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## Education

**Northwestern University, Kellogg School of Management**  
Ph.D. in Finance

2020 – 2026 (Expected)

**London School of Economics and Political Science**  
M.Sc. in Economics

2018 – 2020

**University of Western Ontario**  
B.A. in Economics  
B.A. in Business Administration

2013 – 2018

2015 – 2018

## Refereed Publications

“From Immediate Acceptance to Deferred Acceptance: Effects on School Admissions and Achievement in England,” with Camille Terrier and Parag Pathak  
Conditionally Accepted at *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*

## Working Papers

“Asset Pricing with Capital-Skill Complementarities”

## Work in Progress

“Product and Labor Market Power,” with Dalton Zhang

“The Role of Market Power and Misallocation for Growth Risks,” with Dalton Zhang

“Monetary Policy Transmission with Both Product and Labor Market Power,” with Dalton Zhang

## Professional Activities

**Conferences and Seminar Presentations**  
2023: Transatlantic Doctoral Conference

**Refereeing**  
Journal of Financial Economics

## Awards and Fellowships

Kellogg School of Management Doctoral Fellowship, Northwestern University	2020 – 2025
Economics Core Course Awards, University of Western Ontario	2018
Kevin H. Burley Economics Scholarship, University of Western Ontario	2018
HBA '87 Darcy Doherty Memorial Scholarship, University of Western Ontario	2015
Four Year Continuing Admission Scholarships, University of Western Ontario	2013 – 2017

## Teaching Experience

Teaching Assistant, Northwestern University	
FINC 435 – MBAi Finance	2022
FINC 454 – Real Estate Finance and Investments	2022 – 2024
FINC 455 – Applied Real Estate Finance and Investments	2022 – 2024
FINC 431 – Finance II	2023
FINCX 473 – Macroeconomics	2023 – 2024

## Additional Information

Programming: R, Julia, Matlab, Python, Stata,  $\text{\LaTeX}$   
Citizenship: United States, Canada  
Other Affiliations: United States Census Bureau Special Sworn Status

## References

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