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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2022- UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, Assistant Professor
Vancouver School of Economics
- 2021-2022 UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY, Assistant Professor
Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics & Department of Economics
- 2020-2021 STANFORD INSTITUTE FOR ECONOMIC POLICY RESEARCH, Postdoctoral Fellow

EDUCATION

- 2015-2020 YALE UNIVERSITY
Doctor of Philosophy in Economics (*with distinction*)
Fields of Concentration: Environmental and Energy Economics, Public Economics
- 2014-2015 UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
Master of Arts in Economics
- 2011-2014 MCGILL UNIVERSITY
Bachelor of Arts, First Class Joint Honors in Economics and Accounting

WORKING PAPERS

- “Technology Lock-In and Costs of Delayed Climate Policy” (with Jonathan T. Hawkins-Pierot), CESifo WP #9762, Revise and resubmit at *Journal of Political Economy Microeconomics*
- “The Use and Misuse of Average and Marginal Energy Prices: Implications for Climate Policy” (with Jonathan T. Hawkins-Pierot)

PUBLISHED AND FORTHCOMING PAPERS

- “Fifty Years of U.S. Natural Disaster Insurance Policy” (with Kendra Marcoux). 2024. *Handbook of Insurance*, Volume 1: 55-79. Ed. Georges Dionne. Springer Nature.
- “Crowding In with Impure Altruism: Theory and Evidence from Volunteerism in National Parks” (with Matthew J. Kotchen). 2023. *Journal of Public Economics*, 222: 104879.
- “Efficient Adaptation to Flood Risk” (with Winston P. Hovekamp). 2023. *AEA Papers and Proceedings*, 113: 304-309
- “Designing Insurance Markets for Climate Change”. 2022. *Nature Climate Change*, 12(12): 1070-1072.
- “Adaptation and Adverse Selection in Markets for Natural Disaster Insurance”. 2022. *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, 14(3): 380-421.
- “Environmental Preferences and Consumer Behavior”. 2016. *Economics Letters*, 146: 1-4.

SEMINAR AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (INCLUDING SCHEDULED AND VIRTUAL)

- 2024-2025 LSE Environment Week (x2), Simon Fraser University, Paris School of Economics, Temple, Queen's, Washington University in St. Louis (Law)
- 2023-2024 American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association Policy Forum, Coase Project Conference, NBER Economics of Decarbonizing Industrial Production, UC Santa Barbara, University of Alaska-Anchorage, University of Washington, USC, U.S. Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, U.S. Federal Housing Finance Agency
- 2022-2023 ASSA Annual Meetings, Becker Friedman Institute Women in Empirical Micro Conference, Canadian Association for Business Economics, Chicago EPIC, Environmental Defense Fund, Federal Reserve Board, Monash University, Queen's, UC Berkeley Energy Camp, UConn Law, University of Alberta (REES), University of Calgary, University of Nevada-Reno, University of Oslo, University of Victoria, UQAM
- 2021-2022 Arizona State, Bank of England, CESifo Area Conference on Energy and Climate Economics, Chicago EPIC, Coase Project Conference, Columbia/Cornell/MIT, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, Georgia State, Harvard, London School of Economics, Paris School of Economics, Santa Clara University, Toronto, UBC, UC Berkeley Energy Camp
- 2020-2021 NYU, Online Workshop in Environment, Energy and Transportation Economics, Property and Environment Research Center, SIEPR, Stanford (Economics, Bits & Watts), UC Berkeley Haas, UOttawa, U.S. Federal Housing Finance Agency, University of Virginia
- 2019-2020 Chicago, Columbia, Columbia Business School, Dartmouth, Department of Finance-Canada, Duke, Kellogg, McGill, Michigan, NBER Insurance Spring Meeting, NBER Summer Institute (EEE), Princeton, Ryerson, Toronto, UBC, UC Berkeley ARE, UC San Diego, USC, UQAM, Wharton, Wisconsin-Madison
- 2018-2019 NBER Summer Institute (EEE), Northeast Workshop on Energy Policy and Environmental Economics (at Columbia), UC Berkeley ARE
- 2017-2018 Montréal Natural Resources and Environmental Economics Workshop (at McGill)

