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POSITIONS

- Program Coordinator**, Economics Program, School of Public Policy, Oregon State University. 2013 - present.
Professor, Economics Program, School of Public Policy, Oregon State University. 2015 - present.
Associate Professor, Economics Program, School of Public Policy, Oregon State University. 2008 - 2015.
Visiting Professor, São Paulo School of Economics, Fundação Getulio Vargas, Brazil. 2012 – 2013.
Director, Economics E-Campus Degree Program, 2010 - 2012
Research Fellow, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Germany. 2007 – present.
Research Fellow, Center for Applied Microeconomic Research (C-Micro), São Paulo School of Economics, Fundação Getulio Vargas, Brazil. 2010 – present.
Member, Board of Directors, Center for Governance and Public Policy, Willamette University. 2008 – present.
Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Oregon State University. 2006 - 2008.
Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Colorado at Denver. 2000 – 2006. (Tenured 2006)

EDUCATION

- Cornell University**, Ithaca, New York.
 Ph.D., Economics, May 2000; M.A., Economics, May 1998.
University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin.
 M.A., Public Policy and Administration, May 1994.
Lewis & Clark College, Portland, Oregon.
 B.A., Economics, June 1990.
 Study Abroad: St. Stephen's College, University of Delhi, and University of Mysore, India, 1988-1989.

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

- “Child Labor and Learning,” with André Portela Souza & Vladimir Ponczek. Forthcoming: *Economic Development and Cultural Change*.
- “Bricks, Mortar and Wedding Bells: Does the Cost of Housing Affect the Marriage Rate in the US?” with Simon W. Bowmaker. *Eastern Economic Journal*. Summer 2015, Vol. 41, pp. 411-429.
- “Still Waiting for Mr. Right? Asymmetric Information, Abortion Laws and the Timing of Marriage,” with Simon W. Bowmaker. *Applied Economics*. August 2013, Vol. 45, Issue 22, pp. 3151-3169.
- “Bounded Rationality, Expectations, and Child Labour,” with Shawn Knabb. *Canadian Journal of Economics*, August 2013, Vol. 46, No. 3, pp. 900-927.
- “Is Child Labor Harmful? The Impact of Starting to Work as a Child on Adult Earnings,” with André Portela Souza. *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, January 2011, Vol. 59, No. 2, pp. 345-385.
- “Birth Order, Child Labor and School Attendance in Brazil,” with André Portela Souza. *World Development*, September 2008, Vol. 36, No. 9, pp. 1647-1664.
- “Child Labor, School Attendance and Intra-Household Gender Bias in Brazil,” with André Portela Souza. *The World Bank Economic Review*, 2007, Vol. 21, No. 2, pp. 301–316.
- “Fiscal Policy, Expectation Traps and Child Labor,” with Shawn Knabb. *Economic Inquiry*, July 2007, Vol. 45, No. 3, pp. 453-469.
- “Corruption, Competition and Democracy.” *Journal of Development Economics*, October 2006, Vol. 81, No. 1, pp. 193-212.
- “Opportunity, Inequality and the Intergenerational Transmission of Child Labor,” with Shawn Knabb. *Economica*, August 2006, Vol. 73, No. 291, pp. 413-434.
- “Discrimination in Hiring v. Retention and Promotion: An Empirical Analysis of Within Firm Treatment of Workers in the NFL,” with Michael Conlin. *Journal of Law, Economics and Organization*, Spring 2006, Vol. 22, No. 1, pp. 115-136.

- “Multi-Dimensional Separating Equilibria and Moral Hazard: An Empirical Study of National Football League Contract Negotiations,” with Michael Conlin. *Review of Economics and Statistics*, August 2003, Vol. 85, No. 3, pp. 760 - 765.
- “Efficiency Pricing, Tenancy Rent Control and Monopolistic Landlords,” with Kaushik Basu. *Economica*, May 2003, Vol. 70, No. 278, pp. 223 – 232. Reprinted in Kaushik Basu, *Collected Papers in Theoretical Economics: Welfare, Law, and Globalization*. (New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2011).
- “Is There a Child Labor Trap? Inter-Generational Persistence of Child Labor in Brazil,” with André Portela Souza. *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, January 2003, Vol. 51, No. 2, pp. 375 - 398.
- “Corruption and Industrial Dualism in Less Developed Countries.” *Journal of International Trade and Economic Development*, March 2002, Vol. 11, No. 1, pp. 63 - 76.
- “The Economics of Tenancy Rent Control,” with Kaushik Basu. *The Economic Journal*, October 2000, Vol. 110, No. 466, pp. 939 - 962. Reprinted in Kaushik Basu, *Collected Papers in Theoretical Economics: Rationality, Games and Strategic Behavior*. (New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2005).

