

LIAM ELBOURNE

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Education

University of Oxford

DPhil in Economics

- Supervisors: Dr Elizabeth Baldwin & Dr Steve Bond

Oxford, United Kingdom

Expected Autumn 2027

University of Oxford

MPhil in Economics

- Degree Classification: Distinction

Oxford, United Kingdom

Summer 2021

St Francis Xavier University (StFX)

BBA Joint Honours in Business & Economics

- Cumulative Average: 93.1%
- Class Rank: 1st

Antigonish, Nova Scotia

Spring 2019

Research Experience

1. “Shocks to military support and subsequent assassinations in Ancient Rome” (with Dr Cornelius Christian, *Economics Letters*, 2018)
 - Media Coverage: *The Economist*, *The Telegraph*, *Smithsonian Magazine*, *LiveScience*, *IFLScience*!
2. “Extreme weather, experiential learning, and spatial spillovers in the climate opinion formation process” (Working Paper)
3. “On the measurement of a negative supply shock in cool-climate viticulture” (Work in progress)
4. “Climate change and experiential learning: A spatial analysis of opinion formation in Canada” (MPhil thesis)
5. “The impact of the financial crisis on the yield and volatility of Canadian bank stocks” (BBA thesis)

Work Experience

Management Consultant, Cascadia Strategy Consulting Partners

August 2021 - Present

Teaching Assistant, StFX Department of Economics

January 2018 - April 2019

Summer Analyst, CIBC Capital Management

May - August 2018

Research Assistant, StFX Department of Economics

May - August 2017

Awards and Funding

Postgraduate

- Rhodes Scholarship (full funding for graduate study at the University of Oxford)
- Bursary, Department of Economics, University of Oxford (2024-2026)

Undergraduate

- Dr. D.J. MacDonald and Dr. A.B. MacDonald Memorial Prize for Economics (highest graduating average in the StFX Department of Economics)
- ONEX Corporation Gold Medal (highest graduating average in the StFX Schwartz School of Business)
- Frank H. Sobey Award for Excellence in Business Studies (\$25,000)
- Larkin Memorial Award for excellence in academics, athletics, and community service

- Athletic Financial Award (\$35,000 total)
- In-Course Scholarship (\$11,000 total)
- StFX President's Circle of Young Alumni
- StFX Alumni Recognition Award (\$1,500)
- Dean's List (2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019)

Other

- Leader of Distinction, StFX Leadership Academy (2018)
- StFX Athletic Director's Award for Academic Achievement (2017, 2018, 2019)
- Governor General's Top 8 Academic All Canadian Commendation
- Academic All-Canadian (2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019)
- Student-Athlete Community Service Award, Atlantic University Sport (2018)
- Community X-Cellence Award, StFX Athletics (2018)
- ICAN Leadership Award for Outstanding Character (2018, 2019)

Extracurricular Activities

Outreach Ambassador, Rhodes Scholarships in Canada	January 2021 - Present
Varsity Athlete, First Team, Oxford University A.F.C	January 2020 - April 2023
Varsity Athlete & Captain, StFX Men's Soccer	Sept 2014 - April 2019
Vice-President, StFX Economics Society	April 2018 - April 2019
President, StFX German Society	April 2016 - April 2019
Facilitator and Public Speaker, Sexualized Violence Prevention	November 2017 - June 2021
StFX Certificate in Organizational Leadership	September 2016 - May 2017
StFX Student-Athlete Advisory Council	September 2015 - September 2017

Skills and Expertise

Programming & Software

- R, STATA, RATS (Regression Analysis for Time Series), QGIS

Areas of Expertise

- Applied econometrics; Statistical downscaling; Spatial data analysis; Spatial econometrics