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Education

Ph.D. in Economics, 2025 (Expected) — **Brown University**, Providence, RI

+ Honorable W. Randolph Burgess Fellowship — 2019 – 2020
+ Merit Dissertation Fellowship — Fall 2024

M.A. in Economics, 2015 — **Columbia University**, New York, NY

+ Dean's Fellow — 2013 – 2015
+ Provost Diversity Fellowship — 2014

B.S. in Mathematics (Statistics), *Magna Cum Laude*, 2012 — **University of Utah**, Salt Lake City, UT
B.S. in Economics, *Magna Cum Laude*, 2012

+ Student Commencement Speaker — 2013
+ Undergraduate Research Scholar — 2012
+ Francis Family Foundation Assistantship Award — 2011 – 2012
+ Mathematics Departmental Scholarship — 2011 – 2012
+ Dean's list — 2009 – 2012

Experience

Brown University — Providence, RI

Research Assistant for Peter Hull. — Sep 2021 – May 2024
Research Assistant for Jon Roth. — Jun 2022 – May 2024
Lab Manager for The Annenberg Institute's Undergraduate Research Fellows. — Summer 2024
Instructor for Introduction to Econometrics (Brown Pre-College). — Summer 2022, 2023, 2024
Instructor for Graduate Economics Math Camp. — Summer 2021, 2022, 2023
Research Assistant for Jesse Shapiro. — May 2020 – Aug 2021
Teaching Assistant for graduate-level Mathematics for Economists. — Fall 2020

Yale School of Management — New Haven, CT

Research Assistant for Fiona Scott Morton, Jason Abaluck, Kevin Williams, and Michael Sinkinson. — Jul 2017 – Aug 2019

National Bureau of Economic Research — Cambridge, MA

Research Assistant for Joseph J. Doyle (MIT). — Jun 2015 – Jun 2017
Data Analyst for the Veteran's Health Administration (VHA). — Aug 2016 – Jun 2017
Research Assistant for Jason Abaluck (Yale). — Aug 2016 – Jun 2017

Columbia University — New York, NY

Teaching Assistant for Intermediate Macroeconomics. — Sep 2014 – May 2015

Zions Bancorporation — West Valley, UT

Credit Risk Analyst. Statistical modeling and analysis of retail lending credit risk — Sep 2012 – Aug 2013

University of Utah — Salt Lake City, UT

Research Assistant for Kenneth P. Jameson. — Aug 2011 – May 2012

Research Assistant for Richard Fowles. Jan 2012 – May 2012

Rice University Houston, TX

Research Assistant for Javier Rojo (Rice University Summer Institute of Statistics). May 2011 – Jul 2011

Publications and Works in Progress

Abaluck, Jason, Mauricio Caceres Bravo, Peter Hull, and Amanda Starc (2021), "Mortality Effects and Choice Across Private Health Insurance Plans." *The Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 136 (3): 1557–1610.

Cáceres, Mauricio and Kenneth P. Jameson (2015), "The effects on insurance costs of restricting undocumented immigrants' access to driver licenses." *Southern Economic Journal*, 81 (4): 907–927.
+ Southern Economic Association's 2015 Georgescu-Roegen Prize for best academic article.

"The Effects of Prisons on Inmate Misconduct and Later Outcomes." *Job-Market Paper.*

"Estimating Structural Models of Demand with Recentered Instruments" (with Kirill Borusyak and Peter Hull). *Work in Progress.*

"Killer Ride: Mortality and Cost Implications of Ambulance Ownership" (with Joseph Doyle, John Graves, and Jonathan Gruber). *Work in Progress.*

Computer Skills

Advanced	Stata, Python, SAS, MATLAB, R, C, LaTeX, MS Office (Excel, Word, PowerPoint), VBA (Excel)
Intermediate	Julia, VBScript, Bash, MS Batch Git, SVN

Software Projects

Gtools (Stata and C). Hash-based functions for grouped data manipulation and statistics.

HonestDiD (Stata and C; with Jon Roth and Ashesh Rambachan). Robust inference and sensitivity analysis for differences-in-differences and event study designs (Rambachan and Roth, 2022).

MulTE (Stata; with Jerray Chang). Contamination bias diagnostics for regressions with multiple treatment effects (Goldsmith-Pinkham, Hull, and Kolesar, 2022).

Alogit (Stata and C; with Jason Abaluck and Abi Adams-Prassl). Maximum-likelihood estimattion of the (in)attentive choice models in Abaluck and Adams-Prassl (2021).

Staggered (Stata; with Jon Roth and Pedro H.C. Sant'Anna). Efficient estimator for staggered designs with randomized treatment timing (Roth and Sant'Anna, 2023).

PreTrends (Stata; with Jon Roth). Power calculations for pre-trends tests (Roth, 2022).

ManyIV (Stata, with Michal Kolesár). Unbiased jack-knife instrumental variables estimation for examiner designs.

Presentations

Banco de Portugal Workshop on Empirical Research with Large Datasets	Dec 2022
16th International Industrial Organization Conferences	Apr 2018
Southern Economic Association 83rd Annual Meetings	Nov 2013
University of Utah Spring 2012 Undergraduate Research Symposium	Apr 2012
National Conference on Undergraduate Research 2012	Mar 2012

Languages

Fluent	English and Spanish