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## Academic Position

August 2014 - : Assistant Professor at Louisiana State University (LSU).

## Research Areas

Public Economics, Labor Economics, Education, Political Economy, Urban and Health.

## Education

2009–2014: Ph.D in Economics, University of Montréal (UdeM), Canada.

2013 (spring and fall): Visiting student researcher: CLE & IRLE, University of California - Berkeley, USA.

2007–2008: M.A. in Economics, University of British Columbia (UBC), Canada.

2004–2007: B.B.A. Applied Economics, HEC Montréal, Canada.

## Professional Experience

2008-2009: Policy Analyst, Center for Globalization Studies, The Fraser Institute.

## Research

### Publications

-“Politics and Entrepreneurship in the U.S”, (with Bulent Unel). **Canadian Journal of Economics**, forthcoming.

-“Governors’ Party Affiliation and Unions”, (with Bulent Unel), **Industrial Relations**, forthcoming.

- “Party Affiliation of U.S. Governors on Immigrants’ Labor-Market”, (with Bulent Unel). **Journal of Population Economics**, 2018, 31:(2), 627-670.

-“Party Affiliation and Public Spending”, (with Sara Oloomi). **Economic Inquiry**, 2017, 55 (2), 982-995.

-“Ill communication: Technology, Distraction and Student Performance”, (with Richard Murphy). **Labour Economics**, 2016, 41: 61-76.

-“The Effect of High School Shootings on Schools and Student Performance”, (with Dongwoo Kim), **Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis**, 2016, 38 (1): 113-126.

-“Polluting Politics”, (with Vincent Boucher). **Economics Letters**, 2015, 137: 176-181.

-“Political Parties & Labor Market Outcomes. Evidence from U.S. States”, **American Economic Journal: Applied Economics**, 2015, 7(4): 198-220.

## **Other Publications**

-“Political Parties and Economic Outcomes. A Review.”, **CESifo DICE Report**, 1/2016 (March): 47-54.

## **Working papers**

-“Traffic and Crime”, (with Danny Brent). (R&R at **Journal of Public Economics**).

-“Environmental Disaster, Pollution and Infant Health: Evidence From The Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill”, (with Sara Oloomi), (R&R at **Journal Of Environmental Economics And Management**)

-“Career Counseling and Youth Crime. Evidence from Career Compass in Louisiana” (with Stephen Barnes and Swarup Joshi), under review.

## **Selected Work in Progress**

- Traffic and Provision of Public Goods (with Danny Brent)

- The Short And Long Term Effects Of School District Creation (with Stephen Barnes and Swarup Joshi)

## **Seminars and Conferences**

### **Presentations**

2017 and 2018: Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, ASSA.

2016: Laval University, Southern Economic Association, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management.

2015: Association for Education Finance and Policy, Society of Labor Economics, Virginia Tech, Southern Economic Association Conference.

2014: Society of Labor Economics, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, University of Buffalo, LSU.

2013: Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Labor Lunch - UC Berkeley, EconCon 2013, University of Montréal, Société Canadienne Sciences Économiques, Canadian Labour Market and Skills Researcher Network (CLSRN) & Canadian Economic Association, Society of Labor Economics, CIREQ Ph.D Conference, Eastern Economic Association, IRLE - UC Berkeley.

2012: University of Montréal, Canadian Economic Association, Société Canadienne Sciences Économiques, Midwest Economic Association, CIREQ Ph.D Conference.

## **Referee Services**

Canadian Journal of Economics, Economics of Education Review, Economic Inquiry, Economics Letters, Economics of Governance, Empirical Economics, Health Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, Journal of Economic Issues, Journal of Labor Research, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Urban Economics, Public Finance Review.

## **Teaching Experience**

Advanced Microeconomics 1 ECN7702 - Ph.D Level (LSU, Fall 2014-2018)

Public Economics ECN4900 (LSU, Spring 2017)

Intermediate Microeconomics ECN4720 (LSU, Fall 2017 & 2018)

Principles of Microeconomics ECN2000 (LSU, 2015-2018)

Principles of Economics ECN1000 (UdeM, 2012 & 2014)

## Fellowships and Awards

2017: Council on Research Summer Stipend Award, LSU.  
2014: ORED Junior Faculty Travel Grant, LSU.  
2013: FQRSC Travel Scholarship, Government of Quebec.  
2013: Mobility Scholarship from MELS, Government of Quebec.  
2012-2014: FQRSC Doctoral Scholarship, Government of Quebec.  
2009-2012: Ph.D Fellowship, CIREQ, FESP & Economics Department, UdeM.  
2007-2008: Graduate Teaching Assistantship, UBC.  
2006: Meloche Monnex Scholarship for School Excellence, HEC Montréal.  
2006: Passeport Pour le Monde program Scholarship, Sun Chemical-HEC Montréal.  
2004-2007: Admission Scholarship for School Excellence, HEC Montréal.  
2004: Admission Scholarship for Leadership, HEC Montréal.

## Selected Media Coverage of Papers

### **“Political Parties & Labor Market Outcomes. Evidence from U.S. States”**

*LSE-USAPP Blog, Work In Progress.*

**“The Effect of High School Shootings on Schools and Student Performance ”**, (with Dongwoo Kim).

*The Conversation, The Advocate, The Wall Street Journal, Voice Of America Blog, The Academic Minute, Huffington Post, The Daily Beast, The Washington Post, Labour Market Matters (Canada), La Conversation (France), Liberation (France), Huffington Post (France), Folha De S. Paulo (Brazil).*

**“Ill communication: Technology, Distraction and Student Performance ”** , (with Richard Murphy).

*CNN, CBS News, The Conversation, Time Magazine, Huffington Post, Boston Globe, NY Magazine, The Atlantic, World Economic Forum, Education Week, The Guardian (UK), The Observer (UK), BBC News (UK), CBC News (Canada), Journal de Montreal (Canada), Radio-Canada (Canada), El Manana (Mexico), The Sydney Morning Herald (Australia), Herald Sun (Australia), The New Zealand Herald (NZ), Die Welt (Germany), Sddeutsche Zeitung (Germany), El Mundo (Spain), Marie Claire Mag (France), BFMTV (France), Europe1 (France), LeMonde (France), Publico (Portugal), Corriere della Sera (Italia), La Stampa (Italia), Gteborgs-Posten (Sweden), Svenska Dagbladet (Sweden), El Ancasti (Argentina), El Spectator (Columbia), Teletica (Costa Rica), Folha de S. Paulo (Brazil), The Times of India (India).*

**“Polluting Politics”**, (with Vincent Boucher).

*Pacific Standard Magazine*

**“Traffic and Crime”**, (with Danny Brent).

*The Conversation, Salon, Scientific American, KCRW-Los Angeles, BBC-5live (UK), Hindustan Times (India), National Geographic (Indonesia).*

## **Ph.D Students Supervision**

Swarup Joshi (coadvisor, in progress)

Sara Oloomi (advisor, completed)

Bahadr Dursun (committee member, completed)

Chandan Jha (committee member, completed)

## **Other Services**

Advisor for the Econ/ITF Club, LSU, 2015-Present.

Undergraduate honor thesis supervised: Chase Lindsey (completed), Yen T Tang (completed), Andreas C. Huang (in progress).