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Employment

Assistant Professor/Faculty Fellow, NYU Provost's Postdoctoral Fellowship Program	2018-Present
Academic Consultant, University of Chicago Crime Lab	2020-Present

Education

Ph.D. in Economics, The City University of New York Graduate Center	2018
M.P.H., Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health	2014
B.A., Morehouse College	2006

Fields

Health Economics, Labor Economics, Economics of Crime, Economics of Race

Grants

Russell Sage Foundation Small Grants in Computational Social Sciences (\$9,987)	2019
Robert Wood Johnson Policies for Action (P4A) Initiative: NYU	
Wagner Health Hub (\$5,000)	2019

Awards, Fellowships, and Honors

National Bureau of Economic Research Predoctoral Fellowship in Aging and Health Research	2016-18
CUNY Graduate Center Dissertation Fellowship	2016-17
Vera Institute of Justice/CUNY Graduate Center Research Fellowship	2016
Massachusetts Institute of Technology Predoctoral Fellowship	2015-17
American Economic Association Mentoring Program/National Science Foundation Grant	2015

Dean K. Harris Fellowship, CUNY Graduate Center	2012
New York City Department of Health & Mental Hygiene Epidemiology Scholar	2008
U.S. Fulbright Scholar (Republic of Mali)	2006-07

Teaching Experience

Multiple Regression and Introduction to Econometrics, NYU Wagner	Fall 2020
Race, Crime, and Incarceration Policy in the United States, NYU Wagner	Spring 2020
Urban Research Seminar (Coordinator), NYU	2018-2019
Race, Crime, and Incarceration Policy in the United States, NYU Wagner	Fall 2018
Principles of Microeconomics, Baruch College	Spring 2015

Other Relevant Positions

Research Assistant to Jagdish Bhagwati, Columbia University	2010-12
Federal Reserve Bank of New York Graduate Summer Analyst	2010
Earth Institute at Columbia University, Research Assistant	2008-09
Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, Internship	2006-07
Carnegie Mellon University Department of Statistics Project Imhotep Fellow	2006

Working Papers

- “Gun Violence in Black and White: Evidence from Policy Reform in Missouri” (*Under Review*)
- “Police Force Size and Civilian Race” (with Aaron Chalfin, Ben Hansen, Emily Weisburst, *Conditionally Accepted, American Economic Review: Insights*)
- “The Causal Health Effects of Education—Who Benefits and When?” (with Markus Gehrsitz)

Research in Progress

- “Health Insurance Loss and Recidivist Behavior: Evidence from New York State Medicaid Policy Reform” (with Sherry Glied and Renata Howland)
- “Recidivism and the Labor Markets for Ex-Convicts: Evidence from New York State “Ban-the-Box” Laws” (with Glenn C. Loury and Jed Armstrong)