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- “The Inter-Generational Persistence of Child Labor,” with André Portela Souza. *Child Labor and Education in Latin America: An Economic Perspective*, P. Orazem, G. Sedlacek and Z. Tzannatos, eds. New York: Palgrave MacMillan, 2009.
- “Economic Theory of Child Labor.” *The World of Child Labor: An Historical and Regional Survey*, Hugh D. Hindman, editor. New York: ME Sharpe, 2009.
- “Rent Control.” *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences, 2nd Edition*, William A. Darity, editor. New York: Macmillan, 2007.

WORKING PAPERS

- “Microloans and Growth,” with Bruce McGough. Revise & resubmit: *Review of Development Economics*.
- “Crime in Cracolândia: Estimating the Effect of Drug Decriminalization on Crime,” with Isabel Ferraz Musse and André Portela Souza.
- “Learning About Education,” with Bruce McGough. Revise & resubmit: *Macroeconomics Dynamics*.
- “Paying Now or Later: Human Capital Investment and the Solvency of Social Security,” with Shawn D. Knabb.
- “Environmental Regulation and Induced Innovation in the Presence of Policy Uncertainty,” with Shawn Knabb. Revise & resubmit: *Environmental and Resource Economics*.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

- Intermediate Microeconomics: A Policy Approach*. Textbook under contract with Pearson.
- “Child Labor: Outcomes and Policy Implications,” with Elizabeth Schroeder.
- “Estimating the Effect on Child Labor of an Full-Day School Reform in Chile,” with Matías Berthelon and Diana Kruger.
- “Child Labor, Expectations and Learning,” with Vladimir Ponczek, André Portela Souza and Todd Pugatch.

GRANTS AND AWARDS

- FAPESP, São Paulo, Brazil, BR\$ 125,000 Research Grant for “Child Labor and Learning,” 2012-2013.
- University of Colorado at Denver, CLAS, Award for Excellence in Teaching, 2004 - 2005
- Haralambos Simeonidis Award (ANPEC): “Best Article of the Year,” for “Is There a Child Labor Trap?”
- University of Colorado at Denver, Faculty Development Grant, 2003 – 2004 & 2005-2006
- University of Colorado at Denver, CLAS, Award for Excellence in Research, 2002 - 2003
- National Academies of Science/National Research Council Grant (project on adolescent labor), 2002
- University of Colorado at Denver, Young Professor Fund Grants, 2001, 2002 (2) & 2004
- Royal Economic Society, Young Economist Fund Grant, 2001
- “Outstanding Teaching Assistant,” Cornell Economics Department, 1996-97 & 1998-99
- Departmental Fellowship, Cornell University Economics Department, 1999

REFEREEING SERVICES

Bulletin of Economic Research
Economics of Education Review
Economic Development and Cultural Change
Economic Inquiry
Economics & Politics
European Economic Review
Industrial and Labor Relations Review
International Economic Review
International Journal of Industrial Organization
Japanese Economic Review
Journal of Development Economics
Journal of Development Studies
Journal of Economics
Journal of Economic Growth
Journal of Economic Surveys
Journal of Human Resources
Journal of International Trade and Economic Development
Journal of Population Economics
Journal of Public Economics
Journal of Sports Economics
National Science Foundation
Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics
Oxford Economic Papers
Review of Development Economics
Review of Economics of the Household
Scottish Journal of Political Economy
Social Choice and Welfare
World Development

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

“Child Labor and Learning”
Chief Economist Seminar at the World Bank, Washinton, DC, 2014
São Paulo School of Economics, Fundação Getulio Vargas, Brazil, 2013

“Are Microloans Bad for Growth?”
Florida Atlantic University, 2012

“Still Waiting for Mr. Right? Asymmetric Information, Abortion Laws and the Timing of Marriage”
University of Oregon, 2009

“Is Child Labor Harmful? The Impact of Starting to Work as a Child on Adult Earnings”
Ohio State University, 2006
University of Colorado at Boulder, 2006
California State Polytechnic University – San Luis Obispo, 2006
Cornell University, 2005
Indiana University, 2005
Southern Illinois University - Carbondale, 2004

“Opportunity, Inequality and the Intergenerational Persistence of Child Labor”
Oregon State University, 2006

“Intergenerational Redistribution, Expectation Traps and Child Labor”
Cornell University, 2002

“Birth Order, Child Labor and School Attendance in Brazil”
Vanderbilt University, 2002

“Discrimination in Hiring v. Retention and Promotion: An Empirical Analysis of Within Firm Treatment of Workers in the NFL”
University of Missouri, 2002
Vanderbilt University, 2002

“Is There a Child Labor Trap? Inter-Generational Persistence of Child Labor in Brazil”
University of Washington, 2003
University of Oregon, 2003
Williams College, 2003
University of San Francisco, 2003

“The Economics and Law of Tenancy Rent Control”
University of California – Davis, 2000
Simon Fraser University, 2000
Trinity University, 2000
St. Thomas University, 2000
Fordham University, 2000
University of Colorado at Denver, 2000
University of Vermont, 2000
Cornell University, 1999

PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- “Learning About Education”
 2014 Latin American Meeting of the Econometrics Society, São Paulo, Brazil.
- “Child Labor and Learning”
 2014 European Meeting of the Econometrics Society, Toulouse, France
- “Are Microloans Bad for Growth?”
 2010 Western Economics Association International Conference, Portland
 2010 EESP/INCT Education and Development Conference, São Paulo, Brazil
- “Still Waiting for Mr. Right? Asymmetric Information, Abortion Laws and the Timing of Marriage”
 2009 LACEA/LAMES, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- “Expectations, Child Labor and Economic Development”
 2008 LACEA/LAMES, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- “Corruption, Competition and Democracy”
 2006 NEUDC, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York
 2005 Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association Meetings, Paris, France
 2002 Western Economics Association International Conference, Seattle
- “Is Child Labor Harmful? The Impact of Starting to Work as a Child on Adult Earnings”
 2007 IZA-World Bank Conference on Employment and Development
 2007 American Economic Association Annual Conference, Chicago
 2004 NEUDC, HEC Montréal, Canada
 2004 Western Economics Association International Conference, Vancouver
- “Opportunity, Inequality and the Intergenerational Transmission of Child Labor”
 2004: “75 Years of Development Research” conference at Cornell University
- “Intergenerational Redistribution, Expectation Traps and Child Labor”
 2003 Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association Meetings, Puebla, Mexico
- “Birth Order, Child Labor and School Attendance in Brazil”
 2002 NEUDC, Williams College, Williamstown, Massachusetts
 2002 Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association Meetings, Madrid, Spain
- “Child Labor, School Attendance and Intra-Household Gender Bias in Brazil”
 2001 Western Economics Association International Conference, San Francisco
- “Is There a Child Labor Trap? Inter-Generational Persistence of Child Labor in Brazil”
 2001 Royal Economic Society Conference, University of Durham, Durham, England
 2000 NEUDC, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York
- “The Economics and Law of Tenancy Rent Control”
 AREUEA Annual Conference at the 1999 Allied Social Science Association Meetings, New York

STUDENT ADVISING

Dann Cutter (Business Honors)	2011	ECONOMICS	
MASTERS OF PUBLIC POLICY		Chair:	
		Andrew Helm (MS Econ)	2009
Chair:		Andrew Cleland (MS Econ)	2010
Kate Porsche	2012	Zack Peterson (MS Econ)	2010
Gunjan Dhakal	2011		
Jason Creighton	2013	Member:	
		Maya Sherpa (Econ PhD)	2011
Member:		Jay Gokahle (Econ PhD)	2012
Melissa Braybrooks	2009	Zheng Cao (Econ PhD)	2010
Michael Campbell	2010	Assem Algursan (Econ PhD)	2014
Evan Sorce	2012		
Dan Donin	2013	OUTSIDE	
Joey Carroll	2014		
Jaynie Whinnery	2014	Felipe Garcia Ribeiro (FGV EESP Econ PhD)	
Larry Ruiz	2015	2013	

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Graduate

Development

Trade and Growth

Industrial Organization

Game Theory

Economics for Public Policy

Microeconomic Theory

Undergraduate

Development Economics

International Economics

Intermediate Microeconomic Theory

Industrial Organization

Managerial Economics

Math for Economics

Money and Banking

Principles of Microeconomics

Principles of Macroeconomics

Other

Mathematics for Graduate Economics Preparatory Course (Cornell Ph.D. Program)

Money and Banking, Public Policy Analysis (E-campus / On-Line)

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Department/Program

Program Coordinator

Graduate Studies Committee

Undergraduate Studies Committee

Seminar Committee

Faculty Representative to the Economics Club

Promotion and Tenure Committee

Hiring Committee

School/College

SPP Advisory Council

SPP PhD Program Committee

Admissions Committee, School of Public Policy

Faculty Representative to the Masters in Public Policy Program

Academic Standards Committee (UCD)

Research Award Committee (UCD)

Teaching Award Committee (UCD)

Hiring Committee

Hiring Committee Chair

University

Trade Field Committee for the Graduate Economics Program

Admission Committee for the Graduate Economics Program

Human Subjects Review Committee (UCD)

Research Award Committee (UCD)

Teaching Award Committee (UCD)

AFFILIATIONS

American Economic Association; Royal Economic Society; Western Economic Association International; Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association

TEACHING INTERESTS

Development, Industrial Organization, Game Theory, International, Urban, Labor, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Public, Political Economy, Environmental

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Development, Industrial Organization, Growth, International, Labor, Applied Microeconomics, Political Economy, Environmental, Urban Economics, Public Policy

PERSONAL

Nationality: US & UK citizen (dual national)

Languages: English, French, Portuguese and some Spanish