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ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

The Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY
Melvin A. Eggers Faculty Scholar, 2020-Present
Associate Professor of Economics (with Tenure), 2018-Present
Assistant Professor of Economics, 2012-2018

Wallis Institute of Political Economy, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY
Postdoctoral Associate, January-June 2016

EDUCATION:

Ph.D., Economics, University of California, San Diego, June 2012
Masters of European Economic Studies, College of Europe, Bruges, Belgium, 2002
B. A., International Area Studies, Drexel University, *summa cum laude*, 2001

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Visiting Scholar, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA, 2012-2019
Instructor, University of California San Diego, San Diego, CA, 2011
Teaching Assistant, University of California San Diego, San Diego, CA, 2007-2012
Economic Analyst, Research Dept., Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA, 2002-2007
Business Attraction Specialist, Mayor's Business Action Team, Philadelphia Department of Commerce, Philadelphia, PA, 2000
Intern, European Parliament, Brussels, Belgium, 1999

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS:

Inefficient Concessions and Mediation (with Benjamin C. Horne), forthcoming at *Quarterly Journal of Political Science*.

Under Pressure: Intractable Trade Conflicts and *Korea – Pneumatic Valves* (with Kathleen Claussen), *World Trade Review*, 20, 509-523 (2021). Available at <https://doi.org/10.1017/S1474745621000124>

How Trade Restrictive is Standardized Packaging? Economic and Legal Implications of the WTO Panel Reports in Australia–Tobacco Plain Packaging (with Tania Voon), *World Trade Review*, 19(2), 267-281 (2020). Available at <https://doi.org/10.1017/S1474745620000051>

Localized Knowledge Spillovers: Evidence from the Agglomeration of American R&D Labs and Patent Data (with Gerald Carlino, Robert Hunt, Jake Carr and Tony Smith), *Regional Science and Urban Economics*, 81 (2020). Available at <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.regsciurbeco.2019.103490>

The U.S. — Tax Incentives Dispute: Subsidies and Investment Promotion Reaching New Heights in the Aviation Sector (with Panos Delimatsis), *World Trade Review*, 18(2), 327-351 (2019).

Self-enforcing Trade Agreements and Lobbying, *Journal of International Economics*, 108, 226-242 (2017). Available at <https://authors.elsevier.com/a/1VR9n5330JQa4>

The Agglomeration of American R&D Labs (with Gerald Carlino, Robert Hunt, Jake Carr and Tony Smith), *Journal of Urban Economics*, 101, 14-26 (2017). Available at <https://authors.elsevier.com/a/1VAPvLPdAby7Z>

Unrecognized States: A Theory of Self-Determination and Foreign Influence (with Ben Horne and Benjamin A.T. Graham), *Journal of Law, Economics and Organization*, 33(3), 578-611 (2017).

- See a [related column](#) in the Washington Post.

Trade Agreements in the Shadow of Lobbying, *Review of International Economics*, 25(1), 21-43 (2017).

Contract, Renegotiation, and Hold Up: Results on the Technology of Trade and Investment (with Joel Watson), *Theoretical Economics*, 7(2), 283–322 (2012).

OTHER PUBLICATIONS:

Unrecognized States: Theory and Cases (with Benjamin A.T. Graham), chapter in “Overcoming Intractable Conflicts: New Approaches to Constructive Transformations,” Miriam Elmam, Catherine Gerard, Galia Golan, and Louis Kriesber, eds. London: Rowman & Littlefield, 2019.

The Geography of Research and Development Activity in the U. S., (with Gerald A. Carlino), In *Handbook of Industry Studies and Economic Geography*, F. Giarratani, G. Hewings, and P. McCann, eds. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2013.

The Geography of Research and Development Activity in the U.S., (with Gerald A. Carlino), *Business Review*, Third Quarter 2008, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia.

WORKING PAPERS:

Who You Gonna Call?: Gender inequalities in demand for parental involvement (with Laura Gee and Olga Stoddard), under submission. [Media Coverage](#).

Lobbying and Legislative Uncertainty (with Sebastian Saiegh), July 2021.

Endogenous Politics and the Design of Trade Institutions, February 2020.

