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## **Affiliation**

Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Michigan 2024-present

## **Education and Training**

IRS Postdoctoral Research Associate, Princeton University 2023-2024

### **Ph.D**

University of Pennsylvania 2017-2023  
Thesis Title: “*Empirical Analyses of Secondary and Postsecondary Education Policies*”  
Thesis Advisor: Petra E. Todd  
Committee Members: Andrew Shephard, Francesco Agostinelli

### **Masters Degree**

MSc Economics, London School of Economics 2017

### **Undergraduate Studies**

B.A., Economics and B.M., Clarinet Performance,  
University of Southern California 2011

## **Economics Research**

### **Published Papers**

*The Marginal Returns to Distance Education: Evidence from Mexico’s Telesecundarias*, with Gabrielle Vasey. **2024. American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, 16(1): 253-85.**

### **Working Papers**

*The Heterogeneous Effects of Changing SAT Requirements in Admissions: An Equilibrium Evaluation.* **Revise and Resubmit at Journal of Political Economy**

- Best Paper Award: CESifo Junior Workshop on the Economics of Education

*Welfare, Workfare, and Labor Supply: A Unified Evaluation*, with Francesco Agostinelli and Giuseppe Sorrenti. **Revise and Resubmit at Journal of Econometrics**

*Learning Through Repetition? A Dynamic Evaluation of Grade Retention in Portugal*, with Hugo Reis and Petra E. Todd

*The Effects of Class Size on Learning: A Reappraisal of the Tennessee STAR Experiment,*  
with Karun Adusumilli and Francesco Agostinelli

## **Presentations**

2024: Princeton University, Yale University, Society of Labor Economists Annual Meeting, Rome Junior Conference on Applied Microeconomics, Southern Economic Association Structural Microeconomics Conference, Stockholm Scaling Up Social Impact Summit

2023: Duke University, University of New Hampshire, Southern Economic Association Structural Microeconomics Conference, CESifo Junior Workshop on the Economics of Education, KU Leuven Summer Event – Economics and Econometrics of Education, Barcelona Summer Forum Structural Microeconomics Conference, Workshop on Economics of Education – Valle Nevado, Chile.

2022: Society of Labor Economists Annual Meeting

2021: Latin American Meeting of the Econometric Society, Young Economists Symposium

## **Grants**

MITRE Faculty Research Award, University of Michigan	2024
Covid Extension Fellowship, University of Pennsylvania	2022
Matching Grant, Penn Institute for Economic Research (PIER)	2021

## **Referee Service**

American Economic Review, Review of Economic Studies, Review of Economic Dynamics, Quantitative Economics, Economic Journal, International Economic Review, Econometrics Journal

## **Teaching**

### **Assistant Professor at University of Michigan**

ECON 490 – Economics of Education and Human Capital	2024-2025
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### **Teaching Assistant at University of Pennsylvania**

ECON 8310: Advanced Micro Econometrics with Petra Todd	Fall 2022
ECON 104 : Econometrics with Daniel Lewis	Spring 2022
ECON 233 : Labor Economics with Andrew Shephard	2020-2021
ECON 104 : Econometrics with Frank Diebold	2019

