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FIELDS OF INTERESTS	Economics of Education, Gender Economics, Labour Economics
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WORK EXPERIENCE	Managing Consultant, SQW 2024-
	Senior Lecturer in Economics, University of Bristol 2022-2024
	Lecturer in Economics, University of Bristol 2019-2022
	Senior Teaching Fellow in Economics, University of Edinburgh 2016-2019

AFFILIATIONS	Fellow of the Higher Education Academy 2021-
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EDUCATION	PhD Economics, Queen Mary University of London 2012-2017
	MSc Economics, Barcelona Graduate School of Economics 2011-2012
	MA(Hons) Economics, University of Edinburgh 2007-2011

WORKING PAPERS & RESEARCH IN PROGRESS	Pay Transparency and Gender Equality (with J. Blundell, E. Duchini and A. Turrell), <i>Forthcoming, AEJ Economic Policy</i>
	Do Second Chances Pay Off? Evidence from a Natural Experiment with Low-Achieving Students (with A. Bizopoulou and R. Megalokonomou), <i>Forthcoming, Journal of Public Economics</i>
	Multidimensional Cognitive Ability, Mediating Channels, and Financial Outcomes (with T. Sulka), <i>Submitted</i>
	The Internationalisation of British Universities: Dividend or Deterrent? (with A. Johnson)

PUBLICATIONS	A Review of the Effects of Pay Transparency (with E. Duchini and A. Turrell), <i>The Oxford Research Encyclopaedia of Economics and Finance, 2024; 1.</i>
	Charging for Higher Education: Estimating the Impact on Inequality and Student Outcomes (with G. Azmat) - <i>The B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis & Policy, 2021; 21(1): 175-239.</i>
	Exposing the Glass Ceiling: Hiring Practices and Gender Equality in the UK Labour Market (with E. Duchini), <i>CAGE Advantage Magazine, Autumn 2020</i>

PEDAGOGY WRITINGS	Encouraging collaboration in teaching data analysis skills (with A. Johnson and A. Papadopoulou) <i>Inomics, November 2023</i> , available at: https://inomics.com/teach/encouraging-collaboration-in-teaching-data-analysis-skills-1540160
	Adventures in Pair Programming: Building Data Literacy in Social Learning Environments (with A. Johnson and A. Papadopoulou) <i>Bristol Institute for Learning and Teaching, October 2023</i> , available at: https://bilt.online/adventures-in-pair-programming-building-data-literacy-in-social-learning-environments/
	Making Social Data Social (with A. Johnson and A. Papadopoulou), <i>Economics Network Teaching Ideas, October 2023</i> , available at: https://doi.org/10.53593/n3641a
	Engaging labs and peer-marking to improve practical data skills in Econometrics, <i>Economics Network Teaching Ideas, May 2022</i> , available at: https://www.economicsnetwork.ac.uk/showcase/simion_dataskills

TEACHING

Lecturer, Course Organiser (UG)

Applied Economics Dissertation, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2022-2024
Econometrics 1, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2019-2024
Economics of Education, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2017-2019
Economics UG Dissertation Coordinator, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2017-2019
Intermediate Econometrics, <i>University of Malta</i>	2018

Dissertation Supervision

Applied Economics Dissertation (UG), <i>University of Bristol</i>	2019-2024
Economics Dissertations (PGT), <i>University of Bristol</i>	2019-2021
Economics Dissertation (UG), <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2017-2019
Economics Dissertation (PGT), <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2017-2019

Tutor (UG)

Econometrics 1, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2019-2024
Economic Data, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2020-2023
Econometrics 2, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2019-2021
Applied Microeconomics, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2019-2020
Intermediate Microeconomics, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2019
Essentials of Econometrics, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2018
Topics in Microeconomics, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2016-2017
Applications of Econometrics, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2017
Statistical Methods in Economics, <i>Queen Mary University of London</i>	2012-2016
Industrial Economics, <i>Queen Mary University of London</i>	2012-2016
Microeconomics I, <i>Queen Mary University of London</i>	2013-2014
Games and Strategies, <i>Queen Mary University of London</i>	2012
Applications of Econometrics (STATA labs), <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2010
Essentials of Econometrics (STATA labs), <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2010

