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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Assistant Professor of Economics (Fall 2017 to Present)
Creighton University (Omaha, NE)

Scholar and Business Research Fellows Program Coordinator (Fall 2017 to Present)
Institute for Economic Inquiry, Creighton University (Omaha, NE)

Assistant Professor of Economics (Fall 2014 to Spring 2017)
University of Wisconsin – Stout (Menomonie, WI)

Instructor (Fall 2010 to summer 2014)
Suffolk University (Boston, MA)

EDUCATION

PhD Economics (2014)
Suffolk University (Boston, MA)
Dissertation: An Economic Analysis of Recovery from Civil Conflict

MS Economics (2012)
Suffolk University (Boston, MA)

BA Economics Magna Cum Laude (2009)
Roger Williams University (Bristol, RI)
Minors: Finance, Political Science

JOURNAL ARTICLES

Ryan H. Murphy and Colin O'Reilly, "The champions of capitalism? National leaders and the institutional channel"
Applied Economics Letters. Forthcoming.

Ryan H. Murphy and Colin O'Reilly, "Applying Panel Vector Autoregression to Institutions, Human Capital, and Output."
Empirical Economics. Forthcoming.

G.P. Manish and Colin O'Reilly, "Banking regulation, regulatory capture and inequality."
Public Choice. Forthcoming.

Ryan H. Murphy and Colin O'Reilly, "And the IMF Said, Let There Be Data, and There Was Data: Private Capital Stocks in the Eastern Bloc"
Econ Journal Watch. 15(3) 290-300. 2018

Colin O'Reilly and Yi Zhang, "Post-Genocide Justice: The Gacaca Courts"
Development Policy Review. 36(5) 561-576. 2018

JOURNAL ARTICLES continued

Colin O'Reilly and Ryan H. Murphy, "Exogenous Resource Shocks and Economic Freedom."
Comparative Economic Studies. 59(3): 243-260. 2017.

Colin O'Reilly and Ryan H. Murphy. "Do Institutions Mitigate the Risk of Natural Resource Conflicts?"
Contemporary Economic Policy. 35(3): 532-541. 2017.

Arnab Biswas, Colin O'Reilly, James Bang and Aniruddha Mitra.
"Civil War and Economic Growth: The Case for a Closer Look at Forms of Mobilization."
Applied Economics Letters. 23(15): 1057-1061. 2016.

Colin O'Reilly and Benjamin Powell. "War and the Growth of Government"
European Journal of Political Economy. 40: 31-41. 2015.

Colin O'Reilly. "Household Recovery from Internal Displacement in Northern Uganda."
World Development. 76: 203-215. 2015.

Colin O'Reilly. "Firm Investment Decisions in the Post-Conflict Context."
Economics of Transition. 23(4): 717-751. 2015.

Colin O'Reilly. "Institutions and Investment in Post-Civil War Recovery."
Comparative Economic Studies. 56(1): 1-24. 2014.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Integrating the Economic Way of Thinking into US History Courses
(with M. Scott Neiderjohn) Forthcoming in an edited volume.

Entry Regulations and Income Inequality at the Regional Level
(with Dustin Chambers)

Can War Foster Institutional Change?

Property Rights, Gender Barriers, and Economic Development
(with Kathleen Sheehan)

Oil Rents and Economic Policy
(with Dean Stansel)

Post-Conflict Convergence with Productivity-Augmenting Institutions
(with Micah DelVecchio)

Developing the Bottom Billion: Case Studies in New Development Economics

RESEARCH FIELDS

Economic Development, Political Economy, Post-Conflict Recovery, Regulation.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Creighton University (Omaha, NE)

Introduction to Macroeconomics, Intermediate Macroeconomics, Money and Financial Markets

University of Wisconsin – Stout (Menomonie, WI)

Principles of Macroeconomics, Principles of Microeconomics, Money and Banking, Public Finance, Economics of Conflict, Applied Social Analysis III (research capstone).

Suffolk University (Boston, MA)

Principles of Macroeconomics, Development Economics, Intermediate Microeconomic Theory, Applied Business Statistics, Applied Statistical Methods.

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Economics Faculty (Spring 2016 to Fall 2017)

Economics for Business Professionals (Milwaukee, WI)

Economics, Finance and Statistics Tutor (May 2011 to August 2014)

Tutor Hero (Richmond, CA)

Content Editor (May 2011 to April 2012)

Boundless Learning (Boston, MA)

Research Assistant (Fall 2010 to Spring 2011)

Suffolk University (Boston, MA)

Academic Tutor (August 2006 to May 2009)

Roger Williams University (Bristol, RI)

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

Southern Economic Association (November 2018)

Presented: Oil Rents and State Economic Policy

Christopher Newport University (April 2018)

Presented: Top Down or Bottom Up? Which Institutions Matter for Economic Development?

