

Elif Taşar

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| EDUCATION | PhD Agricultural and Resource Economics, University of California, Berkeley Committee: Pat Kline, David Card, Emmanuel Saez MSc Environmental Economics (with Distinction), London School of Economics BS Earth Systems (with Honors), Stanford University | Expected 2026 2017-2018 2008-2012 |
| WORKING PAPERS | [1] Parental Death, Inheritance, and Labor Supply in the United States (with John Voorheis) [2] Winners and Losers from Mileage-Based Reforms to the Gas Tax | |
| WORK IN PROGRESS | [1] Access to Opportunity with Overlapping Generations [2] Do Homeowner Associations Protect Homeowners? (with Manisha Padi) | |
| AWARDS | UC Berkeley Institute for Research on Labor and Employment Dissertation Fellowship National Science Foundation “Data Science for the 21st Century” Research Traineeship US-UK Fulbright Fellowship (London School of Economics) | 2024 2018-2020 2017-2018 |
| RESEARCH GRANTS | UC Berkeley Institute for Research on Labor and Employment Family Hub Grant (\$30,000) UC Berkeley Law, Economics, and Politics Center Fellowship (\$9,500) Giannini Foundation of Agricultural Economics Mini-Grant (\$25,000) Lincoln Institute of Land Policy C. Lowell Harriss Dissertation Fellowship (\$15,000) UC Berkeley Opportunity Lab Research Grant (\$5,000) UC Berkeley Law, Economics, and Politics Center Fellowship (\$9,500) Giannini Foundation of Agricultural Economics Mini-Grant (\$20,000) UC Berkeley Law, Economics, and Politics Center Fellowship (\$6,500) J-PAL Jobs and Opportunities Initiative Proposal Development Award (\$10,000) J-PAL King Climate Action Initiative Proposal Development Award (\$10,000) | 2025 2025 2025 2024 2024 2024 2024 2024 2023 2021 2021 |
| RESEARCH POSITIONS | Research Assistant, Manisha Padi, UC Berkeley Law School Research Assistant, Lucas Davis, Energy Institute at Haas, UC Berkeley Research Assistant, Max Auffhammer, Energy Institute at Haas, UC Berkeley | 2023-2024 2021-2022 2019-2020 |
| TEACHING | Teaching Assistant, Pat Kline, Urban Economics (Econ 155A) Teaching Assistant, David Anthoff, Climate Change Economics (EnvEcon C176) | Spring, 2022 Fall, 2018 |
| PRIOR EMPLOYMENT | Product Manager, Tesla, Palo Alto, CA Research Assistant, Carnegie Institution for Science, Stanford, CA & Cusco, Peru Intern, Natural Resources Defense Council, Washington, DC | 2014-2017 2012-2014 Summer, 2012 |
| SKILLS | Stata; Python; R; SAS; SQL; Google Earth Engine; QGIS/ArcGIS | |
| PERSONAL INFORMATION | Citizenship: USA; Turkey Special Sworn Status, U.S. Census Bureau Languages: English (native); Turkish (native); Spanish (fluent) | |