CONFERENCE PAPER DISCUSSIONS (INCLUDING SCHEDULED AND VIRTUAL)

- 2023-2024 Bank of Chile Annual Conference
- 2022-2023 American Economic Association
- 2021-2022 American Economic Association, NBER Insurance Fall Meeting
- 2020-2021 American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association National Conference, Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (at ASSA), Canadian Resource and Environmental Economics Association Conference, Global Open Series in Environmental Economics, NBER EEE Spring Meeting, NBER Summer Institute (EEE)
- 2017-2018 Canadian Resource and Environmental Economics Association Conference

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2022 DISTINGUISHED CESIFO AFFILIATE AWARD
- 2020 WALLACE E. OATES OUTSTANDING DOCTORAL DISSERTATION AWARD, AERE
- 2020 GEORGE TRIMIS PRIZE FOR DISTINGUISHED DISSERTATION RESEARCH, Yale University
- 2018-2019 CARL ARVID ANDERSON PRIZE FELLOWSHIP IN ECONOMICS, Yale University
- 2018-2019 INSTITUTION FOR SOCIAL AND POLICY STUDIES FELLOWSHIP, Yale University
- 2015-2019 COWLES FOUNDATION AND ECONOMIC GROWTH CENTER FELLOWSHIP, Yale University
- 2015 GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP, University of British Columbia full tuition
- 2014 GOVERNOR GENERAL'S MEDAL (first in graduating class), McGill University
- 2014 ALLEN OLIVER GOLD MEDAL, McGill University
- 2014 PHILIP F. VINEBERG TRAVELING FELLOWSHIP, McGill University
- 2011-2014 WOMEN'S ASSOCIATES SCHOLARSHIP, McGill University full tuition

TEACHING

- 2023-2025 ECON 574 INSURANCE, UNCERTAINTY, AND CLIMATE CHANGE, Graduate, UBC
- 2023-2025 ECON 371 ECONOMICS OF THE ENVIRONMENT, Undergraduate, UBC
- 2023 SLOAN ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY ECONOMICS SUMMER SCHOOL, Graduate, UC Berkeley
- 2021 ARE 201 INSURANCE, UNCERTAINTY, AND CLIMATE CHANGE, Graduate, UC Berkeley
- 2021 EEP 100 INTERMEDIATE MICROECONOMICS, Undergraduate, UC Berkeley

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- Co-organizer, Student Research Workshop on Environmental and Energy Economics, UBC (2022-)
- Co-organizer, Empirical Economics Seminar, UBC (2022-)
- Organizer, Student Research Breakfast on Environmental and Energy Economics, UC Berkeley (2021-2022)
- Co-organizer, Agricultural and Resource Economics Departmental Seminar, UC Berkeley (2021-2022)
- Faculty representative, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee, UC Berkeley (2021-2022)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Referee for: *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Economic Review, American Economic Review: Insights, Communications Earth and Environment, Economic Inquiry, Economics Letters, Environmental Politics, Geomatics, Natural Hazards, and Risk, Handbook of Insurance, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Economics and Management Strategy, Journal of Economic Surveys, Journal of Finance, Journal of Housing Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Political Economy: Microeconomics, Public Economics, Journal of the Association of Environmental and Resource Economists, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Urban Economics, Natural Hazards, Nature Climate Change, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, RAND Journal of Economics, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Financial Studies*

- Co-organizer, Online Workshop in Environment, Energy, & Transportation Economics (OSWEET) (2020-)
- Co-founder & organizer, Yale Environmental Economics Student Workshop (2016-2019)

DATA CLEARANCE

- Statistics Canada Reliability Status (2023-)
- U.S. Special Sworn Status (2019-2023)

MISCELLANEOUS

- Languages: English (native), French (fluent), German (intermediate)
- Citizenship: Canada, Germany