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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:

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

Administrative Responsibilities:

- University of St Andrews, 2017–
 - Director of Impact, School of Economics and Finance, 2017–
 - Director of MSc Economics/MSc Finance and Economics, 2017–2018
- University of Leicester, 2011–2017
 - Junior Recruitment Coordinator, 2013–2016
 - Internal Seminar Coordinator, 2012–2014

Professional Activities:

- Member of the Scientific Programme Committee, RES Annual Conference, 2018–
- Co-organizer (with Abi Adams, Ian Crawford, Daniel Martin, and Georgios Gerasimou) of the 2nd Symposium on the Analysis of Revealed Preference (SARP), Nuffield College, University of Oxford, June 2018
- 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:

- 2019 IFN (Stockholm), Chapman (ESI), Bristol, RES Annual Conference (Warwick)
- 2018 Glasgow, Johns Hopkins, Oregon, MET Workshop (Manchester), SARP (Nuffield/Oxford), St Andrews
- 2017 Topics in Index Numbers and Revealed Preference: A Workshop with Erwin Diewert (Nuffield/Oxford), EUI, St Andrews, RUD Meeting (LBS), ESEM (Lisbon), Birmingham, Warwick (DR@W)
- 2016 UBC, RES Annual Conference (Sussex), CEA Annual Conference (Ottawa), Conference in Honour of Martin Browning (Nuffield/Oxford), AMES (Kyoto), UC Berkeley, St Andrews, Bristol
- 2015 Caltech, CETC (Western Ontario), UC Irvine, UC San Diego, Cowles Summer Conference on Heterogeneous Agents and Microeconometrics (Cowles/Yale), SAET Conference (Cambridge), ESWC (Montreal), George Mason (ICES), IFS, Conference on Time, Uncertainties, and Strategies II (Paris)
- 2014 CEA Annual Conference (Simon Fraser), NASM (Minnesota), NUS, SAET Conference (Tokyo), Workshop on Nonparametric Demand (IFS/CeMMAP), Oxford
- 2013 RES Annual Conference (Royal Holloway), SAET Conference (Paris), AMES (NUS), ESEM (Gothenburg), Leicester
- 2012 Leicester, RES Annual Conference (Cambridge), NASM (Northwestern), ESEM (Málaga)
- 2011 Leicester, SAET Conference (Faro)
- 2010 Oxford, IFS

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:

“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, 2019. [Revise and Resubmit, *American Economic Review*]

“A Lattice Test for Additive Separability”, *IFS Working Papers*, W18/01, Institute for Fiscal Studies, 2018.

Older Working Papers:

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

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

Works in Progress:

“The Role of Probabilities in Asset Demand: An Experimental Test” (with David Rojo Arjona, Larry Selden, and Xiao Wei).

“Ever Since Allais and Ellsberg” (with Aluma Dembo, Shachar Kariv, and John K.-H. Quah).

“A Little Model for Big Data” (with Ian Crawford and Krishna Pendakur).

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

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