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EDUCATION

2015 - 2016, *MPhil in Economics*, University of Cambridge 2012 - 2015, *BA in Economics*, University of Exeter

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2025 - Present, Vice President, Compass Lexecon, Washington DC

2024 - 2025, Senior Economist, Compass Lexecon, Washington DC

2021 - 2024, Economist, Compass Lexecon, Washington DC

2019 - 2021, Senior Analyst, Compass Lexecon, London

2017 - 2019 Analyst, Compass Lexecon, London

2016 - 2017, Consultant, FTI Consulting, London

SELECTED CONSULTING EXPERIENCE

Mergers and Acquisitions

Advertising industry (2024).

Lead the Second Request process during the investigative phase of a merger in the advertising industry.

Fracking industry (2024).

Lead the Second Request process during the investigative phase of a merger in the fracking industry.

• Large merger in the US groceries industry (2022-2024).

Economic support during the investigative and litigation phases of a merger in front of the FTC.

Auction Technology Group/LiveAuctioneers (2021, provision of auction services)

Economic advice to Auction Technology Group during merger proceedings before the CMA.

E.On/Innogy (2019, energy)

European Commission Phase II merger control proceedings.

Economic analyses of unilateral effects and assessment of remedies as well as extensive filing support.

DS Smith/Europac (2018, cardboard packaging)

Economic advice to DS Smith during merger proceedings before the European Commission.

Antitrust

Abuse of dominance (2018-2021, e-commerce)

Economic assistance during an Article 102 TFEU investigation into use of data and algorithms.

Abuse of dominance (2017-2020, technology)

Economic assistance during an Article 102 TFEU investigation into use of rebates.

Litigation

Heavy truck manufacturers (2020-2022)

Damage estimation for legal proceedings following an Article 101 TFEU infringement by heavy truck manufacturers.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Statistical Packages
 Proficient in Excel and Stata

LANGUAGE SKILLS

• English – Native