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Positions

École Normale Supérieure de Lyon
Research Fellow · CERGIC · 2024–

The Math Movement
Founder · Director · 2020–

Affiliations

University of Chicago
Advisor · Stone Center for Research on Wealth Inequality and Mobility · 2022–

Journal of Economic Literature
Editorial Board Member · 2022–

Haiti Outreach
Board Member · 2022–

Education

University of Pennsylvania
PhD in Economics · 2010

Indiana University
BS in Mathematics · 2004
BA in Economics and Spanish · 2004

Past Positions

Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland
Director · Program on Economic Inclusion · 2021–2024
Senior Research Economist · 2018–2024
Research Economist · 2010–2017

The Math Corps
Co-Founder · Associate Director · Cleveland Site · 2011–2017

Research

Time use and the pursuit of happiness
w V Maheshri (2026)

Unlocking opportunity: The remarkable success of the Baltimore Regional Housing Partnership
w S DeLuca (2025)

Racial labels and the measurement of racial inequality: The case of concentrated poverty
w D Van Riper (2025)

Identifying long-run neighborhood effects
w D Hartley & C Muris (2025)

The dynamics of the racial wealth gap
w D Carroll & E Young (Forthcoming) — *International Economic Review*

Childhood exposure to violence and nurturing relationships:
The long-run effects on Black men
w K Tauber (Forthcoming) — *Journal of Applied Econometrics*

The nonequivalence of college equivalents
w D Carroll & CL Reynolds (2026) — *Journal of Income Distribution*

What determines the success of housing mobility programs?
w H Martin & K Tauber (2024) *Journal of Housing Economics*

What explains neighborhood sorting by income and race?
w D Carroll & E Young (2024) *Journal of Urban Economics*

Landlords and access to opportunity
w H Martin & D Phillips (2022) *Journal of Urban Economics*

Evidence of neighborhood effects from Moving to Opportunity:
Local Average Treatment Effects of neighborhood quality
w F G-C Richter (2020) *Review of Economics and Statistics*

Neighborhood dynamics and the distribution of opportunity
w D Carroll (2018) *Quantitative Economics*

What is the equity-efficiency tradeoff when maintaining wells in rural Haiti?
(2018) *World Bank Economic Review*

Assessing the evidence on neighborhood effects from Moving to Opportunity
(2017) *Empirical Economics*

Human capital in the inner city
(2017) *Empirical Economics*

Blowing it up and knocking it down: The local and city-wide effects
of demolishing high concentration public housing on crime
w D Hartley (2015) *Journal of Urban Economics*

When should children start school?
(2014) *Journal of Human Capital*

Redshirting, compulsory schooling laws, and educational attainment
(2012) *Journal of Educational and Behavioral Statistics*

Invited Reviews and Chapters

Strong spatial spillovers determine neighborhood shape and neighborhood change
w J Lin (Forthcoming) in *A Research Agenda for Neighborhoods*

Making Our Neighborhoods, Making Our Selves: A Review Essay
(2023) *Journal of Economic Literature*

Books

Math As Flexibility of Mind Grades 7-12 Textbook

Awards

French CNRS Senior Researcher External Competition in Economics (37/01) · 1st Place · 2024

Seminar, Conference, and Summer School Presentations

2026 · Helsinki Graduate School of Economics · Institute for Employment Research (IAB Nuremberg)
· Urban Economics Association (North American Meeting)
· University of British Columbia / UChicago Summer School on Socioeconomic Opportunity and Inequality

