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## Education

### University of Minnesota

B.A., Economics-Quantitative Emphasis and Mathematics with High Distinction, *Phi Beta Kappa*, 2024

Ph.D., Finance, Carlson School of Management, 2030 Expected

## Research Interests

Macroeconomics, Finance, International Economics

## Selected Research Experience

Senior Thesis, Robot adoption and export product quality: evidence from the micro data of Chinese firms, Advisors: Erzo G.J. Luttmer and William Jungerman, University of Minnesota, 2024

Research Assistant to Josh Lerner, Harvard Business School, May 2023-May 2024

Research Assistant to David Rahman, University of Minnesota, Aug 2023- Jan 2024

Research Assistant to Hanzhe Zhang, Michigan State University, Jun 2022- Mar 2023

## Selected Honors and Awards

Graduate Student Fellowship, Carlson School of Management, 2024-2029

Undergraduate Paper Competition 1st place in the capstone category, University of Minnesota, 2024

College of Liberal Arts Waller Scholarship, University of Minnesota, 2023

International Mathematical Contest in Modeling(MCM), Meritorious Winner, 2022

Dean's List all semesters, University of Minnesota

## Other Information

Languages: English(Fluent), Mandarin(Native)

Programming: Stata, Python, MATLAB