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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Colby College

Assistant Professor, Economics Department
Faculty Affiliate, Environmental Studies Department

Fall 2018 - Present

Seattle Pacific University

Assistant Professor (2017-2018), Economics Department
Visiting Assistant Professor (2014-2016), Economics Department

Summer 2014 - Spring 2018

EDUCATION

University of Washington

Doctor of Philosophy in Economics

The Impact of Fisheries Reform: Property Rights Markets and the Drivers of Outmigration in Rural Alaska

Summer 2018

University of San Francisco

Master of Arts in International and Development Economics

2009

Westmont College

Bachelor of Arts in Economics and French

2007

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Natural Resource Economics; Environmental Economics; Development Economics; Labor Economics

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Anderson, C.M., **Meredith, J.**, Felthoven, R., Fey, M., (2018). The Distribution of Fishing Revenues Among North Pacific Regions and Communities. *Marine Fisheries Review* 80(2), 1-16.

Anderson, J.L., Anderson, C.M., Chu, J., **Meredith, J.**, Asche, F., Sylvia, G., et al. (2015). The Fishery Performance Indicators: A Management Tool for Triple Bottom Line Outcomes. *PLoS ONE* 10(5): e0122809. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0122809

Meredith, J., Robinson, J., Walker, S., Wydick, B., (2013). Keeping the doctor away: Experimental evidence on investment in preventative health products. *Journal of Development Economics* 105, 196-210.

WORKING PAPERS

Fish or Flight: The Impact of Transferable Access Rights on Rural Alaskan Salmon Harvesters *Under Review*

Drivers of Access Right Sales: Resource Volatility, Individual Shocks, and Access to Credit in the Alaska Salmon Fishery *Under Review*

Distributional Trends of Ownership in Alaska's Catch Share Fisheries *Under Review*
(with Chris Anderson and Ron Felthoven)

The Primacy of Infrastructure Investments and Property Rights in the Management of Global Fisheries
(with Chris Anderson, James Anderson, Jingjie Chu, and Martin Smith)

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Keeping it in the Family: Gender and Inheritance Norms in the Alaska Salmon Fishery

Boom and Bust: The Impact of Uncertainty and Price Expectations on Fishery Participation

Alternate Livelihoods in Coastal Maine: Seaweed Aquaculture and Methane-reducing Cattle Feed

Differential Impacts of Catch Shares and Limited Access Permits: Evidence from Halibut & Salmon

Fishing as Income Smoothing? Weather Shocks and Fisheries Participation in Tanzania

COMPETITIVE GRANT FUNDING

NMFS/Sea Grant Marine Resource Economics Fellowship, NOAA	2014-2017
<i>Fish or Flight: Modeling the Migration Decisions of Rural Alaskan Harvesters</i>	\$77,000
NOAA Alaska Fisheries Science Center	2014-2016
<i>Analysis of Trends in Regional Distribution of Revenue from Alaskan Fisheries</i>	\$25,000

SELECTED HONORS AND AWARDS

Social Science Division Grant, Colby College	2019, 2020
<i>Teacher of the Year</i> , Seattle Pacific University School of Business, Government and Economics	2017
<i>Lead Teaching Assistant</i> , Department of Economics, University of Washington	2012-2013
Hall Fellowship, Department of Economics, University of Washington	2011
Ensley First Year Fellowship, Department of Economics, University of Washington	2010
<i>Merit Scholar</i> , Partial Tuition Scholarship, University of San Francisco	2007-2009
<i>Monroe Scholar</i> , Full Tuition Scholarship, Westmont College	2003-2007

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2020: Eastern Economic Association Annual Meeting, Northwest Fisheries Science Center Seminar

2019: North American Association of Fisheries Economists Forum (NAAFE), Challenges of Natural Resource Economics and Policy (CNREP) Forum on Socioeconomic Research in Coastal Systems, Maine Economics Conference, Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting

2018: International Institute for Fisheries Economics and Trade (*Runner-Up Rosemary Firth Prize for Best Paper on the Economics of Gender*), Maine Economics Conference

2017: NAAFE (*Runner-Up Best Student Presentation Award*), Alaska Salmon Symposium

2015: NMFS/Sea Grant Annual Fellows Meeting (*Best Student Presentation Award*), Alaska Salmon Symposium, NAAFE

2014: International Institute for Fisheries Economics and Trade

2012 and 2009: Pacific Conference for Development Economics

SELECTED TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Colby College

2018-Present

Courses:

