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## EDUCATION

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<b>University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, IL, US</b>	<i>Expected 2026</i>
PhD in Business Administration (Information Systems, Operations, Supply Chain, and Analytics)	
<b>Dissertation:</b> <i>The Impact of Platforms and Blockchain in Improving the Efficiency of the Food Supply Chain</i>	
<b>Committee:</b> Gautam Pant (Co-chair), Ujjal Mukherjee (Co-chair) Ramanath Subramanyam, Pratik Banerjee	
<b>Faculty of Management Studies (FMS), University of Delhi, India</b>	2017
Master of Business Administration (Majors: Finance, Operations)	
<b>National Institute of Technology Calicut, India</b>	2014
Bachelor of Technology (Electrical and Electronics Engineering)	

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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**Topics:** Digital Platforms, Blockchain, Tech-enabled Food Supply Chains, Food Delivery, Food Sustainability

**Methodology:** Applied Econometrics, Causal Inference, Natural Language Processing, Machine Learning, Analytical Modeling

## WORKING PAPERS

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- **Srinivas, S.**, Pant, G., Mukherjee, U., “*From Waste to Welfare: The Effect of Foodtech Platforms on Food Insecurity*”
  - *Winner: Best Student Paper at the 2025 Annual Decision Sciences Institute Conference*
  - *To be published in 2025 DSI Annual Conference Proceedings*
  - *In preparation for resubmission to MIS Quarterly (after Reject & Re-submit decision)*
- **Srinivas, S.**, Mukherjee, U., Pant, G., “*Dining Disrupted: The Impact of Food Delivery Platforms on the Restaurant Industry*”,
  - ICIS 2025 Proceedings. 9. [https://aisel.aisnet.org/icis2025/sharing\\_econ/sharing\\_econ/9](https://aisel.aisnet.org/icis2025/sharing_econ/sharing_econ/9)
  - *Under review at Information Systems Research*

## RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

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- **Srinivas, S.**, Mukherjee, U., Pant, G., Banerjee, P., “*Impact of Blockchain Traceability on Food Safety*” [Data analysis in progress]

- Srinivas, S., Mehrotra, M., Rajapakshe, T., “*Sales Promotions and Food Waste*” [Analytical model development in progress]
- Seshadri, S., Gao, X., Srinivas, S., “*Demand Planning and Waste in the Perishable Food Industry*” [Data collection in progress]

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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### Dining Disrupted: The Impact of Food Delivery Platforms on Restaurant Industry Market Structure

International Conference on Information Systems, Nashville, TN ( <i>Scheduled</i> )	Dec 2025
Conference on Information Systems and Technology, Atlanta, GA	Oct 2025
INFORMS Annual Meeting 2025, Atlanta, GA	Oct 2025
Workshop on Information Systems and Economics, Bangkok, Thailand	Dec 2024
DSI Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ	Nov 2024

### Impact of Blockchain Traceability on Food Safety

INFORMS Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA	Oct 2024
Annual POMS Conference, Minneapolis, MN	May 2024
Supply Chain Management Conference, Champaign, IL	Feb 2024

### From Waste to Welfare: The Effect of Foodtech Platforms on Food Insecurity

DSI Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA ( <i>Scheduled</i> )	Nov 2025
Annual POMS Conference, Atlanta, GA	May 2025
Supply Chain Management Conference, Champaign, IL	Mar 2025
DSI Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA	Nov 2023
INFORMS Annual Meeting, Phoenix, AZ	Oct 2023

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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IT for Networked Organizations <i>Instructor (Student Evaluation: 4.11/5.0)</i>	Gies College of Business Fall 2024
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## SERVICES

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### Reviewer

International Conference on Information Systems (2025, 2024), Conference on Information Systems and Technology (2025, 2024), INFORMS MSOM Conference (2025)

### Session Chair

Annual POMS Conference (2025), DSI Annual Conference (2024), INFORMS Annual Meeting (2024), Supply Chain Management Conference, UIUC (2025)

### Member

AIS, INFORMS, POMS, DSI

### Volunteer

Midwest Healthcare Management Conference, UIUC (2022)

## **SELECTED AWARDS, CONSORTIUMS AND CERTIFICATIONS**

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International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS) Doctoral Consortium ( <i>Scheduled</i> )	2025
INFORMS Information Systems Society (ISS) Doctoral Consortium	2025
Production and Operations Management Society (POMS) Doctoral Consortium	2025
University Block Grant Fellowship	2025
Certificate in Foundations of Teaching, UIUC	2025
Business Intelligence Unit (BIU) Star Award, Axis Bank, India	2020
International Finalist, <i>Mahindra War Room</i> , Case Study Event by Mahindra & Mahindra <i>Cologne Intensive Study Programme</i> , University of Cologne, Germany (Graded A+)	2017
Certified Professional in Green Belt Lean Six Sigma	2016

## **DOCTORAL COURSEWORK**

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### **Methodology**

Econometric Analysis I & II, Microeconomic Theory I & II, Applied Microeconometrics I, Statistical Learning, Real Analysis, Applied Stochastic Processes

### **Doctoral Seminars**

Causal Inference, Machine Learning in Business Research, Field Experiments and Causal Inference, Empirical Operations Management, Topics in Operations and Finance, Modeling in Supply Chain Management, AI in Business and Society

## **INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE**

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### **Yes Bank**

Mumbai, India, 2021

*Assistant Vice President, Central Data and Analytics Group*

Set up the analytics team for the Transaction Banking business and improved the performance of Commercial Vehicle Credit Application Scorecard

### **Axis Bank**

Mumbai, India, 2017-2021

*Senior Manager, Business Intelligence Unit*

Developed default risk prediction models for Corporate Credit customers and implemented multiple analytical solutions for the Corporate Forex business

### **Reliance Industries**

Surat, India, 2014-2015

*Electrical Engineer, Hazira Petrochemical Manufacturing Division*

## REFERENCES

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