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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Tax evasion, labor supply, income inequality, tax administration

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Since 2014 Research Associate, Center for European Economic Research, Mannheim, Germany
Summer 2013 Visiting Scholar, Cologne Graduate School in Management, Economics and Social Sciences, University of Cologne, Cologne, Germany
Since 2012 Research Fellow, Institute for the Study of Labor, Bonn, Germany
Since 2012 REEI Affiliate Faculty, Russian and East European Institute, Indiana University
Since 2010 Assistant Professor, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University
2003 - 2005 Assistant Lecturer, Department of Economics, University of the West Indies, Mona.

EDUCATION

2005 - 2010 Ph.D., Economics, Georgia State University
2001 - 2003 M.Sc., Economics, The University of the West Indies, Mona
1998 - 2001 B.Sc., Economics and Accounting, The University of the West Indies, Mona

REFEREED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

2014 Circumstantial Risk: Impact of future tax evasion and labor supply opportunities on risk exposure, (with Philipp Doerrenberg and Christopher Zeppenfeld). Accepted for publication in *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*.

2014 Demand for Benefit Taxation: Evidence from Public Opinion on Road Financing, (with Venkata Nadella, John Graham, Ashley Bowers, Stacey Giroux). Accepted for publication in *Public Budgeting and Finance*.

2014 Experimental Evidence on the Relationship between Tax Evasion Opportunities and Labor Supply, (with Philipp Doerrenberg). *European Economic Review*, 68(May): 48-70.

2014 Switching on the lights: Do higher income taxes push economic activity into the shade?, (with Klara Sabirianova Peter). *National Tax Journal*, 67(2): 321-350.

2014 Bumpy Designs: Impact of Privacy and Technology Costs on Support for Road Mileage User Fees, (with Venkata Nadella, John Graham, Ashley Bowers, Stacey Giroux). *National Tax Journal*, 67(3): 505-530.

2014 Personal Income Tax Mimicry: Evidence from International Panel Data, (with Ed Gerrish). *International Tax and Public Finance*, 21(1):119-152.

- 2014 An International Comparison of Tax Agency Efficiency, (with James Alm). *Public Budgeting and Finance* 34(3): 90-110.
- 2014 Behavioral Responses and the Distributional Effects of The Russian ‘Flat’ Tax, *Journal of Policy Modeling*. 36(2): 226-240.
- 2014 Distributional Implications of Tax Evasion: Evidence from the Lab, (with Philipp Doerrenberg). *Public Finance Review*, 42(6):720-744.
- 2013 Nice Guys Finish Last: Do Ethical Taxpayers Face Higher Tax Rates?, (with Philipp Doerrenberg, Clemens Fuest, and Andreas Peichl). *Kyklos*, 67(1):29-53.
- 2013 Road User Fees Instead of Fuel Taxes: The Quest for Political Acceptability, (with John Graham). *Public Administration Review*, 73(3):415-426.
- 2010 Global Reform of Personal Income Taxation, 1981-2005: Evidence from 189 Countries, (with Klara Sabirianova Peter and Steven Buttrick). *National Tax Journal*, 63(3): 447-478
- 2010 Does Labor Supply Respond to a Flat Tax: Evidence from the Russian Flat Tax Reform?, (with Klara Sabirianova Peter). *Economics of Transition*, 18(2): 365-404.
- 2004 Testing for Competition in the Jamaican Banking Sector: Evidence from Bank Level Data, (with Brian Langrin). *Southwestern Journal of Economics*, 6(1).
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OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 2014 Mileage-Based Road User Fees: Do Americans Support or Oppose Them? (with John Graham) *SPEA Insights*.
- 2013 Controversies in Property Assessment, (with Justin Ross) accepted for publication in *National Tax Journal papers and proceedings*.
- 2013 Replacing the Gasoline Tax with a Road User Fee (with John Graham) *The Ripon Forum*, 47(3)
- 2012 Economic Impact of a “Flat” Tax. What have we learned from the Russian Experience? *SPEA Insights*.
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UNDER REVIEW AT ACADEMIC JOURNALS

The Road Mileage User Fee: Level, Intensity, and Predictors of Public Support (with Venkata Nadella, John Graham, Ashley Bowers, Stacey Giroux). Revision Requested at Transportation Research Part A: Policy and Practice

Unequal Inequalities: Do Progressive Taxes Reduce Income Inequality? formerly Tax Progressivity and Income Inequality, (with Klara Sabirianova Peter).

