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RESEARCH AND TEACHING FIELDS:

PRIMARY

Economic History
Political Economy
Development Economics

SECONDARY

Labor Economics
Microeconomic Theory

FIELDS OF CONCENTRATION:

Microeconomic Theory, Labor Economics

EDUCATION:

University of California, Berkeley
University of Massachusetts, Amherst
University of Waterloo

DEGREE

Ph.D.
M.A.
B.Math.(With Distinction)

DATE

2008
2004
2001

FIELD

Economics
Economics
Pure Mathematics
(minor in Peace and Conflict Studies)

COMPLETED PAPERS:

“Recruitment Restrictions and Labor Markets: Evidence from the Post-Bellum U.S. South,”
-Revise and Resubmit from the Journal of Labor Economics.

“Occupational Choices: The Economic Determinants of Land Invasions” with Danny Hidalgo, Simeon Nichter, and Neal Richardson –Forthcoming at the Review of Economics and Statistics.

“The Economic Impacts of a Citywide Minimum Wage” with Arin Dube and Michael Reich.
Industrial and Labor Relations Review Vol. 60, No. 4 (July 2007), pp. 522-543.

“Bases, Bullets, and Ballots: The Effect of U.S. Military Aid on Political Violence in Colombia” with Oeindrila Dube

“How Green Was My Valley? Labor Market Coercion in Late 19th Century Industrial Britain” with Noam Yuchtman

“Coups, Corporations, and Classified Information” with Arin Dube and Ethan Kaplan.

“The Price of Fertility? Marriage Market Effects of a Family Planning Experiment in Bangladesh,” with Raj Arunachalam

“Institutional Persistence” with Samuel Bowles.

“Equilibrium Selection with Idiosyncratic Intentional Play” with Samuel Bowles.

IN PROGRESS:

“Suffrage and Sorting in the Post-Bellum South” (Job Market Paper)

“Political Behavior and Economic Conflict: Evidence from a California Grocery Strike” with Arin Dube and Ethan Kaplan

“Political Institutions and Class Identity: Quasi-Experimental Evidence from Brazilian Municipal Elections” with Danny Hidalgo and Neal Richardson.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

Research Assistant for Pranab Bardhan 2006-2007
Research Assistant for Samuel Bowles and Herbert Gintis 2002-2004

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

UC Berkeley 2008: Instructor for PEIS 101, political economy of the 20th century. Designed and taught own course.
UC Berkeley 2005-2006: Graduate Student Instructor, intermediate macroeconomics and microeconomics
University of Massachusetts-Amherst 2003: Teaching Assistant, Graduate microeconomics. Instructor for graduate math refresher.

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS:

Harvard Academy Junior Scholar 2008-2010
Journal of Development Economics Award
UC Berkeley Dean's Normative Time Fellowship
Labor and Employment Research Fund Award
MacArthur Network on the Costs of Inequality Fellowship
Santa Fe Institute Graduate Fellow
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Doctoral Fellowship
University of Massachusetts-Amherst Graduate Fellowship
Junior Jubilee Scholarship-highest mark in provincial scholarship exam.

INVITED RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS:

2009: Michigan, Harvard, Berkeley, NBER Political Economy Summer Institute
2008: Berkeley, Hamilton College, Princeton IRS Conference
2007: CSCW, NYU, Harvard Graduate Political Economy conference.
2006: Institute for International Economic Studies, Stockholm, Sweden 2006
2005: University of Massachusetts-Amherst, Santa Fe Institute
2004: MacArthur Network on the Costs of Inequality meeting, MIT

OTHER INFORMATION:

Languages: English(native), French(fluent), Spanish(basic), Portuguese(basic)
Citizenship: Canadian