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Employment

2013-present Assistant Professor, Kansas State University

Education

Ph.D. Economics, University of Western Ontario, 2013 (expected)
M.A. Economics, University of Western Ontario, 2008
Honours B.A. Economics, University of Guelph, 2007

Dissertation

Essays on Worker Promotion and Wage Growth

Committee Members: Audra Bowlus (Supervisor), Chris Robinson, Todd Stinebrickner and Jed DeVaro

Research Interests

Labor Economics, Applied Econometrics, Personnel Economics

Research Papers

"*Skills, Tasks, and Occupational Choice*" (Job Market Paper)

"*The Signaling Role of Promotions: New Evidence from European Firms*" (submitted)
With Jed DeVaro and Antti Kauhanen

"*Worker Promotion and Occupational Skill Requirements*"

Work in Progress

"*Using 'Opposing Responses' to Distinguish Empirically Between Classic and Market-Based Tournaments*"
With Jed DeVaro

Teaching Interests

Graduate: Labor Economics, Personnel Economics, Computational Economics
Undergraduate: Microeconomics, Labor Economics, Econometrics

Teaching Experience

Instructor

King's University College

Intermediate Micro Theory I (General) Fall 2012

University of Western Ontario

Intermediate Micro Theory I (General) Summer 2012 (Evaluation: 5.8/7)

Intermediate Micro Theory I (General) Summer 2011 (Evaluation: 5.8/7)

Intermediate Micro Theory I (General) Summer 2010 (Evaluation: 5.9/7)

Intermediate Macro Theory I Online (General) Summer 2009 (Evaluation: 6.3/7)

Teaching Assistant

Intermediate Micro Theory I (General/Honours) Fall 2007, Fall 2010, Fall 2011 / Fall 2009

Intermediate Micro Theory II (General/Honours) Spring 2012 / Winter 2009

Advanced Microeconomics I (Honours) Winter 2010

Intermediate Macro Theory I (General) Winter 2011

Intermediate Macro Theory II (General) Fall 2008, Winter 2008

Advanced Monetary Theory (Honours) Fall 2010

International Finance (General) Fall 2008

Public Expenditure (General) Spring 2012

Research Assistantship

Professor Igor Livshits Summer 2009

Focus: Russian banking and financial crisis

Conference Presentations

Paper: "*The Signaling Role of Promotions: New Evidence from European Firms*"

Society of Labor Economists, Boston, Massachusetts, May 2013

Paper: "*Skills, Tasks, and Occupational Choice*"

Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas, February 2013

Atlantic Canada Economics Association, Halifax, Nova Scotia, October 2012

Economics PhD Workshop, Guelph, Ontario, August 2012

Awards

University of Western Ontario

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council Doctoral Fellowship

Awarded: 2010-2012 Amount: \$20,000/year

Ontario Graduate Scholarship

Awarded: 2009-2010, 2012-2013 Amount: \$15,000/year

Western Graduate Research Scholarship

Awarded: 2007-2012 Amount: \$8,000/year

University of Guelph

Dean's Scholarship: Awarded annually on the basis of outstanding academic achievement

Awarded: December, 2006

Amount: \$1000