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EDUCATION

PhD in Economics, London School of Economics Advisors: Thomas Sampson, Swati Dhingra, Catherine Thomas Affiliation: Trade Programme, Centre for Economic Performance	2022-
MRes Economics, London School of Economics, Distinction	2020-22
MSc Economics (Two Year Programme), London School of Economics, Distinction	2016-18
BA Economics (Honours), St. Stephen's College, University of Delhi, First Division	2013-16

RESEARCH INTERESTS

International Trade, Macroeconomics

WORK IN PROGRESS

"Impact of barriers to trade in banking services: Evidence from the UK" with Sophie Piton and John Woods

"Trade in services and the Trade and Cooperation Agreement" with Swati Dhingra and Danyal Arnold

POLICY ANALYSIS

"Trading Up: The role of the post-Brexit trade approach in the UK's economic strategy" with Swati Dhingra, Emily Fry and Sophie Hale, Resolution Foundation, June 2023. Media coverage: Financial Times

"City of dreams no more: the impact of Covid-19 on urban workers in India," with Swati Dhingra and Fjolla Kondirolli, CEP Covid-19 Analysis, September 2020. Media coverage: The Guardian, NDTV, Bloomberg, Hindustan Times

AWARDS, GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

CITP Innovation Fund (Co-Investigator)	2024
UK in a Changing Europe Small Grant (Co-Investigator)	2023
LSE PhD Studentship, LSE	2020-25
LSE Economics Departmental Award, LSE	2020-25
Rohit Ranjen Memorial Prize (Best All-Round Student), St. Stephen's College	2016
N. C. Ray Memorial Scholarship (Part-scholarship for 3rd year), St. Stephen's College	2016
Goutham Krishna Research Fellowship, St. Stephen's College	2015

TEACHING

LSE, Teaching Assistant:

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- International Trade, EC338 (erstwhile EC315) (Undergraduate)	2021-
- International Macroeconomics, EC339 (erstwhile EC315) (Undergraduate)	2021-
- Introductory Courses in Mathematics for Micro and Macro, EC400 (Graduate)	2021-24

[&]quot;Innovation versus Adoption under Import Competition: Theory and Evidence from India"

- International Economics, EC351 (Summer School)	2023, 24
- Public Policy in Practice: Globalisation, PP4G9E (Executive MPA)	2023
- Global Market Economics, PP421E (Executive MPP)	2021, 22
- Intermediate Macroeconomics, EC202 (Summer School)	2021
- Macroeconomic Principles, EC210 (Undergraduate)	2017-18, 19-20
Guest Lecturer, Brexit, University of Minnesota Undergraduate Summer School in London	on 2023

PRESENTATIONS (* scheduled)

- 2025 Bank of England*; CGR Annual Globalisation Workshop, "10 Years of Brexit: Economic Impacts and Lessons Learned"; 23^{rd} Annual GEP/CEPR Postgraduate Conference
- 5^{th} Conference on Empirical Investigations in Services Trade; Bank of England; Conference on Trade and Welfare Effects of European (Dis)Integration
- NIER Workshop on the Economic Impact of Brexit; Euroshocks Workshop; 54th Money, Macro and Finance Annual Conference; Number 10 Policy Unit (invited); Conference on the Economic Effects of Free Trade Agreement; JIE Summer School in International Economics (poster); Bank of England

RELEVANT POSITIONS

Academic Visitor, Structural Economics Divisions, MA, Bank of England	
PhD Intern, Trade/Corporate Team, Structural Economics Division, MA, Bank of England	2022 - 23
Pre-doctoral Research Assistant, for Dr. Swati Dhingra, LSE	
Research Assistant, for Prof. Frank Cowell, LSE	2017-18
Research Intern, for Dr. Tarun Jain. Indian School of Business	2017

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Organiser, International Workshop,	Centre for Economic Performance, LSE	2023-25
Organiser, Junior Macro Workshop,	LSE	2022-25

LANGUAGES AND SKILLS

English (Fluent), Hindi (Native) Stata, R, Matlab, Python