

# Nikolai Boboshko

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## Education

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**Cornell University**

Ph.D. in Economics

Committee: Francine Blau (*chair*), Michael Lovenheim, Evan Riehl.

Ithaca, NY

2016 – 2022 (*Expected*)

**University of Toronto**

B.A. in Economics (*high distinction*)

Toronto, Canada

2009 – 2014

## Research Interests

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Labor economics, education and history

## Publications

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**Business Cycle Shocks to Foreign Aid Flows.** (2016) *Procedia Engineering* 159, 3(2016): 326-328. Joint with Stan Veuger.

## Working Papers

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**The Effect of Tenure Laws on Students: Evidence from the Implementation of Tenure Systems in the 20th Century** (*Job Market Paper*)

**The Impact of Selection into the Labor Force on the Gender Wage Gap** (*with Francine Blau, Lawrence Kahn & Matthew Comey*)

**The Labor Market Outcomes of WWI Veterans: Positive Results Despite Limited Support**

## Works-in-Progress

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**Does Debt Lead to Crime? Exploiting Variation from Prisoners “Voluntary” Unemployment** (with Stan Veuger)

**The Minimum Wage and Wage Inequality**  
(with Francine Blau, Lawrence Kahn, Isaac Cohen & Matthew Comey)

## Conference Presentations

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Asian and Australasian Society of Labour Economists Workshop	December, 2021
Social Science History Association Annual Conference	November, 2021
EfEE PhD Workshop on Causal Analyses of School Reforms	September, 2021
IPUMS Data-Intensive Research Conference	July, 2021
Western Economic Association International’s Graduate Student Workshop	June, 2021
Humanitarian Technology: Science, Systems and Global Impact	June, 2016

## Research Experience

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**Research Assistant, Cornell University**

Professor: Francine Blau	August 2021 - Present
Professor: Lawrence Kahn	June 2018 - August 2020

**Research Associate, American Enterprise Institute**

Scholars: Stan Veuger & Benjamin Zycher	July 2014 – July 2016
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**Research Assistant, University of Toronto**

Professor: Shari Eli	Summer 2013 & Summer 2014
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## Teaching Experience

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**Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, Cornell University**

ECON 1110: Introductory Microeconomics (Spring 2018)  
ECON 1110: Introductory Microeconomics (Fall 2017)

## Professional Services

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Mentor (Diversity in Cornell Economics)	2021
Seminar Organizer (Cornell Graduate Student Association for Economics)	2018-2019
Mentor (Cornell Graduate Student Association for Economics)	2018-2019
Representative (Cornell Graduate and Professional Students Association)	2017-2018
Volunteer Consultant (Compass Pro Bono)	2015-2016

## Grants, Honors and Fellowship

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Sage Fellowship (Cornell University)	2016-2017, 2021-2022
Graduate School Conference Grant (Cornell University)	2021
Small Grant in Labor Economics (Cornell University)	2020

## Skills

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### **Programming**

Highly proficient in Stata; experience with ArcGis, Matlab, Python, and R

### **Languages**

English (fluent), Russian (native)

## Personal

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**Other interests:** Hiking, military history, board games, miniature painting

**Citizenship:** Canadian

**Civil Status:** Single, no children

## References

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