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Interests	Industrial Organization, Environmental Economics	
Employment	University of Toronto Assistant Professor of Economics	2020 - Present
Education	Duke University , Durham, North Carolina USA Ph.D., Economics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dissertation: “Efficiency Gain from Mergers: Evidence from the U.S. Railroads” • Committee: Daniel Yi Xu (Co-Chair), Allan Collard-Wexler (Co-Chair), Christopher Timmins, James Roberts, Bryan Bollinger M.A., Economics	2020 2014
	The University of Hong Kong , Hong Kong SAR B.A., Economics, Mathematics	2012
Publications	<p>“Mortality decline, retirement age, and aggregate savings” (joint with Sau-Him Paul Lau), <i>Macroeconomic Dynamics</i> 20, no. 3 (2016): 715-736.</p> <p>“Economic incentives to target species and fish size: prices and fine-scale product attributes in Norwegian fisheries” (joint with Frank Asche and Martin D. Smith), <i>ICES Journal of Marine Science</i> 72, no. 3 (2014): 733-740.</p> <p>“Optimizing the scale of markets for water quality trading” (joint with Doyle, Martin W., Lauren A. Patterson, Kurt E. Schnier, and Andrew J. Yates), <i>Water Resources Research</i> 50, no. 9 (2014): 7231-7244.</p>	
Working Papers	<p>“Efficiency Gain from Mergers: Evidence from the U.S. Railroad Network”, 2020 <i>Job Market Paper</i></p> <p>“A structural empirical model of R&D, firm heterogeneity, and industry evolution” (joint with Daniel Yi Xu), 2020, <i>The Journal of Industrial Economics, R&R</i></p> <p>“Collateral Damage: The Impact of Shale Gas on Mortgage Lending” (joint with James Roberts, Christopher Timmins and Ashley Vissing), 2020</p>	
Teaching Experience	University of Toronto , Department of Economics Markets, Competition, and Strategy (UG) Industrial Organization I (G)	2020 - Present
	Duke University , Department of Economics Introduction to R Programming (G)	2019

Awards and Grants	Graduate Student Training Enhancement Grants	2019
	Duke Fellowship, Martina J. Bryant and Allen C. Kelley Endowment	2014-2019
	The Economics Master's Program Award for TA Excellence	2014
	The Economics Master's Program Department Financial Award	2012-2014
	HKU Foundation Scholarship	2009-2012

Presentations **2020:** National School of Development at Peking University; Microsoft Research, Office of the Chief Economist; Queen's University; Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania; University of Minnesota; Tuck School of Business; University of Toronto; Indiana University, Kelly School of Business; Luohan Academy; Uber Technologies; Monash University; University of Western Ontario; CEPR Virtual IO Seminar; CES North America Virtual Conference

2019: Triangle Microeconomics Conference (UNC), China Meeting of Econometrics Society