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CURRENT APPOINTMENT

Assistant Professor, Oberlin College Department of Economics, 2024 - present

PRIOR APPOINTMENTS

Gloria T. and Melvin J. (“Jack”) Chisum Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Pennsylvania, 2022 - 2024

EDUCATION

- Carnegie Mellon University, Ph.D. in Economics, 2022
- Yale University, M.A. in Economics, 2014
- Stanford University, B.A. in Economics with Honors and Distinction, 2010

PUBLICATIONS

- **Hyde, Timothy** and Dolores Albarracín (2023). Record-breaking heat days disproportionately influence heat perceptions. *Nature: Scientific Reports* [[link](#)]
- Bhattacharya, Jay, **Timothy Hyde**, and Peter Tu (2013). *Health Economics* (textbook), Palgrave MacMillan

WORKING PAPERS

- How do homebuyers adapt after experiencing a natural disaster? Evidence from the Florida real estate market [[link](#)]
- Partition at your own risk: Evidence on risk-taking prevalence and motives from the field (with Saurabh Bhargava) [[link](#)]
- How do risk perceptions change after a disaster? Evidence from flood-prone counties (with Caroline Hopkins) [[link](#)]

WORKS IN PROGRESS

- Do flood score displays educate homebuyers about flood risk? Evidence from an incentivized flood risk estimation task (with Dolores Albarracín)
- Behavioral erosion of private knowledge in insurance risk (with Saurabh Bhargava)
- Pricing the “Heat Katrina”: How do Arizonans perceive risk of power grid failure? (with Dolores Albarracín)
- A Bayesian model of conspiracy beliefs (with Javier Granados Samayoa and Dolores Albarracín)
- Anxiety’s role in amplifying concerns with contemporary environmental, health, and social crises (with Stephanie DeMora, Elizabeth Harris, Alon Kraitzman, Man-pui Sally Chan, and Dolores Albarracín)

- Belief externalities: COVID attitudes and altruism in the early days of the pandemic (with Nicholas Muller)
- Enticing biased insurance consumers in a model with asymmetric information (with Ali Polat)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Presentations:

- 2024: Oberlin College, Association of Environmental and Resource Economists Summer Conference
- 2023: Oberlin College, Wharton Summer Urban and Real Estate Lunch
- 2022: Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings (virtual), Northeast Workshop on Energy Policy and Environmental Economics, Association of Environmental and Resource Economists Summer Conference
- 2020: Association of Environmental and Resource Economists Summer Conference (virtual)

Referee Service: Journal of Human Capital

TEACHING

- Principles of Economics (Oberlin College, Autumn 2024)
- Behavioral Economics in the Wild (Carnegie Mellon University, Spring 2021, virtual)

PERSONAL

Citizenship USA