

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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## EDUCATION

Sept. 2017 – Present Ph.D., Industrial Relations and Human Resources, University of Toronto  
2017 M.A., Political Science, University of Toronto  
2016 M.A., Economics, Queen's University  
2015 B.A., Honors Economics & Political Science with Research Specialization  
Option (High Distinction), Wilfrid Laurier University

## PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Koebel, K., and T. Schirle. 2016. "The differential impact of universal child benefits on the labour supply of married and single mothers." *Canadian Public Policy*, 42(1), 49–64.

## PAPERS IN FESTSCHRIFTS

Boadway, R., Cuff, K. & Koebel, K. Forthcoming (in press). "Designing a basic income guarantee for Canada." In E. Goodyear-Grant, R. Johnston, W. Kymlicka, & J. Myles (Eds.), *New frontiers in public policy: Federalism and the welfare state in a multicultural world, a volume in celebration of Keith Banting*. (Kingston: McGill-Queen's Press).

## WORKING PAPERS

Boadway, R., K. Cuff & K. Koebel. 2016. "Designing a basic income guarantee for Canada." Working Paper No. 1371, Department of Economics, Queen's University, Kingston.

## HONOURS AND AWARDS

2018 School of Graduate Studies Conference Grant, University of Toronto  
2017-2021 Faculty of Arts & Science Top (FAST) Doctoral Fellowship, University of Toronto  
2017 Faculty of Arts & Science Graduate Admissions Award, University of Toronto  
2017 University of Toronto Fellowship (UTF) Top-Up Award  
2017 Graduate Conference Travel Grant, University of Toronto  
2016 Academic Excellence Scholarship, University of Toronto  
2015 SSHRC J.A. Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarship - Master's Program, Queen's University  
2015 Tri-Agency Recipient Recognition Award, Queen's University  
2015 Award for Top Graduating Economics Student, Wilfrid Laurier University

2015 Laurier Centre for Economic Research and Policy Analysis (LCERPA) Undergraduate Research Award, Wilfrid Laurier University

## CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PARTICIPATION

### Invited Presentations

- 2018 "The Political Economy of a Basic Income Guarantee," North American Basic Income Guarantee Congress, McMaster University (plenary presentation and panelist by invitation, May 26, 2018)
- "Basic Income: Some Options for Canada," North American Basic Income Guarantee Congress, McMaster University (presentation by invitation, May 26, 2018)
- 2017 "Basic Income and Labour Supply," The New Economy and a Basic Income Guarantee Conference, Ryerson University (presentation and panelist by invitation, May 29, 2017)

### Conference Presentations

- 2018 "The Political Feasibility of a Basic Income Guarantee in Canada: Lessons from History," North American Basic Income Guarantee Congress, McMaster University (presenter and panelist, May 26, 2018)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### Teaching Assistant (Graduate Courses)

- 2017 *Centre of Industrial Relations and Human Resources, University of Toronto*  
Applied Statistics in Industrial Relations/Human Resource Management, Grading
- 2014 *Department of Business, MBA Program, Wilfrid Laurier University*  
Introduction to Microeconomics and Macroeconomics, Grading

### Teaching Assistant (Undergraduate Courses)

- 2016/2017 *Department of Political Science, University of Toronto*  
Research Methods, Grading and Leading Tutorials
- 2016 *Department of Economics, Queen's University*  
Canadian Tax Policy, Grading
- 2015 *Department of Economics, Queen's University*  
Economic Aspects of Selected Social Issues, Grading
- 2015 *Department of Political Science, Wilfrid Laurier University*  
Answering Questions in Political Science: Research in Practice, Grading and Leading Tutorials
- 2014 *Department of Political Science, Wilfrid Laurier University*  
Asking Questions in Political Science: An Introduction to Research, Grading and Leading Tutorials
- 2014 *Department of Political Science, Wilfrid Laurier University*  
Introduction to Modern Politics: The State, Grading and Leading Tutorials
- 2013 *Department of Political Science, Wilfrid Laurier University*  
Introduction to Modern Politics: Structures and Processes of Government, Grading and Leading Tutorials

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

### Research Assistant

- 2015      *Associate Professors Jason Roy and Christopher Alcantara, Department of Political Science, Wilfrid Laurier University*  
Aggregated Hansard data from the 40th Parliament for a study examining gender representation and women's issues in the Senate of Canada.
- 2014/2015      *Associate Professor Jason Roy, Department of Political Science, Wilfrid Laurier University*  
Created regression tables using Stata output. Conducted preliminary research for a large, SSHRC design and statistical modeling using SPSS.
- 2014      *Professor Tammy Schirle, Department of Economics, Wilfrid Laurier University*  
Examined the effect of the Universal Child Care Benefit on the labour supply of single mothers in Canada using Labour Force Survey data. Resulted in a published paper in peer-reviewed journal.

### Research Intern

- 2014      *Laurier Institute for the Study of Public Opinion and Policy (LISPOP), Wilfrid Laurier University*  
Database management and processing; preparation of reports, tables, and charts; management of social media tools (e.g., Twitter); tracking public opinion polls for seat projections; and data analysis, survey design and statistical modeling using SPSS.

## SCHOLARLY AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

### Referee

- 2017      *Canadian Public Policy (1)*