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Employment:

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University, August 2008 - Present

Senior Research Associate, Center for Policy Research, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University, August 2008 - Present

Education:

Ph.D., Economics, Yale University, December 2008

Dissertation Title: *Neighborhood Racial Dynamics, Parental School Choice Behavior, and Student Achievement: Evidence from Natural Experiments*

Dissertation Committee: Professors Justine Hastings, Joseph Altonji, and Ebonya Washington

M.Phil., Economics, Yale University, December 2005

M.A., Economics, Yale University, December 2003

B.A. (*with high honors*), Economics, University of Maryland, May 2002

B.S., Mathematics, University of Maryland, May 2002

Research Interests:

Public Economics

Urban Economics

Economics of Education

Publications:

“Information, School Choice, and Academic Achievement: Evidence from Two Experiments,” with Justine Hastings, *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 123(4), 2008, 1373-1414.

“The Effect of Randomized School Admissions on Voter Participation,” with Justine Hastings, Thomas Kane, and Douglas Staiger, *Journal of Public Economics*, 91(5-6), 2007, 915-937.

Working Papers:

“The Impact of School Racial Compositions on Neighborhood Racial Compositions: Evidence from School Redistricting,” 2009 (under review).

“No Child Left Behind: Estimating the Impact on Choices and Student Outcomes,” with Justine Hastings, *NBER Working Paper No. 13009*, 2007.

“Preferences, Information, and Parental Choice Behavior in Public School Choice,” with Justine Hastings and Richard Van Weelden, *NBER Working Paper No. 12995*, 2007.

Fellowships, Honors, and Awards:

University Dissertation Fellowship, Yale University, Fall 2006
 Raymond Powell Teaching Prize, Yale University, 2005
 Annual Cowles Foundation Prize, Yale University, 2004, 2005
 Yale University Fellowship, 2002-2006
 Cowles Foundation Graduate Student Fellowship, Yale University, 2002-2006
 Dillard Prize in Economics, University of Maryland, 2002
 Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society, 2001
 Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society Junior Award, 2001

Teaching:

First Year Forum, Undergraduate, Syracuse University, Fall 2009
 Game Theory and Economic Strategy, Undergraduate, Syracuse University, Spring 2009 and Spring 2010
 Intermediate Microeconomics, Undergraduate, Syracuse University, Fall 2008 and Fall 2009
 Public Expenditures, Graduate (Ph.D.), Syracuse University, Spring 2010

Econometrics and Data Analysis I (Teaching Assistant), Undergraduate, Yale University, Spring 2005
 Introductory Microeconomics (Teaching Assistant), Undergraduate, Yale University, Fall 2004 and 2005

Research Experience:

Research Assistant, Professor Justine Hastings, Fall 2004-Spring 2008
 Research Assistant, Professor Patrick Bayer, Spring 2004-Fall 2004
 Consultant, The World Bank, Transportation and Urban Development Division, Summer 2003

Professional Affiliations:

American Economic Association, American Education Finance Association, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management

Referee Service:

Economic Inquiry, Economic Journal, Economics of Education Review, Education Finance and Policy, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Public Economics

Presentations:

2009: Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (scheduled), Syracuse University

2008: City College of New York, MDRC, RAND, Syracuse University, Texas A&M University, University at Albany, University at Buffalo, Washington University in St. Louis

Languages: English (native), Spanish (advanced)

References:

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