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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

assistant professor, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2020-

fellow at Roosevelt Institute, 2019-2020

postdoctoral fellow, Columbia University Business School, 2019

visiting fellow, Washington Center for Equitable Growth, September
2017 - June 2018

visiting fellow, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, summer 2017

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Brown University, economics, 2013 - 2019

M.A., Brown University, economics, 2014

B.A., Dartmouth College, economics and mathematics, 2011

RESEARCH INTERESTS

macroeconomics, monetary economics, inequality

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS & HONORS

IRS Statistics on Income Project, "Haig-Simons Income and Inequality"

Center for Equitable Growth Grantee, August 2021

Center for Equitable Growth Grantee, August 2020

Best paper award, AEJ:Macro, June 2020

Borts Prize (for best dissertation), November 2018

James and Cathleen Stone Project on Wealth and Income Inequality Fellowship, 2017-2018

Junior Fellowship, Washington Center for Equitable Growth, Sep 2017 - June 2018

Ph.D. Fellow, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Summer 2017

William Rhodes Fellowship, Fall 2015

Brown University Graduate Fellowship, 2013

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2022: NBER Summer institute, NBER Public Finance Meetings, ECINEQ, CEF

2019 SED, 2019 NBER Summer Institute Inequality and Macroeconomics, 2018 NBER Summer Institute Impulse and Propagation Methods, SED Mexico City, CEF Milan, Conference on Market Power College de France, AEA Annual Meetings Philadelphia

2017 Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve, Bank of Finland Conference on Demographics, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Tsinghua Workshop in Macroeconomics, Midwest Macro Baton Rouge

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

referee Journal of Economic Growth, Journal of Economic Theory, AER: Insights, Review of Economics and Statistics

PUBLICATIONS

Kaldor and Piketty's facts: the rise of monopoly power in the United States. 2021, Journal of Monetary Economics. With Gauti Eggertsson and Neil Mehrotra.

A model of secular stagnation: theory and quantitative evaluation. Forthcoming, American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, 2019. With Gauti Eggertsson and Neil Mehrotra.

press: [Bloomberg](#), [Time Magazine](#)

Medicare payments and system-level health care. American Journal of Health Economics, 2015. With Katherine Baicker.

press: [The New York Times](#) 1, 2

Pay for performance in Medicaid: evidence from three natural experiments. Health Services Research, 2015. With Meredith Rosenthal, Mary Beth Landrum, and Eric C. Schneider.

The spillover effects of Medicare managed care: Medicare Advantage and hospital utilization. *Journal of Health Economics*, 2013. With Katherine Baicker and Michael E. Chernew.
press: [The New York Times](#), [Fortune](#)

WORKING PAPERS

Searching for Neo-Fisher: A Model of Animal Spirit Driven Recessions. 2023.

The value of private business in the United States. 2023.

Covid-19 Business Reopenings and Consumer Spending. September 2021. With Raissa Dantas.

Covid-19 and Real Time Consumer Spending. June 2020.

Capital gains and the distribution of income in the United States. June 2020.

August 24, 2023