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## Education

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2021–	Ph.D. Student in Economics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Cambridge, MA
2017–2021	S.B. Mathematical Economics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Cambridge, MA

## Research

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### Interests

Areas      Education, Market Design, Deveolpment, Behavioral

### Experience

2022–	RA for Parag Pathak, MIT
2018–2021	RA for Ernst Berndt and Rena Conti, MIT
2020	RA for Ben Olken and Gabriel Kreindler, J-PAL Southeast Asia
2014–2017	RA for Mark Pingle, University of Nevada, Reno

### Publications + Working Papers

2021	“Evaluating Strategic Play: Manipulations with Symmetric Information in the Boston Mechanism”, Thesis advised by Parag Pathak. <a href="#">link</a>
2021	“A Rising Tide for All or Wave for One?: The Effect of Charter School Competition on District Achievement”, by Adajar P. Selected for MIT Undergraduate Journal of Economics, Vol. XX. <a href="#">link</a>
2019	“The Surprising Hybrid Pedigree of Measures of Diversity and Economic Concentration”, by Adajar P., Berndt E., and Conti R. NBER Working Paper #26512. Presented at Society for Economic Measurement Conference (Aug. 2019), NBER Productivity Lunch (Sep. 2019), EMG Workshop (Nov. 2020). <a href="#">link</a>
2018	“Values: How do they Contribute to Economic Success?”, by Pingle M. and Adajar P. Journal of Organizational Psychology, Vol. 18, Iss. 1. <a href="#">link</a>

## Teaching

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2021	14.02, Principles of Macroeconomics (UG), TA for Ricardo Caballero, MIT
2019	14.27, Economics and E-Commerce (UG), TA for Sara Ellison, MIT
2017–	Classes on economics, math, science, and other topics, MIT ESP programs (Splash, Spark, HSSP)
2016–2018	MathCounts Instructor, Star League and CyberMath Summer Camps

## Academic Community Service

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2020–2021	Committee on the Undergraduate Program at MIT, Undergraduate Representative
2017–2021	MIT ESP, Chair (2019), Summer HSSP Director (2018)
2017–2021	Northeast Regional Middle School Science Bowl, Coordinator (2019–2021)

## Other

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Awards	NSF Graduate Research Fellow (2021–2026), Phi Beta Kappa (2021)
Skills	Stata, Python, R, ArcGIS, $\text{\LaTeX}$
Interests	Jeopardy!, Climbing, A Cappella, Broadway Musicals, Scrabble, Basketball, Memorization