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## Résumé

*PhD candidate in Economics at the University of Mississippi. My research interests lie in macroeconomics and span time series analysis, labor, monetary, and environmental economics. I am particularly interested in labor market reform in a dynamic and stochastic general equilibrium (DSGE) framework. I strive to answer questions in my research that are both academically interesting and policy relevant.*

## EDUCATION

- 2017–2023 **University of Mississippi**, *Ph.D.*, Economics, *Expected March 2023*.  
2017–2019 **University of Mississippi**, *M.A.*, Economics.  
Summer 2020 **University of California (Virtual)**, *Berkeley/Sloan Summer School*, Environmental and Energy Economics.  
2021 **Tekedia Institute (Virtual)**, *Mini-MBA*.  
Summer 2021 **Dynare (Virtual)**, *Dynare Summer School*.  
2015–2016 **University of Lagos, Nigeria**, *M.Sc.*, Economics.  
2009–2012 **University of Benin, Nigeria**, *B.Sc.*, Mathematics and Economics.

## SKILLS

MATLAB	Advanced	Stata	Advanced
R	Advanced	L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X	Advanced
MS-Office	Advanced	E-views	Advanced
Python	Intermediate	SQL	Intermediate
Tableau	Intermediate	RATs	Basic
Google Analytics	Intermediate		

## EXPERIENCE

- 2021–present **Instructor**, *University of Mississippi*.
  - Prepare and deliver lectures to undergraduate students on courses such as principles of macroeconomics and microeconomics.
  - Develop instructional materials.
  - Evaluate and grade students' class work, assignments, and papers.
  - Initiate, facilitate, and moderate classroom discussions.
- 2019–2022 **Teaching Assistant**, *University of Mississippi*.
  - Undergraduate Level Experimental Economics
  - Graduate Level Macroeconomics
  - Graduate Level Econometrics
- 2017–2020 **Research Assistant**, *University of Mississippi*.

- Perform research and analyze all economic policies and issues.
- Analyze and prepare various economic data sets.
- Prepare various charts and graphs for all economic data and draft relevant articles.
- Coordinate with other colleagues to research on various economic issues and analyze all statistics.
- Develop original quantitative research projects.

Summer 2020 **Teaching Fellow**, *Michigan State University*, America Economic Association Summer Program.

- Organized recitation lectures and assignments for classes
- Guide class discussions.
- Evaluate student work.

## HONORS AND AWARDS

- Summer Research Assistantship, Graduate School, University of Mississippi, 2022.
- The National Opinion Research Center, 2022.
- Graduate Student Award, Southern Economic Association, Fall 2021.
- Graduate Assistantship, 2017–2023.

## SERVICE

2017–2018 **Graduate Student Council Senator**, *University of Mississippi*.

- Representing economics graduate students.

2017–2018 **Volunteer**, *University of Mississippi*.

- Green Grove Gameday Recycling Program.