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REFEREES

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RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Development Economics, Public Economics, Political Economy, Behavioral Economics

EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy, Economics (Australian National University)	2016-2020
Visiting Scholar, Global Poverty Research Lab (Northwestern University)	2019
Master of Arts, International and Development Economics (Yale University)	2011-2012
Bachelor of Commerce, First Class Honors in Politics (University of Sydney)	2006-2010

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Hoy, Christopher & Franziska Mager (2021) “Why are Relatively Poor People not more Supportive of Redistribution? Evidence from a Randomized Survey Experiment across 10 Countries” *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy* 13 (4): 299-328.

Hoy, Christopher & Franziska Mager (2021) “American Exceptionalism? Differences in the Elasticity of Preferences for Redistribution across the Atlantic” *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization* 192: 518-540.

Wood, Terence & Christopher Hoy (2022) “In the National Interest: Evidence from a Randomized Survey Experiment on how to Change Attitudes towards Foreign Aid.” *Economic Development and Cultural Change* 70 (2): 567-586.

Hoy, Christopher, McKenzie, Luke & Mathias Sinning (Forthcoming) “Improving tax compliance without increasing revenue: Evidence from population-wide randomized controlled trials in Papua New Guinea” *Economic Development and Cultural Change*.

SELECTED WORKING PAPERS

“How does the progressivity of taxes and government transfers impact people’s willingness to pay tax? Experimental Evidence across Developing Countries” (under submission)

“How does Information about Inequality Shape Voting Intentions and Preferences for Redistribution? Evidence from a Randomized Survey Experiment in Indonesia” (under submission)

SELECTED WORKS IN PROGRESS

“Support for horizontal equity of taxes” with Pierre Bachas (World Bank Research Department), Anders Jensen (Harvard) and Mahvish Shaukat (World Bank Research Department)

“Political Polarization, Wage Inequality and Preferences for Redistribution” (with Catherine Eckel (Texas A&M University), Phillip Grossman (Monash University), Dan Goldstein (Microsoft Research) and Lionel Page (University of Queensland))

GRANTS

ADB Impact Evaluation Committee (US\$600,000), World Bank Global Tax Program (US\$965,000) Oxfam (US\$150,000), Australian Aid Program (US\$55,000), University of Sydney Research Excellence Initiative (US\$26,000), Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL) (US\$12,000)

INVITED TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS

PacDev at University of San Francisco, CSAE at Oxford University, ADEW, ANU, World Bank Research Department, Institute for Fiscal Studies, World Bank Tax Conference 2022

World Bank Research Department, Asia Impact Evaluation Conference hosted by ADB, KDI and HKUST, University of Sydney, ANU, ADB, University of South Pacific 2021

CSAE at Oxford University, MWIEDC at Purdue University, IZA-World Bank-UNWIDER Jobs and Development Conference, OECD, University of Sydney 2020

MIT, NEUDC, CSAE, Paris School of Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison, UNWIDER, AEL (at DIW Berlin), ADEW, University of Sydney, QUT, ADB 2019

LSE, Oxford University, University of Tokyo, ADEW, University of Melbourne 2018

AASLE, University of Sydney, Innovations for Poverty Action, ADB, ODI 2017

WORK EXPERIENCE

World Bank Economist (Young Professional) 2020-22

Research Fellow (equivalent of Assistant Professor) at Australian National University 2020

Consultant with World Bank and Asian Development Bank 2016-20

Overseas Development Institute (Growth, Poverty and Inequality Program) 2014-16

UNICEF Uganda (Country Economist) 2014

IPA Uganda (worked for Dean Karlan, Greg Fischer and Meredith Startz) 2014

Australian Treasury and AusAID (Economist) 2011-14

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, World Bank Economic Review, World Development, Journal of Economic Inequality, Journal of Development Effectiveness, Bulletin of Indonesian Economics Studies, Asia Pacific Policy Studies Referee

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Poverty Reduction (Masters course), ANU, Lecturer 2019

Project Evaluation (Masters course), University of Sydney, Lecturer 2017-18

Poverty and Inequality (Short course), University of Sydney, Lecturer 2017

SELECTED PRESS MENTIONS

New York Times, Economist, BBC, Al Jazeera, ABC, Voice of America, UNU-WIDER, From Poverty to Power, Sydney Morning Herald, ABC Radio, Lowy Interpreter, World Bank Development Impact Blog, WEF, Channel News Asia, Guardian, Vox, CGD, ODI, Jakarta Post