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### EDUCATION

Ph.D. Economics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 2003  
BA with honors, Public Policy, Brown University, 1995

### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Samuel C. Park Junior Professor of Economics, Yale University, 2018-present  
Professor of Economics, Yale University, 2013-2018  
Research Associate, National Bureau of Economic Research, 2013-present  
Henry Kohn Associate Professor of Economics (untentured), Yale University, 2010-2013  
Henry Kohn Assistant Professor of Economics and Assistant Professor of Political Science, Yale University, 2008-2010  
Visiting Scholar, Department of Economics, Harvard University, 2007-2008  
Assistant Professor, Departments of Economics and Political Science, Yale University, 2004-2008.  
Faculty Research Fellow, National Bureau of Economic Research, 2004-2013  
Post-Doctoral Lecturer, Department of Economics, MIT, 2003-2004

### FIELDS OF RESEARCH INTEREST

Public Economics, Political Economy

### REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

- “Why Did the Democrats Lose the South? Bringing New Data to an Old Debate” (with Ilyana Kuziemko), *American Economic Review*, 108 (10): 2830-67.
- “Support for Redistribution in an Age of Rising Inequality” (with Ilyana Kuziemko and Vivekinan Ashok), *Brookings Papers on Economic Activity*, Spring 2015.
- “Valuing the Vote: the Redistribution of Voting Rights and State Funds Following the Voting Rights Act of 1965” (with Elizabeth Cascio), *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 2014, 129(1), 376-433.
- “Does Less Income Mean Less Representation?” *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, 2013, 5 (2) 53-76, (with Eric Brunner and Stephen L. Ross).
- “Do Majority Black Districts Limit Blacks’ Representation? The Case of the 1990 Redistricting” *Journal of Law and Economics*, 2012, 55 (2) 251-274.
- “Economics and Policy Preferences: Causal Evidence of the Impact of Economic Conditions on Support for Redistribution and Other Proposals,” *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 2011, 93 (3) 888-906, (with Eric Brunner and Stephen L. Ross).
- “Partisan Affiliation, Partisanship and Political Beliefs: A Field Experiment,” *American Political Science Review*, 2010, 104 (4), 720-744, (with Alan Gerber and Greg Huber).
- “The First of the Month Effect: Consumer Behavior and Store Responses,” *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, 2010, 2, 142-162, (with Justine Hastings).
- “Segregation and Black Political Efficacy,” *Journal of Public Economics*, 2009, 5-6, 807-822 (with Elizabeth Oltmans Ananat).
- “Sticking with Your Vote: Cognitive Dissonance and Political Attitudes,” *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*, 2009, 1 (1), 86-111 (with Sendhil Mullainathan).

“Female Socialization: How Daughters Affect Their Legislator Fathers’ Voting on Women’s Issues,” *American Economic Review*, 2008, 98 (1), 311-332.

“How Black Candidates Affect Voter Turnout,” *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 2006, 121 (3), 973-998.

“The Impact of Banking and Fringe Banking Regulation on the Number of Unbanked Americans,” *Journal of Human Resources*, 2006, 41(1), 106-137.

“Subsidies to Employee Health Insurance Premiums and the Health Insurance Market,” *Journal of Health Economics*, 2005, 24 (2), 253-276 (with Jonathan Gruber).

#### WORKING PAPERS

“Political Alignment, Attitudes toward Government and Tax Evasion” (with Nick Turner and Julie Berry Cullen), *NBER Working paper Number 24323*.

“The Mommy Effect: The Impact of Parenthood on Gender Role Attitudes” (with Ilyana Kuziemko, Jessica Pan and Jenny Shen), *NBER Working Paper Number 24740*

#### BOOK CHAPTERS

“The Impact of Electoral Debate on Public Opinions: An Experimental Investigation of the 2005 New York City Mayoral Election,” in *Political Representation* edited by Ian Shapiro, Susan Stokes, Elizabeth Wood and Alexander S. Kirshner (with Sendhil Mullainathan and Julia Azari), 2010.

#### PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Board Member, Committee on the Status of Minority Groups in the Economics Profession, 2013-2016  
Co-Chair, Committee on the Status of Minority Groups in the Economics Profession, 2018-present  
2016 AEA Program Committee  
Associate Editor, *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 2014-present  
Foreign Editor, *Review of Economic Studies*, 2014-present  
Associate Editor, *Journal of the European Economic Association*, 2013-2017  
Associate Editor, *Journal of Economic Perspectives*, 2017-present  
Minneapolis Fed, Board of Advisors, 2017  
National Science Foundation Economics Advisory Panel and Adhoc Reviewer  
National Academy of Science, Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences and Education Advisory Committee, 2018-2021

#### FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Yale Arthur Greer Memorial Prize for Outstanding Scholarly Publication or Research, 2011  
National Science Foundation CAREER Award, 2010-2015  
University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research, Regional Small Grant, 2009-2010  
Yale Junior Faculty Fellowship, 2007-2008  
National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellow, 1999-2003  
Center for Retirement Research, Boston College, Graduate Research Fellow, 2001-2002  
Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowship, 2003 (declined)  
Ford Foundation Pre-doctoral Fellowship, 1999 (declined)