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## Education

MS, Johns Hopkins University, 2014.  
Major: Applied Economics

BBA, University of Central Arkansas, 2013.  
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## Academic Experience

Adjunct Instructor, University of Arkansas – Pulaski Technical College (January 2019 – Present)  
Policy Analyst, Arkansas Center for Research in Economics, University of Central Arkansas (January 2015 – Present)

## Teaching Experience

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Econ 2322, Principles of Microeconomics

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