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EDUCATION

Harvard University 2022 —

 $Cambridge,\ MA$

Ph.D. in Business Economics

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

2016 - 2020

Cambridge, MA

B.S. in Computer Science, Economics, and Data Science; Minor in Mathematics

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Primary Fields Labor Economics, Public Economics
Other Interests Health Economics, Economic History

RESEARCH

In Progress

"In Sickness and In Health? Marital Instability and Health Shocks"

"The Value of Hospice Care: Evidence from Facility Openings" with Yunan Ji and Edward Kong

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Harvard Department of Economics Cambridge, MA Research assistant to Professor Claudia Goldin	May 2023 — Sep 2023
Stanford/SIEPR Palo Alto, CA Pre-doctoral research fellow for Professor Heidi Williams	July 2020 — June 2022
MIT Department of Economics Remote Research assistant to Professor David Atkin	July 2021 — Jan 2022
MIT Department of Economics $Cambridge, MA$ Research assistant to Professor Frank Schilbach	Jan 2018 — May 2019

HONORS, AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

ASHEcon Program Chair Award: Long-Term Care, Aging, & Demography	2025
HKS Social Equity/Health Equity (SEHE) Stipend	2025
NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Award Winner	2022 -
Phi Beta Kappa	2020

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Presentations

APPAM (scheduled) November 2025

ASHEcon June 2025

Invited workshops

NBER Behavioral Public Finance Boot Camp 2023

Service

MIT/Harvard Application Assistance and Mentoring Program (AAMP) 2022

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Microeconomic Theory and Public Policy, MIT

2018

Tutor, undergraduate level

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Analysis Group

June 2019 — Aug 2019

San Francisco, CA Summer analyst

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Software Stata, Python (including OCR and web scraping), R, SQL, Bash, Git, LaTeX

Interests Bouldering, hiking, knitting

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