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## Education

Ph.D. University of Groningen, *Expected 2027*  
Economics

M.Sc. (Research) London School of Economics, 2023  
Economic History, Distinction

## Research Interests

Economic History, Political Economy, Development Economics and Organisational Economics

## Working Papers

“Resisting reform in the public sector: theory and historical evidence from the UK”

“Regional Identity in Organisations: Evidence from the Western Front of WWI”

“Did pandemics cause mistrust during colonialism? Evidence from annual vaccination records in Colonial India”

## Ongoing Research Projects

Building local institutions in colonial Nigeria

The consequences of colonial vaccination in India

## Awards

2025 Economic History Association Early Stage Dissertation Grant

2023 The Hunt Prize - Best MSc Dissertation (Research) LSE

## Language Skills

Technical: Stata, Python

Spoken: English (native)