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PERSONAL INFORMATION	Chicago, IL 60615 Citizenship: USA, India (Overseas), Sweden	Voice: +1 (301) 767-5313 Email: nhaksar@uchicago.edu Website: nikhil.haksar.in
RESEARCH INTERESTS	Applied econometrics and microeconomics. Competition and structural inequity; antitrust and competition policy. State-owned enterprise, trade policy. Causal inference, big data methods.	
EDUCATION	The University of Chicago B.S. Candidate, Computational and Applied Mathematics • Major GPA: 3.55/4.00. Cumulative GPA: 3.63/4.00 B.A. Candidate, Economics • Major GPA: 3.63/4.00 Beijing Normal University Certificate, Chinese Language and Culture • Princeton-in-Beijing program. Credit for Princeton CHI 303C and 304C Sidwell Friends School ACT: Composite 36/36 in Sep 2016. AP Scholar with Distinction, 2016	Chicago, IL USA (Expected June 2021) Beijing, PR China August 2018 Washington, DC USA June 2017
HONORS AND AWARDS	• The University of Chicago: Expected Honors in Economics, 2021. Dean's List, 2017-2019 • Beijing Normal University: Third place, Beijing Inter-University Speech Contest, 2018	
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	Charles River Associates <i>Analyst Intern (Antitrust & Competition)</i> • Developed machine-learning tool to process client data dumps, saving 20+ labor-hours per case • Used Stata and Python to produce charts and reports on market trends in major industries • Assisted in the production and development of research summaries and expert reports American India Foundation <i>Technical Consultant</i> • Provided data analysis and infrastructure support for new fundraising platform launch • Implemented custom CAN-SPAM Act compliant web interfaces to support new email campaign <i>Metcalf Development Intern</i> • Developed and implemented data-driven fundraising strategy by applying data analytics on Raiser's Edge cloud database; identified potential for 500% growth in online donations • Based on data and industry research, convinced CEO, CFO, and Director to pursue infrastructure modernization to implement fundraising best practices and increase donor retention by 10% • Built strategy and integrated software for new campaign to increase online revenue by \$200,000 Drink Perfect <i>Business Development Intern</i> • Managed 5-person team; coordinated strategic research and outreach; reported directly to CEO • Drove profitable growth by establishing and maintaining relationships with business partners	Chicago, IL USA June 2020 - July 2020 New York, NY USA September 2019 - December 2019 Chicago, IL USA June 2020 - July 2020
COURSEWORK HIGHLIGHTS	• Economics: Econometrics (Honors), Dynamic Modeling, Industrial Organization, Applied Econometric and Data Science Methods, Economic Analysis (Honors) • Mathematics: Real Analysis, Numerical Analysis, Abstract Linear Algebra, Algorithms • Statistics: Optimization, Mathematical Probability, Statistical Theory and Methods	
COMPUTER SKILLS	• Languages: R, Python, Stata, MATLAB. C, Java, Scheme. HTML, CSS, some JavaScript • Applications: Data analysis/cleaning, dynamic modeling, application development, web design • Other: Excel, PowerPoint, Linux, L ^A T _E X, Raiser's Edge	
OTHER SKILLS AND INTERESTS	• Languages: English (native), Mandarin Chinese (HSK4), Spanish (B2), Swedish (A2) • Interests: Portrait/dance photography, electronic music, hiking, ice hockey, cooking	