

# DON LIM

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## EDUCATION

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<b>Texas Tech University</b> M.A. Agricultural and Applied Economics	Lubbock, Texas Jun 2022 (expected)
<b>CEVRO Institute</b> M.A. Political Science, Philosophy, and Economics (PPE) <i>Recipient of <a href="#">Full Tuition for Excellence Scholarship</a></i>	Prague, Czech Republic Jun 2019
<b>University of Michigan</b> B.A. General Studies (Political Science, Philosophy, and History)	Ann Arbor, MI Apr 2016

## RESEARCH

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<b>American Institute for Economic Research</b> <i>E.C. Harwood Visiting Research Fellow</i> Continued research on the economic analysis of open source development	Great Barrington, MA Dec 2018 — May 2019
<b>Texas Tech University</b> <i>Visiting Research Scholar</i> Applied the model of Ostrom's polycentric and CPR approach, Hayek's theory of tacit and dispersed knowledge, and Kirzner's entrepreneurial model to the economic analysis of open source development	Lubbock, TX Sep 2018 — Dec 2018

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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<b>Commonwealth Foundation</b> <i>Research Fellow</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Researched and collected data to perform regressions related to the labor force, education spending, and pension reform</li><li>• Created graphical visualizations featuring Pennsylvania's yearly expenditures and tax policies</li><li>• Wrote and edited two publications per week related to Pennsylvania budget, school choice, and taxes</li><li>• Responded to email inquiries relating to subsidies, right-to-work laws, and the state budget</li></ul>	King of Prussia, PA Jan 2017 — May 2017
<b>Cato Institute</b> <i>Intern Researcher at the Center for Educational Freedom</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Collected and analyzed datasets for national education administrative spending, per pupil spending, national subsidies and grants, and international large-scale assessments (PISA and TIMSS)</li><li>• Wrote reports while attending seminars, meetings, and Capitol Hill briefings on foreign affairs, trade, monetary, and education policies</li><li>• Produced over 200 social media posts on Facebook and Twitter for HumanProgress.org, Freedom in the 50 States, CatoPress, and Cato Center for Educational Freedom</li><li>• Distributed print material such as the Cato Policy Analysis, news media, magazines, and policy reports</li></ul>	Washington, D.C. Sep 2016 — Dec 2016

## PROFESSIONAL AND ACADEMIC DEVELOPMENT

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<b>Institute for Humane Studies and FSU</b> One-day seminar that discussed the nature of social and natural sciences, the differences in epistemological and methodological approaches, and how to proceed from facts and data to theories	Tallahassee, FL: Aug 2018
<b>Freidrich Naumann Stiftung and IES Europe</b> Week-long seminar on governmental institutions, political philosophy, market structures, civil and criminal law systems, antitrust laws, and international aid	Gummersbach, Germany: Jul 2018
<b>European Journalism Institute</b> 40+ hours involved with religion reporting, business reporting, photojournalism, lead and pitch writing, and international relations	Prague, Czech Republic: Jul 2018
<b>Koch Internship Program</b> In partnership with the Commonwealth Foundation, participated in weekly lectures on markets, trade, private property, and political economy	Online: Jan 2017 — May 2017

## SKILLS

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Languages: English (native), Cantonese (proficient), Taishanese (proficient)  
Technical Languages:  $\text{\LaTeX}$ , HTML5, CSS, SQL  
Computer Applications: Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere, Microsoft Suite