

## **JONATHAN MARK SHAW**

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### **PERSONAL STATEMENT**

A PhD economist, econometrician and causal inference expert with over 20 years' empirical research experience. My research has focused on the appraisal of government programmes and designing regulatory interventions in the UK and abroad, and has involved the use of sophisticated econometric and quasi-experimental methods. I have published in some of the world's leading economics and finance journals.

### **EDUCATION**

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| 2010 – 2016 | PhD in Economics (part time)<br>University College London                                 |
| 2002 – 2003 | Distinction in MPhil Economics (top in year)<br>Christ's College, University of Cambridge |
| 1999 – 2002 | First in BA Economics (third in year)<br>Christ's College, University of Cambridge        |

### **EMPLOYMENT**

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| 2018 –      | Technical Specialist – Economics and causal inference<br>Financial Conduct Authority |
| 2017 –      | Research Associate<br>Institute for Fiscal Studies (IFS)                             |
| 2017 – 2018 | Programme Director – Economic Data Science<br>Alan Turing Institute                  |
| 2013 – 2017 | Deputy Director<br>Tax Administration Research Centre (TARC)                         |
| 2006 – 2017 | Senior Research Economist<br>Institute for Fiscal Studies (IFS)                      |
| 2003 – 2006 | Research Economist<br>Institute for Fiscal Studies                                   |

### **SELECTED RECENT PUBLICATIONS**

- Grubb, M., Kelly, D., Nieboer, J., Osborne, M., and Shaw, J. (2025), 'Sending out an SMS: Automatic enrollment experiments for overdraft alerts,' *The Journal of Finance*, Vol. 80, No. 1, pp. 467–514

- Advani, A., Elming, W. and Shaw, J. (2023), 'The dynamic effects of tax audits,' *Review of Economics and Statistics*, Vol. 105, No. 3, pp. 545–561
- Levell, P., Roantree, B. and Shaw, J. (2021), 'Mobility and the lifetime distributional impact of tax and transfer reforms,' *International Tax and Public Finance*, Vol. 28, No. 4, pp. 751–793
- Belfield C., Boneva, T., Rauh, C. and Shaw, J. (2020), 'What drives enrolment gaps in further education?,' *Economica*, Vol. 87, No. 346, pp. 490–529
- Blundell, R., Costa Dias, M., Meghir, C. and Shaw, J. (2016), 'Female Labour Supply, Human Capital and Welfare Reform,' *Econometrica*, Vol. 84, No. 5, pp. 1705–1753

## **SKILLS**

- Advanced econometrics, statistics and causal inference using quasi-experimental methods
- Microeconomics, behavioural economics, competition economics and labour economics
- A strong interest in household finances and financial services markets
- Leadership of research teams to produce rigorous quantitative analysis on time and to budget
- Excellent written and oral communication skills
- Survey design and implementation
- Deep expertise with Stata, R, Fortran, LaTeX, Python, Git, Matlab, C/C++, OpenMP and MPI