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Experience
2016-Present Economist, Federal Reserve Board of Governors

Education
PhD. in Economics, New York University, 2010-2016
Thesis Title: *Essays in Household Finance*
Advisor: Andrew Caplin
B.S. in Mathematics, North Carolina State University, 2006-2010

Research Fields
Primary fields: Household Finance, Finance, Macroeconomics
Secondary fields: Aging, Retirement, Survey Design

Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships
2010-2015 Henry M. McCracken Fellowship, NYU
2015-2016 Department Dissertation Fellowship, NYU
2015 WEAI Dissertation Workshop
2013 3rd year paper award, NYU
2006-2010 Park Scholarship (full tuition and expense), NCSU
2010 Valedictorian, NCSU
2009 Phi Beta Kappa

Research

Working Papers:

Windfall Gains and Stock Market Participation R&R Journal of Financial Economics
(with David Cesarini, Erik Lindqvist, and Robert Ostling)

Long-Term Care Utility and Late in Life Saving R&R Journal of Political Economy
(with John Ameriks, Andrew Caplin, Matthew D. Shapiro, and Chris Tonetti)

Late-in-Life Risks and the Under-Insurance Puzzle
(with John Ameriks, Andrew Caplin, Matthew D. Shapiro, and Chris Tonetti)

Wealth, Portfolio Allocation, and Risk Preference
(with David Cesarini, Erik Lindqvist, and Robert Ostling)

Works in Progress:

Due Diligence: Job Search with Rationally Inattentive Workers
(with Andrew Caplin, Daniel Martin, and Chris Tonetti)

The Precautionary Transfer Motive
(with John Ameriks, Andrew Caplin, Mi Luo, Matthew Shapiro, and Chris Tonetti)

