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EMPLOYMENT

Postdoctoral Fellow, Cowles Foundation, Yale University, 2022-

EDUCATION

Harvard University, PhD in Economics, May 2022

Dissertation Title: *Essays on Trade and Fiscal Policy*

Dissertation Advisors: Pol Antràs and Marc Melitz

Stanford University, B.A. in Economics (Mathematics minor), with Departmental Honors, 2014

WORKING PAPERS

“The Long-Term Impact of Steel Tariffs on U.S. Manufacturing”

Media coverage: [Financial Times](#), [Tax Foundation](#), [Econbrowser](#), [Noahpinion](#), [Cato](#)

“Big G”

with Gernot Müller, Ernesto Pasten, Raphael Schoenle, and Michael Weber

Revise & Resubmit at the Journal of Political Economy

“The Regressive Nature of the U.S. Tariff Code: Origins and Implications”

with Miguel Acosta

OTHER PUBLISHED ARTICLES:

“Steel Tariffs and U.S. Jobs Revisited”

with Kadee Russ ([Link](#), cross-posted by [PBS News Hour](#))

“Will Steel Tariffs put U.S. Jobs at Risk?”

with Kadee Russ ([Link](#), also covered by [The New York Times](#))

“The Surprising Decline in U.S. Petroleum Consumption”

with Jason Furman, Joshua Linn, & Maurice Obstfeld ([Link](#))

AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND GRANTS

- 2022 Padma Desai Dissertation Prize (Harvard Department of Economics)
- 2021 Harvard GSAS Dissertation Completion Fellowship
- 2020 Program for Economic Research (Columbia University) Data Purchase Grant (\$1,559)
- 2019 Lab for Economic Applications and Policy (Harvard University) Grant (\$4,700)
- 2018 Certificate of Distinction in Teaching (Harvard University)
- 2016 Honorable Mention, NSF Graduate Research Fellowships Program.
- 2014 John G. Sobieski Award for Creative Thinking in Economics (Stanford University)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Referee *Quarterly Journal of Economics, Journal of International Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Urban Economics*

Conferences **(2022)** NBER Summer Institute, Development of the American Economy; IES Summer Trade Workshop, Princeton University; New Faces in International Economics, Penn State University
(2021) Cowles Summer Conference in International Trade

Seminars **(2022)** Dartmouth Tuck School of Business, University of Wisconsin—Madison, Yale University, MIT Sloan School of Management, University of Michigan, Johns Hopkins SAIS, Johns Hopkins University, University of California at Davis, Federal Reserve Board, University of Rochester, NYU Stern School of Business, United States Department of the Treasury (Office of Macroeconomic Policy)

TEACHING

Globalization and Inequality, Harvard University (2018, 2019)

Teaching Fellow for Professor Marc Melitz
Certificate of Distinction in Teaching, 2018

American Economic Policy, Harvard University (2018)

Teaching Fellow for Professors Martin Feldstein and Jeffrey Liebman

Introduction to Statistical Methods for Social Scientists, Stanford University (2014)

Teaching Assistant for Professor Scott McKeon

Economic Policies of the Presidential Candidates, Stanford University (2012)

Teaching Assistant for Professors John Shoven and Greg Rosston

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND OTHER EMPLOYMENT

2020-2021 Economics Fellow for Senator Michael Bennet (Washington, DC)

2018-2021 Research Assistant for Professors Raphael Schoenle (Brandeis University) & Michael Weber (University of Chicago, Booth School of Business)

2016, 2020 Research Assistant for Professor Marc Melitz (Harvard University)

2014-2016 Research Economist, Council of Economic Advisers (Washington, DC)

2009, 2013 Research Assistant for Professor Judith Goldstein (Stanford University)

2012 Research Assistant for Professors Thomas Sargent (New York University) & George Hall (Brandeis University)

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Citizenship: United States