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Employment

2025– Postdoctoral Scholar, Center for Health Economics and Policy Studies (CHEPS),
San Diego State University

2024–2025 Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, St. Lawrence University

Education

Ph.D. in Economics, Syracuse University, 2024.

M.A. in Economics, Korea University, 2019.

B.A. in Economics and Korean Law, *summa cum laude*, Handong Global University, 2016.

Research Fields

Public Economics, Health Economics, Labor Economics, Urban and Regional Economics.

Working Papers

“The Effect of Online Sales Bans on E-Cigarette Use” (*with Ege Aksu, Charles Courtemanche, Dhaval Dave, Daniel Dench, Michael Grossman, Selen Ozdogan, Shubhsri Rajenda, Joseph Sabia, Henry Saffer*)
*Revise & Resubmit at **Journal of Health Economics***

“The Effect of Paid Sick Leave Mandates on Individuals with Disabilities: Evidence from Social Security Disability Claims” (*with Anwar Assamidonov, Dhaval Dave, Brandy Lipton, Xuechao Qian, and Joseph Sabia*)

“Racially Disparate Impacts of Licensure Sales Laws: The Case of E-Cigarettes” (*with Dhaval Dave and Joseph Sabia*)

“School Vaping Bans and Youth E-Cigarette Use” (*with Dhaval Dave, Nikolaos Prodromidis, and Joseph Sabia*)

“Acceptance and Educational Sorting of Same-sex Couples”

“How Do Same-sex Couples Affect Central Cities?”

Work in Progress

“Migration at the U.S. Border and Local Housing Prices: Evidence from the Recent Migrant Surge”
(with Thomas Pearson)

“Paid Sick Leave Mandates and Housing Stability: Evidence from Eviction Filings”

“Minimum Wage Increases and Deaths of Despair” (with Daniel Rees and Joseph Sabia)

“Unemployment Near Retirement, Food Insecurity, and the Role of Unemployment Benefits” (with Ehsan Dowlatabadi and Andrew Smith)

Policy Briefs

“The Effect of Online Sales Bans on E-Cigarette Use” (with Charles Courtemanche, Dhaval Dave, Daniel Dench, Shubhsri Rajendra, and Joseph Sabia)
Cato Institute Research Briefs in Economic Policy, No. 488, June 17, 2026.

Presentations

- 2026 Eastern Economic Association Annual Meeting (La Romana); American Society of Health Economics Annual Meeting (Minneapolis); Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Annual Fall Research Conference (Boston, *forthcoming*)
- 2025 Center for Health Economics and Policy Studies at San Diego State University; American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association (AREUEA) at ASSA Annual Meeting (San Francisco)
- 2024 Urban Economics Association North American Meeting (Washington D.C.); St. Lawrence University; AEA Economics of LGBTQ+ Individuals Virtual Seminar; Halle Institute for Economic Research (IWH); Korea Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP); Korea Institute for Industrial Economics and Trade (KIET)
- 2023 Syracuse University Applied Micro Seminar; Western Economic Association International Annual Meeting (San Diego); Urban Economics Association European Meeting (Milan); Syracuse University Center for Policy Research

Referee Service

Journal of Population Economics, Southern Economic Journal, Journal of Labor Research

Teaching

St. Lawrence University (*Sole Instructor*)

Introduction to Economics, Fall 2024, Spring 2025.

Syracuse University (*Sole Instructor*)

Intermediate Microeconomics, Summer 2021.

Syracuse University (*Discussion Section*)

Introduction to Stats and Econometrics (*M.A. level*), Spring 2021.

Introduction to Microeconomics, Spring 2020, Summer 2023.

Economic Ideas and Issues, Fall 2019.

Korea University (*Discussion Section*)

Microeconomic Theory I (*Ph.D. level*), Spring 2018.

Microeconomic Theory, Fall 2018, Fall 2017.

Awards and Honors

Summer Training Stipend Winner, Syracuse University, 2022.

Brain Korea 21 Research Scholarship, Korea University, Fall 2017, Fall 2018.

Global Leader Scholarship, Handong Global University, 2010-2016.

Languages

English (fluent), Korean (native)

Computer Skills

Stata, Python, R, Julia

References

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