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EDUCATION

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|---|---------------------------------|
| University of Georgia Ph.D., Agricultural and Applied Economics | 2020 – 2025 (<i>Expected</i>) |
| Montana State University M.S., Applied Economics | 2017 – 2019 |
| Kathmandu University Bachelor of Business Information Systems | 2009 – 2013 |

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Economics subfields: Labor economics, agricultural economics, economic development
Specific topics: U.S. agricultural labor markets, economics of migration and immigration

WORKING PAPERS

[Labor Market Effects of the Venezuelan Refugee Crisis in Brazil](#) (with Hugo Sant'Anna) [*Under review at American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*]

WORK IN PROGRESS

Immigration Enforcement, Entrepreneurship, and Firm Entry/Exit (with Hugo Sant'Anna)
Revisiting the Impacts of Immigration Control on U.S. Agriculture
Manufacturing Sector Decline, Intersectoral Hysteresis, and Farm Labor Markets

CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS (*SCHEDULED)

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| 2023 Southern Economic Association (SEA) Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA* | Fall 2023 |
| 2023 AAEA Annual Meeting (selected presentation), Washington, DC* | Summer 2023 |
| UGA Development Workshop | Spring 2023 |
| 2022 AAEA Annual Meeting (selected presentation), Anaheim, CA | Summer 2022 |
| UGA Development Workshop | Spring 2022 |

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

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| American Economic Association (AEA) | 2023 – |
| Agricultural and Applied Economics Association (AAEA) | 2021 – |
| Mentee, Association of Mentorship and Inclusion in Economics (AMIE) | 2022–23 |

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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|---|---|
| The World Bank <i>Short-Term Consultant</i> | Apr 2023 – Present <i>Remote</i> |
| University of Georgia <i>Graduate Assistant</i> | Jan 2021 – Present <i>Athens, GA</i> |

Precision Development (PxD)*Research Consultant*

Jul 2019 – Jun 2020

*Remote***Montana State University***Graduate Assistant*

Aug 2017 – May 2019

*Bozeman, MT***Interdisciplinary Analysts***Research Associate*

Aug 2015 – Jul 2017

*Kathmandu, Nepal***Nepā School of Social Sciences and Humanities***Research Assistant*

Jan 2015 – Jun 2015

*Kathmandu, Nepal***TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

TA for AAEC 3010: Farm Organization and Management (UGA)

Fall 2022

TA for AAEC 3040: Agribusiness Marketing (UGA)

Fall 2021

TA for ECNS 320: Public Finance (Montana State)

*Fall 2018***AWARDS**

UGA Graduate School Domestic Travel Grant Award

*2022***SERVICE**

Reviewer: *Journal of Agricultural Economics, Water Resources and Economics*

Treasurer, UGA AAEC Graduate Student Association (2021–2023)

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Statistical Analysis

Stata, R

Survey

CS-Pro, ODK, Qualtrics

DocumentationMicrosoft Office, L^AT_EX**REFERENCES**

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