WORK IN PROGRESS:

Quantifying GATT Trade Liberalization (with Ross Jestrab and Zeyuan (Victor) Xiong), December 2023

Lobbying as Insurance Against Policy Uncertainty: Evidence from Financial Markets (with Sebastian Saiegh and Nathan Canen), November 2023

Research and Development Laboratories in the Production Process (with Gerald A. Carlino, Robert M. Hunt, Jake K. Carr, Tony E. Smith), January 2023

RESTING PROJECTS:

Explaining Gradualism in Trade Agreements: A Political Economy Approach, September 2020

Temporary Trade Barriers: When Will They End? November 2017.

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS:

Presentations:

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| 2023 | Midwest International Trade Meetings (Knoxville, TN), The Lisbon Meetings in Game Theory and Applications, Workshop on Gender in Adaptive Design (Karlsruhe, Germany) |
| 2022 | Canadian Public Economics Group (Montreal) |
| 2021 | Canadian Economic Association Meetings (online), Southern Economic Association Meetings (Houston/online) |
| 2020 | WTO Case Law of 2019 Conference (online) |
| 2019 | WTO Case Law of 2018 Conference (EUI, Florence, Italy), Canadian Public Economics Group (Waterloo, Ontario, Canada), Changing Norms and Relational Contracts (UCSD) |
| 2018 | University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Midwest International Trade Meetings (Philadelphia), WTO Case Law of 2017 Conference (EUI, Florence, Italy) |
| 2017 | American Economic Association Meetings (Chicago), University of Iowa (Ames), Workshop on the Economics of International Trade Agreements (Villars-sur-Ollon, Switzerland); University of Nottingham (Nottingham, UK), 4th InsTED Workshop on Advances in the Theory and Empirics of Institutions, Trade and Economic Development (Sao Paulo, Brazil), CESifo Venice Summer Institute 2017: Dynamics of Conflict - Results from Theory and Experiments (Venice, Italy), Great Lakes Political Economy Theory (London, Ontario), Southern Economic Association Meetings (Tampa, FL) |
| 2016 | Political Economy of International Organizations (University of Utah), Villanova University, University of Rochester Trade Workshop, Spring Midwest Economic Theory Meetings (University of Rochester), Wallis Institute Workshop (University of Rochester), 3 rd Annual InsTED Workshop (Indiana University), SITE International Trade Policy (Stanford University), Transforming Intractable Conflicts: Restructuring and Reframing (Syracuse University), Midwest Economic Theory Conference (Purdue) |
| 2015 | Wesleyan University (Middletown, CT), Spring Midwest Trade Meetings and Spring Midwest Economic Theory Meetings (Ohio State University), Canadian Economic Association Meetings (Toronto, ON), Econometric Society World Congress (Montreal, QC), Fall Midwest Trade Meetings (Pennsylvania State University) |
| 2014 | Political Economy of International Organizations (Princeton, NJ), Midwest International Economics Conference (Indianapolis), InsTED Network 2 nd Annual Workshop (Eugene, OR), European Trade Study Group (Munich, Planned) McGill University, Ryerson University |
| 2013 | European Trade Study Group (University of Birmingham, England); International Society for New Institutional Economics Annual Conference (Florence, Italy); Econometric Society North American Summer Meeting (University of Southern California); Midwest Economic Theory Meetings (Michigan State University); Political Economy of International Organizations (Mannheim/Heidelberg) |

2012	University of Massachusetts Amherst; Florida International University; Syracuse University; Georgetown University; State University of New York, Oswego; Brandeis University; Bowling Green State University; Kenyon College; Swarthmore College
2010	Southwest Economic Theory Conference (Lake Arrowhead, CA)
2008	International Conference on Game Theory (Stony Brook, NY)

Conference participation:

2023	Women in International Economics [discussant] (Rochester, NY), Empirical Investigations in International Trade [discussant] (Syracuse, NY)
2022	Empirical Investigations in International Trade (San Diego, CA)
2019	Rational Inattention in Political Economy, UCSD
2018, 2019	Wallis Institute of Political Economy Annual Conference, Rochester, NY
2017	Brussels Political Economy Conference, Brussels, Belgium; Wallis Institute of Political Economy Annual Conference, Rochester, NY
2016	NBER Program on Productivity, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Cambridge, MA; Carnegie-Rochester-NYU Conference, Rochester, NY; Wallis Institute of Political Economy Annual Conference, Rochester, NY
2015	Wallis Institute of Political Economy Annual Conference, Rochester, NY
2014	Dartmouth/SNU Workshop on International Trade Policy and Institutions, Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics, Session 5: Dynamics of Collective Decision Making
2013	Wallis Institute of Political Economy Annual Conference, Rochester, NY
2012	Southwest Economic Theory Conference (San Diego, CA)
2005, 2010	Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting (Philadelphia, PA)
2009-2010	Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics: The Economic Analysis of Trade Agreements, Stanford University
2008-2009	20 th Jerusalem Summer School in Economic Theory: The Economics of Contracts, The Institute for Advanced Studies at The Hebrew University

