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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

London School of Economics and Political Science, London, UK

LSE Fellow in Environmental Economics

2019-Present

Occidental College, Los Angeles, CA, USA

Assistant Professor of Economics

From Aug 2020

EDUCATION

Columbia University, New York, NY, USA

Ph.D., Sustainable Development

2019

• Dissertation Title: "Essays on Aviation, Infrastructure, and Sustainable Development"

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• Dissertation Sponsor: Scott Barrett

M.Phil., Sustainable Development

2017

M.A., Sustainable Development

2016

- Thesis: "Business diversity and coastal resilience in the U.S. South: Does coastal weather risk affect the socioeconomic structures of coastal communities?"
- Advisor: Benjamin Orlove

## Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, USA

Exchange Scholar, Laboratory for Aviation and the Environment

2016-2017

University of Maryland, College Park, MD, USA

B.S., Environmental Science and Policy (Environmental Economics)

2013

- Honors Thesis: "Investigating a potential incentive program to encourage the adoption of Rain Gardens: A study of contingent behavior in Howard County, MD" with High Honors
- Advisor: Anna Alberini

B.A., Germanic Studies

2013

Certificate in Science, Technology, and Society; Minor in Statistics

Publications

Blankenship, B., Wong, J. C. Y., & Urpelainen, J. (2019). Explaining willingness to pay for pricing reforms that improve electricity service in India. *Energy Policy*. 128: 459-469.

Missirian, A, Frank, E.G., Gersony, J.T., **Wong, J. C. Y.**, Naeem, S. (2019). Biodiversity and thermal ecological function: The influence of freshwater algal diversity on local thermal environments. *Ecology and Evolution*. 2019. 00: 1–10.

#### Working Papers

Blue-sky thinking: Connectivity impacts on regional economies and innovation in the United States (Click here for the most recent version.)

Is there a rural-urban gap in energy access preferences? Evidence from electricity service in India (Submitted, with J. Urpelainen and B. Blankenship)

To steal, or not to steal: Attitudes towards electricity theft in northern India (Draft complete, with J. Urpelainen and B. Blankenship)

## Works in Progress

Bundling Private and Public Goods versus Offsetting Externalities

Climate Change Impacts on Aviation

Increasing Rural Electrification Through Connection Campaigns (with J. Urpelainen, B. Blankenship, R. Kennedy, and A. Mahajan)

## HONORS AND AWARDS (SELECTED)

## Columbia University

Graduate School of Arts and Sciences Ph.D. Convocation Student Speaker	2019
Presidential Award for Outstanding Teaching by Graduate Students	Won, <b>2017</b>
Finalist/Honorable Mention, Presidential Award for Teaching	2015, 2016
Wueller Teaching Award for Outstanding Teaching in Undergraduate Electives	Won, <b>2015</b>
Department of Economics	Runner up, <b>2016</b>
Lead Teaching Fellow	2015-2016
Dean's Fellow	2013-2018

## National/International

International Parliamentary Fellowship, Parliament of the Federal Republic of Gern	many <b>2018</b>
National Academies Transportation Research Board Graduate Research Award	2016-2017
Phi Kappa Phi Walter and Adelheid Hohenstein Fellow	2013-2014
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Ernest F. Hollings Scholar	2011-2013
National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship (Honorable Mention)	2013
German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Undergraduate Scholar	2012-2013
Leuphana University of Lüneburg, Germanic Studies; Public and Labor Economics	(M.A. level)
Morris K. and Stewart L. Udall Undergraduate Scholarship (Honorable Mention)	2012

## University of Maryland

Graduated summa cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Kappa Phi, Omricon Delta Kappa	<b>2013</b>
College of Arts and Humanities Dean's Senior Scholar	2013
Senior Marshal; College of Agricultural & Natural Resources Commencement Speaker	2013
University Libraries Undergraduate Research Award	2012
German Society of Maryland Dr. Kurrelmeyer Zintl Merit Award for German Majors	2012
College Park Scholar in Science and Global Change	2009-2011

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

#### London School of Economics and Political Science

## Lecturer

GY121 Sustainable Development

Michaelmas Term 2019

#### Columbia University

$Instructor/Co ext{-}Instructor$		
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SDEV UN2300 Challenges of Sustainable Development	Spring 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019
ECON S4625 Economics of the Environment	Summer 2017

## Teaching Fellow

ECON W4625 Economics of the Environment	Fall 2015
SDEV W2300 Challenges of Sustainable Development	Spring 2014
ECON W4750 Globalization and its Risks	Fall 2014

	The City College of New York, City University of New York  Adjunct Instructor  SUS 7400C/ECO B9526 Economics of Sustainability (Graduate Course)  Spring 2017
	New York University  Adjunct Instructor/Recitation Leader  ES 100 Environmental Systems Science  Fall 2015
	Leuphana University of Lüneburg  Mentor & Teaching Assistant  MOOC - ThinkTank: Ideal City of the 21st Century, led by Daniel Libeskind  Spring 2013
	University of Maryland  Teaching Assistant  AREC 200 Chesapeake Bay Ecosystem: Science, Economics & Policy CPSP 239G Science and Global Change Practicum CPSP 118G The Nature of Science Fall 2011
OTHER TRAINING	Kraks Fond Hedonic Price Analysis and the Residential Location Choice Summer School UC Berkeley Summer School in Environmental and Energy Economics 2016 UC Berkeley BITSS Transparency & Reproducibility Summer Institute Columbia University Certificate in Innovative Teaching 2016
Languages	Native/Fluent: English, Cantonese, Mandarin Chinese, German (C2)  Elementary: French, Japanese  MIT German Studies Excellence Award, Runner-up (Swiss Special Prize)  Goethe Institut Großes Deutsches Sprachdiplom (C2 Certificate)  NYU Deutsches Haus Certificate (C2 - Mastery)  Columbia Doctoral German Reading Proficiency Exam  Passed with Distinction  2013  Dual Certificate in Teaching Chinese and English as Foreign Languages,  Columbia University Teachers College and Beijing Language and Culture University
SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP	Peer Advocate, Gay Health Advocacy Project, Columbia Health Co-Chair, Sustainable Development Doctoral Student Committee Vice President, Sustainable Development Doctoral Society Volunteer Translator and Interpreter, Odyssey of the Mind Competitions Presenter, Peer Review Week, German Council for Sustainable Development Participant, "Contemporary Carlowitz" – Young Impulse for German Sustainability Politics, German Council for Sustainable Development and Bertelsmann Foundation Participant, German Federal Environmental Agency First European Resources Forum 2012
Professional Affiliations	Urban Economics Association MIT Laboratory for Aviation and the Environment University of Copenhagen Faculty of Law Transatlantic Maritime Emissions Research Network Columbia University Earth Institute Center for Sustainable Urban Development Johns Hopkins SAIS Initiative for Sustainable Energy Policy (Student Fellow)
CITIZENSHIP	U.S. Citizen