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APPOINTMENTS

Associate Professor of Political Economy, Stanford Graduate School of Business, 2016 – present

Assistant Professor of Political Economy, Stanford Graduate School of Business, 2012 –16

Visiting Scholar, London School of Economics, September 2011 – January 2012

EDUCATION

Brown University, PhD in Economics (2011), AM in Economics (2007)

Harvard University, Master of Public Policy, Political and Economic Development (2003)

Northwestern University, Bachelor of Arts, English and Political Science (minor) (1998)

AFFILIATIONS

Research Affiliate, International Growth Centre (IGC), 2016 –

Affiliate, Bureau for Research and Economic Analysis of Development (BREAD), 2014 –

Affiliated Professor, Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL), 2013 –

Affiliate, Center for Effective Global Action (CEGA), 2013 –

Member, Evidence in Governance and Politics (EGAP), 2011 –

PUBLICATIONS

K. Casey and R. Glennerster, “Reconciliation in Sierra Leone,” *Science*, 2016, 352(6287): 766-767.

K. Casey, “Crossing Party Lines: The Effects of Information on Redistributive Politics,” *American Economic Review*, 2015, 105(8):2410-2448.

E. Miguel, C. Camerer, K. Casey, J. Cohen, K. M. Esterling, A. Gerber, R. Glennerster, D. P. Green, M. Humphreys, G. Imbens, D. Laitin, T. Madon, L. Nelson, B. A. Nosek, M. Petersen, R. Sedlmayr, J. P. Simmons, U. Simonsohn, M. Van der Laan “Promoting Transparency in Social Science Research,” *Science*, 2014, 343(6166): 30-33.

K. Casey, R. Glennerster and E. Miguel, “Reshaping Institutions: Evidence on Aid Impacts Using a Pre-Analysis Plan,” *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 2012, 127(4):1755-1812.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- K. Casey, R. Glennerster and E. Miguel, “Healing the Wounds: Learning from Sierra Leone’s Post-war Institutional Reforms,” forthcoming in African Successes: Government and Institutions, S. Edwards, S. Johnson, D. Weil (Eds). Chicago: University of Chicago Press.
- K. Casey, “Decentralization in Practice” in Decentralization, Democracy and Development: Recent Experience from Sierra Leone, 2009 Edited by Y. Zhou. Washington, DC: The World Bank.

WORKING PAPERS

- K. Bidwell, K. Casey and R. Glennerster, “Debates: Voting and Expenditure Responses to Political Communication”
- K. Casey, “Snap Judgments: Forecasting Politician Productivity under Limited Information”

SELECTED WORKS IN PROGRESS

- K. Casey, R. Glennerster, E. Miguel and M. Voors, “Two Approaches to Community Development”
- K. Casey, “Community Driven Development,” article invited, *Annual Review of Economics*
- K. Casey and E. Lazear, “Efficient Government”
- K. Casey and R. Glennerster, “Candidate Entry and Selection in Sierra Leone”
- K. Casey and T. Suri, “The Economic Impacts of Ebola on Firms”

AWARDS AND GRANTS

- John A. Gunn and Cynthia Fry Gunn Faculty Scholar for 2014-2015, 2012-2013
- SEED Faculty I-Award, (2014-present)
- Governance Initiative, Jameel Poverty Action Lab at MIT, Research grant (PI) (2011 – present)
- International Growth Centre, Research grant (PI) (2011 – present), (2014-present)
- National Bureau of Economic Research Africa Project, Research grant (PI) (2008-present)

PREVIOUS PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Evaluation Specialist, Government of Sierra Leone Institutional Reform and Capacity Building Project and the Jameel Poverty Action Lab at MIT (Sierra Leone), 2004-2006

Consultant, World Bank: Development Economics Research Group (Washington, DC), Fonds d'Appui au Développement Communautaire (Comoros), Africa Region Human Development (Madagascar), Community Driven Development Anchor (DC), 2003-2004

TEACHING

POLECON 231 Strategy Beyond Markets: Challenges and Opportunities in Developing Economies, Stanford Graduate School of Business

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Invited seminars and conference presentations

2017 (invitations): Harvard/Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Princeton, University of California Santa Cruz, World Bank, International Food Policy Research Institute

2016: Stanford Political Science, London School of Economics/University College London, Working Group on African Political Economy Conference (Stanford)

2015: BITSS Institute (Berkeley), DevPec Conference (Stanford), Global Development and Poverty Conference (Stanford), Institute of Political Economy (Barcelona), London School of Economics, National Bureau of Economic Research Summer Institute, New York University, Political Institutions and Economic Policy Conference (Princeton), University of British Columbia, University of California Berkeley, University of Michigan, University of Warwick, Working Group on African Political Economy Conference (University of Washington)

2014: American Economic Association Annual Meetings, BITSS Institute (Berkeley), Columbia University, University of California Berkeley

2013: Barcelona Graduate School of Economics Summer Forum, Center for Effective Global Action Research Retreat, Experiments in Governance and Politics Conference (Columbia), International Growth Week Conference (LSE), Stanford SCICN-CISAC-CAS, University of Chicago Harris, Yale University

2012: Center for Effective Global Action Evidence to Action Conference, University of California Berkeley, University of Pennsylvania

2011: Boston University, Center for Global Development, Dartmouth College, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, Institute for International Economic Studies, Stanford Graduate School of Business, University College London, University of Toronto

Referee services

American Economic Journal: Applied Economics; American Economic Journal: Economic Policy; American Economic Review; American Journal of Political Science; British Journal of Political Science; Econometrica; Economic Development and Cultural Change; European Journal of Political Research; Journal of African Economies; Journal of Development

Economics; Journal of Development Studies; Journal of the European Economic Association; Journal of Political Economy; Journal of Politics; Journal of Public Economics; Management Science; National Science Foundation; Political Communication; Population Research and Policy Review; Quarterly Journal of Economics; Review of Economics and Statistics; World Development.