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EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Weber State University 2024 - Present

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Pittsburgh 2024
Thesis Title: "Essays on Women's Labor and Politics in United States History."
Thesis Committee: Andreas Ferrara, Allison Shertzer, Daniel Berkowitz, Laura Salisbury
M.S. in Economics, University of Pittsburgh 2020
B.A. in Economics and B.S. in Sociology, Virginia Tech, *Magna Cum Laude* 2017

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Labor economics, political economy, economic history.

WORKING PAPERS

"The Political Economy of Women's Suffrage and World War I."
"Working Against Booze: How the Civil War Raised Women's Labor Force and Political Participation." with Andreas Ferrara and Paige Montrose.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

"The Effect of Parental Death on Daughters: Evidence from the U.S. Civil War" with Gregory Niemesh.

PUBLICATIONS

"Modeling Response Time to Structure Fires." with Joshua Goldstein, Claire Kelling, Gizem Korkmaz & Sallie Keller. *The American Statistician* (2019)
"Predicting Postsecondary Trajectories in Virginia High Schools using Publicly Available Data." with Bianica Pires, Ian Crandell, Vicki Lancaster, Sallie Keller, Aaron Shroeder, Stephanie Shipp, Wendy Kang, & Paula Robinson (2018) *Statistical Journal of the IAOS* 34(4), 1-13.

RESEARCH GRANTS AND AWARDS

Troesken Fellowship 2023
Department of Economics, University of Pittsburgh
Cambridge University Press Dissertation Fellowship (\$10,000) 2022
Economic History Association
Social Sciences Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship 2021-2022
The Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences, University of Pittsburgh

Exploratory Travel and Data Grant (\$1,470) Economic History Association	2021
Arts and Sciences Graduate Summer Fellowship The Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences, University of Pittsburgh	2020
Arts and Sciences Graduate Fellowship The Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences, University of Pittsburgh	2018
Student Travel Award (\$500) Center for Data Science and Public Policy, University of Chicago	2017
Faculty Choice Award for Best Poster Biocomplexity Institute Research Symposium, Virginia Tech	2016
Friends of Economics Scholarship (\$1,800) Department of Economics, Virginia Tech	2016

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

University of Alaska - Anchorage, Department of Economics, Anchorage, AK.	2026
Utah Economic History Workshop, Logan, UT.	2025
Brigham Young University, Department of Economics, Provo, UT.	2025
Allied Social Sciences Associations Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.	2025
Stellenbosch University, Laboratory for the Economics of Africa's Past, Virtual.	2024
Social Science History Association 48th Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.	2023
Miami University Department of Economics, Oxford, OH.	2023
Virginia Tech Department of Economics, Blacksburg, VA.	2023
Economic History Association 83rd Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA.	2023
Werner Troesken Memorial Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.	2023
9th World Congress of Cliometrics, Dublin, Ireland.	2023
NBER Summer Institute DAE Graduate Student Session, Virtual.	2023
Applied Microeconomics Brownbag, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA..	2020, 2021, 2022, 2023
Southern Economic Association 92nd Annual Meeting, Fort Lauderdale, FL.	2022
Economic History Association 81st Annual Meeting Poster Session, Tucson, AZ.	2021
Labor Brownbag, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA.	2020
Data Science for Social Good Conference Poster Session, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL.	2017
Biocomplexity Institute Research Symposium Poster Session, Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA.	2017

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Department of Economics, Weber State University
American Economic History

Department of Economics, University of Pittsburgh
Senior Capstone on Gender in the Economy
Introduction to Macroeconomics

OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Fellow Social and Decision Analytics Laboratory, Biocomplexity Institute, Virginia Tech.	2016–2018
Data Science for the Public Good Program, Alumni Fellow Social and Decision Analytics Laboratory, Biocomplexity Institute, Virginia Tech.	Summer 2017
Data Science for the Public Good NSF REU Site Intern Social and Decision Analytics Laboratory, Biocomplexity Institute, Virginia Tech.	Summer 2016

SERVICE

Graduate Student Mentor Department of Economics, University of Pittsburgh.	2019–2024
Co-Organizer, Graduate Women in Economics Department of Economics, University of Pittsburgh.	2021–2022
Member, Diversity Committee Department of Economics, University of Pittsburgh.	2021–2022
Graduate Student Representative, Graduate Committee Department of Economics, University of Pittsburgh.	2020–2021

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Economic Association, Economic History Association, Social Science History Association, Cliometric Society

PROGRAMMING SKILLS

R/RStudio, Stata, Git, L^AT_EX