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RESEARCH INTERESTS	Labor, Health, Microeconomics, Applied Econometrics	
EDUCATION	University of Houston , Houston, TX Ph.D. , Economics, 2017 – 2022 (expected) Johns Hopkins University , Baltimore, MD M.A., Economics, May 2016 University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign , Champaign, IL B.A., Mathematics and Economics, 2013 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Phi Beta Kappa	
JOB MARKET PAPER	Effects of Entry Economic Conditions on the Career of Economics Ph.D. <i>abstract:</i> I estimate the effect of entry economic conditions on the careers of economics Ph.D. recipients from the top 32 programs in the U.S. who graduated between 2004 and 2012. I use natural language processing (NLP) to match degree holders with the career information scraped from various data sources. Exploiting the almost complete employment histories of the economists, I build a model based on task-specific human capital theory to examine the possible mechanisms driving the permanent effect on their careers caused by the entry conditions. I empirically test the model's predictions using nearly complete employment histories and find that entry conditions cause an occupational mismatch at graduation. Poor entry conditions are associated with a decreased probability of getting a full-time position in an R1 university in the U.S. both in the short run and long run. I also find that an increase in 1 standard deviation in the unemployment rate at graduation would result in 2.31 percent fewer publications. The primary mechanism through which entry conditions have a long-term effect is immobility across occupations.	
WORKING PAPER	Examining the Relationship between Cognition and Rounding Tendencies in Health Retirement Survey	
AWARDS	Best Graduate Instructor , Department of Economics, University of Houston 2021 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>This award is given annually to one fifth-year graduate student who has shown excellence as an instructor in the undergraduate economics program</i>	
PRESENTATIONS	University of Houston (2021), Southern Economic Association (scheduled)	
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	Pro bono data analyst ClinIQ Health, Supervisor: Ajintha Pathmanathan, M.D. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Develop a process for compiling covid-19 testing sites information for more than 50 countries and provide GIS support Research Assistant Department of Economics, University of Houston Supervisor: Elaine M. Liu, Ph.D.	2020 2019 - present

- Parse out 4.5 million cellphone tracking data and construct the Covid-19 exposure rate of each county in US

Undergraduate Researcher 2012 Spring

Illinois Geometry Lab,
Division of Mathematics,
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Supervisor: Nathan Dunfield, Ph.D.

- Visualize Hyperbolic 3-Manifolds

Field Research December 2011 - January 2012

Faculty Led short-term Study Abroad in Nicaragua,
Global Studies Programs, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences,
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Supervisor: Laura A. Hastings, Ph.D.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE Instructor, University of Houston
Intermediate Microeconomics Fall 2019, Summer 2020
Teaching Effectiveness: 4.69/5.0

Teaching Assistant, University of Houston 2017 - present
Microeconomic Theory II (Ph.D. course)
Chinese Economy, Mathematics for Economics Mathematics for Economics
Economics of Money and Banking, The Economics of Development
Macroeconomic Principles

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION **CEAR/Huebner Conference** 2019 Summer
6th Annual Summer Risk Institute,
Robinson College of Business,
Georgia State University

SKILLS Python, Stata, Matlab, GIS, L^AT_EX, Git, SQL, HTML, CSS, JavaScript

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE **Referee** — Economic Inquiry

REFERENCES **Elaine M. Liu** — Chair **Chinhui Juhn**
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