Justin Abraham

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Education Economics, B.A. with Honors

University of California, Berkeley

Research International development, behavioral economics, experimental economics,

Interests political economy

Papers "Evaluating the Impact of Community Development on Typhoon Resilience: Evidence

from the Philippines" with Solomon Hsiang; In progress.

"Using Lotteries to Encourage Savings: Experimental Evidence From Kenya" with Merve

Akbas, Chaning Jang, and Dan Ariely; In progress.

Presentations Bay Area World Malaria Day Symposium (2014)

Research Experience Research Specialist, Princeton University Department of Psychology (10/2014 – present)

Data management and analysis for a randomized controlled trial evaluating the impact of health insurance on informal workers; Designed and conducted behavioral experiments studying poverty and social preferences; Developed and introduced open science practices

for new and ongoing research.

Research Assistant, UC Berkeley Department of Economics (2/2013 – 10/2013)

Conducted literature reviews and model building for a forthcoming experimental paper on procrastination and self-control in online courses; Formulated a randomized experimental design testing volunteer recruitment and preferences for giving at Habitat for Humanity.

Research Assistant, UC Davis Center for Poverty Research (05/2012 – 08/2012)

Preliminary data analysis on a longitudinal study on the effect of business cycles on childhood development; Compiled a usable panel dataset from NLSY 1979 childhood data using Stata; Co-authored a grant proposal for the National Science Foundation.

Other

Graduate Student Writer, Center for Effective Global Action (02/2014 - 07/2014)

Employment Wrote project descriptions for CEGA affiliated research; Engaged in literature review of

projects on global development and impact evaluation; Maintained working relationships

with principle investigators on behalf of CEGA.

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