2025 · University of Cyprus
· International Workshop in Spatial Econometrics and Statistics
· Conference on Race, Racism, and Structural Inequality (Duke)
· *Just Cities* Conference in Honor of Dan O'Flaherty (Columbia)
· Urban Economics Association (North American Meeting)
2024 · University of South Florida · US Census Bureau
· Society of Labor Economists · Fed System Equitable Growth Conference
· UChicago–Cleveland Fed Workshop on Barriers to Economic Inclusion
· American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association (National Conf · Luncheon Policy Forum)
· UChicago–Seoul National U Conference on Inequality and Mobility (Keynote Speaker)
· Workshop on Recent Advances in Inequality and Mobility in Honor of Steven Durlauf (UChicago Stone Center)
· Workshop on Intergenerational Transmission of Inequalities (Católica Lisbon School)
· UChicago Summer School on Socioeconomic Opportunity and Inequality
2023 · GATE–Saint-Étienne · American Economic Association (ASSA Conference)
· Midwest Economics Association · Southern Economic Association
· Minneapolis Fed Opportunity & Inclusive Growth Institute Fall Research Conference
· Paris School of Economics Workshop on Neighborhoods (Invited Speaker)
· GATE–Lyon–Saint-Étienne Workshop on Public Policies, Cities, and Regions (Keynote Speaker)
2022 · University of Houston · New York Fed · American Economic Association (ASSA Conference)
· Southern Economic Association · American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association (Nat'l Conf)
· Rimini Centre for Economic Analysis International Conference
Earlier · Abt Associates · Aix-Marseille School of Economics · Carnegie Mellon University (Heinz College)
· Case Western Reserve University · Chicago Fed · Cleveland Fed · Cleveland State University
· Friedrich–Alexander University Nuremberg · Fribourg University · GATE-Lyon · Goethe University Frankfurt
· Kansas State University · Kent State University · Loyola University Chicago
· New York University (Furman Center) · Northeastern University · Oberlin College
· Ohio State University (Glenn School · Human Sciences) · Philadelphia Fed
· University of Akron · University of California at Riverside · University of Chicago (Lifecycle Working Group)
· University of Georgia · University of Pennsylvania · University of Pittsburgh · University of Rochester
· University of St. Gallen · University of Massachusetts at Boston · Upjohn Institute · West Virginia University
· American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association (ASSA Conference)
· Association for Public Policy and Management · Econometric Society European Meeting
· Haitian Studies Association Conference · International Association for Applied Econometrics
· Institute for Education Sciences · International Society for Imprecise Probabilities: Theories and Applications
· Louis-André Gérard-Varet Conference · Midwest Economic Association · Midwest Econometrics Group
· New York University (Institute of Human Development and Social Change) Haiti Conference
· Society of Labor Economists · Southern Economic Association · Urban Economics Association
· Federal Reserve System Conferences on:
Econ. Mobility · Microeconomics · Personal Finance · Program Eval. · Regional Econ.
· Human Capital and Economic Opportunity Conferences on: Neighborhoods · Sorting and Segregation
· University of Kentucky-Cleveland Fed Workshops on: Economics of Education · Urban Economics

Research Visits

Philadelphia Fed · Visiting Scholar · Dec 2025
GATE–Lyon–Saint-Étienne · Visiting Researcher · Dec 2023
Columbia University · PER Weekly Visitor · Feb 2019
GATE–Lyon–Saint-Étienne · Associate Researcher · Jun 2018–May 2019
Aix-Marseille School of Economics · Visiting Researcher · Apr 2013

Refereeing and Reviewing

· *American Economic Review* · *American Economic Review: Insights* · *American Economic Journal: Applied*
· *American Economic Journal: Policy* · *Annals of Regional Science* · *Contemporary Economic Policy*
· *Economic Inquiry* · *Economic Journal* · *Economics Letters* · *Economics & Philosophy*
· *Economics of Education Review* · *Empirical Economics* · *International Economic Review*
· *Journal of Applied Econometrics* · *Journal of Economic Literature* · *Journal of Economics, Race, and Policy*
· *Journal of Housing Economics* · *Journal of Human Capital* · *Journal of Human Resources*
· *Journal of Political Economy: Microecoomics* · *Journal of Public Economics* · *Journal of Regional Science*
· *Journal of Urban Economics* · *Labour Economics* · *Management Science* · *Manchester School*
· *Quantitative Economics* · *Quarterly Journal of Economics* · *Real Estate Economics*
· *Regional Science and Urban Economics* · *Review of Black Political Economy* · *Review of Economic Dynamics*
· *Review of Economic Studies* · *Review of Economics and Statistics*
· *Applied Mathematical Modelling* · *Cities* · *Cityscape* · *Early Childhood Research Quarterly*
· *Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis* · *Evaluation Review* · *Housing and Society*
· *Housing Policy Debate* · *Journal of Educational and Behavioral Statistics*
· *Journal of Financial Services Research* · *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*
· *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency* · *Nature Human Behavior*
· *Social Science Research* · *Sociological Methods and Research* · *Urban Studies*
· Copenhagen Consensus · United States National Science Foundation
· Pew Charitable Trusts · United States Small Business Administration

Teaching and Mentoring

· PhD Thesis Committee
  · Elena Boni · ENS de Lyon — 2025–
  · Julie Rabenandrasana · Aix-Marseille School of Economics — 2025–
  · Kyle Fee · Cleveland State University — 2022–2024
· Instructor · The Math Movement — Grades 7–12 · 2021–
· Instructor, Causality, Discrete Choice, and Racial Inequality · ENS de Lyon · 2x — M2 Students · 2024–
· Mentor to Research Analysts · Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland — College Graduates · 2010–2024
· External Examiner, Honors Thesis Committee · Oberlin College — Undergraduates · 2024
· Guest Lecture · Harris School at the University of Chicago · 4x — MPP students · 2021–2024
· Guest Lecture · University of Saint-Étienne · 1x — MPP students · 2023
· Instructor · Math Corps — Grades 7–12 · 2012–2018
· Instructor · INURED Summer Institute · Port-au-Prince, Haiti — MPP Students · 2011
· Instructor and Teaching Assistant · U. of Pennsylvania — MSEd and Undergraduates · 2005–2008

