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CONTACT INFORMATION

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CURRENT POSITION

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics
Trinity College Dublin

August 2018 - Present

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Quantitative macroeconomics, population aging, financial economics, entrepreneurship

EDUCATION

University of California, Davis

Ph.D., Economics, Spring 2018

- Thesis Topic: *Demographic change and the decline of United States business dynamism*
- Advisors: Espen Henriksen, Alan Taylor, and Paul Bergin

M.S., Economics, Spring 2013

DePaul University, Chicago, IL

B.S., Economics, Spring 2012

- *Summa Cum Laude*

PUBLICATIONS

Population age structure and secular stagnation: Evidence from long run data
Journal of the Economics of Ageing, February 2023,
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jeoa.2023.100442>

Growing older and growing apart? Population age structure and trade
Journal of Economic Studies, 2023

The age for austerity? Population age structure and fiscal consolidation multipliers
Journal of Macroeconomics, June 2022, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jmacro.2022.103444>

Okay boomer... Excess money growth, inflation, and population aging
Macroeconomic Dynamics, August 2022, doi:10.1017/S1365100522000384

WORKING PAPERS

An Aging Dynamo: Demographic Change and the Decline of Entrepreneurial Activity in the United States

The Savings Glut of the Old: Population Aging, the Risk Premium, and the Murder-Suicide of the Rentier (with Alan M. Taylor)

A Match Made in Maastricht: The Average Treatment Effect of the EMU on Trade

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Stuck in the Middle with You: Structural Change and Inequality (with Andrew Padovani)

TEACHING
EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor: Trinity College Dublin	Fall 2018 - Present
EC1140: Introduction to Economic Policy B	
EC3121: Money and Banking B	
EC8023: PhD Macroeconomics	
Instructor: San Francisco State University, Department of Economics	Fall 2016
Econ 830 - Advanced Econometric Methods and Applications (masters level)	
Instructor: UC Davis, Department of Economics	
ECN 397 - The Teaching of Economics	Fall 2017
ECN 101 - Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory	Summer 2017

Teaching Assistant: UC Davis, Department of Economics	
Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory	S 2017, W 2017, S2015
Principles of Macroeconomics/Microeconomics	S 2016, S 2013, W 2013, F 2012
Money and Banking	F 2015
American Economic History	F 2014, S 2014
Economy of East Asia	W 2014
Public Economics	F 2013

Teaching Assistant: UC Davis, Graduate School of Management	
Business, Government and the International Economy	W 2017, W 2016,

PRESENTATIONS	Contributed Paper:	
	EEA-ESEM Annual Congress	2019
	Transitions Demographiques; Transitions Economiques: Annual Symposium	2019
	Western Economic Association International, 94nd Annual Conference	2019
	Midwest Macroeconomics Spring Meetings	2019
	EEA-ESEM Annual Congress	2018
	Western Economic Association International, 93nd Annual Conference	2018
	North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society	2018
	Western Economic Association International, 92nd Annual Conference	2017
	Conference of the European Society for Population Economics	2017
	Western Social Sciences Association	2017
	North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society	2016 & 2019

Discussant:	
Western Economic Association International, 92nd Annual Conference	2017

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS	UC Davis Economics Department Travel Grant	June 2017
	UC Davis Economics Dissertation Improvement Support Award	Winter 2017
	UC Davis Economics Dissertation Improvement Support Award	Fall 2016
	UC Davis Economics Department Travel Grant	June 2016
	UC Davis Economics Nonresident Tuition Fellowship	2012-2013
	Dr. James J Diamond Scholarship for Economics 2011-2012	

RESEARCH ASSISTANCE	For Professor Alan Taylor	June 2015 to January 2016
	Department of Economics,	
	University of California, Davis	
	For Professor Espen Henriksen	November 2014 to March 2015
	Department of Economics,	
	University of California, Davis	
	For Professor Burhan Biner	January 2011 to July 2012
	Department of Economics,	
	DePaul University	

SERVICE	University of California, Graduate Student Association	
	- President for Economics	2014-15
	- Representative for Economics	2013-14

COMPUTER
PROGRAMMING

Proficiency in:
Python, R, Matlab, Stata, SAS, Excel

REFERENCES

Paul Bergin

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Department of Economics

University of California, Davis

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Espen Henriksen

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Alan M. Taylor

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