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Bio

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Professor, Stanford Law School
- Hoover Senior Fellow, Hoover Institution
- Professor, Political Economy
- Senior Fellow, Stanford Institute for Economic Policy Research (SIEPR)
- Professor (By courtesy), Health Policy

Teaching

COURSES

2026-27

- Research Fellows Practicum: GSBGEN 697 (Aut, Win, Spr, Sum)

2025-26

- Health Law: Finance and Insurance: HRP 391 (Win)
- Health Law: Finance and Insurance: LAW 3001 (Win)
- Health Law: Finance and Insurance: MGTECON 331 (Win)
- Research Fellows Practicum: GSBGEN 697 (Aut, Spr, Sum)

2023-24

- Health Law: Finance and Insurance: HRP 391 (Win)
- Health Law: Finance and Insurance: LAW 3001 (Win)
- Health Law: Finance and Insurance: MGTECON 331 (Win)

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

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