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Employment



- 2023 –  **Assistant Professor of Economics**, Anisfield School of Business (Tenure Track)
Ramapo College of New Jersey
- 2019 – 2023  **Adjunct Faculty**, Department of Economics
The State University of New York at Buffalo, USA
- 2017 – 2021  **Graduate Teaching Assistant**, Department of Economics
The State University of New York at Buffalo, USA
- 2015 – 2017  **Business Analyst**, Financial Service Analytics
Genpact, India
- 2015  **Research Assistant**, Department of Economics
Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta (IIMC), India
- 2014  **Research Associate**, Chamber of Commerce
Confederation of Indian Industry (CII), India
- 2014  **Research Intern**, Retail and Fraud Analytics
Orange Tree Global, India
- 2013  **Research Intern**, Climate Change and Globalization
Greenpeace, India

Education

- 2017 – 2023  **Ph.D. Economics**
The State University of New York at Buffalo, USA
Dissertation: *Essays on the Virtuous Cycle of Education and Economic Development*
- 2017 – 2019  **M.A. Econometrics and Quantitative Economics**
The State University of New York at Buffalo, USA
- 2013 – 2015  **M.A. Economics**
Jadavpur University, India
Thesis: *Espionage Game - An Experimental and Game Theoretic Approach*
- 2011 – 2013  **B.A. Economics**
Jadavpur University, India
Thesis: *Demand for Higher Education and Indian Student's Choice of Migration*

Research

Publications

- 2025  Bhattacharjee, Sandipa. (solo-authored) "Exchange Rate Volatility and International Students' Educational Choice: Evidence from the U.S.", *Eastern Economic Journal* (Forthcoming)
- 2025  Bhattacharjee, Sandipa. (solo-authored) "Do Compulsory Schooling Laws Affect Fertility Behaviors and Marriages? Evidence from India", *Review of Development Economics*

Research (continued)

Working Papers

- Under Review ■ Basumallik Soumak (*University of Colorado, Denver*) & Bhattacharjee, Sandipa. "Under-employed Workers Health: Evidence from States' Minimum Wage Levels"
- Under Review ■ Bhattacharjee, Sandipa; Alam, Shamma (*Dickinson College*) & Bose, Bijetri (*University of California, Los Angeles*). "Impact of COVID-19 Lockdown and Childbirth Delivery Care in India"
- Bhattacharjee, Sandipa. "The Intergenerational Effect of Parental Education on Child Health: Evidence from India"

Works in Progress

- Bhattacharjee, Sandipa. "The Effect of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) on Insurance Coverage by the U.S. Natives and Immigrants"
- Bhattacharjee, Sandipa & Bhattacharjee, Sharbani (*Oberlin College*). "Women's Empowerment in India: Evidence from a Conditional Cash Transfer (CCT) Policy"

Conference Presentations [Additional Roles: * Discussant, + Session Chair]




- 2025 ■ Southern Economic Association, Presidential Session, AEA CSWEP Session (*Florida*); Eastern Economic Association, AEA CSWEP Session (*New York*)*+; Eurasian Business and Economic Society (*Lisbon*)+
- 2024 ■ The Global GLO-JOPE Conference (*Maastricht*)*; The GLO Conference (*Berlin*)*; Western Economic Association International (*Seattle*); Midwest Economic Association (*Chicago*)*+; Eastern Economic Association (*Boston*)*+; Annual Conference on Contemporary Issues in Development Economics (*Jadavpur University, India*)
- 2023 ■ Midwest Economic Association (*Cleveland*)*+; Eastern Economic Association, CSWEP Session (*New York*)
- 2022 ■ Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management (*Washington D.C.*)
- 2021 ■ Southern Economic Association (*Houston*)*+; New York State Economics Association (*New York*)*+
- 2014 ■ Bengal Economic Association (*Lady Brabourne College, Kolkata, India*)

Workshop/ Seminar Presentations

- 2025 ■ Workshop on Wolfers & AI: Unlocking the Future of Economics Education (*Macmillan Learning*)
- 2024 ■ Workshop on Household and Development Economics (*Dickinson College*); From Grad to Greatness-Your Guide to Successful Teaching (*Macmillan Learning*)
- 2023 ■ Global Labor Organization (GLO) Seminar Series (*Virtual*); Summer Design Challenge (*SUNY Buffalo*); Celebration of Student Academic Excellence Poster Presentation (*SUNY Buffalo*)
- 2022 ■ Precarious Work: Health and Economic Threats Symposium (*California Labor Lab*)
- 2021 ■ Health Mentoring Workshop (*AEA-CSWEP and ASHEcon, Virtual*)
- 2019 – 2022 ■ Ph.D. Seminar Series, Department of Economics (*SUNY Buffalo*)
- 2013 ■ Young Economist Students' Meet (*Jadavpur University, India*)
- 2011 ■ Confluence (*St. Xavier's College, India*)

Research (continued)


Invited Research Talks

- 2025  Towson University; Bergen Arts and Sciences Charter High School
- 2024  Fordham University; Dickinson College; TedX Speaker-Bergen County Academies
- 2023  Capital One, University of Central Oklahoma; Ramapo College of New Jersey; Allegheny College; Washington College; The State University of New York at Oneonta

Teaching

2023 –  **Ramapo College of New Jersey**, Instructor

Level	Course	Type
300	Health Economics: An International Perspective	Asynchronous
100	Intro to Macroeconomics	In-person
100	Microeconomics	In-person






