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EMPLOYMENT

Post-Doctoral Researcher, School of Economics, Utrecht University	2022 – present
Post-Doctoral Associate, Charles H. Dyson School of Applied Economics and Management, Cornell University	2022 – 2023

EDUCATION

Cornell University, Ph.D. in Economics	2022
Yonsei University, MA in Economics	2017
Yonsei University, BA in Economics	2013

RESEARCH FIELDS

Development Economics, Labor Economics, Applied Micro

WORKING PAPERS

“Long-run Effects of Catastrophic Drought Insurance”, with Chris Barrett, Nathan Jensen, Karlijn Morsink, and Yuma Noritomo (*Job Market Paper*)

“Unpacking the Links between Conflict and Child Health: Evidence from a Foreign Insurgency in Cameroon”, with Heidi Kaila and Larissa Nawo, *Under Review*

“The Effect of Microinsurance on Child Work and Schooling”

“Gold Mine Openings and Child Labor in Mali”

PUBLICATIONS

“When Student Incentives don’t work: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Malawi”, with James Berry and Hyuncheol Bryant Kim, *Journal of Development Economics*, September 2022. 158(2022).

“Teaching for large-scale Reproducibility Verification”, with Lars Vilhuber, Meredith Welch, David Wasser, and Michael Darisse, *Journal of Statistics and Data Science Education*, 2022, vol. 30(3): 274-281.

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Tailoring Advice and Incentives to Enhance Consumer Welfare from Livestock Insurance” with Chris Barrett, Tagel Gabrehiwot Gidey, Glenn Harrison, Nathan Jensen, Karlijn Morsink

PRESENTATIONS

“The Effect of Microinsurance on Child Work and Schooling”	
American Economics Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA	Jan 2022
KDIS-World Bank DIME Conference, virtual	Dec 2021

North East Universities Development Consortium, Boston, MA	Nov 2021
Agricultural & Applied Economics Association and Western Agricultural Economics Association Joint Annual Meeting (Poster session), Austin, TX	Aug 2020
“Unpacking the Links between Conflict and Child Health: Evidence from a Foreign Insurgency in Cameroon”	
The Households in Conflict Network Annual Workshop, Virtual	Oct 2021
“Gold mine openings and Child labor in Mali”	
Centre for the Study of African Economies Conference, Virtual	Mar 2021
“When Student Incentives don’t work: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Malawi”	
American Economics Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA	Jan 2020

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor, Utrecht University

Microeconomics, Institutions, and Welfare (Fall 2022)

Teaching Assistant at Cornell University

Introductory Macroeconomics (Terence Alexander, Spring 2019; Jennifer Wissink, Fall 2019)

Introductory Microeconomics (Stephanie Thomas, Fall 2018)

Global Health Economics and Policy (Hyuncheol Bryant Kim, Fall 2018)

GRANTS, AWARDS, AND HONORS

World Bank, Award No. 0002001274: Impact evaluation research project for Component 1 of DRIVE project	Oct 2023
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Korean Academy of Development Policy, Best Paper Award, Paper Competition for Early Career Researcher in International Development	Nov 2021
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Cornell University, Sage fellowship	2017 – 2022
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OTHER EXPERIENCES

Cornell Economics Graduate Mentorship Program, <i>Mentor</i>	Spring 2020
STAARS Fellowship Co-mentor	Fall 2019 – Spring 2020

SKILLS

Programming

STATA, LaTeX (Proficient), R, QGIS (Familiar)

Languages

English (fluent), Korean (native)

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