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Education

Ph.D.*	The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH Agricultural, Environmental, and Development Economics	*expected 2025
M.A.	The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH Agricultural, Environmental, and Development Economics	2022
B.A.	Dickinson College, Carlisle, PA Economics, Environmental Studies	2020

Research Interest

Fields: Development Economics, Environmental Economics

Working Papers

- Children of the Dam: Evaluating Impacts of Irrigation Dams on Children in India (Job Market Paper)
- Diet and Disease: Examining the Seasonal Determinants of Children's Health in Senegal (with Leah Bevis, Andrew-Thorne Lyman) under review in Food Policy
- How does Survey Timing Influence Apparent Wasting Trends (with Andrew Thorne-Lyman, Leah Bevis, Rebecca Heidkamp) under review in Current Developments in Nutrition
- Assessing the Impacts of Forest Fires on Children in Nepal: The Role of Community Forests
- Beyond the Ballet: Impact of Political Representation on Minority Households (with Jongeun Park, Ashish Adhikari)

Teaching Experience

AEDE 6130	Applied Quantitative Methods III ($Lead\ Instructor$)	Spring 2024
AEDE 2001	Food and Resource Economics (TA)	Fall 2023
AEDE 6130	Applied Quantitative Methods III ($Lab\ Instructor$)	Spring 2023, 22
AEDE 3130	Principles of Agribusiness Finance (TA)	Fall 2022
AEDE 4597	Food, Population, and the Environment (TA)	Fall 2021

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Awards and Grants

Bernie Erven Graduate Teaching Award Department of Agricultural, Development, and Environmental Economics	2023
University Fellowship The Ohio State University	2020
Environmental Studies Award for Excellence in Service and Scholarship Environmental Studies Department, Dickinson College	2020
Anthony Mach Scholarship Economics Department, Dickinson College	2020
Graduated summa cum laude Dickinson College	2020
Jeffrey Niemitz Research Grant Center for Sustainability Education, Dickinson College	2018
Conferences	
94^{th} Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting Washington, DC	Scheduled Nov. 2024
Camp Resource $Asheville, NC$	Scheduled Jul. 2024
2024 American & Agricultural Economics Annual Meeting New Orleans, LA	Scheduled Jul. 2024
20^{th} Midwest International Economics Development Conference University of Houston, TX	Apr. 2023
Fieldwork	
Challenges in Implementing Forest Gardens Fatick and Kaffrine, Senegal	Jun Jul. 2019
Impact of Urbanization on Farmers Kathmandu, Nepal	May - Aug. 2019
Campus Engagement	
AEDE Graduate Student Association, President The Ohio State University	Aug. 2022 - Aug. 23
AEDE Development Faculty Search Committee The Ohio State University	Nov. 2022 - Feb. 23
Alliance for Aquatic Resource Monitoring, GIS Technician Dickinson College	2019 - 2020

Technical Skills

Software: R, STATA, QGIS, Google Earth Engine, LaTeX, ArcGIS

Languages: English, Nepali (native), Hindi