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Personal Information:

Born 14 May 1980, American/British Citizen

Current Positions:

2017– Lecturer in Economics, University of St Andrews
2015– Research Fellow, Institute for Fiscal Studies
2010– Associate Member, Nuffield College, University of Oxford

Previous Positions:

2011–2017 Lecturer in Economics, University of Leicester
2011–2015 Research Associate, Institute for Fiscal Studies
2009–2011 ESRC/MRC/NIHR Postdoctoral Research Fellow in Health Economics,
Department of Economics, University of Oxford
2007–2011 Lecturer in Economics, Regent's Park College, University of Oxford
2009–2010 Lecturer in Economics, Oriel College, University of Oxford

Visiting Positions:

2016 Visiting Scholar, University of California at Berkeley
2015 Visiting Associate, California Institute of Technology
2009–2011 Visiting Scholar, Institute for Fiscal Studies

Education:

DPhil, Economics, University of Oxford, 2009
MPhil, Economic and Social History, University of Oxford, with *Distinction*, 2005
AB, Economics, Harvard University, *magna cum laude*, 2002

Fields:

Applied Microeconometrics, Microeconomic Theory, Health Economics

Teaching:

2017– Econometrics (UG, Honours), University of St Andrews
2017– Economics (UG, Sub-Honours), University of St Andrews
2015–2017 Advanced Microeconomics (UG, Final Year), University of Leicester
2011–2016 Linear Algebra (UG, First Year), University of Leicester
2012–2015 Econometric Theory (MSc/PhD), University of Leicester
2010–2011 Quantitative Economics (UG, Finals), University of Oxford (Tutor)
2007–2011 Microeconomics (UG, Finals), University of Oxford (Tutor)
2006–2010 Introductory Economics (UG, Prelims), University of Oxford (Tutor)

Administrative Responsibilities:

2017– REF (2021) Impact Director (Economics), University of St Andrews

- 2017– MSc (Finance and) Economics Director, University of St Andrews
- 2013–2016 Junior Recruitment Coordinator, University of Leicester
- 2012–2014 Internal Seminar Coordinator, University of Leicester

Professional Activities:

Referee for *American Economic Journal: Microeconomics*, *American Economic Review*, *Econometrica*, Economic and Social Research Council, *Economic Journal*, *Empirical Economics*, *European Economic Review*, *International Economic Review*, *Journal of Economic Theory*, *Journal of Mathematical Economics*, *Mathematical Social Sciences*, *Operations Research*, *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics*, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, *Transactions on Economics and Computation*

Seminars and Conference Presentations:

- 2017 Topics in Index Numbers and Revealed Preference: A Workshop with Erwin Diewert (Nuffield/Oxford), European University Institute, University of St Andrews, Risk, Uncertainty, and Decision Meeting (LBS), European Meeting of the Econometric Society (Lisbon), University of Birmingham, University of Warwick (DR@W)
- 2016 University of British Columbia, Royal Economic Society Annual Conference (Sussex), Canadian Economic Association Annual Conference (Ottawa), Conference in Honour of Martin Browning (Nuffield/Oxford), Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society (Kyoto), University of California (Berkeley), University of St Andrews, University of Bristol
- 2015 California Institute of Technology, Canadian Economic Theory Conference (Western Ontario), University of California (Irvine), University of California (San Diego), Cowles Summer Conference on Heterogeneous Agents and Microeconometrics (Cowles/Yale), Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory Conference (Cambridge), Econometric Society World Congress (Montreal), George Mason University (ICES), Institute for Fiscal Studies, Conference on Time, Uncertainties, and Strategies II (Paris)
- 2014 Canadian Economic Association Annual Conference (Simon Fraser), North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society (Minnesota), National University of Singapore, Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory Conference (Tokyo), Workshop on Nonparametric Demand (IFS/CeMMAP), University of Oxford
- 2013 Royal Economic Society Annual Conference (Royal Holloway), Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory Conference (Paris), Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society (NUS), European Meeting of the Econometric Society (Gothenburg), University of Leicester
- 2012 University of Leicester, Royal Economic Society Annual Conference (Cambridge), North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society (Northwestern), European Meeting of the Econometric Society (Málaga)
- 2011 University of Leicester, Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory Conference (Faro)
- 2010 University of Oxford, Institute for Fiscal Studies

Awards, Scholarships, Fellowships, and Grants:

- 2009–2011 ESRC/MRC/NIHR Postdoctoral Research Fellowship in Health Economics, Department of Economics, University of Oxford (£165,000)
- 2007–2009 Doctoral Studentship and Departmental Teaching Associate, Department of Economics, University of Oxford

2006–2007 Nuffield Studentship, Nuffield College, University of Oxford
2005–2006 Clarendon Scholarship, University of Oxford

Publications:

“Afriat’s Theorem and Samuelson’s ‘Eternal Darkness’” (with Ludovic Renou), *Journal of Mathematical Economics*, 65, 36–40, 2016.

“Testing for Intertemporal Nonseparability” (with Ian Crawford), *Journal of Mathematical Economics*, 52, 46–49, 2014.

“Revealed Preference in a Discrete Consumption Space” (with John K.-H. Quah), *American Economic Journal: Microeconomics*, 5(1), 28–34, 2013.

Other Publications:

“Treatments, Outcomes, and Costs for AMI Patients in Taiwan” (with Yiing-Jenq Chou, William Hsiao, Ying-Chun Li, and Winnie Yip), *International Journal of Healthcare Technology and Management*, 10(3), 169–181, 2009.

Working Papers:

“A Lattice Test for Additive Separability”, *School of Economics and Finance Discussion Papers*, 1801, University of St Andrews, 2018.

“Revealed Preferences over Risk and Uncertainty” (with John K.-H. Quah and Ludovic Renou), *School of Economics and Finance Discussion Papers*, 1706, University of St Andrews, 2017.

“Demand Analysis with Partially Observed Prices” (with Ian Crawford), *Discussion Papers in Economics*, 15/12, University of Leicester, 2016.

Older Working Papers:

“Ambiguity Revealed” (with Ralph-C. Bayer, Subir Bose, and Ludovic Renou), *IFS Working Papers*, W13/05, Institute for Fiscal Studies, 2013.

Works in Progress:

“Asset Demand Tests of Probability Dependent Utility Representations” (with David Rojo Arjona, Larry Selden, and Xiao Wei).

“Testing for Ambiguity” (with Ralph-C. Bayer, Subir Bose, John K.-H. Quah, and Ludovic Renou).

“Measuring Inflation Using High Dimensional Consumer Panel Data” (with Ian Crawford and Krishna Pendakur).

“A Little Model for Big Data: Brand Choice in Continuous Demand Systems” (with Ian Crawford and Krishna Pendakur).

“A Nonparametric Approach to the Demand for Nutrients” (with John K.-H. Quah).

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