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## EDUCATION

- Ph.D. (2017) Economics, Boston University  
Dissertation: *The Costs and Benefits of Noncompete Agreements*  
Committee: Andrew Newman, Kevin Lang, and Juan Ortner
- B.A. (2009) Economics and Mathematics, Haverford College

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- 2017 – Present Assistant Professor  
Department of Economics, Farmer School of Business, Miami University, Oxford, OH
- 2015 Instructor  
Department of Economics, Northeastern University, Boston, MA
- 2013 – 2015 Instructor  
Department of Economics, Boston University, Boston, MA
- 2009 – 2011 Research Assistant  
Policy Analysis, Inc., Brookline, MA

## FIELDS OF INTEREST

Labor Economics, Organizational Economics, Industrial Organization

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2018 Sports Economics, Department of Economics, Miami University
- 2017 – 2018 Intermediate Microeconomic Theory, Department of Economics, Miami University
- 2017 – 2018 Advanced Microeconomic Theory (M.A.), Department of Economics, Miami University
- 2014 – 2016 Sports Economics, Department of Economics, Boston University
- 2015 Microeconomic Theory (M.A./Ph.D.), Department of Economics, Northeastern University
- 2014 – 2015 Game Theory, Summer Challenge, Boston University
- 2013 Introductory Microeconomic Analysis, Department of Economics, Metropolitan College of Boston University

## AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND GRANTS

- 2016 Gitner Prize for Excellence in Teaching Undergraduates, Boston University
- 2011 – 2016 Boston University Teaching Fellowship
- 2015 Institute for Economic Development Student Research Grant (with Matt Johnson) Boston University

## PUBLICATIONS/SUBMITTED PAPERS

- Lipsitz M, Delea T, Guo A. “Cost-effectiveness of letrozole vs. anastrozole in postmenopausal women with hormone receptor positive early stage breast cancer,” *Current Medical Research and Opinion*, October 2010, Vol. 26, No. 10, Pages 2315-2328.

Weycker D, Danel A, Marciniak A, Bendall K, Lipsitz M, Pettengell R. "Economic costs of chemotherapy-induced febrile neutropenia among patients with non-Hodgkin's lymphoma in European and Australian clinical practice," *BMC Cancer*, August 2012, Vol. 12, No. 362.

Lipsitz M, Belloni A, Chernozhukov V, Fernandez-Vál I. "quantreg.nonpar: An R Package for Performing Nonparametric Series Quantile Regression." (Conditionally accepted by *The R Journal*, October 2016)

"Why Are Low-Wage Workers Signing Noncompete Agreements?" (with Matthew Johnson; under review)

#### **WORKING PAPERS**

"Effortless Employee Retention: The Impact of Noncompete Agreements on Productivity"

"Noncompete Agreements and Labor Market Dynamics"

"Employee Poaching and Promotion: A Theory with No Informational Advantages"

#### **WORKS IN PROGRESS**

"Do Noncompete Agreements Make Noncompetitive Labor Markets?" (with Matthew Johnson and Kurt Lavetti)

"The Effect of Corporate Consolidation on Regulatory Outcomes"

"A Geospatial Approach to Estimating the Effects of Local Labor Market Concentration"

"The External Effect of Occupational Licensing and the Shape of Labor Markets" (with Austin Smith)

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

2018	AEA Annual Meeting, American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, University of South Florida, Miami University
2017	Miami University (x2), University of Georgia
2016	Boston University
2015	Boston University, MIT (Sloan)
2014	Boston University
2013	Boston University

#### **SOFTWARE PROFICIENCIES**

R, LaTeX, STATA, SAS, Visual Basic, Mathematica

#### **SOFTWARE PACKAGES**

"quantreg.nonpar: Nonparametric Series Quantile Regression in R," June 2015 (with Alexandre Belloni, Victor Chernozhukov, and Iván Fernandez-Vál)

#### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Referee for *The R Journal*

Boston University Labor Reading Group Organizer, 2014-2015

M.A. Thesis committee member: 2018: Alex Lust, Tyler Schumacher