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EDUCATION

Columbia University, New York, NY
Ph.D., Economics, 2023 (expected)
M.Phil., Economics, 2019
M.A., Economics, 2018

University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan
M.A., Economics, 2015

Soka University, Tokyo, Japan
B.A., Economics, *summa cum laude*, 2013

Research Interests

Primary: International Trade, Economic Geography
Secondary: Growth, Empirical Macroeconomics, Corporate Finance

Working Papers

“Place-Based Policies and the Spatial Distribution of Corporate Investment” (with Cameron LaPoint)
“Coming in at a Trickle: The Optimal Frequency of Public Benefit Payments” (with Cameron LaPoint)

Works In Progress

“Mobile Human Capital and Diffusion of Ideas Across Cities”
“From Malthus to Miracle: The Sources of Japanese Industrialization” (with Réka Juhász and David E. Weinstein)

Research Experience

2017-2020	Columbia University, Research Assistant for David E. Weinstein
2015-2016	University of Tokyo, Research Assistant for Tsutomu Watanabe
2013-2015	University of Tokyo, Research Assistant for Michal Fabinger

Teaching Experience

Columbia University	
Teaching Assistant for Corporate Finance (Undergraduate)	2019 Spring
Teaching Assistant for International Trade (Undergraduate)	2018 Fall
University of Tokyo	
Teaching Assistant for Macroeconomics (Undergraduate)	2014 Fall

Grants and Awards

2022	Dissertation Fellowship, Columbia University
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2018	The PER Summer Research Assistant Grant, Columbia University
2016-2022	Center on Japanese Economy and Business Doctoral Fellowship, Columbia University
2016-2021	The Nakajima Foundation Scholarship
2014	Essay Contest First Prize, Mizuho Foundation for the Promotion of Sciences
2013	Essay Contest Second Prize, Mizuho Foundation for the Promotion of Sciences
2013	Valedictorian and Dean's Award, Soka University
2009-2012	Academic Merit Scholarship, Soka University

Seminars & Presentations

2022: UEA London

Professional Activities

Referee Services: Journal of Urban Economics

Skills

Languages: English (fluent), Japanese (native)

Programming: Python, Stata, MATLAB, R, Julia, Mathematica