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EDUCATION	Ph.D. in Economics, <b>McGill University</b> , Montreal, Canada <b>Dissertation Title:</b> <i>Learning and Technology Adoption in Developing Countries</i> <b>Committee:</b> Sonia Laszlo (Supervisor), Francesco Amodio (Co-Supervisor), Matthieu Chemin.	2023
	M.Sc. in Economics, <b>University of Calcutta</b> , Kolkata, India	2016
	B.Sc. in Economics (Honours), <b>R.K.M.R College Narendrapur</b> , Kolkata, India	2014
RESEARCH FIELDS	Development Economics, Information Economics, Applied Microeconomics.	
WORKING PAPERS	<p>“Lessons from the Past: How Experience Reduces the Impact of Weather Shocks on Ugandan Small-holders,” October 2024. (with Giuseppe Maggio and Fabio G. Santeramo)</p> <p>“The Role of Active Discussion in Learning about Uncertain Technologies,” October 2024. (with Javier Escobal, Sonia Laszlo, and Jim Warnick)</p> <p>“Inefficiency in Agricultural Production: Do Information Frictions Matter?” September 2024. (with Digvijay Singh Negi and Rahul Rao)</p> <p>“Network-Based Targeting with Heterogeneous Agents for Improving Technology Adoption,” March 2024. [<b>Under Review</b>]</p> <p>“The Role of Experience in Learning for Index Insurance Products: Evidence from Rural Kenya,” March 2023.</p>	
WORK-IN-PROGRESS	“Testing Alternative Models of Informal Risk Sharing with Data from Tsimane’ Villages.” (with Francesco Amodio and Pau Milán)	
BOOK CHAPTERS	“Food Insecurity, Price Volatility and Trade: A Panel Data Analysis in Developing Countries,” <i>Chapter-10 in Indian Agriculture under Multilateral and Regional Trade Agreements - Competitiveness and Food Security</i> , Sharma and Bathla (eds.), CWS in association with Bookwell, Delhi, 2017, 177-194. (with Panchanan Das and Swayambhu Mukherjee)	
OTHER PAPERS	“Industrial Performance in West Bengal: Analysis of Technical Efficiency with ASI Data,” August 2016. (with Panchanan Das and Swayambhu Mukherjee)	

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS	<p>2024: Young Scholars' Best Paper Award by the CITD, JNU in the International Conference on "Recent Developments in Economic Research: Theory and Evidence."</p> <p>2023: Ahmedabad University Conference Travel Support.</p> <p>2022: Graduate Research Enhancement and Travel (GREAT) Award, Faculty of Arts, McGill University; Conference Student Travel Grant, Canadian Economics Association (CEA).</p> <p>2019: McCall MacBain Fellowship, McGill University.</p> <p>2018-2022: Doctoral Fellowship, McGill University.</p> <p>2017-2021: Graduate Excellence Award, McGill University.</p> <p>2014: Prof. D. Datta Memorial Prize for First Class (First Position) in Economic Honours, R.K.M.R College Narendrapur.</p>
PRESENTATIONS	<p>2025: 2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting of Young Minds at IIT Bombay, Mumbai, Maharashtra, India (scheduled);</p> <p>2024: 19<sup>th</sup> ACEGD at ISI-Delhi, New Delhi, Delhi, India (scheduled);  Winter School 2024 at DSE, New Delhi, Delhi, India (scheduled);  8th Annual CECFEE Research and Policy Workshop, Khajuraho, MP, India;  IIMB Seminar Series at IIM Bangalore, Bangalore, Karnataka, India;  Economics Department Seminar at Ashoka University, Sonipat, Haryana, India;  CIREQ Lunch Seminar at McGill University, Montreal, QC, Canada;  Empirical Reading Group Presentation at ISI-Delhi, New Delhi, Delhi, India;  International Conference at CITD, JNU, New Delhi, Delhi, India.</p> <p>2023: 18<sup>th</sup> ACEGD at ISI-Delhi, New Delhi, Delhi, India;  BREW-ESA 2023 at IIT Bombay, Mumbai, Maharashtra, India;  NEUDC Conference at Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, USA;  AMSOM Research Seminar Series at Ahmedabad University, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India;  Far Siders Development Seminar (FSDS), Virtual;  Annual Meeting of the CEA, Virtual Session;  18<sup>th</sup> CIREQ PhD Students' Conference at Concordia University, Montreal, QC, Canada.</p> <p>2022: McGill CPD-SSPD Seminar at McGill University, Montreal, QC, Canada;  17<sup>th</sup> CIREQ PhD Students' Conference at Concordia University, Montreal, QC, Canada;  Annual Meeting of the CEA at Carleton University, Ottawa, ON, Canada;  CIREQ Lunch Seminars at McGill University, Montreal, QC, Canada.</p> <p>2015: CWS-IIFT Conference at IIFT, New Delhi, Delhi, India.</p>
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	<p><b>Referee Services</b>  Journal of the European Economic Association, Economics of Education Review, Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Arthaniti- Journal of Economic Theory and Practice, Journal of Advances in Management Research</p> <p><b>Other Services</b>  Member, Organizing Committee, 6th Annual Economics Conference, Ahmedabad University;  Chair, Social Media Committee, AMSOM, Ahmedabad University, 2024-Present;  Member, MA (Economics) Curriculum Design Committee, AMSOM, Ahmedabad University, 2023;  Organizer, Applied Micro Breakfast, Dept. of Economics, McGill University, 2020-2021.</p>
LANGUAGES	Bengali (native), Hindi (native), English (fluent).
SKILLS	Stata, R, Python, EViews, Matlab, $\text{\LaTeX}$