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# **EDUCATION**

# Stanford Graduate School of Business

2019 - Present

PhD in Economic Analysis and Policy, Expected 2024

# Stanford University

2015 - 2019

BS in Mathematics

# WORKING PAPERS

- 1. "Experienced Segregation" with Susan Athey, Matthew Gentzkow and Tobias Schmidt.
- 2. "Economic and Health Impacts of Social Distancing Policies During the Coronavirus Pandemic" with Hunt Allcott, Levi Boxell, Jacob Conway, Matthew Gentzkow, and Benny Goldman.

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### Stanford Graduate School of Business

June 2017 - Present

Research with Susan Athey and Matt Gentzkow Measuring Racial Segregation with GPS Data

# Stanford Institute for Economic Policy Research

June 2016 - October 2017

Research Assistantships for Amit Seru on Financial Regulation, Raj Chetty on the Effect of Income Inequality in Facebook Social Networks, and Mark Duggan and Steve Ballmer on Government Data Access

# Social Security Administration

July 2018 - September 2018

Developing Predictive Algorithms for Optimally Allocating SSI Redeterminations

# GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

The Institutional Venture Partners Fellowship

Stanford in Government Stipend

Undergraduate Advising and Research Major Grant

#### REFEREE SERVICE

Journal of Public Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics

# TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

Computer Languages

R, Python, SQL, C++, Java

Software & Tools

LATEX, LyX, Keras, Tensorflow, Stata