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2018-	Director, Future of the Middle Class Initiative, Brookings Institution
2015-	Co-Director, Center on Children and Families Brookings Institution
2015-	Senior Fellow, Economic Studies, Brookings Institution
2017-	Professorial Lecturer in Public Policy, Georgetown University
2012-2015	Policy Director & Fellow, Center on Children and Families, Brookings
2010-2012	Director of Strategy to the Deputy Prime Minister of the UK
2008-2010	Director, Demos (London)
2002-2008	Director, Intelligence Agency & freelance writer
2000-2002	Director of Futures, The Work Foundation
1998-2000	Social Affairs Editor, <i>The Observer</i>
1997-1998	Principal Policy Adviser to the Minister for Welfare Reform
1996-1997	Washington Correspondent, <i>The Guardian</i>
1994-1996	Economics Correspondent, <i>The Guardian</i>
1992-1994	Research Fellow, Institute for Public Policy Research
1990-1992	Researcher, Institute of Psychiatry, University of London

EDUCATION

2013	University of Warwick PhD, Philosophy
1990	Wadham College, Oxford University BA (Hons) Geography (First Class)
1987	Jack Hunt Comprehensive School, Peterborough, UK

AWARDS & PRIZES

- 2017 Politico Magazine: “Top Fifty Thinkers in the U.S.”
- 2017 Goddard Riverside Stephan Russo Book Prize for Social Justice – shortlist (for *Dream Hoarders*)
- 2014 Best Policy Study/Report Produced by a Think Tank (with Isabel Sawhill), The Lauder Institute, University of Pennsylvania
- 2008 James Tait Black Memorial Prize – shortlist (for *JS Mill*)
- 2008 C4 political book of the year – shortlist (for *JS Mill*)
- 2006 Columnist of the Year, Work World Awards
- 1995 Wincott Young Financial Journalist of the Year

OUTSIDE ACTIVITIES

- 2017- Member, Government of Canada’s Ministerial Advisory Committee on Poverty
- 2017- Professional Lecturer, McCourt School of Public Policy, Georgetown
- 2017- Adviser, American Family Survey

Received an honorarium for speaking from McKinsey and Company (2017).

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