Association of Private Enterprise Education Conference (April 2018)

Presented: Civil War and Institutional Change

Presented: Post-Conflict Convergence with Productivity-Augmenting Institutions

Presented: Assessing the Economic Way of Thinking

Eastern Economic Association Conference (March 2018)

Presented: Civil War and Institutional Change

Southern Economic Association (November 2017)

Presented: Oil Rents and State Economic Policy

Emerson College (October 2017)

Presented: F.A. Hayek's Modern Legacy

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS continued

Research on the Origins of Economic Freedom –Texas Tech University (March 2017)

Presented: War and the Growth of Government

Southern Methodist University (February 2017)

Presented: Exogenous Resource Shocks and Economic Freedom

Southern Economic Association (November 2016)

Presented: Exogenous Resource Shocks and Economic Freedom

Association of Private Enterprise Education Conference (April 2016)

Presented: Post-Conflict Convergence with Productivity-Augmenting Institutions

Presented: The Gacaca Courts: Traditional Dispute Resolution in Post-Genocide Rwanda

Association of Private Enterprise Education Conference (April 2015)

Presented: War and the Growth of Government

Midwestern Economics Association Conference (March 2015)

Presented: Do Institutions Mitigate the Risk of Natural Resource Conflicts?

Southern Economic Association (November 2014)

Presented: War and the Growth of Government

Eastern Economics Association (March 2014)

Presented: Household Recovery from Internal Displacement in Northern Uganda

Association of Private Enterprise Education Conference (April 2014)

Presented: War and the Growth of Government

Knowledge and Globalization Conference (November 2013)

Presented: Firm Investment Decisions in the Post-Conflict Context

Association of Private Enterprise Education Conference (April 2013)

Presented: Firm Investment Decisions in the Post Conflict-Context

Midwest Economics Association Conference (March 2013)

Presented: Institutions and Investment in Post-Civil War Recovery

TEACHING WORKSHOPS, PRESENTATIONS AND ADDITIONAL CONFERENCES

Competition, Discovery, and the Pursuit of Happiness (October 2018)

Mont Pelerin Society - 2018 General Meeting

Economic Episodes in American History Textbook Assessment Project (July 2017)

Economics Wisconsin

The Winter Institute (March 2016)

Saint Cloud State University

Teacher Training Workshop - Economic Episodes in American History (October 2016)

Economics Wisconsin

Teacher Training Workshop -Teaching Personal Finance and Economics (October 2016)
Economics Wisconsin and Lakeland College Center for Economic Education

New Faculty Teaching Workshop (August 2014)
University of Wisconsin Stout – Nakatani Teaching and Learning Center

Art of Teaching Workshop (June 2014)
Towson University

JOURNAL REFEREE

Empirical Economics, World Development, Journal of Institutional Economics,
Conflict Management and Peace Studies, Comparative Economic Studies, Development Policy Review,
Journal of Economic Teaching, Journal of Student Research (University of Wisconsin Stout-
undergraduate journal)

MEDIA

TV Interview: The Aftermath of Foreign Conflict. Free to Exchange. KTTZ-TV. December 2017.

Article: “The Terror Business.” The Freeman. Volume 65, No 7. September 2014.

SOFTWARE SKILLS

STATA (*highly proficient*), Crystal Ball (*proficient*), SAS (*proficient*), CART (*proficient*).

GRANTS and AWARDS

Young Scholars Grant
Mont Pelerin Society (2018)

Pacific Academy for Advanced Studies Stipend
The Pacific Academy for Advanced Studies (2018)

Professional Development Grant
The University of Wisconsin-Stout (2017)

Hayek Fund for Scholars
The Institute for Humane Studies (2017)

Professional Development Grant
The University of Wisconsin-Stout (2016)

Nakatani Teaching and Learning Center Grant
The University of Wisconsin-Stout (2016)

Provost Professional Development Grant
The University of Wisconsin-Stout (2015)

New Instructor Professional Development Grant
The University of Wisconsin-Stout (2014)

Faculty Startup Grant

The University of Wisconsin-Stout (2014)

Hayek Fund for Scholars

The Institute for Humane Studies (2014)

Humane Studies Fellowship

The Institute for Humane Studies (2013)

Award of Teaching Excellence

Department of Economics - *Suffolk University* (2013)

Tuition Waiver Scholarship for PhD in Economics

Suffolk University (2009-2012)

Academic Achievement Scholarship

Gabelli School of Business - *Roger Williams University* (2005-2009)

SERVICE

General Education Assessment Committee (2016 - 2017)

University of Wisconsin Stout (Menomonie, WI)

University Institutional Review Board (2015 - 2017)

University of Wisconsin Stout (Menomonie, WI)

Department Faculty Search Committee Co-chair (2015 - 2017)

University of Wisconsin Stout (Menomonie, WI)

Department Personnel Committee (2015 - 2017)

University of Wisconsin Stout (Menomonie, WI)

Faculty Adviser for Omega Delta Epsilon Economics Honor Society (2015 - 2017)

University of Wisconsin Stout (Menomonie, WI)

Department Faculty Search Committee (2014 - 2015)

University of Wisconsin Stout (Menomonie, WI)

President of the Suffolk Graduate Economics Association (2012 - 2013)

Suffolk University (Boston, MA)

Vice President and Treasurer of the Student Senate (2006 - 2009)

Roger Williams University (Bristol, RI)

REFERENCES

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