EMILEIGH HARRISON

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EDUCATION

University of Chicago
PhD in Public Policy (Fields: Labor Economics and Econometrics)

Chicago, IL
2019 - Present
Graduate Studies
2018 - 2019

University of Wisconsin Oshkosh

Bachelor of Business Administration in Economics & Marketing 2015-2018

Oshkosh, WI

Manitowoc, WI

Minors in Math and Statistics

University of Wisconsin Manitowoc

Associate of Arts and Science 2013 - 2015

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant			•	y of Chicago
Applied Econometrics (PhD Course)	Winter 2020,	Winter 2021,	Winter 2022,	Winter 2023
Quantitative Methods in Public Policy (Head TA)			$Winter\ 2021,$	$Winter\ 2022$
Education and Economic Development				$Winter\ 2022$
$Advanced\ Microeconomics\ for\ Public\ Policy\ (PhD\ Cov$	urse)			Fall 2019
Math Camp for Incoming Harris Graduate Students				Summer 2019

Publications

"What We Teach about Race and Gender: Representation in Images & Text of Children's Books" (August 2023, Quarterly Journal of Economics) with A. Adukia, A. Eble, H.B. Runesha, T. Szasz

"Tales and Tropes: Gender Roles from Word Embeddings in a Century of Children's Books" (October 2022, Proceedings of the 28th International Conference on Computational Linguistics (COLING)) with A. Adukia, P. Chiril, C. Christ, A. Das, A. Eble, H.B. Runesha

"Measuring Representation of Race, Gender, and Age in Children's Books: Face Detection and Feature Classification in Illustrated Images"

(January 2022, Proceedings of the IEEE/CVF Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision) with T. Szasz, P. Lin, P. Liu, H.B. Runesha, and A. Adukia

Working Papers

"Category Embeddings Measure Intersectional Portrayals of Race and Gender" (Revision invited at Nature) with A. Adukia, A. Eble

OTHER WRITING

"What Award-winning Children's Books Teach Children About Race and Gender" (June 2023, Brookings Institution – Brown Center Chalkboard) with A. Adukia, A. Eble

Presentations

Association of Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM)	2023
$Zurich \ Workshop \ in \ AI+Economics$	2023
$Society\ for\ Research\ on\ Educational\ Effectiveness\ (SREE)$	2021, 2023
$UChicago\ Committee\ on\ Education\ Workshop$	2023
Association for Education Finance and Policy (AEFP)	2021, 2023
NBER Economics of Culture and Institutions Meetings	2022
$Midwest\ Political\ Science\ Association\ (MPSA)$	2022
$NBER\ Education\ Meetings$	2021

GRANTS

Becker Friedman Institute Political Economics Initiative Grant (\$2,000)	2023
Becker Friedman Institute Development Economics Center Grant (\$40,000)	2022
Becker Friedman Institute Initiative for the Study of Gender in the Economy (\$20,000)	2022
Becker Friedman Institute Political Economics Initiative Grant (\$7,000)	2022

AWARDS

Finalist for Women in AI Awards North America (AI for Good - ESG AI Leader of the Year)	2023
UChicago Research Computing Expo and Symposium MindBytes Data Visualization Award	2023

FELLOWSHIPS

National Academy of Education/Spencer Foundation Dissertation Fellow	2023
Committee on Education (COE) Fellow	2020
Doctoral Fellow at the Center for Data and Computing (CDAC)	2019

RESEARCH, SERVICE, AND OTHER EMPLOYMENT:

Pre-Doctoral Researcher at the Inclusive Economy Lab	2021-Present
Director of Natural Language Processing at the MilE Research Lab	2018-Present
Inaugural Co-Chair of First Generation Education Scholars AEFP Community Group	2021 - 2023
Co-Coordinator of the UChicago Committee on Education Workshop	2021 - 2022

Journal Refereeing

American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, Information Processing and Management

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: R (advanced), Python (intermediate), Stata (intermediate)

Other: LaTeX, Visual Studio Code, Adobe Illustrator