

Jiwon Choi

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Employment

Brandeis University

Assistant Professor of Economics, 2023-present

Education

Ph.D. in Economics, Princeton University, May 2023

Dissertation: "Labor Market and Political Effects of Structural Economic Changes"

M.A. in Economics, Princeton University, 2018

B.A. in Economics with honors; B.A. in Mathematics (magna cum laude), Brown University, 2014

Research Fields

Primary: Labor Economics, Urban Economics, Economic History

Working Papers

The Effect of Deindustrialization on Local Economies: Evidence from New England Textile Towns

Local Economic and Political Effects of Trade Deals: Evidence from NAFTA (with Ilyana Kuziemko, Ebonya Washington and Gavin Wright) *Revise and Resubmit at American Economic Review*

Automation after the Assembly Line: Computerized Machine Tools, Employment and Productivity in the United States (with Leah Boustan and David Clingingsmith) *NBER Working Paper 30400*

The Economic Consequences of Trade Protection: Evidence from the Smoot-Hawley Tariff Act of 1930

Professional Activities

Referee Service

The Review of Economic Studies; American Economic Journal: Applied Economics; Journal of Urban Economics

Conference and Invited Seminars

2023: Harvard-BU Seminar in Economic History, Arizona, Brandeis, Delaware, Rutgers, Stellenbosch (LEAP), Northwestern Economic History Rookiefest

2022: NBER Institute (Development of the American Economy PhD Session), Florida State University

2019: Urban Economics Association PhD Workshop

Awards and Fellowships

The Prize Fellowship in Social Sciences, Princeton University, 2021-2023

Clarence J. Hicks Memorial Fellowship, Industrial Relations Section, Princeton University, 2020-2021

Graduate Fellowship, Princeton University, 2016-2021

Samsung Scholarship Fellow (5-year merit-based scholarship of \$50,000 each year), 2016-2021

Samuel C. Lamport Prize for the best senior theses in Economics, Brown University, 2014

Undergraduate Teaching and Research Awards, Brown University, 2013

Research Experience

Research Assistant for Profs. Ilyana Kuziemko and Ebonya Washington, 2019
Research Assistant for Prof. Esteban Rossi-Hansberg, 2017-2018
Full-time Research Specialist for Profs. Matthew Gentzkow and Jesse Shapiro, 2014-2016
Research Assistant for Prof. Kaivan Munshi, 2013-2014

Teaching Experience

Teaching Assistant for Economics of the Internet: The Digital Revolution (Undergraduate), Fall 2020
Course Organizer for Introduction to Macroeconomics (Undergraduate), Princeton, Spring 2020
Teaching Assistant for Econometric Applications (Undergraduate), Princeton, Spring 2019
Teaching Assistant for Introduction to Macroeconomics (Undergraduate), Princeton, Fall 2018

Languages and Skills

Programming languages: Stata, Matlab, R, Python, Java, Maple, ArcGIS
Languages: Fluent in English and Korean, Intermediate-Advanced level Chinese Mandarin

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