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EMPLOYMENT

Lecturer (Assistant Professor), Birkbeck (University of London), 2017-
Lecturer (Assistant Professor), University of Essex, 2014-16.
Research Economist, Centre for Economic Performance, LSE, 2011-14.
Assistant Professor (Tenure Track), Kent State University, 2010-11.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Development Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2010.
M.S. Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2006.
M.S. Mathematics, University of Iowa, 2004.
B.S. (Honors) Mathematics, B.S. Economics, University of Iowa, 2003.

WORKING PAPERS

“Monopolistic Competition and Optimum Product Diversity Under Firm Heterogeneity.” (with Swati Dhingra)
Winner, Chair Jacquemin Prize (ETSG) *Conditionally Accepted, Journal of Political Economy*
“Productivity As If Space Mattered: An Application to Factor Markets Across China.” (w/W. Cheng, K. Tacharoen)
CESifo Working Paper No. 4494 *Accepted, Journal of Industrial Economics*
“Left, Right, Left: Income, Learning and Political Dynamics.” (with Michael Carter)
NBER Working Paper No. 19498 *Conditionally Accepted, Journal of Public Economics*
“The Political Economy of Inclusive Agricultural Growth.” (with Michael Carter)
CEP Discussion Paper No. 1259 *Revise and Resubmit, Journal of Agricultural Economics*
“Benford’s Law, Families of Distributions, and a Test Basis.”
CEP Discussion Paper No. 1291
“Swimming Upstream: Input-Output Linkages and the Direction of Product Adoption.” (w/S. Dhingra, J. Boehm)
CEP Discussion Paper No. 1407
“Is Skill Dispersion a Source of Productivity and Exports in Developing Countries?”
FREIT Working Paper No. 134

WORK IN PROGRESS

“A Team is More Than It’s Members: Employee Composition and Firm Wage Premia” (w/W. Dauth, H. Schmerer)
“Dynamics of Firm Location Decisions” (w/J. Groeger, R. Lessem, and Y. Takahashi)

PUBLICATIONS

- Carter, MR and J Morrow. "The Politics of Economic Polarization in Peru," in J. Igunez (ed.). *Poverty, Exclusion and Income Distribution: Essays in Honor of Adolfo Figueroa* (Catholic University Press).
- Boehm, J., Dhingra, S. and J Morrow. "Product Diversification in Indian Manufacturing," in *New Developments in Global Sourcing* (MIT Press).

REFEREE SERVICE

Journal of Socio-Economics, Review of Economic Dynamics, Review of Economic Studies, Journal of International Economics, World Bank Economic Review, Economics Letters, Econometrica, Journal of Regional Science, Review of International Economics, Journal of Economic Theory, *Economica*, Asian Development Review, Review of Economics and Statistics, Economic Journal, World Development, Scottish Journal of Political Economy, European Economic Review, Computational Economics, Journal of Industrial Economics, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Economics.

SEMINARS AND PRESENTATIONS

- 2017: ACED (Manila), Econ & Social Development (Moscow), IO & Spatial Econ (St. Petersburg).
- 2016: RES (Sussex), InsTED (Indiana), CUNY (Queens), TIGN (Sao Paulo), Microchannels & Growth (Leuven).
- 2015: Seminar (Alicante), Danish Int'l Workshop (Aarhus), LAGV Public Economics (Aix-en-Provence), Seminar (Wuerzburg), SAET 2015 (Cambridge).
- 2014: RES PhD (London), Darden (Virginia), Seminar (Indiana), Seminar (Stockholm U), Seminar (Sheffield), Seminar (Southampton), Seminar (Leuven), Seminar (Toronto), Seminar (UC Dublin), Rentrée Workshop (Essex), European Public Choice (Cambridge), Spatial Labor Mkts (Nuremberg), 5th GREThA Development (Bordeaux), 2nd InSTED (Eugene), Econometric Society (Madrid), RES (Manchester), Essex Trade Workshop (Organizer).
- 2013: ERWIT (Rotterdam), Development Seminar (Davis), Maynooth (Dublin), Lunch Seminar (Oxford), CEP-DOM (LSE), RES (Royal Holloway), Midwest Development (Madison), Seminar (Oslo), CORE (Louvain), Int'l Lunch (Yale), Seminar (Middlesex), Seminar (Loughborough), GPEN-CGR (Queen Mary), Seminar (WVa), CEPR IO (Bologna), IAB (Nuremberg), CESifo (Munich), Development Seminar (Wisconsin), Seminar (Essex), CESI (Hong Kong), Development Workshop (Osaka), Seminar (Waseda), Trade Workshop (Essex, Disc), Seminar (GWU), Int'l Seminar (Georgetown), Seminar (CUNY), Seminar (Chulalongkorn), Seminar (Sussex), Seminar (Iowa), Institutional Challenges in Emerging Economies (Stockholm), Pop Studies (Chulalongkorn), Development Seminar (Manchester), EIIT (Virginia).
- 2012: GEP (Nottingham), FIW (Vienna), CEP Conference (Brighton), Seminar (Mannheim), HSE (St. Petersburg), Trade Policy in a Globalised World (Venice, Disc), Nordic Development (Gothenburg), Int'l Workshop (LSE), ETSG (Leuven), Warsaw School of Economics, IO and Spatial Econ (St. Petersburg).
- 2011: RES (Royal Holloway), Int'l Seminar (LSE), AEA (Denver), DSE Winter School (Delhi).
- 2010: Seminar (Royal Holloway), CAGE (Warwick), Development Seminar (Cornell), Brown Bag (Ohio State), Midwest Int'l (Northwestern), Midwest Poli Sci (Chicago), Seminar (Syracuse), Seminar (Calgary), Firm Selection & Country Competitiveness (Nice), Macro/Int'l Seminar (UC Davis), Seminar (Kent), Midwest Development (Minnesota), Development Seminar (UC Davis).
- 2009: Canadian Economics Association (Toronto), Midwest Development (Minnesota).
- 2008: Small Open Economies Globalized World (Wilfrid Laurier), Midwest Development (Wisconsin).

AWARDS

Chair Jacquemin Prize, ETSG	2012
Young Economist Award, FIW Austria	2012
Vilas Fellow & Pass with Distinction (Field exam), UW-Madison	2004-2005, 2007
Summer Fellow (Mathematics) & Faculty Appreciation (Teaching Award), University of Iowa	2003, 2003

GRANTS

LSE-TISS-TATA Grant (~£2300)	2013
STICERD Grant (~£4000) 'The UK Auto Industry: Global Crisis and Adaptation' w/S. Dhingra, G. Wright	2012-5
Santander Travel Research Fund (~£2500)	2012
Royal Economics Society Conference Grant	2012
Portuguese Science and Technology Grant (~€36000) 'Trade Relations: Networks, Learning, Skills and Diversity' with Giordano Mion, Luca Opromolla, Swati Dhingra, Filomena Garcia, Frank Page	2011-14

TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

International Trade (Graduate)	Spring 2016
International Money and Finance (Undergrad)	Spring 2015
International Trade (Undergrad)	Fall 2014, Fall 2015
Growth & Development in the Global Economy (Undergrad/Grad)	Fall 2008, 2009, 2010
Problems of Developing Areas (Grad)	Spring 2011
Principles of Microeconomics (Undergrad)	Fall 2010, Spring 2011
Assistance: Micro Theory (Grad), Math Camp (Grad), Micro Principles, Calc for Math, PreCalc for Biology.	

REFERENCES

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