Benjamin T. Pirie

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Education

Ph.D. Economics, University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)

M.A. Economics, University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)

B.A. Economics, University of California, Berkeley (UCB)

2022

Professional Experience

Economist Intern, Amazon, Seattle, WA Summer 2024

Research Analyst, The Brattle Group, San Francisco, CA 2018–2020

Research

Works in Progress

"Delivering New Cities: The Effect of E-Commerce Warehouses on Household Travel and City Structure"

"Migration and Political Alignment" with Stuart Gabriel and Gregor Schubert

"The Costs of Commuting: Identifying the Effect of Transit Subsidies on Employment"

"Digital Nomads and Transnational Gentrification: A Case Study of Mexico City" with Jose Antonio Inguanzo Gonzalez

Research Assistance

Research Assistant for Gregor Schubert (UCLA, Anderson)	Summer 2023
Research Assistant for Claire Lim (QMUL) and Bernardo Silveira (UCLA)	Summer 2021
Undergraduate Research Apprentice for Clayton Critcher (UCB, Haas)	2017

Teaching

TA Consultant – UCLA Department of Economics 2023 – present

Teaching Assistant

Data Science for Economists – UCLA Econ 104	Spring 2024
Introduction to Personal Finance – UCLA Econ 12	Spring 2023
Microeconomic Theory – UCLA Econ 101	Winter 2023
Introduction to Econometrics – UCLA Econ 103	Fall 2021 – Fall 2022

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Grants, Honors, and Awards

Departmental Teaching Assistant Award (UCLA)	Fall 2022
Graduate Summer Research Mentorship (UCLA)	Summer 2022
Departmental Teaching Assistant Award (UCLA)	Winter 2022
Department of Economics Fellowship (UCLA)	2020 - 2021
Dean's List (UCB)	2017
Phi Beta Kappa	

Skills

Computational

 $\operatorname{SQL},$ R, STATA, Python, GIS, LaTeX, Git

Languages

English (native), French (intermediate), Spanish (beginner)

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