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## EDUCATION

- Ph.D. in Economics, University of Rochester, 2018
- M.A. in Economics, University of Rochester, 2014
- B.S. in Economics, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities, 2012
- B.A. in Mathematics, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities, 2012

## EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor of Economics, San Diego State University, 2018-present

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Applied Microeconomics, Labor Economics, Urban Economics, Big Data

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

1. “[Recreational Marijuana Laws and Teen Marijuana Use, 1993-2021](#)”, with D. Mark Anderson, Yang Liang and Joseph J. Sabia. *JAMA Psychiatry*, 2024.
2. “[Social Networks and Consumer Behavior: Evidence from Yelp](#)”, *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 2023; 209: 1-14.
3. “[How Bad Is Crime for Businesses? Evidence from Consumers’ Behavior](#)”, with Viviane Sanfelice. *Journal of Urban Economics*, 2022; 129: 103448.
4. “[Towards Causal Estimates of Children’s Time Allocation on Skill Development](#)”, with Gregorio Caetano and Josh Kinsler, *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 2019; 34: 588-605.

## WORKING PAPERS

5. “[A Dummy Test of Identification in Models with Bunching](#)”, with Carolina Caetano, Gregorio Caetano and Eric Nielsen. *R & R, Journal of Applied Econometrics*
6. “[Follow Thy Neighbor: The Role of First Exporters](#)”, with Yang Liang and Mary E. Lovely. *R & R, Journal of Urban Economics*
7. “The Ripple Effect of Gun Violence: Exploring the Hidden Costs on Urban Businesses”, with Viviane Sanfelice.
8. “Working around Retirement Age”, with Carolina Caetano, Gregorio Caetano and Eric Nielsen

## WORK IN PROGRESS

9. “Malpractice in Medicine: The Role of Physician Social Networks in Liability Cases”

## RESTING PAPERS

10. “Does Limiting Out-of-school Suspension Improve Student Performance and Reduce Achievement Gaps? Evidence from Apparent Suspension-Restricting Policies”, with Richard DiSalvo and Josh Kinsler, 2019

## GRANTS

Course reduction – Assigned Time Individual Award, San Diego State University, 2023-2024, 2024-2025

Course reduction - Critical Thinking Grant, College of Arts and Letters, San Diego State University, 2019-2020, 2022-2023, 2024-2025

Course reduction - Center for Health Economics & Policy Studies (CHEPS), 2019-2020

\$7,000 - Small Grants in the Educational Opportunity Monitoring Project, Co- Investigator, Russell Sage Foundation, 2018-2019.

\$2,000 - Summer Research Grant, University of Rochester, 2013, 2014

## HONORS & AWARDS

The Most Influential Faculty Award, College of Arts and Letters, San Diego State University, 2020

Center for Health Economics & Policy Studies (CHEPS) Faculty Research Fellowship, 2019-2020

Graduate Fellowship and Tuition Scholarship, University of Rochester, 2012-2017

The Lionel and Blanche McKenzie Family Scholar, University of Rochester, 2012-2014

## INVITED SEMINARS

2019 San Diego State University (Department of Computer Science)

2018 University of Hong Kong

2018 University of Arkansas

2018 Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

2018 San Diego State University

2016 University of Houston\*

2015 University of Georgia\*

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2024 American Society of Health Economists Annual Meeting (ASHEcon, San Diego), Society of Labor Economists Annual Meeting (SOLE, Portland)
- 2023 North American Meeting of the Urban Economics Association(UEA, Toronto)\*, Annual Conference of the Western Economic Association International (WEAI, San Diego)
- 2022 North American Meeting of the Urban Economics Association(UEA, D.C.)\*, Annual Conference of the Western Economic Association International (WEAI, Portland)\*
- 2021 Society of Labor Economists Annual Meeting (SOLE, Online)
- 2020 CSWEP CeMENT Workshop (San Diego), Econometric Society World Congress (Online), The Chinese Economist Society North America Virtual Conference\*
- 2019 Digital Economics Conference (Toulouse School of Economics)†, Annual Conference on Network Science and Economics (Indiana University), Stockman Conference (University of Rochester)
- 2018 Southern California Conference in Applied Microeconomics (SoCCAM, Claremont McKenna College)
- 2016 NBER Economics of Education Conference (Cambridge)\*

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

*Referee:* Regional Science and Urban Economics, Economics Letters, Review of Economics of the Household (2)

*Grant reviewer:* National Science Foundation

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Society of Labor Economists (2021-Present)

Econometric Society (2020–Present)

American Economic Association (2018–Present)

## ADVISING

### *Master's Students*

Cooper Smiley (2024, Ph.D, University of Georgia)

Dylan Cruz (2022, Integrated Planning and Scheduling Specialist, Boeing)

Jiyeon Shim (2019, Research Data Analyst, Stanford University)

### *Undergraduate Students*

Hattie Jenkins (2024, Ph.D, University of California, Davis)

Lucas Hazen (2024, Master of International Affairs, University of California, San Diego)

Parker Kitchin (2020, MBA, San Diego State University)

David Brewer (2020, Master of Science in Data analytics, Oregon State University)

## TEACHING

### *San Diego State University*

Statistical Tools for Economics (Graduate):

Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Fall 2022, Fall 2023, Fall 2024

Econometrics (Graduate):

Fall 2019

Introduction to Applied Econometrics (Undergraduate):

Fall 2018, Spring 2019 (2), Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2020 (2), Spring 2021, Fall 2021 (2), Spring 2022, Fall 2022, Spring 2023, Fall 2023, Spring 2024

Intermediate Microeconomic Theory (Undergraduate):

Fall 2018, Spring 2022, Spring 2023 (2), Spring 2024 (2)

### *University of Rochester*

Economic Statistics (Undergraduate): Summer 2016

## MISCELLANEOUS

*Programming Languages:* Stata, MATLAB, R, ArcGIS, Julia, Python, C++, and LaTeX

*Languages:* Chinese(native), English(fluent), Japanese (basic)

†Unable to attend due to a visa issue

\*Presented by coauthor