Environment and Development (EC343): Spring 2021

Principles of Microeconomics (EC133): Fall 2020, Fall 2019, Fall 2018

Environmental and Natural Resource Economics (EC231): Spring 2021, Spring 2020, Spring 2019

Water and Human Rights- A Reading Group (GS198): Spring 2019

Honors Thesis Supervision:

Carolyn Harney *Poaching and Technological Advancement in African Range States* 2018-19

Independent Student Research Supervision

Meghan Parker *Cost Benefit Analysis of a Campus-wide Reusable Mug Initiative* 2018-19

Seattle Pacific University

2014-2018

Courses:

Senior Capstone- Issues in Political Economy (ECN4899): Spring 2018

Principles of Microeconomics (ECN2101): Spring 2018, Fall 2017, Spring 2017, Fall 2016,

Winter 2016, Fall 2015, Winter 2015, Fall 2014

Integrated Topics- Economics of Climate Change (ECN2500): Winter 2018, Winter 2017

Intermediate Microeconomics (ECN3201/3102): Winter 2018, Winter 2017, Winter 2016, Fall 2014

Environmental Economics (ECN3500/4950): Fall 2016, Winter 2015

Macroeconomics for Managers (BUS6110): Fall 2016 *MBA Program*

Managerial Economics (BUS6210): Summer 2014 *MBA Program*

Honors Thesis Supervision:

Alex Donka *Non-Market Valuation of Economic Losses from Elk Poaching* 2017-18

Sydney Parker *International Macroeconomic Impact of Microfinance* 2017-18

University of Washington(*Independent Instructor*)

2012-2014

Courses:

Introductory Macroeconomics (ECON 201): Spring 2014, Summer 2012, Spring 2012, Winter 2012

Teaching Introductory Economics (ECON 602): Winter 2013, Fall 2012 *Graduate Pedagogy Course*

PROFESSIONAL RESEARCH POSITIONS

World Bank, Contractor, Africa Region, West Africa

2017-2018

Traveled to Guinea and Guinea Bissau to train regional staff in the implementation of ecological, economic and social fisheries performance metrics.

World Bank, Contractor, Agricultural and Environmental Services, Washington, DC

2013-2014

Assisted the fisheries research team with the collection and analysis of data from small-scale fisheries in Africa and Mexico. Travel to train local experts.

Innovations for Poverty Action, Evaluation Coordinator, Professor Bruce Wydick

2010

Conducted the field research for the Kenyan portion of a USAID-funded six country project examining the outcomes of a child sponsorship organization.

Innovations for Poverty Action, Principal Investigator**2009-2010**

Designed and oversaw a field experiment in rural Kenya to examine the influence that liquidity, peer effects, and health education have on demand for health products.

TECHNICAL REPORTS

- Meredith, J.** (2017). Guinea Bissau: Evaluation of the Environmental, Economic and Social Performance of Artisanal Fisheries. *World Bank Policy Paper*. 47pp.
- Anderson, J.L., Anderson, C.M., Chu, J., and **Meredith, J.** (2016). Fishery Performance Indicators Manual (Version 1.3). *Institute for Sustainable Food Systems*. 197 pp.
- Chu, J. and **Meredith, J.** (2015). Economic, Environmental, and Social Evaluation of Africa’s Small-Scale Fisheries. *World Bank Group Global Practice Policy Note 95557-GLB*. 54pp.

ACADEMIC SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Colby College Service

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| College Affairs Committee Member | 2020-present |
| Colby Environmental Advisory Group | 2019-present |
| Colby Economics Club Faculty Advisor | 2019-present |
| Environmental Studies Faculty Affiliate | 2019-present |
| Tenure track search committees in Economics (3 searches) | 2018-present |
| Environmental Studies search committee non-departmental representative | 2018-19 |
| Steminist Dinner Table Moderator | 2019 |
| Women in Economics Club Faculty Panel Participant | 2019, 2018 |

Seattle Pacific University Service

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| Co-Director, Undergraduate Economics TA Program | 2016-18 |
| Faculty Advisor, Omicron Delta Epsilon, Economics Honor Society | 2016-18 |
| Applied Learning Committee | 2014-15 |

Referee

Journal of Development Economics, Marine Policy

Member

American Economic Association, Association of Environmental and Resource Economists, International Institute of Fisheries Economics & Trade, North American Association of Fisheries Economists, Omicron Delta Epsilon