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Curriculum Vitae

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## POSITIONS:

University of Utah, David Eccles School of Business.  
Assistant Professor of Finance 2013- .

## EDUCATION:

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.  
Ph.D., Economics, May 2013.  
M.A., Economics, December 2008.  
University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI.  
B.A. Economics, (with honors, mathematics emphasis, Dean's List).

## PUBLISHED PAPERS:

The Performance of State Tax Portfolios During and After the Great Recession.  
*National Tax Journal*, December 2015, 68(4), 901-918.  
Private Access Fees and Congestion: Is There a Role for Government After All?  
with Stephen W. Salant. *Economica*

## UNPUBLISHED PAPERS:

### **Bunching Estimators**

Better Bunching, Nicer Notching,  
with Marinho Bertanha and Andrew McCallum.

### **Taxation and Volatility**

The Causes and Consequences of Increasing State Tax Revenue Volatility.  
Taxation and Inequality: Active versus Passive Channels,  
with Estelle Dauchy.

Optimal Tax Policy Under Uncertainty Over Tax Revenues.  
Welfare Consequences of Volatile Tax Revenue.

### **Corporate Finance and Taxation**

How Do Private Firms Respond to Corporate Taxes?,  
with Elena Patel and Matt Smith.

Corporate Investment Decision Making with Market Power,  
with Elena Patel.

The Impact of Shareholder Taxation on Mergers and Acquisitions,  
with Eric Ohrn.

Shareholder Taxation and Risk Taking in Mergers and Acquisitions,  
with Jeff Coles.

### **Urban Systems**

Rushing to Opportunity: A Model of Entrepreneurship and City Growth.  
Land Regulations and the Optimal Distribution of Cities.  
Equilibrium and optimal urban systems with heterogeneous land?  
with David Albouy, Kristian Behrens, Frederic Robert-Nicoud.

**PROJECTS IN PROGRESS:**

Banking, Entrepreneurship, Regulations, and Taxes Study, with Jim Hines  
Grant from Center for Innovation in Banking and Financial Services  
Analyzing the Aftermath of a Compensation Reduction, with Jason Sandvik, Richard Saouma,  
and Chris Stanton.

**AWARDS AND GRANTS:**

Center for Innovation in Banking and Financial Services \$25,000  
Oxford Centre for Business Taxation Award for Best paper by a Young Scholar, 2013.  
IGERT National Science Foundation Fellowship, 2007 – 2011.  
Distinction microeconomic preliminary exam, 2008.

**CONFERENCES AND INVITED TALKS:**

2018: ASSA Annual Meeting, UCSD Workshop on Bunching Estimators and their Applications.

2017: University of Tübingen, ZEW 2017 Public Finance Conference, Utah Winter Business Economics Conference, National Tax Association (NTA), International Institute of Public Finance (IIPF).

2016: University of Oregon, Federal Reserve Board of Governors Division of Research and Statistics Applied Microeconomics Seminar, International Institute of Public Finance (IIPF), Labor and Finance Conference.

2015: KU Leuven (scheduled), Urban Economics Association and North American Meeting of the Regional Science Association (NARSC-UEA), National Tax Association Spring Symposium, MaTax conference, Society for Institutional Organizational Economics Annual Conference, International Institute of Public Finance (IIPF), Utah Winter Business Economics Conference.

2014: London School of Economics, Oxford University, University of Victoria, Utah State University, Competition and Subnational Governments, International Tax Policy Forum, International Institute of Public Finance (IIPF), Utah Winter Business Economics Conference, Oxford University Centre for Business Taxation Academic Symposium, National Tax Association (NTA).

2013: UC Berkeley (Goldman School of Public Policy), Stanford (SIEPER), University Utah (David Eccles School of Business), University of Illinois, Ohio State (Glenn School), Clemson, University of South Carolina, Amherst, University of Nebraska, UC Irvine.

2012: University of Kentucky (Martin School), U.S. Treasury Office of Tax Analysis, National Tax Association (NTA), Urban Economics Association and North American Meeting of the Regional Science Association (NARSC-UEA), International Institute of Public Finance (IIPF).

2011: NBER Summer Institute, National Tax Association (NTA), Urban Economics Association and North American Meeting of the Regional Science Association (NARSC-UEA), International Institute of Public Finance (IIPF), American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association (AREUEA), Skill versus Luck Disentangling Success in Complex Systems.

2010: NBER Summer Institute, National Tax Association (NTA), Urban Economics Association and North American Meeting of the Regional Science Association (NARSC-UEA).

2009: National Tax Association (NTA), Urban Economics Association and North American Meeting of the Regional Science Association (NARSC-UEA).

**TEACHING:**

Managerial Economics I-Finan 6026.  
Microeconomics-Business 2010.

**MEDIA:**

The Washington Post, *'I don't feel like this is for us.'* 2017.  
The Atlantic, *City Lab Are Cities Too Small or Too Big?* 2017.  
Bloomberg, *Want Economic Growth? Try Urban Density.* 2016.  
Good Morning Utah. 2016.

**SERVICE AND AFFILIATIONS:**

Referee: Review of Financial Studies, Journal of Public Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, Journal of Urban Economics, National Tax Journal, International Tax and Public Finance, International Economic Review, Economica, Public Finance Review, Regional Science and Urban Economics, IZA Journal of Labor Economics, Publius Journal of Federalism, and The Annals of Regional Science.

Affiliations: American Economic Association, American Finance Association, International Institute of Public Finance, National Tax Association, Urban Economics Association.

**CITIZENSHIP:** United States.