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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Applied Microeconomics | Development Economics | Natural Disasters | Decision-making | Urban Economics

EDUCATION

University of Minnesota <i>Ph.D in Applied Economics</i>	Saint Paul, MN <i>Present</i>
University of San Francisco <i>M.S. in International and Development Economics</i>	San Francisco, CA <i>May 2020</i>
Saint Louis University <i>B.S. in Economics</i> <i>B.S. in International Business</i> <i>Minors in Italian Studies and Service Leadership</i>	Saint Louis, MO <i>May 2018</i>

PRE-DOCTORAL RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

University of Michigan <i>Research Area Specialist Associate Population Studies Center</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Supporting Dr. Dean Yang on ongoing RCTs and fieldwork in Mozambique evaluating USAID's PEPFAR program, the ProProgresso program, the disaster effects of Cyclone Idai, and behavioral choice related to Covid-19	Jun. 2020 – Aug. 2022 <i>Ann Arbor, MI</i>
University of San Francisco <i>Research Assistant Economics Department</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Assisting Dr. Jesse Anttila-Hughes with development and environmental economic research using Stata and RContributed to a working paper on sectoral effects and the potential environmental poverty trap created by tornadoes in the United States	Feb. 2019 – Aug. 2020 <i>San Francisco, CA</i>
BRAC <i>Research Intern Independent Evaluation and Research Center</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Contributed to two RCTs at BRAC Uganda: Targeting the Ultra Poor Graduation – Youth Focus endline study and Strong Minds – Mental Health and Adolescent Empowerment baseline studyHandled logistical issues; trained enumerators; conducted field visits; designed and deployed surveys via ODK and SurveyCTO; monitored, cleaned, and analyzed data using Stata; and compiled summary reports	May 2019 – Aug. 2019 <i>Kampala, Uganda</i>
University of San Francisco <i>Business Intelligence Analyst Intern Office of Research and Analytics</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Assisting the Provost Office with analytics used for internal assessment and evaluation at the department levelPerform data analytics, mainly descriptive statistics, using Tableau and SQL on a campus climate survey	Jul. 2018 – Jan. 2019 <i>San Francisco, CA</i>
Saint Louis University – Madrid <i>Research Assistant Business and Economics Department</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Assisting Dr. Paolo Saono and Dr. Laura Muro with financial economic research using Excel, Thompson Reuters' Eikon, and StataContributed to two papers on the effects of earnings managed as a function of gender published in the Journal of Finance Management Account and as a function of corporate governance published in Economic Research	Jan. 2018 – May 2018 <i>Madrid, Spain</i>
Saint Louis University <i>Research Assistant Economics Department</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Assisting Department Chair Dr. Hailong Qian with macro-economic research using Excel and E-ViewsContributed to a working paper on the relationship of migration on entrepreneurship under the Boom-City theory	Jan. 2017 – May 2017 <i>Saint Louis, MO</i>

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of San Francisco

Aug. 2019 – May 2020

Teaching Assistant | Economics Department

San Francisco, CA

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| 2020 | ECON 620 Graduate Econometrics
ECON 427 Applied Econometrics Capstone
ECON 312 Intermediate Macroeconomics
ECON 111 Principles of Microeconomics |
| 2019 | ECON 615 Mathematics for Economists
ECON 112 Principles of Macroeconomics |

Tutor | Athletics Department

Aug. 2019 - May 2020

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| 2019 – 2020 | MATH 106 Business Statistics
MATH 104 Algebra and Trigonometry for Business & Science
ECON 372 Development Economics
ECON 312 Intermediate Macroeconomics
ECON 112 Principles of Macroeconomics
BSM 302 Marketing Principles
SOC 150 Introduction to Sociology |
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PUBLICATIONS

1. *Cruising Through School: General Equilibrium Effects of Cruise Ship Arrivals on Employment and Education*, **The American Economist**, 2022, 67(1), 5 – 23.

WORKING PAPERS

2. *Does Board Gender Diversity and Remuneration Impact Earnings Quality? An Empirical Analysis of Spanish Firms*, with Paolo Saono, Laura Muro, and Pablo San Martin (Revise and Resubmit at *Gender in Management: An International Journal*)
1. *A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis of the Impact of Early Childhood Development on Child Health Outcomes*, with Pallavi Prabhakar, and Ayo Ellis (Under Review at *World Development*)

WORKS IN PROGRESS

2. *American Tornadoes: Tornado Shocks on U.S. Metropolises*, with Jesse Anttila-Hughes
1. *Sex and Sexual Orientation in Economics Preferences*, with Alessandra Cassar

PERMANENT WORKING PAPERS

2. *Stata Tip: Consistency and Communication in Team Dofiles*, with James Allen IV and Hang Yu. **SSRN Working Paper Series**, 2021, (3965114).
1. *Contrasting Incentives for Earnings Management: Board Activity and Board Remuneration in Spanish Firms*, with Paolo Saono, Laura Muro, and Mauricio Jara-Bertin. **ResearchGate Working Paper Series**, 2019 (2.2.11103.00163).

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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| 2022 | 6th Annual Michigan University-Wide Sustainability & Environment (MUSE) Conference |
| 2021 | 9th Annual International Conference on Sustainable Development (ICSD)
5th Annual Michigan University-Wide Sustainability & Environment (MUSE) Conference
ASSA Annual Meeting ODE Graduate Student Session |
| 2020 | 10th Annual CARD Conference |

TECHNICAL SKILLS

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| Administrative: | G Suite Git L ^A T _E X Microsoft Office Suite Prezi |
| Financial: | Bloomberg Marketing Concepts (BMC) Thompson Reuters' Eikon |
| Languages: | Italian (Conversant) Latin (Proficient) Portuguese (Beginner) Spanish (Beginner) |
| Statistical: | ArcGIS Earth Engine Python R Stata SQL Tableau |
| Survey Design: | ODK SurveyCTO Qualtrics |
| Survey Implementation: | In-Person Household Visits Phone Call Surveys Digital Survey Forms |

RECOGNITIONS

2022	CF Future Leaders of Production Agriculture and Marketing Fellowship
2021	Irving Fisher Graduate Research Paper Prize
2020	Jacques Artus Award, Outstanding Thesis
2019	University of San Francisco Merit Based Scholarship
2018	Motley Fool College Competition Winner
2016	Boeing Bold Scholarship
	Sax International Business Scholarship
2014	Saint Louis University Merit Based Scholarship
2009	Eagle Scout

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AND AFFILIATIONS

Reviewer Services

Gender in Management: An International Journal

Affiliations

2019	Omicron Delta Epsilon
2018	Saint Louis University – Madrid Microfinance (<i>Past Treasurer</i>)
	Global Brigades Microfinance
	Amnesty International (<i>Past Saint Louis University President</i>)

Committee Membership

2022	Digital Marketing Advisory Council – University of South Florida, College of Business
2021	Pre-Doc Hiring Committee – University of Michigan, Institute for Social Research
2020	Alumni Committee – University of San Francisco, Economics Department
2015	Service Leadership Advisory Board – Saint Louis University