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education

2021–	Ph.D. Candidate in Economics, MIT	*Cambridge, MA*
2017–2021	S.B. Mathematical Economics, MIT	*Cambridge, MA*

research

INTERESTS

AREAS   Education, Deveolpment, Market Design, Behavioral

RESEARCH ASSISTANT WORK

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

WORKS IN PROGRESS

2023   School-House Shocks: The Effect of Neighborhood-based School Assignment Policies on Intracity Migration

UNDERGRADUATE WORK

2021	"Evaluating Strategic Play: Manipulations with Symmetric Information in the Boston Mechanism", Thesis advised by Parag Pathak. link
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. link
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). link

teaching

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)

academic community service

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

AWARDS	NSF Graduate Research Fellow, Phi Beta Kappa
SKILLS	Stata, Python, R, Julia, LaTeX, ArcGIS
INTERESTS	A Cappella, Musicals, Climbing, Bikes, Jeopardy!, Puzzle Hunts, Ultimate Frisbee