

Sara C. Kingsley

Interests	Economics, Human-computer interaction, law & public policy.
Education	University of Massachusetts Amherst , Amherst, MA <i>Bachelor of Arts</i> , Social Thought, Political Economics. <i>M.S.</i> , Labor studies, labor economics. current.
Projects	Competition in Online Labor Markets, 2013 - present : this project evaluates competition in online labor markets, price-setting and information disparities. STEM jobs, 2013 - present : this project collects data about stem occupations and analyzes trends in employment, hiring, human capital, wages and human rights. Measuring & evaluating tech4dev, 2013 - 2015 : this project measured technology access and use at select project sites in Botswana, Ghana, Kenya, Namibia and South Africa. Data collected via surveys built using Open Data Kit (ODK), and networking management tools.
Publications	Kingsley, Sara C., Gray, Mary L, Suri, Sid. "Accounting for Market Frictions and Power Asymmetries in Online Labor Markets," <i>Policy & Internet</i> , 2015, 7 (4).
Conference presentations	February, 2019. "Tech economics: questions and opportunities" North America Convening, YSI INET: University of Southern California. February, 2019. "Inequality in Online Labor Markets for Transcription Work." North America Convening, YSI INET: University of Southern California. October, 2018. "Online Labor Market Research." Using the Crowd Mixer, Institutes for Social Science Computational Social Science Research: UMASS Amherst. April, 2015. Berkeley Development Impact Lab. DIL Fellow Panel Showcase: Tech Innovation and Partnerships for Education in Africa. University of California, Berkeley. November, 2014. "Monopsony Online: crowdworking and market power." Digital Labor Conference, November 2014: New School, New York, NY. September, 2014. "Monopsony and the Crowd: Labor for Lemons?" Internet, Policy & Policy (IPP), September 2014: Oxford Internet Institute, Oxford University, Oxford.
Professional activities	Mechanish Design for social good , member, Fall 2018 - present. Co-organize research working group on online labor markets.
Awards	Nomination, World Information Society Prize, United Nations. Exceptional Achievement Award, U.S. Secretary of Labor, U.S. Department of Labor. Peace & Social Justice Internship Grant, Samuel Rubin Foundation.
Computer Skills	Languages : R (advanced), L ^A T _E X, Python (learner), GO (learner). Web Development : HTML, CSS, JavaScript. Software : ODK, SurveyMonkey, Excel, Sharepoint, Office.

**Research
experience**

Independent Research Consultant

February, 2019 - present

Write a literature review about platform policies in the United States and elsewhere.

IG Metall Germany

Remote - Frankfurt, Germany

Independent Research Consultant

Summer 2018

Collected and analyzed data about gender representation in technology policy leadership globally. Research contributed to the EQUALS Global Partnership: equals.org

United Nations University

Remote - Macao, China

Associate Researcher

2015 - 2017

Conducted economics and policy research about payment systems, telecommunications, and markets in technology for the Chief Economist of Microsoft. Conducted policy reviews & business intelligence. Required understanding of economics and public policy, empirical methods, business analytics, programming in R, excel.

Microsoft Research

Redmond, Wa

PhD Research Internships

Summer 2013, 2014 - 2015

Conducted economics research about online labor markets, required building online surveys, cleaning and analyzing data, deploying apps using internal crowdsourcing tools, building data visualizations, programming & data analysis in R, excel.

Microsoft Research

Redmond, WA & New York, NY

UX Researcher

2013 - 2014

Designed online surveys for project at Microsoft Research. Collected and analyzed data about employment trends in STEM for Microsoft's technology policy group.

Populus Group, LLC

Remote - Bellevue, WA