2019 – 2023  **The State University of New York at Buffalo**, Adjunct Instructor

Level	Course	Type
200/400	Intro to Health Economics	In-person
200/400	Intro to Environmental Economics	In-person
400	Microeconomic Theory	In-person
100	Intro to Macroeconomics	In-person, Hyflex, Synchronous
100	Intro to Microeconomics	Synchronous







2017 – 2021  **The State University of New York at Buffalo**, Graduate Teaching Assistant

Level	Course	Type
400/500	Economic Development	In-person
100/200	Money and Banking	Synchronous
100	Intro to Microeconomics	In-person, Synchronous
100	Intro to Macroeconomics	In-person, Hybrid, Synchronous

Awards and Honors

- 2025  Research Fellow, Selected by the GLO Board on exceptional performance as GLO VirtYS, 2023-2024 (*Global Labor Organization (GLO), Germany*)
- 2025  Research Fellow, Research and Engagement Academy (*Ramapo College*); Faculty Scholarship Funding (*Ramapo College*)
- 2023 – 2024  GLO Virtual Young Scholar (Selected as 1 of the 9 Fellows) (*Global Labor Organization (GLO) VirtYS Program*)
- 2023  Excellence in Research, Scholarship & Creativity Award (*SUNY Buffalo*); Three Minute Thesis Competition, People's Choice Award and Second Place Winner (*SUNY Buffalo*); Excellence in Art of Research (*Buffalo Museum of Science*); International Graduate Student Academic Excellence Award (*SUNY Buffalo*); ALANA Academic Achievement Award (*SUNY Buffalo*); Professional Development Research Fund (*SUNY Buffalo*)
- 2022  UUP Individual Development Award (*SUNY Buffalo*); SUNY PRODiG Fellowship, Department of Accounting, Economics & Finance (*SUNY Brockport*)

Awards and Honors (continued)


- 2021  Graduate Student Economic Association Fellowship (*SUNY Buffalo*)
- 2017 – 2021  Graduate Teaching Assistant Fellowship and Graduate Tuition Scholarship (*SUNY Buffalo*)
- 2016  Bronze Award for Exemplary Performance in Financial Risk Analytics (*Genpact, India*)
- 2015  Research Assistantship (*Indian Institute of Management Calcutta, India*)
- 2014  Research Fellowship (*Confederation of Indian Industry, India*)
- 2011  Paper Presentation Winner, Department of Economics (*Jadavpur University, India*); Student Lecture Winner, Young Economist Students' Meet (YESM), (*Jadavpur University, India*)

Refereeing








Journal Referee

- 2023 –  Journal of Health Economics; Journal of Population Economics (2); Journal of Quantitative Economics; PLOS One (3); PLOS Global Health (4); Journal of Business and Economic Studies (2); Journal of Human Capital


Book Review

- 2025  Bhattacharjee, Sandipa. "Health Economics: An International Perspective' 4th edition)" by Barbara McPake, Charles Normand, Samantha Smith, and Anne Nolan, *Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group*


Services

- 2025 –  Scholars Day Committee; Enhance Advisory Board; School Assessment Committee (SAC) for AACSB Accreditation (*Ramapo College*)
- 2024 –  Omicron Delta Epsilon, Chapter Advisor; Health Administration Major Planning Committee (*Ramapo College*)
- 2023 –  Phi Beta Delta, Chapter Advisor; Beta Gamma Sigma, Chapter Advisor; Undergraduate Student Advising (*Ramapo College*)
- 2023 – 2025  International Programs Committee; SAC Assessment Rater for AACSB Accreditation (*Ramapo College*)
- 2023  CAS Graduate Student Grievance Committee (*SUNY Buffalo*)
- 2022  Economics Graduate Student Association, Senator (*SUNY Buffalo*)
- 2017 – 2021  Economics Graduate Student Association, Vice President (*SUNY Buffalo*)
- 2018  International Student Mentoring Program, Volunteer (*SUNY Buffalo*)
- 2011 – 2015  FAS Student Representative; Heterodox Economics Student Association, Core Committee (*Jadavpur University, India*)
- 2013  Young Economist Students' Meet, Core Committee (*Jadavpur University, India*)

Student Engagement

- 2024 –  *Independent Study Advisor and Faculty Student Research Collaboration:* Amisha Singh (Economics Major, Summer 2025), Sevrin Marquez (Accounting Major, Summer 2025), Tina Nosrati (Computer Science Major, Spring 2025), Sadikshya Shrestha (Maths Major, Fall 2024, Spring 2025), Michael Hickey (Spring 2025), Avani Chaulagai (Fall 2024, Spring 2025), Lance Kirk (Fall 2024)



Student Engagement (continued)

2025 –  *Economics Senior Thesis Reader:*
Michael Mullane (Spring 2025)

Professional Affiliations

2025 –  Research Fellow, Global Labor Organization
2025 –  Member, Eurasia Business and Economics Society
2023 –  Research Affiliate, Global Labor Organization
2024 –  Member, Eastern Economic Association
2023 –  Member, Midwest Economic Association
2022 –  Member, Southern Economic Association

Skills

Languages  English (Proficient), Bengali (Native), Hindi (Fluent), Spanish (Beginner)
Coding  STATA, SAS, SPSS, Java, R, SQL, ~~La~~TeX, EViews