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DESIRED RESEARCH AND TEACHING FIELDS:

PRIMARY: Labor Economics
Public Economics
Public Policy

SECONDARY: Economics of Education
Economic Demography

FIELDS OF CONCENTRATION:

Labor Economics, Public Finance, Economic Demography

DISSERTATION TITLE: “Empirical Essays on the Determinants of Educational Attainment”

Expected Date of Completion: May 2008
Principal Advisor: Professor David Card
Other References: Professors Enrico Moretti and Emmanuel Saez

PRE-DOCTORAL STUDIES:

	DEGREE	DATE	FIELDS
Massachusetts Institute of Technology	B.S.	2000	Economics
Massachusetts Institute of Technology	B.S.	1999	Mechanical Engineering

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

RESEARCH

Research Assistant, Department of Economics, U.C. Berkeley (2004-2006)
Helped implement Food Stamps take-up randomized field experiment (for Professor E. Saez)
Data analysis on firm unionization and worker outcomes (for Profs. D. Lee and A. Hildreth)
Data analysis on firm headquarters location and charitable giving (for Profs. D. Card and E. Moretti)
Independent Consultant. Conducted empirical research and policy analysis (2003-2007)
SFWorks and the San Francisco Working Families Credit Program
San Francisco Mayor’s Office of Economic and Workforce Development
Foothill-De Anza Community College District
Workforce Policy Researcher, City of San Francisco (2002-2003)
Business Analyst, McKinsey and Company (2000-2002)
Research Assistant, Economic Policy Institute (Summer 1999)

TEACHING

Graduate Student Instructor, Department of Economics, U.C. Berkeley (Fall 2004-2007)
Economic Demography, Wage Theory/Labor Economics, Intermediate Microeconomics

PAPERS:

“An Empirical Examination of the Option Value of College Enrollment” (Job Market Paper)
“The Causal Effect of Fertility Timing on Educational Attainment: An Identification Test Using the Longitudinal Nature of Schooling” (presented at 2007 Population Association of America Annual Meeting)
“Do Colleges Influence Their Students’ Performance? Evidence from Community College Transfer Students”
“Can Inconvenience Explain Low Take-up? Evidence from Unemployment Insurance” (with A. Ebenstein)

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS:

UC Berkeley Dean’s Normative Time Fellowship (2007)
National Institute of Child Health and Human Development Training Fellowship (2004-2007)
UC Berkeley Institute for Business and Economic Research mini-grant (2006)
Institute for Computational Economics (Summer 2006)
NSF Graduate Fellowship Honorable Mention (2003, 2005)

OTHER INFORMATION:

Affiliations: American Economic Association, Population Association of America
Citizenship: United States