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EDUCATION

	Princeton University – Princeton, NJ, USA.
present 2020	Ph.D. Candidate in Economics, co-advised by Profs. Leah BOUSTAN & Ilyana KUZIEMKO. M.A., Economics.
	Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania – Pennsylvania, PA, USA.
2022-2023	Visiting PhD Student, IvyPlus Exchange Scholar Program.
	Sciences Po – Paris, France.
2015	M.A., <i>Summa Cum Laude</i> (top 2%), Economics.
2013	B.A., <i>Cum Laude</i> (top 10% in academic year 2011-2012), Economics.
	University of Texas at Austin – Austin, TX, USA.
2012-2013	Visiting Student, major in Economics, <i>Dean's Honor List</i> , <i>Cum Laude Ampla et Magna</i> (Spring 2013) & <i>University Honors</i> (Fall 2012 & Spring 2013).

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

2023-present	Research Scientist, supervised by Annette JACOBY, <i>Prosperity Now</i> (since Summer 2023).
Summer 2022	Economist Intern, supervised by Mingyu CHEN, <i>Amazon.com</i> (3 months).
Summer 2019	Research Assistant for Prof. Leah BOUSTAN, <i>Princeton University</i> (3 months).
2016-2018	Research Assistant for Prof. Rebecca DIZON-ROSS, <i>University of Chicago</i> (25 months).
2015-2016	Research Assistant for Prof. Ruben DURANTE, <i>Sciences Po</i> (10 months).
Summer 2015	Research Assistant for Prof. Quoc-Anh DO and Prof. Élise HUILLERY, <i>Sciences Po</i> (2 months).
Summer 2014	Intern, supervised by Yuri BELFALI and Marco KOOLS, <i>OECD</i> (3 months).
Summer 2012	Research Assistant for Prof. Ruben DURANTE, <i>Sciences Po</i> (2 months).

TEACHING

ECO 100 Introduction to Microeconomics – Teaching Assistant for Prof. Leah BOUSTAN (Spring 2022).
ECO 981 Junior Independent Work – Teaching Assistant for Prof. Kelly NOONAN (Fall 2021 & Spring 2022).
Teaching Assistant for Prof. Orley ASHENFELTER (Fall 2020 & Spring 2021).
ECO 313 Econometric Applications – Teaching Assistant for Prof. Henry FARBER (Spring 2021).

RESEARCH

White Flight from Asian Immigration: Evidence from California Schools (with Leah BOUSTAN & Tammy TSENG).
Tightening Immigration Policy: Unintended Consequences on Hispanic U.S. Citizens' Health Behavior and Status.
School Alumni Networks and Labor-Market Outcomes: Evidence from Law Firms.

SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS

2018-2023	Graduate Fellowship, Department of Economics, Princeton University.
2020-2021	Graduate Student Teaching Award, Department of Economics, Princeton University.
2014-2015	Best Master Thesis in Economics award, Department of Economics, Sciences Po.
2010-2015	Complementary scholarship awarded to need-based scholarship students, Sciences Po.
2009-2010	Higher-education merit-based scholarship, French Ministry of Higher Education.
2006-2009	High-school merit-based scholarship, French Ministry of National Education.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Presentations: Princeton Graduate Labor Workshop (Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2012, Spring 2022, Fall 2022, Spring 2023).

Services: Referee, *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*.
Referee, Young Economist Symposium (YES).
Literature on Recent Advances in Applied Micro Methods [[URL](#)].
Board Member, Network of First-Generation College Students Among Economists.

LANGUAGES & PROGRAMMING SKILLS

Languages: French (native), Chinese dialect of Wenzhou (native), English (fluent), Spanish (advanced), Mandarin Chinese (intermediate), Korean (notions).

Programming: Stata (proficient), L^AT_EX (proficient), Microsoft Office (proficient), SQL (proficient), Python (intermediate), R (intermediate), Matlab (beginner), Julia (beginner), ArcGIS (beginner).

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Article 1 (since Sep. 2009): mentee (2009-2015) then mentor (since 2015) in this French NGO devoted to accompanying deserving university students from lower socio-economic backgrounds.

Table tennis with university sports clubs: Princeton (Fall 2018-Spring 2022), UChicago (2016-2018), Sciences Po Paris (2010-2012, 2013-2015), UT Austin (2012-2013).

Volunteering for environmental projects in Busan, South Korea (2 weeks, July 2010) and Neath, Wales (2 weeks, July 2011) with the NGOs *Études et Chantiers* and *Concordia*, respectively.