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EDUCATION	<p><b>Ph.D. Health Policy</b>, University of California, Berkeley <span style="float: right;">expected 2024</span></p> <p><i>Committee:</i> William Dow (chair), Lia Fernald, Edward Miguel, Arun Chandrasekhar</p> <p><i>Dissertation title:</i> Maternal health decision-making in multigenerational households: Evidence from field experiments in India</p> <p><b>Master's in Public Policy (MPP)</b>, Georgetown University, Washington DC <span style="float: right;">2016</span></p> <p><b>BA Economics</b>, Lady Shri Ram College for Women, New Delhi, India <span style="float: right;">2012</span></p>
PUBLICATIONS	<p>Maya Adam, Jamie Johnston, Nophiwe Job, Mithilesh Dronavalli, Ingrid Le Roux, Nokwanele Mbewu, Neliswa Mkunqwana, Mark Tomlinson, Shannon A McMahon, Amnesty E LeFevre, Alain Vandormael, Kira-Leigh Kuhnert, <b>Pooja Suri</b>, Jennifer Gates, Bongekile Mabaso, Aarti Porwal, Charles Prober, and Till Bärnighausen. <a href="#">Evaluation of a community-based mobile video breastfeeding intervention in Khayelitsha, South Africa: The Philani MOVIE cluster-randomized controlled trial</a>. <i>PLoS Medicine</i>, 18(9) (2021), e1003744.</p>
WORKING PAPERS	<p><b>The role of the mother-in-law and social norms in the demand for maternal health services: Evidence from a field experiment in India.</b> (with Anushka Chawla). <i>Job Market Paper (available upon request)</i></p> <p><a href="#">Intergenerational Child Mortality Impacts of Deworming: Experimental Evidence from Two Decades of the Kenya Life Panel Survey</a> (with Michael W Walker, Alice H Huang, Suleiman Asman, Sarah J Baird, Lia Fernald, Joan Hamory Hicks, Fernando Hoces de la Guardia, Satoshi Koiso, Michael Kremer, Matthew N Krupoff, Michelle Layvant, Eric Ochieng, and Edward Miguel.) <i>NBER Working Paper No. 31162</i>. Under Review.</p>
SELECT WORK IN PROGRESS	<p><b>Investigating the role of family caregivers in postnatal care: Evidence from mother-caregiver dyads in India</b> (with Shirley Yan, Seema Murthy, Sahana SD, and Jamie Johnston)</p> <p><b>Evaluating the impact of a mobile phone messaging service for newly delivered mothers and family caregivers on postnatal knowledge and care: Cluster randomized trial in four states in India</b> (with Jamie Sewan Johnston, Saumya Singla, Shirley Yan, Adithi Chandrasekar, Victoria Ward, and Seema Murthy).</p> <p><b>Examining increased father involvement in postnatal care using experimental data from India</b>(with Gary Darmstadt and Jamie Johnston)</p> <p><b>Machine learning for maternal health: predicting maternal mortality using administrative data from India</b> (with Anushka Chawla and Jamie Johnston)</p>
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	<p><b>Intergenerational Child Mortality Impacts of Deworming: Experimental Evidence from Two Decades of the Kenya Life Panel Survey</b>, Research assistant for Prof. Edward Miguel <span style="float: right;">2020-2022</span></p> <p><b>Educate! Soft Skills and Entrepreneurship for Youth in Uganda</b>, Research assistant for Prof. Paul Gertler <span style="float: right;">2020-2021</span></p> <p><b>When Less is More: Experimental Evidence on Information Delivery during India's Demonetization</b>, Research assistant for Prof. Arun Chandrasekhar &amp; Prof. Emily Breza <span style="float: right;">2016-2017</span></p>

	<b>Effectiveness of Community Based Targeting under the Second Northern Uganda Social Action Fund (NUSAF2)</b> , Research assistant for Prof. Andrew Zeitlin 2014-2016	
<b>TEACHING EXPERIENCE</b>	<b>Cost-effectiveness Analysis</b> , UC Berkeley School of Public Health, graduate level. Teaching assistant for Prof. William Dow Spring 2023, 2024	
	<b>Public Health Aspects of Maternal and Child Nutrition</b> , UC Berkeley School of Public Health, graduate level. Teaching assistant for Prof. Lia Fernald Fall 2023	
	<b>Advanced Regression Methods</b> , Georgetown University, graduate level. Teaching assistant for Prof. Paasha Mahdavi Spring 2016	
	<b>Macroeconomics</b> , Georgetown University, graduate level. Teaching assistant for Prof. Edward Montgomery Fall 2015	
<b>AWARDS AND GRANTS</b>	Stephen M. Shortell and Leonard D. Schaeffer Health Policy Fellowship	2022-2023
	Aix-Marseille School of Economics Research Project Grant (with Anushka Chawla) (USD 33,000)	2021
	Schwartz-Efrusy-Levy Global Health Doctoral Fellowship	2021-2022
	Weiss Fund Exploratory Travel Grant (USD 4,254)	2020
	Berkeley Fellowship for Graduate Study	2019-2021
	Centene Corporation Scholarship (USD 12,000)	2019-2021
	Georgetown University Summer Travel Grant (USD 5,000)	2015
<b>CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS</b>	Stanford Center for Innovation in Global Health	2022
	Stanford Maternal and Child Health Research Institute	2021
<b>ACADEMIC SERVICE</b>	Abstract Reviewer, International Maternal Newborn Health Conference	2023
	Executive Committee, Division of Health Policy, UC Berkeley	2022-2023
	Graduate Admissions Committee, Division of Health Policy, UC Berkeley	2022
	Undergraduate Student Mentor, Social Sciences Research Pathways	2021-2022
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<b>OTHER</b>	Languages: English (native), Hindi (native), French (conversational), Spanish (basic) Programming: Stata, R, LaTeX, GitHub Citizenship: India (with work authorization in the United States)	
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