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Academic Employment

2014- Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Brown University

Education

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| Ph.D. Economics | Harvard University | 2014 |
| <i>Committee:</i> | Michael Kremer, Greg Lewis, Ariel Pakes | |
| M.A. Economics | Stanford University | 2011 |
| M. Public Policy | Harvard University, John F. Kennedy School of Government | 2009 |
| B.S. Physics | University Of Washington | 2005 |

Research

Working Papers

The Adoption of Network Goods: Evidence from the Spread of Mobile Phones in Rwanda

Behavior Revealed in Mobile Phone Usage Predicts Loan Repayment

With Darrell Grissen

Media coverage: NPR Morning Edition, Radio New Zealand, New Scientist

Non-Choice Evaluations Predict Behavioral Responses to Changes in Economic Conditions

With B. Douglas Bernheim, Jeffrey Naecker, and Antonio Rangel

Research in Progress

Hidden Quality

The Spread of Profitable Technologies: Evidence from a Mobile Phone Discount

Presentations

2016 *Scheduled:* AEA Annual Meeting

2015 *Scheduled:* Georgetown, University of Houston, NEUDC

NBER Development (Summer), NBER Industrial Organization (Spring), NetMob,

Stockholm School of Economics, Stockholm University, Summer Institute in

Competitive Strategy (UC Berkeley), UC Davis (ARE), Yale University

- 2014 Boston University, Brown University, Michigan State University (Ag. Economics and Telecom), Northwestern (Kellogg MEDS), Stanford GSB, University of Cambridge (INET Institute)
- 2013 NEUDC
- 2012 Nagoya University Conference on Risk, Food and Trade

Teaching

- 2014-2016 Applied Research Methods (Undergraduate) Brown University
Big Data (Undergraduate) Brown University
Development Economics (Ph.D.) Brown University
- 2005-2007 High School Math and Science (Teach for America) Weslaco, Texas

Honors

- 2013-2014 Oppenheimer Graduate Fellowship Fund Harvard University
- 2011-2013 Graduate Fellowship Harvard Economics
- 2010 George Shultz Fellowship Stanford Institute for Economic Policy Research
- 2009 Graduate Fellowship Stanford Economics
- 2003 Jerre Noe Scholarship University of Washington Computer Science
- 2002 Freshman Medal University of Washington

Professional Activities

Affiliations: Brown University Population Studies and Training Center

Referee: Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Public Economics, National Science Foundation, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Science, Theoretical Economics

Other Employment

- 2008-2009 Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL) Consultant
- 2000-2001 Microsoft Mobile Device Division Software Development Intern

Language English (native), Swedish (fluent)