OTHER WORK
EXPERIENCE**Other Academic Positions**

External Examiner (UG and PGT), <i>University of St Andrews</i>	2021-
Academic Co-coordinator of SAGE scheme, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2023-2024
Co-organiser Data Doubles Games, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2023
BSc Economics Programme Director, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2019-2024
Personal Tutor, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2019-2022
Deputy Director of Undergraduate Studies, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2021-2022
BSc Economics and Finance Programme Director, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2020-2022
Personal Tutor, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2016-2019
Co-organiser Go Abroad Economics, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2017-2019
Teaching and Learning Committee Member, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2017-2019
Co-organiser Annual School Audit, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2017-2019
Co-organiser Student - Staff Liaison Committee, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2016-2019
Organiser of Teaching Workshops, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2018
Research Assistant	
Worked for Prof. Ghazala Azmat, <i>Center for Economic Performance</i>	2015
Worked for Dr. Rebecca Homkes, <i>London Business School</i>	2013, 2014, 2016
Worked for Dr. Olga Gorbacev, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2010

CONFERENCES INVITED	South-west Workshop on Economics Education, Teaching, and Scholarship	2024
SEMINARS & WORKSHOPS ATTENDED	University of Bristol Pedagogy Go Away Day, Annual Conference of the International Association for Applied Econometrics, Developments in Economics Education Conference, Birmingham Economics Education Seminar Series (invited)	2023
	Bristol Institute for Learning and Teaching Workshop Series (invited), Helsinki GSE (invited)	2022
	Developments in Economics Education Conference, Annual Scientific Conference of Romanian Academic Economists from Abroad, Conference of the European Society for Population Economics, Scottish Economic Society Conference	2021
	5th IZA Workshop: The Economics of Education, EEA, Virtual 19th IZA/SOLE Transatlantic Meeting for Labor Economists, University of Brunel Economics Seminar (invited), Economics Network Virtual Symposium (invited)	2020
	EEA-ESEM, Annual Conference of the European Society for Population Economics, University of Dundee Economics Seminar (invited), Developments in Economics Education Conference (attended only)	2019
	Annual Conference of the European Society for Population Economics, Workshop on Social Inequalities and Quantitative Methods - <i>Moray House School of Education, University of Edinburgh</i> (invited), European Association of Labour Economists Conference, Workshop on Education and Expectations - <i>Royal Holloway University of London</i> (invited), Annual Scientific Conference of Romanian Academic Economists from Abroad, Barcelona Graduate School of Economics Economics of Education Summer School, Economics Network Early Career Workshop (attended only)	2018
	Annual Scientific Conference of Romanian Academic Economists from Abroad, Gender Conference - <i>University of Edinburgh</i> (attended only), Developments in Economics Education Conference, Workshop on Financing of Higher Education - <i>University Carlos III</i> (attended only)	2017
	Leicester PhD Conference, Applied Microeconomics Seminar - <i>Queen Mary University of London</i>	2016
	XI Jornadas de Economia Laboral, Annual Scientific Conference of Romanian Academic Economists from Abroad	2015
	Annual PhD conference - <i>Queen Mary University of London</i>	2013-2014
AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS & GRANTS	Nominated for Inspiring and Innovative Teaching Team Award <i>University of Bristol</i>	2024
	Bristol Institute for Learning and Teaching Education Development Project, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2022-2024
	Teaching Excellence Fund - funding for Data Double Games, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2022-2024
	Nominated for Outstanding Research Supervision Award, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2023
	Nominated for Inspiring and Innovative Teaching Award, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2022-2024
	Nominated for Outstanding Personal Tutor Award, <i>University of Bristol</i>	2021
	Nominated for Excellence in Teaching Award, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2018

AWARDS	Teaching Assistant Excellence Award, <i>Queen Mary University of London</i>	2014-2016
SCHOLARSHIPS & GRANTS	Departmental Ph.D. Scholarship, <i>Queen Mary University of London</i>	2012-2016
(CONTINUED)	Postgraduate Research Fund, <i>Queen Mary University of London</i>	2014
	Royal Economic Society Small Academic Expenses Scheme	2014
	Partial Tuition Fee Waiver, <i>Barcelona Graduate School of Economics</i>	2011-2012
	Prize for Top 3 Best Performance in Economics, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2011
	Morgan Stanley Award for Academic Excellence in Junior Honours, <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	2010

REFEREEING	Economics of Education Review; Education Economics; Labour Economics; British Journal of Industrial Relations; <i>Economica</i> ; European Journal of Womens Studies; IZA Journal of Labour Policy; USFQ Economic Review; Xjenza Online - The Science Journal of the Malta Chamber of Scientists	
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SKILLS	Computer: STATA; R, Python, SQL, LaTeX; MS Office Languages: Romanian(native); English(full professional fluency); French(limited working proficiency); Spanish(limited working proficiency)	
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