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Education

New York University

Ph.D. Economics

New York

2023 – Present

Delhi School of Economics

M.A. Economics

New Delhi

2019-21

Ramnarain Ruia College

B.A. Mathematics

Mumbai

2016-19

Research Interests

Inequality, macro-development, trade and spatial

Work in Progress

Aggregate Effects of Workfare Programs

Technology and Search in the Market for Rental Housing (with Olalekan Bello)

Chasing Demand (with Martin Rotemberg and Sharon Traiberman)

Presentations (* = *co-author presented*, † = *scheduled*)

Spring 2026: NYU Applied Micro Lunch[†], NYU Macro Lunch[†]

Fall 2025: NYU Applied Micro Lunch, NYU Macro Lunch*, NYU–Stern IO Mini Day*

RA experience

RA for Martin Rotemberg January 2026-present

RA for Alessandra Peter, October 2025-present

RA for Rohini Somanathan, 2019-2022

Teaching experience

Graduate

TA for Mark Gertler and Corina Boar, **Macro-2 for PhD**, Spring 2025

Undergraduate

TA for David Pearce, **Micro Analysis**, Spring 2026

TA for Tim Cogley, **Macro Analysis**, Fall 2025

TA for Andrew Caplin, **Intermediate Micro**, Fall 2024

Pre-Doctoral Research

- **Challenges to Measuring Immunization Coverage with Asynchronous Surveys**
(with Rijul Grover and Rohini Somanathan)

Awards

Henry MacCracken Fellowship, 2023-present

Dr. Manmohan Singh Fellowship, 2021

Center for Advanced Studies National Scholarship, 2019

Vimalabai Karandikar Prize, 2019

Best Student Prize, 2019

High School Scholarship, 2011

Skills

Matlab, Python, R, L^AT_EX, Github

References

Available upon request.