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EMPLOYMENT

2023 – Present	Assistant Professor of Economics, University College Dublin
2019 - 2023	Senior Lecturer in Economics, Queen’s University Belfast
Mar 2022- June 2022	Visiting Scholar, Geary Institute for Public Policy, University College Dublin.
Jan 2021- June 2021	Visiting Scholar, TRiSS, Trinity College Dublin.
2014 – 2019	Lecturer in Economics, Queen’s University Belfast.

EDUCATION

DPhil Economic & Social History	2014	University of Oxford
MSc. Economics	2010	Trinity College Dublin
B.A. Economics	2004	Trinity College Dublin

PUBLICATIONS

“Social housing and the spread of population: Evidence from twentieth century Ireland” (with Ronan C. Lyons), *Journal of Urban Economics*, (forthcoming).

“Should history change the way we think about populism?” (with Kevin H. O'Rourke), *The Economic History Review*, (forthcoming).

“Sterling’s Farewell Symphony: The End of the Sterling Area Revisited” (with David Jordan, Frank Kennedy and Jack Seddon), *The Economic History Review*, May 2023, vol. 76, no. 2, pp.415-555.

“175 Years of Mismeasuring Ireland? Some Traps Set by Historical Data” (with Alan Fernihough and Cormac Ó Gráda), *Journal of the Statistical and Social Inquiry Society of Ireland*, May 2022, 175th Session.

“Four Great Asian Trade Collapses” (with Alan Fernihough, Markus Lampe and Kevin H. O'Rourke), *Australian Economic History Review*, July 2021, vol. 61, no. 2. pp.159-185

“Representation of the People: Franchise Extension and the “Sinn Féin Election” in Ireland, 1918. (with Alan Fernihough and Enda Hargaden), *The Journal of Economic History*, August 2020, vol. 80, no. 3, pp. 886-925.

“Rise and Fall in the Third Reich: Social Advancement and Nazi Membership” (with Matthias Blum), *European Economic Review*, vol. 120, November 2019, 103312.

“When Britain Turned Inward: The Impact of Interwar British Protection” (with Alan Fernihough, Markus Lampe and Kevin H. O'Rourke), *American Economic Review*, vol. 109, no. 2, February 2019, pp. 325-352.

“The Anatomy of a Trade Collapse: The UK, 1929-33” (with Alan Fernihough, Markus Lampe and Kevin H. O'Rourke), *European Review of Economic History*, vol. 23, no. 2, May 2019, pp.123-144.

“Globalisation and Trade”. In Blum, Matthias, and Christopher L. Colvin (Eds.), *An Economist's Guide to Economic History* (London: Palgrave Macmillan, 2018). DOI: 10.1007/978-3-319-96568-0.

“Women Voters and Trade Protectionism in the Interwar Years”, *Oxford Economic Papers*, vol.70, no. 1, January 2018, pp. 22-46.

“Immigration and the Demand for Life Insurance: Evidence from Canada, 1911” (with Karol Borowiecki). *European Review of Economic History*, vol. 20 no. 2, May 2016, pp. 147-175.

“Political Extremism in the 1920s and 1930s: Do German Lessons Generalize?” (with Barry Eichengreen and Kevin H. O'Rourke). *Journal of Economic History*, Vol. 73 (2), June 2013, pp 371 – 406.

WORKING PAPERS/PROJECTS

“Managed decline? Muddling through with the sterling (dis)agreements, 1968-74” (with David Jordan, Frank Kennedy and Jack Seddon), QUCEH Working Paper no. 23-09, September 2023.

“Dangerous Overhang? The Effect of the Sterling Balances on UK Macroeconomic Performance” (with David Jordan, Frank Kennedy and Jack Seddon)

“Irish regional GDP estimates, 1926-1991” (with Seán Kenny)

“Public Health and Mortality in Twentieth Century Ireland” (with Ronan Lyons)

FUNDING & AWARDS

Funding

2018-2021 ESRC New Investigator Grant (£280,628) for the project "The Sterling Area Revisited: The Political Economy of International Economic Disintegration" (Joint with Dr Jack Seddon).

2018-2021 Queen's University Belfast Leveraged Studentship (£57,150) as part of ESRC project above.

2016-2018 BA/Leverhulme Small Research Grant (£2,430) for the project 'Representation of the People: Franchise Extension and the 'Sinn Féin Election' in Ireland, 1918' (with Dr Alan Fernihough).

Awards

2022 Sir Timothy Coghlan Prize - Distinguished Runner up for best article published in Australian Review of Economic History "Four Great Asian Trade Collapses"

REFEREEING

Review of Economics and Statistics, Oxford Economic Papers, Journal of Economic History, Economics & Politics, Explorations in Economic History, Oxford Bulletin of Economic and Statistics, European Review of Economic History, Economic History Review.

TEACHING

University College Dublin

Introduction to Macroeconomics (UG)
Economic Growth (UG)
Global Economic History (PG)

Queen's University Belfast

Lecturer across Undergraduate, Postgraduate and MBA programmes including CORE The Economy, Economic Growth, Global Economic History (MSc) and Global Economic Environment (MBA).

CORE Project: Produced the [Guide to Teaching CORE Online \(Unit 2\)](#) for the CORE project (December 2020) and contributed [an article on adopting CORE](#) to the Royal Economics Society Newsletter, January 2020.

PhD Supervision

David Jordan (PhD, 2019)
Oliver Parker (PhD, current)
Tiarnán Heaney (PhD, current)

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Research Affiliate, Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR).

Research Fellow, Geary Institute of Public Policy, UCD.

Research Affiliate, Centre for Economics, Policy and History (CEPH).

Research Affiliate, Queen's University Centre for Economic History (QUCEH).

Research Affiliate, Centre for Health Research at Management School (CHARMS).

Editorial Board, European Review of Economic History.

Council member, Statistical and Social Inquiry Society of Ireland.

Editorial Board, Journal of the Statistical and Social Inquiry Society of Ireland.

Program Committee member, 2022 Economic History Association meetings.

Economic History Association, Economic History Society, European Historical Economics Society, American Economic Society, Royal Economic Society

November 2023