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EDUCATION:

Ph.D. Candidate, University of Virginia

Expected: May 2026

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M.A. Economics, University of Texas

May 2020

B.A. Economics and Mathematics, Vanderbilt University

May 2016

FIELDS OF INTEREST:

Public Economics, Applied Econometrics, Health Economics

JOB MARKET PAPER:

“The Causal Effect of WIC on Breastfeeding: Partial Identification with Regression Discontinuity”

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS AND WORKING PAPERS:

“Targeting with In-Kind Transfers and Fiscal Spillovers: Evidence from WIC”

“In-kind Transfers and Intensive Margin Participation Frictions: Evidence from WIC EBT”

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Teaching Assistant, Econometrics II (PhD)

Prof. John Pepper

Teaching Assistant, Econometrics I (PhD)

Prof. Denis Nekipelov

Teaching Assistant, Theory of Financial Markets

Prof. Edwin Burton

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS:

Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting

March 2025

RIDGE Partnership Interim Workshop

January 2025

Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management Fall Conference

November 2024

National Tax Association’s Annual Conference on Taxation

November 2024

Public Policy and Child Well-Being Workshop

March 2024

SELECTED AWARDS AND HONORS:

Bankard Pre-doctoral Fellowship

2025-2026

Radulovacki Fund Apprenticeship

2024

RIDGE Partnership Dissertation Fellowship Grant

2024

Snively Award for Best Dissertation Proposal

2023

UVA Quantitative Collaborative Student Fellow

2023-

Snively Award for Outstanding Second-Year Summer Paper

2022

State of Tennessee Hope Scholarship

2012-2016

SELECTED RESEARCH AND OTHER ACTIVITIES:

Student Tutor, Econometrics Core Examination

2023

UVA Quantitative Collaborative Student Fellow

2023-