Conference Organizing

UChicago Stone Center-Cleveland Fed Workshop on Economic Inclusion · 2024
Summer Mathematics Programs Consortium Annual Conference · 2024
Federal Reserve System Equitable Growth Conference (New York Fed) · 2024
American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association National Meeting · 2022
HCEO Conference on Sorting and Segregation · 2021
Opportunity & Inclusive Growth Institute Fall Research Conference · 2021
U of Kentucky-Cleveland Fed Workshops · 2018 · 2017 · 2016 · 2015 · 2014
Cleveland Fed Policy Summit · 2015 · 2012 · 2011

Past Affiliations

US Census Bureau · Special Sworn Status · 2022–2024
Sisters of Charity Foundation of Cleveland · Central Promise Neighborhood · Board Member · 2013–2022
Early Childhood Research Quarterly · Editorial Board Member · 2018–2020

Selected Public Speaking

2026 · *Seeking Nuance*
2025 · *The Inequality Podcast* · *UCLA Housing Voice*
· Summer Math Programs Consortium (National Conference · Incubator Seminar)
· Baltimore Regional Housing Partnership (Board of Directors · BRHP in Conversation)
2024 · *Densely Speaking* · John Carroll University · Misericordia University
· Chicago Fed Panel on Economic Mobility
2023 · New Directions for Source of Income Discrimination Research (Sponsored by Poverty & Race Research Action Council, NYU's Furman Center, and The Urban Institution)
· Ohio Workforce Coalition/Aspen Institute Workforce Leadership Academy
· College Now Greater Cleveland · FedTalk on the Wealth Distribution (Moderator)
2022 · National Initiative on Mixed-Income Communities Webinar on the Federal Reserve
· College Now Greater Cleveland · *Six Hundred Atlantic* (Season 3 Episodes 1 · 2 · 3 · 4)
· Purdue (ASPIRE) · Federal Reserve System Regional and Branch Executives Conference
2021 · Lorain County Community College Day of Dialogue · Northeast Ohio Fair Housing Collaborative
· Miami Valley Urban League · University of Utah Innovations in Housing Affordability Summit
· Interviews (*Yahoo Finance* · *CentralBanking.com* · *Spectrum News*)
2020 · Baltimore Regional Housing Partnership · St. Louis Fed Panel on Discussing Race in the Classroom
2019 · FedTalk Panel on The Racial Wealth Gap · Cleveland State University Project 400 Conference

Selected Public Writing

K–12 schools in Ohio are separate and unequal. w M Jayaram (2023). *FRBC EC 2023-16*.
Opinion: For Black Ohioans, earnings gap drives wealth disparities. w D Carroll (2023). *Crain's Cleveland*.
The racial wealth gap and access to opportunity neighborhoods. w D Carroll & E Young (2021). *FRBC EC 2021-18*.
Measuring deaths from COVID-19. w K Tauber (2020). *FRBC EC 2020-18*.
What is behind the persistence of the racial wealth gap? w D Carroll (2019). *FRBC EC 2019-03*.
Neighborhood poverty and quality in the Moving to Opportunity experiment. w D Kolliner (2015). *FRBC EC 2015-04*.
Building infrastructure, physical and otherwise, in rural Haiti. (2012). *Blog Post*.

Public Outreach

Tutoring and Mentoring Programs · Sep 2023
· Sara Elaqad · Doing what it takes to support students
· Phillip Oreopoulos · The limitations of low-touch behavioral interventions / The promise of comprehensive support
· Matthew Kraft · Could tutoring be a standard part of the school day?
· Faye Gary · The Provost Scholars Program at Case Western Reserve University
Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) · Jul 2023
· Me'lani Joseph · An overview of STEM enrichment programs
· Daniel Zaharopol · An example of STEM enrichment programs
· Woodrow Whitlow · One STEM career serving as an example
· Basit Zafar · Encouraging STEM as a college major
Career and Technical Education · Jun 2023
· Shaun Dougherty · What makes technical education successful today?
· Tim Jones · Creating authentic experiences to excite students about career paths
· David Wintrich · What does it take to help workers upskill?
Exposure to Violence and Toxic Stress · Jun 2023
· Charles Cox · Supporting kids who face toxic stress
· Andrew Garner · How stress in children's lives can change their trajectories as adults
· Ruby Mendenhall · Public policy and toxic stress
The State of Racial Inequality in the US · Jun 2023
· Faye Gary · Overcoming racial discrimination: One person's story
· Dan O'Flaherty · The role of race in the labor market
· Richard Rothstein · Public policy and the formation of residentially segregated cities
Freeways and Access to Opportunity · Nov 2021
· Dave Amos, Robert Cervero, Jeffrey Lin, and Amy Stelly
The Racial Wealth Gap and Access to Opportunity · Sep 2021
· Ingrid Ellen and Ann Lott