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BIOGRAPHY

Date and Place of Birth: August 27, 1986, Cincinnati, Ohio

Citizenship: USA

Personal: Married, 1 Child

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

The W. E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, Kalamazoo, MI 2018-present
Economist

PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS

National Bureau of Economic Research, Cambridge, MA 2017-2018
Postdoctoral Fellow in the Economics of an Aging Workforce
Harvard Medical School, Department of Health Care Policy, Boston, MA 2017-2018
Visiting Postdoctoral Fellow

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Economics, University of California, Irvine 2017
Committee: Jan Brueckner (Chair), David Neumark, Marianne Bitler
M.A. Economics, University of California, Irvine 2013
B.A. Mathematics, Economics, Brandeis University, *cum laude* 2009

PUBLICATIONS

Asquith, Brian, 2018. "Beggar Thy Neighbor, Beggar Thy Neighborhood," *Papers in Regional Science* 97, 439-459.
Asquith, Brian, 2019 (forthcoming). "Rent Control's Achilles' Heel: Profit-Seeking and Market Exit Through Economic Eviction."* *AEA Papers and Proceedings*. *Provisional title.

WORKING PAPERS

"U.S. Job Flows and the 'China Shock'" with Sanjana Goswami, David Neumark, and Antonio Rodriguez Lopez. NBER Working Paper 24080, November 2017. (R&R at *Journal of International Economics*)

"Do Rent Increases Reduce the Housing Supply Under Rent Control? Evidence from Evictions in San Francisco" (*submitted*), Available at SSRN: <https://ssrn.com/abstract=3165599> or <http://dx.doi.org/10.2139/ssrn.3165599>

- 2017, Winner of the Tiebout Prize in Regional Science for Best Graduate Student Paper, Western Regional Science Association

"Longer-Run Effects of Anti-Poverty Policies on Disadvantaged Neighborhoods", with David Neumark and Brittany Bass. (*submitted*)

"Social Capital and Labor Market Networks" with Judy Hellerstein, Mark Kutzbach, and David Neumark. NBER Working Paper 23959, October 2017. (*submitted*)

"The Grandparenthood Effect: Labor Force Attachment Responses and Trends Among Older Workers"

WORKS IN PROGRESS

"A Homeownership Dilemma? Mobility after Job Loss in an Aging Workforce."

"The Regime that Abolishes Itself: Market Exit, Inequality, and the Fate of Rent Control Policies."

"A Theory of Love and War: The Vietnam Draft, Assortive Mating, and Crime in the 1980's and 1990's" with Nanneh Chehras, Ian Finn, and Jose Luis Luna Alpizar.

"An Analysis of the Quality of the Neighborhood Change Database's Weights"

"The Effects of San Francisco's Minimum Wage on Employment and Business Births and Deaths" with David Neumark.

"The Power of the Pill for Women Working Longer" with Yulya Truskinovsky

"Does Luxury Housing Construction Increase Nearby Rents?" with Evan Mast and Davin Reed

AWARDS AND RESEARCH GRANTS

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| Mortgage Bankers Association Research Grant, \$20,700 | 2018 |
| American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association Homer Hoyt Dissertation Award (First Prize) | 2017 |
| NBER Postdoctoral Fellowship on the Economics of an Aging Workforce | 2017-2018 |
| Associate Dean's Fellowship, UCI | Spring 2017 |
| 31st Annual Tiebout Prize for Best Graduate Student Paper, Western Regional Science Association | 2017 |
| NIA Po1 AGo29409, "Grandchildren and Grandparents' Labor Force Attachment", \$17,000 | 2015-2016 |
| Data Science Graduate Summer Fellowship, Data Science Initiative, UCI, \$6,000 | 2015 |
| Borowski Student Policy Research Initiative, Center for Economics and Public Policy, UCI, \$2,000 | 2016 |
| Economics Summer Research Fellowship, \$5,025 UCI | 2014, 2015, 2016 |
| Associated Graduate Students Travel Grant, \$800 UCI | 2014, 2016 |
| Merit Fellowship in Economics, UCI | 2011 – 2016 |
| Social Science Tuition Fellowship, UCI | 2011 – 2016 |
| Presidential Scholar, Brandeis University | 2005-2009 |

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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| Graduate Student Researcher for David Neumark, UCI | January 2015 – March 2017 |
| Graduate Student Researcher for Marianne Bitler and Christopher Carpenter, UCI | December 2011 – September 2013 |

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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| Reimbursement Systems Analyst, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Boston, MA | November 2010 – August 2011 |
| Consulting Research Analyst, Quantitative Economic Solutions, Cambridge, MA | August 2009 – October 2010 |

TEACHING

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| Instructor, Probability and Statistics I, UCI | Summer 2016 |
| Teaching Assistant, UCI | Fall 2011 – present |
| 2011: Introduction to Economics | |
| 2013: Probability and Statistics I | |
| 2014: Probability and Statistics II, Basic Economics Discussion Section Leader for Advanced Students, Applied Econometrics. | |

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Referee: *Journal of Political Economy*, *Journal of Human Resources*, *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, *Journal of Housing Economics*, *Urban Studies*

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

2019: American Economic Association (scheduled).

2018: American Economic Association, Harvard University Population Center, New York University Furman Center, Boston College Center for Retirement Research, 3rd IZA Junior/Senior Symposium, University of Southern California (invited speaker, scheduled), North American Regional Science Conference (scheduled).

2017: National Tax Association, San Francisco City Planning Department, Western Economic Association Annual Meeting, University of Pennsylvania Wharton Budget Model Initiative, Freddie Mac, Moody's Analytics, Federal Trade Commission, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, W. E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research

2016: Annual North American Meetings of the Regional Science Association International, APPAM Fall Research Conference, Economic Graduate Student Conference (WUSTL), California State University at Long Beach (Invited Speaker), Western Economic Association Annual Meeting, University of Michigan (PSID)

2015: Urban Economics Association Annual Meeting, Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting

Hackathons: 2nd Prize in Gig Economy Category, MIT FinTech & Design Hackathon (with Diana Kolusheva, Esther Volchek, and David Wang). \$3,000.

University Service: Graduate Student Mentor (2012).

Founder and Organizer of departmental Applied Microeconomics Brown Bag Lunch (won \$500 to fund).

Technical: Stata (advanced), Python, SQL, Matlab, ArcGIS, R (beginner)

Foreign Language: Spanish (proficient), French (proficient), Russian (beginner)

Other: Cellist.

PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES

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