

Humoyun Abdumavlon

Department of Economics
4910 Wesley W. Posvar Hall
Pittsburgh, PA 15260

Phone: +1 (617) 685-9829
Email: abdumavlon@pitt.edu
Website: humoyunabdumavlon.github.io

Research Profile	Development Economics, Political Economy, Economic History	
Education	University of Pittsburgh	2022-2027
	Ph.D. Candidate in Economics	
	M.A. in Economics	
	University of Chicago, Harris	Jan-Jun 2026 (scheduled)
	Visiting Graduate Fellow Host: Eduardo Montero	
Working Papers	Tufts University	2020-2022
	M.S. in Economics	
	University of Westminster, London	
	B.A. in Economics with First Class Honors (<i>equivalent to summa cum laude</i>)	2016-2020
	<u>Urban Growth and Market Access in the Former Soviet Union, <i>under review</i></u>	
Work in Progress	- <u>First Prize in North American Regional Science Association Graduate Student Paper Competition 2024</u>	
	<u>Conflict and Religion: Evidence from Ramadan, <i>under review</i></u>	
	- <u>Best Second-Year Paper Award, University of Pittsburgh, 2025</u>	
	Fraternity or Fracture? National Identity and Religious Violence amid the India-Pakistan Cricket Rivalry (with Nilesh Fernando and Layton Hall), <i>available upon request</i>	
	Brewing Ideas: Coffeehouses and the Making of Enlightenment Europe	
Awards, Grants, and Fellowships	Religious Calendars and the Timing of Reforms in Authoritarian Regimes	
	Faith Behind Bars: The Causal Impact of Religious Affiliation on Recidivism in U.S. Prisons	
	From Legislation to Tension: Religious Laws and Conflict in India (with Prashant Bhandari and Josue Djossou)	
	ReCIPE PhD Research Grant (\$19,682)	2025
	Best Second-Year Paper Award, University of Pittsburgh	
	Frédéric Bastiat Fellowship, Mercatus Center (\$5000)	
	First Prize in 71 st Annual North American Regional Science Association Graduate Student Paper Competition (\$1000)	2024

	Summer Research Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh	2023
	Arts & Sciences Graduate Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh	
	Summer Scholar Fellowship, Tufts University (\$2500)	2021
	The Varkey Family Endowed Fellowship, Tufts University (\$3000)	
	Special Student Fellowship, Central Bank of Uzbekistan	2019
	Dean's List Award, University of Westminster	2017-2020
Other	Research Analyst Intern , Central Bank of Uzbekistan	2019
Research	Research Assistant , University of Westminster	2018 – 2019
Experience		
Teaching	University of Pittsburgh	
Experience	Instructor of Record: Intro to Microeconomics	Summer 2025
	Graduate Teaching Fellow: Development Economics	Fall 2025
	Environmental Economics	Spring 2025
	Applied Econometrics II	Fall 2024
	Intro to Macroeconomics	Spring 2024
	Intro to Microeconomics	Fall 2023
	Tufts University	
	Grader: Econometrics, International Trade, International Finance	2020-2022
Presentations	Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA 2026) Paper Session*	2026
and Invited		
Workshops	Empirical Studies of Conflict (ESOC) Annual Meeting, Association for Comparative Economic Studies (ACES) Political Economy Summer School in Tanzania, Association for the Study of Religion and Culture (ASREC) Conference, ASREC Graduate Student Workshop	2025
	71 st Annual North American Meetings of the Regional Science Association International (RSAI), Research Seminar Series (Westminster International University in Tashkent)	2023-2024
	* scheduled	
Academic	Panel Chair , 3rd International Conference on Sustainable Regional Development in Central Asia (Osh, Kyrgyz Republic)	2025
Service	Keynote Speaker , Summer School on Enhancing Research Skills and Academic Writing (Samarkand, Uzbekistan)	2025
	Discussant , NARSC Conference (New Orleans)	2024
	Graduate Student Mentor , Pitt Economics Mentorship Initiative	2023-2024
	Volunteer , Economic History Association 2023 Meeting (Pittsburgh)	2023
	Instructor , Khan Academy	2021
	<u>MOOC in Microeconomics (Uzbek)</u>	
Invited	<i>Annals of Regional Science, Economic Inquiry</i>	
Referee		
Professional	Data Analysis: complex administrative panel data analysis (>10 million individuals, >100 million obs.) OLS/logistic regressions, TWFE, RDD, Difference-in-Differences, causal inference, program evaluation	
Skills	Programming: Stata, Python, R, LaTeX	

Memberships American Economic Association (AEA), Royal Economic Society (RES), American Political Science Association (APSA), North American Regional Science Council (NARSC)

Personal Information Citizenship: Uzbekistan
Date of Birth: June 12, 1998
Marital status: Married, with 2 children
Languages: English (fluent), Russian (fluent), Uzbek (native)

References

Andreas Ferrara Department of Economics University of Pittsburgh a.ferrara@pitt.edu	Muhammad Yasir Khan Department of Economics University of Pittsburgh myk17@pitt.edu
Gabriel Tourek Department of Economics University of California, Davis gtourek@ucdavis.edu	Richard Van Weelden Department of Economics University of Pittsburgh rmv22@pitt.edu