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Education

Ph.D., Economics, Boston College	(Expected) May 2022
<ul style="list-style-type: none">President, Economics Graduate Student Association (June 2016 – May 2019)Tuition Waiver and Stipend	
M.S., Economics, Boston College	May 2017
B.S. and B.A., Mathematics and Economics, Union College (Schenectady, NY)	June 2015
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Summa Cum LaudeDepartmental Honors (Economics)Pi Mu EpsilonMerit Scholarship	
Exchange Term – IÉSEG School of Management (Lille, France)	Jan 2015 – Mar 2015

Doctoral Research

Working Papers	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">How Women and Men Choose Where to Live Based on Each Other's Expected EarningsThe Distinct Roles of Poverty and Wealth in Driving Crime (<i>with Lia Yin</i>)	
Work in Progress	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Sex Ratios, Wage Gaps, and Labor Force Participation in EquilibriumNovel Shift-Share Instruments and Their Applications	

Conference Presentations

Urban Economics Association 15th North American Meeting	Oct 2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Session Chair: Household and Firm Migration Decisions	

Professional Experience

Research Consultant, Boston College Research Services	Oct 2020 – May 2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Wrote guidance for statistical and analytical softwares.Helped students and professors with data analysis and research design.	
Research Assistant, Boston College Economics Department	May 2016 – Oct 2020
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Assisted professors with data cleaning, dataset review, literature review, research strategy, statistical softwares, and data analysis and visualization.	
Enumerator, U.S. Census	Sept 2020 – Oct 2020
Instructor, Econometrics Lab, Boston College	Jan 2020 – May 2020
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Instructed in-person and online classes on techniques in Stata.	
Teaching Assistant, Boston College Economics Department	Sept 2015 – Dec 2019
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Assisted professors with grading, review sessions, and student queries.	
Group Tutor, Calculus Help Center, Union College	Mar 2014 – Dec 2014
Private Tutor (Math, Statistics, Physics, Chemistry, Economics)	Sept 2006 – Aug 2015

Skills

Stata, Matlab, LaTeX, Linux Cluster, Python, Web Scraping, Java, R, Excel, Mathematica

References

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