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## Education

PhD Economics, Boston College, *expected 2022*  
MA Economics, Delhi School of Economics, 2015  
BA Economics, University of Delhi, 2013

## Research Interest

Labor Economics, Applied Econometrics

## Working Papers

Duration Dependence and Heterogeneity: Learning from Early Notice of Layoff (*Job Market Paper*)  
Understanding the Racial Employment Gap: The Role of Sectoral Shifts (*with Carter Bryson*)

## Awards & Grants

Donald J. White Award for Teaching Excellence, Boston College, 2021  
Conference, Research, and Professional Development Grant, Graduate Student Association, Boston College, 2020  
Full Tuition Waiver, Boston College, 2016-2021

## Research Experience

Research Assistant for Claudia Olivetti, Boston College, Summer 2018  
Research Assistant for S Anukriti, Boston College, Summer 2017  
Research Assistant for Sisir Debnath, Indian School of Business, 2015-2016

## Teaching Experience (at Boston College)

Lab Instructor, R Bootcamp (graduate), Summer 2021  
Lab Instructor, Statistics (undergraduate), Fall 2020 & Spring 2021  
Instructor, Statistics (undergraduate), Spring 2020  
Lab Instructor, Econometrics (undergraduate), Fall 2018 & Spring 2019  
Instructor, Math Camp (graduate), Summer 2018, 2019 & 2020  
Teaching Assistant, Micro Theory (graduate), Fall 2017 & Spring 2018

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## Presentations

BU/BC Greenline Econometrics Workshop (2021), Boston College Macro Lunch (Fall 2021), Boston College Dissertation Workshop, 15th North American Meeting of the Urban Economics Association\*, Warwick Economics PhD Conference (2021), Bavarian Young Economist's Meeting (2021), Southern Economic Association (2020)

## Workshop & Seminar Attendance

New England Future Faculty Workshop (2021), NBER Economic Fluctuations and Growth Meeting, New York (2020), NBER Summer Institute, Boston (2019), 14th Meeting of the Urban Economics Association, Philadelphia (2019)

## Professional Service

Organizer, Labor Reading Group, Boston College (Fall 2019)  
Treasurer, Graduate Pride Alliance, Boston College (2017-2019)

## Other Information

**Software Skills:** Matlab, R, Stata, Python,  $\LaTeX$

**Certificates:** The Apprenticeship in College Teaching Program, Center of Teaching Excellence, Boston College

## References

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