

# Dr. Jason Furman

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Dr. Jason Furman is Professor of the Practice of Economic Policy at Harvard Kennedy School (HKS). He is also nonresident senior fellow at the Peterson Institute for International Economics.



He currently Chairs the Digital Competition Expert Panel for the UK Treasury. Dr. Furman was a top economic adviser to President Obama for eight years, including serving as the 28th Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers from August 2013 to January 2017, acting as both President

Obama's chief economist and a member of the cabinet. During this time Dr. Furman played a major role in most of the major economic policies of the Obama Administration.

Previously Dr. Furman held a variety of posts in public policy and research. In public policy, he worked at both the Council of Economic Advisers and National Economic Council during the Clinton administration and also at the World Bank. In research, he was a Director of the Hamilton Project and Senior Fellow at the Brookings Institution and also has served in visiting positions at various universities, including NYU's Wagner Graduate School of Public Policy.

Dr. Furman has conducted research in a wide range of areas, including fiscal policy, tax policy, health economics, Social Security, technology policy, and domestic and international macroeconomics. In addition to articles in scholarly journals and periodicals, Dr. Furman is the editor of two books on economic policy. He holds a Ph.D. in economics from Harvard University.

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