and Bo Honoré)

“The Effects of Economics Conditions on Mortality over the Lifetime” (joint with David Cutler and Wei Huang)

“Party on: The Returns to Individual Social Capital in the Labor Market” (Joint with Matt Miller and Shuyang Shang)

“A Unified Law of Mortality: Implications for Economic Analysis” (Joint with Flavien Moreau)

“Marrying the right man: The effects of welfare transfers on marriage and fertility” (joint with Shari Eli and Anna Aizer)

“Do Youth Employment Programs Work? Evidence from the New Deal” (joint with Anna Aizer, Shari Eli and Rodrigo Pinto)

“XX>XY? Understanding the female longevity advantage” (joint with Claudia Goldin).

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

UCLA 2008-current

Health and Public Finance (Graduate Course)

Population Economics (Graduate course)

The Economics of Health and Health Care (Undergraduate course)

Public Finance (Undergraduate course)

Princeton University 2001-2008

Intermediate Microeconomics with Calculus (Economics Undergraduate course)

Microeconomic Analysis—Basic (MPA course)

The Economics of Health and Health Care (MPA course)

The Economics of Health and Health Care (Undergraduate course)

Public Finance (Economics Ph.D. course)

Advanced Topics in Economics (Economics Undergraduate course)

Columbia University 1996-2001

Teaching Assistant for Intermediate and Graduate Microeconomics

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Referee

American Economic Review, Econometrica, Economic Journal, Economics of Education Review, European Economic Review, Health Affairs, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Economic Growth, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Population Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of the European Economic Association, National Science Foundation, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Review of Economics and Statistics.

PhD students supervised (main advisor)

UCLA: Rosanna Smart (RAND), Amanda Nguyen (Analysis Group), Yang Cao (University of International Business and Economics in China), Sandra Rozo (USC Marshall), Francisco Haimovich (World Bank), Pedro Aratanha (Cornerstone), Peter Bergman (RAND), Anthony Keats (Wesleslyan), Seth Kerstein (California Legislative Analysis Office), Carolina Mejia (World Bank YP), Aravind Moorthy (Mathematica), Gabriela Rubio (UC Merced), Diego Ufbal (Bocconi).

UCR: Monica Jain (IFPRI)

Princeton University: Marco Gonzalez-Navarro (RWJ Berkeley), Nisreen Salti (American University of Beirut), Wesley Yin (Chicago Harris School), Debopam Bhattacharya (Dartmouth), Ferit Ucar (Apprise Inc.), Juan Guzman (World Bank).