Prakash Mishra

Environmental economics · Spatial methods · Industrial Organization

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EDUCATION

July 2019 – present

Ph.D. Candidate in Applied Economics The Wharton School at The University of Pennsylvania I am a fifth-year in the program. I am advised by Arthur van Benthem, Gilles Duranton, Ulrich Doraszelski, and Susanna Berkouwer. I will be on the market in 2024.

Aug 2015 - May 2019

BSE in Systems Engineering, **BS** in Economics (summa cum laude) The University of Pennsylvania Thesis title: "The Cost of the Culturati: Studying the Neighborhood Stability Impact of Cultural District Designations"

Jerome Fisher Program in Management & Technology

WORKING PAPERS

- I. Prakash Mishra. "The Global Allocative Efficiency of Deforestation", Job Market Paper.
- 2. T. Grupp, **P. Mishra**, M. Reynaert, and A. van Benthem, "An evaluation of protected area policies in the European Union".
- 3. Prakash Mishra. "The impact of trade liberalization in agriculture on deforestation"
- 4. Prakash Mishra. "Agricultural pollution taxes and industrial farming"

PRESENTATIONS

- 1. Columbia IPWSD. 8 April 2021
- 2. Wharton Student Seminar. October 2020, February 2021, February 2022
- 3. Camp Resources. August 2023.
- 4. TWEEDS. September 2023.

Honors

2021, 2022

2022-Present.

2021

Russell Ackoff Fellowships

Wharton Risk Center

For projects in the climate and risk space. Supported projects: "The Global Allocative Efficiency of Deforestation" (JMP) and "The impact of trade liberalization in agriculture on deforestation"

Winkelman Fellowship. The Wharton School

Awarded to a single Applied Economics student in their second year.

The Economics of Planetary Boundaries

FORMAS GRANT

with Daniel Spiro, Johan Gars, Ao Fei, Daniel Moran, Gustav Engström, Lint Barrage, Peter Sogaard Jorgensen, Steven Lade, Arthur van Benthem, and Sarah Cornell (SEK 19,933,485; \$2.4 million)

TEACHING

Spring 2022

BEPP 250: Managerial Economics

Head Teaching Assistant

Spring 2023

BEPP 263/763: Energy & Environmental Economics and Policy

Teaching assistant

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SERVICE

2020-2021 Wharton Doctoral Council

Organize initiatives for doctoral students across Wharton programs.

Fall 2021 Wharton Directed Reading Program

Program connects PhD students and under-represented minority undergraduates in a one-on-one

semester-long program. Designed a reading list in environmental economics and met weekly with student.

Search committee

Representative of Wharton's PhD student body to a search committee for a new Chief Diversity Officer.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

2020-present Various Triathlete

Competitive age group triathlete with multiple long-distance races under my belt.