GRANTS, HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND FELLOWSHIPS:

2023	CSWEP-SSRC Women in Economics and Mathematics Research Consortium (\$157,065),
2023	The Russell Sage Foundation (\$64,309)
2022	Thompson-Burkhead Fund Grant (\$6,000)
2021-2024	SOURCE Research Assistant Grants
2021-2023	Collaboration for Unprecedented Success and Excellence (\$20,666)
2021-2022	The Dirksen Congressional Center (\$3,500)
2021	Maxwell School Dean's Award for Innovative Teaching
2020-present	Melvin A Eggers Faculty Scholar
2012-present	Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs Appleby-Mosher Fund Grant
2013-15,17,20	Maxwell Summer Project Assistantship Program
2011	UCSD Clive Granger Research Fellowship
2011	UCSD Summer Graduate Teaching Fellowship
2010	UCSD Economics C. Phil Research Fellowship
2010	UCSD Economics Walter P. Heller Award: Honorable Mention for Third Year Paper
2010	UCSD Economics Teaching Assistance Excellence Award
2009	UCSD Economics Graduate Student Grant
2008-10	UCSD Summer Graduate Research Fellowship
2001-02	Fulbright Fellowship for Study Abroad in Belgium

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Journal: Applied Spatial Analysis and Policy, American Economic Journal: Microeconomics,
Referee: American Economic Review, American Law and Economics Review, B.E. Journal of
Theoretical Economics, Canadian Journal of Economics, Economic Modelling, Economics
Bulletin, Economics and Politics, Economics Letters, European Economic Review,
European Journal of Political Economy, Games and Economic Behavior, International
Economic Review, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior and
Organization, Journal of Institutional Economics, Journal of Institutional and Theoretical
Economics, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Law, Economics and
Organization, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Regional Science, Research Policy,
Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of International Economics, Review of World
Economics, Social Choice and Welfare

COURSES TAUGHT:

Graduate: Survey of Microeconomic Theory
Undergraduate: The World Economy, Game Theory, Advanced Game Theory, First Year Forum, Economic
Research in Practice

ACADEMIC SERVICE:

2023 Member, Empirical Investigations in International Trade Program Committee
2022 SOURCE RA Grant Reviewer
2021-present Economics Department CSWEP Liaison
2022-2023 Economics Department Executive Committee
2022-2023 Chair, Applied Microeconomic Theory Search Committee
2021-2023 Economics Department Undergraduate Committee
2021-2022 CAS | Max Curriculum Committee
2020 Co-Chair, Economics Department Ad Hoc Climate Committee
2020 Co-organizer, Trade, Development and Political Economy Seminar
2020, 22-24 Member, Economics Department Teaching Committee
2020 Member, Syracuse University Curriculum Interest Group
2020-present Member, Midwest International Economics Group Scientific Council
2017-2018 Member, InsTED 2018 Syracuse Workshop Organizing Committee
2016-2018 Member, Economics Department External Search Committee
2015-2017 Member, Scientific Board, InsTED Network
2015 Co-Organizer, Political Economy Reading Group
2014-2015 Member, Syracuse University Recruitment, Support, Retention, and Success Workgroup
2013-2014 Member, Applied Microeconomic Theory Search Committee
2013-2015 Member, Graduate Admissions Committee
2012-2015 Co-Coordinator, Economics Department Applied Microeconomics Seminar
2012-2013 Member, Macroeconomics Search Committee
2012-2013 Advisor for Undergraduate Economics Majors
2012-2013 Member, Scholarship and Fellowship Preparation Committee, Renee Crown University
Honors Program
2009-2011 Graduate Program Committee, UCSD Department of Economics
2007-2009 Graduate Teaching Prize Committee, UCSD Department of Economics

PAST AND PRESENT MEMBERSHIPS OF PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

American Economic Association, American Society of Hispanic Economists,
Canadian Economics Association / Association canadienne d'économie,
Econometric Society, InsTED Network, International Economics and Finance Society, International Society
for New Institutional Economics, Regional Science Association, Urban Economics Association