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Education

Ph.D., Economics, Texas A&M University, May 2007 (expected)

B.A., Economics and Business, Hendrix College, June 2002, Summa Cum Laude

Fields of Specialization

Labor Economics, Economic Theory, Public Economics

Research

"Infants or Inequality: Do Fertility Expectations Affect Women's Career Choices?" Presented at the PERC Applied Microeconomics Seminar (March 2006)

"Household specialization of labor, religious denomination, and the male marriage wage premium." Work in progress, Fall 2006

"Estimating Risk Aversion at the Micro Level using Labor Supply Data", presented at the PERC Applied Microeconomics Seminar (February 2005)

Teaching Experience

Graduate Teaching Assistant Spring 2007
Principles of Microeconomics Texas A&M University
Instructor

Graduate Teaching Assistant
Microeconomics I (PhD)
Taught weekly review sessions.

Fall 2004, Fall 2006
Texas A&M University

Graduate Teaching Assistant Spring 2005
Microeconomics II (PhD) Texas A&M University
Taught weekly review sessions.

Research Experience

Research Assistant

Dr. Timothy Gronberg and Dr. Dennis Jansen

Worked to develop a cost function for Texas schools.

Summer 2003-Spring 2004

Texas A&M University

Research Assistant Spring 2003
Dr. Edgar Browning Texas A&M University

Professional Activities

Referee for Economic Inquiry

Awards and Honors

The Lynde and Harry Bradley Dissertation Fellowship, Private Enterprise Research Center, Texas A&M University (Fall 2005-Spring 2006)

Bradley Summer Research Fellowship, Private Enterprise Research Center, Texas A&M University (Summer 2004)

Regent's Fellowship, Texas A&M University (Fall 2002-Summer 2003)

Departmental Distinction, Hendrix College

Phi Beta Kappa

National Merit Scholar

References

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