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EDUCATION	**PhD. Public Policy (Economics Track)**, Harvard University	(Incoming Fall 2023)
	MPA. Economics & Public Policy, Princeton University	2020
	B.A. Economics & Political Science, Cornell University	2016

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Development Data Lab, Washington DC & New Delhi (India) — 2020–2023
- India Director (2021–2023)
- Predoctoral Research Associate (2020–2021)

Evidence Action, Washington DC — 2019
Beta Incubator: Graduate Summer Intern

J-PAL South Asia, Bhopal, New Delhi & Chennai (India) — 2017–2019
Research Associate on education–focused Randomized Evaluations (RCTs).

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Associate — 2016–2020
- RCT of a teacher training program in Nepal (PIs: Profs. Paul Glewwe & Julie Schaffner)
- RCT of a Growth Mindset intervention at scale in Argentina (PI: Prof. Alejandro Ganimian)
- RCT of early childhood development interventions in Tamil Nadu, India (PIs: Profs. Karthik Muralidharan, Chris Walters & Alejandro Ganimian)
- RCT of a school governance intervention in Madhya Pradesh, India (PIs: Profs. Karthik Muralidharan & Abhijeet Singh)

PUBLICATIONS

[1] **Excess mortality in India from June 2020 to June 2021 during the COVID pandemic: Death registration, health facility deaths, and survey data**
*Yashwant Deshmukh, Wilson Suraweera, Chinmay Tumbe, **Aditi Bhowmick**, Sankalp Sharma, Paul Novosad, Sze Hang Fu, Leslie Newcombe, Hellen Gelband, Patrick Brown, Prabhat Jha* **Science, 2022:** Link

[2] **English proficiency, Gender and the Occupations of childhood immigrants in the US** *With Alicia Adsera.* **Journal of Labor Research, 2022:** Link

[3] **Big, Open Data for Development: A Vision for India**
*Sam Asher, **Aditi Bhowmick**, Alison Campion, Tobias Lunt, Paul Novosad* **India Policy Forum, 2021:** Link

WORKING PAPERS

[1] **In-group bias in the Indian judiciary: Evidence from 5 million criminal cases**
*Elliott Ash, Sam Asher, **Aditi Bhowmick**, Sandeep Bhupatiraju, Daniel Chen, Tanaya Devi, Christoph Goessmann, Paul Novosad, Bilal Siddiqi.* **R&R at REStat, 2023.** Link.

[2] **Cultural Capital and Economic Opportunity** *Sam Asher, **Aditi Bhowmick**, Paul Novosad.* **Working paper, 2023.**

[3] **Intergenerational Mobility in South Asia**
*Sam Asher, **Aditi Bhowmick**, Maurizio Bussolo, Paul Novosad.* **Working paper, 2022.**

OTHER PROJECTS	**Maiden India**: A Story of India Pre and Post-1991 from a 29-Year-Old Female Gaze. Link.	2023
	Expanding Opportunities: A Map for Equitable Growth in South Asia: Joint work with the World Bank South Asia Chief Economist's Office. Link.	2023
	Effects of COVID-19 on Rural Households in India: Joint work with ID Insight and the World Bank. Link.	2020

CONFERENCES & SEMINARS	*Pacific Conference for Development Economics.* CEGA & University of San Francisco.	2022
	Fair February: Data Science for Social Justice. Brown University.	2022
	CITAPP Seminar Series. IIIT Bangalore.	2022
	Applied Development Economics Conference. Lahore School of Economics.	2021
	Discrimination and Diversity Workshop. University of East Anglia.	2021
	Winter School. Delhi School of Economics.	2020

GRANTS	**STEG Large Research Grant:** Structural Transformation and Gender Norms in the Long Run *With Sam Asher, Rebecca Cai and Paul Novosad.*	2021–2023
	World Bank South Asia: Determinants of Intergenerational Mobility in India *With Sam Asher and Paul Novosad.*	2022–2023
	Indo–Swiss Joint Research Program: Big Data for Justice Research in India *With Elliott Ash, Sam Asher, Aparna Chandra, Mrinal Satish and Paul Novosad.*	2022–2025

OP-EDS	**The Open Justice data revolution,** *Bar and Bench*	Feb 2021
	In India's lower judiciary, the absence of in-group bias, *Hindustan Times*	Jan 2021
	How did India's rural economy fare through the COVID-19 lockdown and the re-opening? *World Bank blogs*	Sep 2020
	The Exemplar Effect: More female teachers may bridge the gender gap in schools, *The Indian Express*	Oct 2017
	Digitally empowering women in rural India, *Livemint*	Sep 2018

OTHER	**Languages** Bengali (*native*), Hindi, English
	Software Stata, GitHub, Python (*beginner*), Markdown, Emacs, LaTeX, Jupyter Notebook, SurveyCTO