WORKING PAPERS

Tax incidence in the presence of tax evasion: experimental evidence (with Philipp Doerrenberg).

Searching For A Tolerable Tax: Public Attitudes Toward Roadway Financing Alternatives (with Venkata Nadella, Stacey Giroux, Ashley Bowers, John Graham).

WORK-IN-PROGRESS

Pre-Populated Income Tax Forms: A Nudge in the Wrong Direction? (with NaLette Brodnax, Philipp Doerrenberg and Christopher Zeppenfeld).

Asymmetric labor supply response to tax and wage rate changes (with Philipp Doerrenberg and Max Loeffler).

Passive liars (with Danyang Li).

INVITED TALKS

- 2014 The Center for European Economic Research, Mannheim, Germany.
2013 Department of Economics, Colby College, Waterville Maine.
2011 The Institute for the Study of Labor Economics, Bonn, Germany.
2011 German Research Institute for Public Administration, Spyer, Germany.
2011 Department of Economics, Illinois State University, Bloomington, IL.
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CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2014 International Institute of Public Finance, Lugano, Switzerland, August.
2013 Southern Economic Association Conference, Tampa Bay, FL, November.
2013 National Tax Association Conference, Tampa Bay FL, November.
2013 International Institute of Public Finance, Taormina, Italy, August.
2013 Shadow2013, Muenster, Germany, July.
2013 Transatlantic Policy Consortium Conference, The Hague, Netherlands, May.
2012 Western Social Science Association Conference, Houston, TX, April.
2012 Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social and Economic Studies, Kingston Jamaica.
2011 Southern Economic Association Conference, Washington DC, November.
2011 National Tax Association Conference, New Orleans, LA, November.
2011 Association for Budgeting and Financial Management, Washington DC. October.
2011 Association for Public Economic Theory, Bloomington IN., June.
2011 Public Choice Society Conference, San Antonio, TX, March.
2011 Western Social Science Association Conference, Salt Lake City, UT, April.
2010 National Tax Association Conference, Chicago, IL, November.
2009 Southern Economic Association Conference, San Antonio, TX, November.
2009 Participated in the Kiel Institute Summer School on Economic Policy “The New Global Division of Labor”, Kiel, Germany.
2009 Society of Labor Economics Conference, Boston, MA, May.
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MEDIA

- 2013 USAPP Blog at the London School of Economics and Political Science

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

	School of Public and Environmental Affairs
Since 2014	V4410 Tax Policy Analysis in a Time of Budget Crisis
Since 2010	V560 Public Finance and Budgeting
2011 - 2012	V401 Financial and Cost-Benefit Analysis
	Department of Economics, U.W.I. Mona
2004 - 2005	Caribbean Economic Problems
2004 - 2005	Public Economics
2003 - 2005	Introduction to Microeconomics
2003 - 2005	Intermediate Microeconomics

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Referee Service

Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, National Tax Journal, Public Budgeting and Finance, International Tax and Public Finance, Economics of Transition, Fiscal Studies, FinanzArchiv, Spatial Economic Analysis, Public Finance Review, Public Administration Review

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Since 2014	American Economic Association
Since 2013	Institute of International Public Finance
Since 2010	National Tax Association
Since 2010	Southern Economic Association

AWARDS

Georgia State University

Economics Department/Jack Blicksilver Scholarship in Economics, 2010

E.D. (Jack) Dunn Fellowship, 2009

The University of the West Indies, Mona

G. Arthur Brown Scholarship, 2002

REFERENCES AVAILABLE TO CONTACT

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