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EDUCATION

2022 Ph.D., Agricultural and Resource Economics, University of California, Berkeley
2016 B.A., Mathematics and Economics, Williams College

EMPLOYMENT & AFFILIATIONS

2023- Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Illinois at Chicago
2022-2023 Postdoctoral Fellow, Harvard University Center for the Environment

RESEARCH FIELDS

Primary: Environmental Economics, Public Economics

PUBLICATIONS

2025 “Elasticities and Tax Incidence in Urban Ridesharing Markets: Evidence from Chicago,” *Journal of Urban Economics*.
2021 “The Congestion Costs of Uber and Lyft,” *Journal of Urban Economics*.

WORKING PAPERS

“For Whom the Bridge Tolls: Congestion, Air Pollution, and Second-Best Road Pricing,” Revise and Resubmit, *Journal of Political Economy Microeconomics*
“Road Pricing with Green Vehicle Exemptions: Theory and Evidence,” Revise and Resubmit, *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*
Misperceptions About Air Pollution: Implications for Willingness to Pay and Environmental Inequality, *NBER Working Paper 34116*

PRESENTATIONS

2025	UC Berkeley, ITEA Annual Conference, Online Spatial and Urban Seminar
2024	UIC, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, UC Berkeley Energy Camp, Georgetown University, 11th Annual Conference on Taxation
2023	UC Berkeley Energy Camp, AERE, Urban Economics Association, University of British Columbia, Harvard University
2022	UIC, University of Rochester, NYU Institute for Policy Integrity, NOVA SBE, The World Bank, Urban Economics Association
2021	UC Berkeley Environment and Resource Economics Seminar, NC State Camp Resources, OSWEET, UC Berkeley Law, Economics and Politics Center
2020	UC Berkeley Environment and Resource Economics Seminar
2019	Giannini Agricultural and Resource Economics Student Conference

FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS

2022	Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor, UC Berkeley
2021	Research Fellow, Law, Economics, and Politics Center at UC Berkeley; Berkeley XLab Research Grant
2020	Research Fellow, Law, Economics, and Politics Center at UC Berkeley; Berkeley XLab Research Grant; Sacheti Family Fellowship

TEACHING

UIC	Microeconomic Theory II (graduate), Environmental Economics (undergraduate), Honors Econometrics (undergraduate)
Berkeley	MBA Microeconomics (graduate), Intermediate Microeconomics (undergraduate)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Referee: *Quarterly Journal of Economics, American Economic Review: Insights, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Public Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, Journal of Environmental Economics and Management, Journal of the Association of Environmental and Resource Economists, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Economic Geography, Transportation Research Part C*

Faculty scholar, *Institute of Government and Public Affairs*