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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Candidate in Economics, University of Michigan, Expected 2026

M.A. in Economics, University of Michigan, 2021

B.A. in Economics (High Honors) and Mathematics, summa cum laude, Dartmouth College, 2019 Minor in Physics

RESEARCH FIELDS

Public Finance

Research

Working Papers

"Corporate Tax Asymmetry and Market Power" (Job Market Paper)

"Optimal Taxation and Enforcement with Market Power"

"Optimal Dual-Regime Business Tax Systems" (with Rishi R. Sharma, Joel Slemrod, Michael Stimmelmayr, and John D. Wilson)

Works in Progress

"Optimal Progressivity of K-12 Public School Funding" (with Jordy Berne)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant for Joel Slemrod, 2023-2024

Summer Research Apprenticeship with Ashley Craig, 2021

Summer Research Apprenticeship with Sarah Miller, 2020

Earlier: Undergraduate Research Assistant for Erzo FP Luttmer (2017-2018), Federal Reserve Board RBOPS PSS Summer Intern (2018)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Graduate Student Instructor, University of Michigan

Corporate Governance (UG): Fall 2024

Game Theory (UG): Winter 2023, Fall 2023, Winter 2024

Strategy (UG): Fall 2020, Winter 2021, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Winter 2022, Fall 2025

Intermediate Microeconomics (UG): Fall 2022

Part-Time TA, University of Michigan: Applied Microeconomics (UG, Winter 2021), Matching and Market Design (UG, Winter 2022)

Honors & Awards

Gerald C. and Theresa F. Timmis, III, Fellowship for Economic Theory, 2025

William Haber Predoctoral Fellowship, 2019

Dartmouth Economics Research Scholars, 2017

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

2025	Michigan Tax Invitational, NTA Annual Conference
2024	Michigan Public Finance Seminar, NTA Annual Conference
2023	Michigan Public Finance Lunch Seminar (x2)
2022	Michigan Public Finance Lunch Seminar

OTHER

Programming: Matlab, Python, Stata, R

Clearance: U.S. Census Bureau Special Sworn Status

Department Service: University of Michigan Graduate Economics Society President, 2022-2023

Citizenship: USA

References

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