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Academic Position

Stanford University

Postdoctoral Scholar (PI: Prof. Todd Wagner)

Aug 2024 - Present

Education

University of California, Santa Cruz

PhD in Economics (Advisor: Prof. Carlos Dobkin)

Sep 2019 - Jun 2024

Dissertation: *Essays in Applied Microeconomics*

Hitotsubashi University

MA in Economics

Apr 2015 - Mar 2017

Yokohama National University

BA in Economics

Apr 2010 - Mar 2015

University of Georgia

Exchange Student

Aug 2012 - May 2013

Fields of Interest

Health Economics, Economics of Education, Applied Econometrics

Working Papers

“Tele-Triage, Care Substitution, and Health: Evidence from Quasi-Randomly Assigned Nurses” (**Job Market Paper**) (with Liam Rose, Diem Tran, and Anita Vashi), 2025. Revise and Resubmit, *Journal of Health Economics*
“What Does the Emergency Department Do? Evidence from Nurse Triage Lines” (with Liam Rose, Diem Tran, and Anita Vashi), 2025.

“An Empirical Analysis of the Effects of Syrian Refugees on the Turkish Labor Market” (with Saumik Paul, Takeshi Maru, and Motoi Kusadokoro) *ADBI Working Paper* 935, March 2019.

Publications

“Effective or Self-Selective: Random Assignment Demonstrates Short-Term Study Abroad Effectively Encourages Further Study Abroad” (with Maki Kato) *Journal of Studies in International Education*, 23(4), 411-428, 2018.

“Globalization, Structural Transformation, and the Labor Income Share” (with Yoko Oishi and Saumik Paul) In: Fields, G., Paul, S. (eds) *Labor Income Share in Asia*. ADB Institute Series on Development Economics. Springer, Singapore, 2019.

Work in Progress

“Annual Wellness Visit, Influenza Vaccine Take-Up, and Winter Illness of Medicare Enrollees”

“School Entry Age, Class Size, and Student Achievement in Mexico” (with Carlos Dobkin, Pablo A. Peña, and Brenda Samaniego de la Parra)

Fellowship, Grant, and Award

Summer Graduate Writing Fellowship, UC Santa Cruz	2023
Sprout Grant, UC Santa Cruz (with Prof. Carlos Dobkin)	2023
Regent's Fellowship, UC Santa Cruz	2019 - 2020
Scholarship, Shoshishya Foundation, Osaka	2015 - 2017
Scholarship, Japan Student Services Organization, Tokyo	2012 - 2013
Scholarship, Aoi Scholarship Foundation, Tokyo	2011 - 2015

Conferences and Seminars

Southern Economic Association 95th Annual Meeting	2025
University of California, Santa Cruz	2025
Stanford University	2025

Teaching Experience

Teaching Assistant

Applied Econometric Analysis I (Econ 216)	Fall 2022
Applied Econometric Analysis II (Econ 217)	Winter 2024
Introduction to Econometrics (Econ 113)	<i>Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Spring 2022, Summer 2022</i>
Advanced Quantitative Methods (Econ 114/114L)	<i>Fall 2021, Winter 2022, Winter 2023</i>
Intermediate Microeconomics (Econ 100A)	Winter 2021
Is There Truth in Numbers (Econ 104)	<i>Summer 2021, Spring 2023, Spring 2024</i>
Intermediate Macroeconomics (Econ 100B)	Summer 2020
Introduction to Microeconomics (Econ 1)	<i>Spring 2020, Fall 2023</i>

Previous Work Experience

Research Assistant, Prof. Gueyon Kim and Prof. Laura Giuliano	2022
Research Assistant, Prof. Gueyon Kim	2021
Research Attaché, Japanese Embassy in Jordan	<i>Mar 2017 – Mar 2019</i>

Software

R, Stata, SQL, SAS, L^AT_EX, Microsoft Office

Language

English (fluent), Japanese (native)

References

Prof. Carlos Dobkin (Chair), UC Santa Cruz	cdobkin@ucsc.edu
Prof. Laura Giuliano (Committee), UC Santa Cruz	lgiulian@ucsc.edu
Prof. Todd Wagner (PI), Stanford University	twagner@stanford.edu
Prof. Julian Martinez Iriarte (Teaching Reference), UC Santa Cruz	jmart425@ucsc.edu