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Academic KDI School of Public Policy and Management

Positions Assistant Professor of Economics 2022 - (present)

Education University of California, Santa Cruz, U.S.A.

Ph.D. in Economics, Department of Economics

M.A. in Economics, Department of Economics

2022

Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea

Master of Global Economy & Strategy, Graduate School of International Studies

B.A. in Economics, Underwood International College

2010

Publications

(2024) "Shortening the Path to Productive Investment: Evidence from Input Fairs and Cash Transfers in Malawi" (with Shilpa Aggarwal, Dahyeon Jeong, Naresh Kumar, Jonathan Robinson, and Alan Spearot). *Journal of Development Economics* 170: 103288.

(2023) "Exhaustive or Exhausting? Evidence on Respondent Fatigue in Long Surveys" (with Shilpa Aggarwal, Dahyeon Jeong, Naresh Kumar, Jonathan Robinson, and Alan Spearot). *Journal of Development Economics* 161: 102992.

(2022) "COVID-19 market disruptions and food security: Evidence from households in rural Liberia and Malawi" (with Shilpa Aggarwal, Dahyeon Jeong, Naresh Kumar, Jonathan Robinson, and Alan Spearot). *PLoS ONE* 17(8): e0271488.

Working Papers

"The Dynamic Effects of Cash Transfers: Evidence from Rural Liberia and Malawi" (with Shilpa Aggarwal, Jenny Aker, Dahyeon Jeong, Naresh Kumar, Jonathan Robinson, and Alan Spearot). Revise and Resubmit, *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*.

"Going the Extra Mile: Farm Subsidies and Spatial Convergence in Agricultural Input Adoption" (with Shilpa Aggarwal, Dahyeon Jeong, Naresh Kumar, Jonathan Robinson, and Alan Spearot). Revise and Resubmit, *The Economic Journal*.

"Private but Misunderstood? Evidence on Measuring Intimate Partner Violence via Self-Interviewing in Rural Liberia and Malawi" (with Shilpa Aggarwal, Dahyeon Jeong, Naresh Kumar, Jonathan Robinson, and Alan Spearot). Revise and Resubmit, World Bank Economic Review.

"Reducing Intimate Partner Violence: Evidence from a Multifaceted Female Empowerment Program in Urban Liberia" (with Naresh Kumar).

"The Impact of Digital Credit in Developing Economies: A Review of Recent Evidence" (with Joshua Blumenstock and Jonathan Robinson).

Works in Progress

"Raising Retail Productivity through Data Pooling in Zambia" (with Jie Bai and Ajay Shenoy).

"Understanding Factors for Adoption of Modern Contraceptives: An Experiment with Private-sector Health Providers in Liberia" (with Rolly Kapoor and Naresh Kumar)

"Property Tax Compliance under Low Fiscal Capacity: An Experiment with the Liberia Revenue Authority" (with Oyebola Okunogbe)

Grants &	IPA Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) Initiative Grant, \$36,000	2023
Awards	PEDL Exploratory Research Grant, £40,000	2023
	KDI School Research Grant, \$28,000	2022
	J-PAL Crime and Violence Initiative (CVI) Pilot RCT Grant, \$50,000	2019
	IPA Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) Initiative Grant, \$50,000	2019
	UC Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation (IGCC)	
	Dissertation Fellowship, \$25,000	2019-2020
	UCSC Blum Scholar Research Grant, \$2,000	2019
	UCSC Economics Department Research Grant, \$12,300	2019, 2020
	J-PAL Governance Initiative (GI) Proposal Development Grant, \$4,000	2019
	UCSC Teaching Assistant Award for Excellence in Teaching	2018
	UCSC Economics Department Fellowship, \$10,000	2016-2017
	UCSC Regents Fellowship, \$12,000	2016-2017
	Yonsei GSIS Scholarship, \$17,000	2014-2016
	Keio Honors Scholarship, \$2,000	2008
	Yonsei UIC Full-tuition Scholarship, \$50,000	2006-2010
Presentations	World Bank DIME-KDI School Development Impact Conference	2023
	Pacific Conference for Development Economics (PacDev)	2023
	Africa Evidence Summit	2022
	Midwest International Economics Development Conference (MIEDC)	2022
	Pacific Conference for Development Economics (PacDev)	2022
	North East Universities Development Consortium (NEUDC) Conference	2021
	IPA-Northwestern GPRL Methods and Measurement Conference	2021
	UC Berkeley Public Health Workshop	2021
	IPA RECOVR Webinar Series	2020
	UC Berkeley Development Lunch	2019
	UCSC Micro Workshop	2018-2021

 $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{Referee} \\ \textbf{Service} \end{array}$

Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Development Effectiveness

Skills

Computer: Stata, Python, R, MATLAB, SurveyCTO, EViews, LATEX Language: English (fluent), Korean (native), Mandarin (intermediate)