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ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor, Loyola Marymount University *2017-present*
Postdoctoral Research Associate, Princeton University *2016-2017*
Research Fellow, Busara Center for Behavioral Economics, Nairobi, Kenya *2015-present*

EDUCATION

Ph.D in Economics, University of Michigan *August 2016*
Thesis: Essays in Informal Risk Sharing
Advisors: Manuela Angelucci, Jeffrey Smith, Tanya Rosenblat
M.A. in Economics, University of Michigan *2013*
B.A. in Economics, *with Distinction*, University of California, Berkeley *2010*
Highest Honors in Economics

Research Areas: Development Economics, Experimental Economics, Behavioral Economics

CURRENT RESEARCH

Working papers

“Imperfect Monitoring and Informal Risk Sharing: The Role of Social Ties”
“Motives to Share: Evidence from a Risk Sharing Experiment in Kenya”

Research in progress

“Household Bargaining in Kenya” (with Jessica B. Hoel)
“Stress for Economists” (with Johannes Haushofer)
“The effect of stress on economic decision-making” (with Johannes Haushofer)
“Risk sharing and Investment Choice”

RESEARCH GRANTS

Dickstein Graduate Research Award, Department of Economics and the Jordan and Kim Dickstein
Department of Economics African Initiative Fund, University of Michigan *2015*
Michigan Institute for Teaching and Research (MITRE), Department of Economics, University of Michi-
gan *2015*
Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER)/ Global Initiatives, University of
Michigan *2015*
Riecker Graduate Student Research Grant from the Center for the Education of Women, University of
Michigan *2015*
Rackham Graduate Student Research Grant, University of Michigan *2014*

FELLOWSHIPS, ADDITIONAL GRANTS AND AWARDS

African Studies Center Conference Travel Grant	2016
Rackham One Term Dissertation Fellowship	2016
Nominated by the Department of Economics for University's "Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award"	2015
Rackham Interdisciplinary Workshop Grant for the H2D2 Seminar, University of Michigan	2014-2015
Rackham Merit Fellowship, University of Michigan	2010-2011, 2013-2015
Rackham Conference Travel Grant, University of Michigan	2014, 2015
Hsiao Memorial Economics Scholarship	2014, 2015
Letter of Commendation for Excellent Teaching in the Department of Economics	2013
Summer Research Assistantship, Department of Economics, University of Michigan	2011, 2012
Verne and Judy Istock Scholar Award, University of Michigan	2010
Phi Beta Kappa, University of California, Berkeley	2010

RECENT AND UPCOMING PRESENTATIONS

Loyola Marymount University	2017
Carleton College, University of Colorado Denver, Washington State University, Loyola Marymount University, College of the Holy Cross, Bowling Green State University, California State University - Fullerton, CSAE Economic Development in Africa Conference, University of Michigan, Midwest International Economic Development Conference, Symposium on Economic Experiments in Developing Countries, Economic Science Association North American Meeting	2016
Southern Economic Association Annual Conference, Economic Science Association North American Meeting, Economic Development Seminar, H2D2 (Health, History, Demography and Development) Seminar, Behavioral and Experimental Economics and Incentive-Centered Design Seminar (BEE & ICD) at the University of Michigan	2015
Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting, Extremely Informal Development Seminar, Summer Seminar and H2D2 Seminar at the University of Michigan	2014
Informal Development Seminar at the University of Michigan	2013

WORKSHOPS

Summer Institute in Field Experiments (University of Chicago), CSWEP CeMENT Mentoring for Junior Faculty, CSAE-CEAR Eliciting Subjective Beliefs and Risk and Time Preferences in Developing Countries (Georgia State University)

REFEREE SERVICE

Economic Development and Cultural Change