Matthew Schaelling

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EDUCATION

Ph.D.   Brown University, *Current*
           Economics
           Advisors: Matthew Turner, Jesse Bruhn, Peter Hull

A.M.   Brown University, 2021
           Economics

B.S.   Brigham Young University, 2018
           Applied & Computational Mathematics (*magna cum laude*)
           Economics

POSITIONS

2020–   Brown University
           Research Assistant to Prof. Jesse Bruhn, 2021–2022

2018–20   Stanford University
           Predoctoral Research Fellow under Prof. Susan Athey, Stanford Institute for Economic Policy
           Research

2017   Federal Reserve Bank of New York
           Summer Research Assistant to Dr. Gabriele La Spada

2016–18   Brigham Young University
           Research Assistant to Prof. Scott Condie, Department of Economics

AREAS OF INTEREST

Urban: housing, land use regulation, inequality

Education: standardized testing, racial and socioeconomic inequality

RESEARCH

Working Papers

2024   "Content relatability and racial standardized test gaps: Evidence from Texas." With Steven Lee.
           Draft available by request.

Works in Progress

2024   "What are the welfare effects of removing single-family zoning? Evidence from Oregon."

2024   "Examining the impacts of affordable housing legislation: Evidence from Massachusetts." With Aja
           Kennedy.

2024   "Sewers and urban form: Evidence from developing cities." With Sean McCulloch and Matthew
           Turner.

Tutorials

2020   With Susan Athey, Stefan Wager, Vitor Hadad, Sylvia Klosin, Nicolaj Muhelbach, Xinkun Nie. "Estimation of Heterogeneous Treatment Effects." (link)

GRANTS AND AWARDS

Awards and Honors

2020   National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowships Program, Honorable Mention

Grants and Fellowships

2022–24   Graduate NICHD Fellow, Population Studies and Training Center

2022   Population Studies and Training Center, Summer Research Award

2023   Orlando Bravo Center for Economic Research Grant

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SERVICE

Service to the University

Brown University Department of Economics, Graduate Student Council, 2023–

Brown University Applied Micro Lunch Seminar, Organizer, 2022

MEMBERSHIPS

American Economic Association

Population Association of America

SKILLS

Programming R, Python, Stata, SQL, LaTeX
GIS   ArcGIS, QGIS

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