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Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
Dissertation Title

Primary Field Development Economics
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BA with honors in Economics May 1992
Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA

Work and Academic Experience Professor of the Practice 2023- present
Associate Professor of the Practice 2014- 2023
Director of Undergraduate Studies 2017- 2020
Adjunct Associate Professor 2012- 2014
Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA

Research Affiliate 2012- 2022
South African Labor Development Research Unit (SALDRU)
University of Cape Town

Visiting Associate Professor 2010- 2012
Haverford College, Haverford, PA

Associate Visiting Professor 2009- 2010
Adjunct Professor (Spring term) 2007- 2009
Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies, Johns Hopkins University

Research Assistant (D. Sahn, Cornell Food and Nutrition Policy Program) 1999
Cornell University
Ithaca, NY

Economic Analyst/ Research Assistant 1996- 1997
LMEA and CES units
State of Washington, Olympia, WA

Economist 1995- 1996
U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (OEUS), Washington, DC

Math Teacher (US Peace Corps) 1992- 1994
Kaur Middle School, The Gambia, West Africa

**Published
Journal**

**Other
Analytical
Work**

“Methodological Report for the Labor Market Micro level Database (LMMD).” World Bank Document, April 2010

“An Introduction to the Labor Market Micro level Database (LMMD).” World Bank Document, Sept. 2009

“Labor Market Micro level Database (LMMD) Codebook” World Bank Document, Aug 2009

(with Alex Siemart).

Internal Draft Report

Internal World Bank Draft Co-authored or authored multiple chapters

**Working
Papers**

**“Informal sector employment and poverty in South Africa identifying the contribution of informal sources of income on aggregate poverty measures” (with Michael Rogar)
31 Research Project on Employment, Income Distribution, and Inclusive Growth Southern Africa Labour and Development Research Unit, University of Cape Town**

**“Labour Market: Analysis of NIDS panel data using Waves I and II” (with Murray Leibbrandt and Ingrid Woolard).
78 Southern Africa Labour and Development Research Unit, University of Cape Town**

**“Economists versus the Street: Comparative Viewpoints on Barriers to Self-employment in Khayelitsha, South Africa” (with L. Mrube, M. Oosthuizen, and L. Poswey).
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**Conference/
Working Group
Presentations**

**Informal Sector Employment Project (ISEP) working group presentation Cape
Town July 2016**

