

Jun Wong

Education

Ph.D., Economics, University of Chicago
B.A., Economics (Honors), UC Berkeley

2021-present
2019

Working papers

Opening up military innovation: Causal effects of reforms to U.S. defense research *with* Sabrina Howell, Jason Rathje, and John Van Reenen *Reject and Resubmit, Journal of Political Economy*

Publications

Lender automation and racial disparities in credit access *with* Sabrina Howell, Theresa Kuchler, David Snitkof, and Johannes Stroebel. *The Journal of Finance* (2024)

Market potential for CO2 removal and sequestration from renewable natural gas production in California *with* Daniel Sanchez, Jonathan Santoso, and Marjorie Went. *Environmental Science and Technology* (2022)

Innovative wood use can enable carbon-beneficial forest management in California *with* Bodie Cabiyo, Brandon Collins, Jeremy Fried, William Steward, and Daniel Sanchez. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* (2021)

Selected Works in Progress

Subsidies in the presence of informality *with* Zachary Kuloszewski

Regulating externalities with informality: Evidence from waste collection in Delhi *with* Ashton Pallottini, Yixin Sun, and Emma Zhang

Teaching

Northwestern Prison Education Program (Cook County Jail)

Instructor. Introduction to Microeconomics

Winter 2022

University of Chicago

TA. Introduction to Econometrics (undergraduate)

Fall 2023

TA. Introduction to Development Economics (undergraduate)

Spring 2023 & 2024

University of California, Berkeley

TA. Intermediate Microeconomics (undergraduate)

Fall 2018

Grants

Global Methane Hub *with* Ashton Pallottini, Yixin Sun, and Emma Zhang

2024

Center for Economic Policy Research <i>with</i> Zachary Kuloszewski	2024
Weiss Fund for Research in Development Economics <i>with</i> Zachary Kuloszewski	2023
J-PAL King Climate Action Initiative <i>with</i> Zachary Kuloszewski	2023
Weiss Fund for Research in Development Economics	2023
EPIC India Exploratory Grant <i>with</i> Ashton Pallottini, Yixin Sun, and Emma Zhang	2022
EPIC India Exploratory Grant	2022

Presentations

NBER Summer Institute Economics of National Security (Cambridge); European Financial Association Annual Meeting (Barcelona)	2022
Low Emissions Solutions Conference & Fall AGU (San Francisco)	2021

Professional Experience

Junior Research Scientist at NYU Stern with Sabrina Howell and Simone Lenzu	2019-2021
Research Analyst at UC Berkeley with Daniel Sanchez	2018–2020

Refereeing

Economic Development Quarterly; Energies

Other Activities

Co-organizer. UChicago 2023-2024 Environmental and Energy PhD Workshop & Development PhD Workshop
Review committee. 2024 Midwest Development Conference
Co-organizer. [2021 Pre-Doctoral Research in Economics \(PRE\) Workshop](#).
Tutor. 2021 East Harlem Tutorial Program.