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EDUCATION

Georgetown University   **Washington, DC**
McCourt School of Public Policy, Master of International Development Policy   *September 2024 – May 2026*
- Two-year STEM-certified program with a unique curriculum focused on applied microeconomics and quantitative research methods
- Quantitative and Regression Analysis

Relevant Coursework:
- Two semesters of advanced regression analysis, experimental and quasi-experimental using Stata and SurveyCTO, focusing on data collection and statistical analysis to evaluate development policies effectively.
  - Conducted a comprehensive statistical analysis on household survey data from Nigeria to identify poverty patterns and developed policy recommendations for the Nigerian government.
- Microeconomics & Impact Evaluation
  - Applied microeconomic theory to analyze consumer and firm behavior in developing countries, using optimization techniques to assess the impact of public policies on market efficiency and welfare.

Leiden University   **The Hague**
Bachelor of Science in International Relations and Organizations (Honors),   *Sep 2021 – June 2024*
Minor in Intelligence Studies

EXPERIENCE

OYE Kenya   **Nairobi**
Research Assistant   *May 2025 – September 2025*
- Assisted and led a quantitative analysis for a large-scale Randomized Controlled Trial (RCT) involving 10,000+ subjects, utilizing Stata to clean, merge, and analyze high-frequency survey data.
- Processed data quality assurance and cleaning for the electric two-wheeler provision program, utilizing Excel to process firm-level data from multiple Kenyan provinces
- Conducted econometric regression analysis to evaluate the adoption of electric vehicles, directly informing the strategic investment decisions of private sector partners in Kenya's transport sector.

The World Bank   **Washington, D.C**
Intern (STT)   *September 2025 – April 2026*
- Contributing to the 'Business Ready (B-READY)' project by conducting rigorous data quality assurance and validation for firm-level indicators across multiple economies.
- Synthesized qualitative regulatory data and quantitative metrics to assess the business environment, ensuring alignment with the World Bank's new methodology standards.
- Enforced data integrity protocols by performing logical consistency checks and cleaning large-scale datasets, supporting the publication of the flagship report.
- Optimized the performance of an internal GenAI chatbot for expert retrieval by conducting rigorous testing and refining search parameters.

McCourt Tech & Public Policy (TPP)   **Washington, D.C**
Visiting fellows Student Leadership Team   *February 2025 – May 2025*

- Orchestrated site visits and logistical operations for student delegations, serving as the primary liaison between McCourt TPP Visiting Fellows and the student body to ensure seamless program execution.
- Curated the thematic agenda for weekly policy discussions in collaboration with Visiting Fellows, identifying emerging tech policy trends to drive high-impact student engagement.
- Devised and implemented strategic outreach campaigns, maximizing student participation in roundtables and office hours.

Leiden University   **The Hague**
Research Assistant   *December 2023 – May 2024*

- Conducted in-depth historical research on border conflicts, specifically analyzing the geopolitical dynamics of the Korean DMZ to support Dr. Matthew Longo's publication.
- Curated and contextualized primary source materials (1950-60s memoirs), translating key narratives from Korean to English to bridge linguistic gaps for comparative analysis
- Facilitated bi-weekly research seminars, coordinating project milestones, and synthesizing qualitative findings among the research team.

Leiden Model United Nations Foundation   **The Hague**
Treasurer   *June 2023 – June 2024*

- Oversaw the financial operations and logistical planning for the foundation, ensuring compliance with budget constraints for international delegations.
- Optimized budget allocation through strategic negotiation, achieving a 30% reduction in delegation fees compared to previous fiscal years
- Established the foundation's inaugural scholarship program, enabling underrepresented delegates to participate in the Harvard National MUN
- Trained selected students to become delegates for each conference by providing a negotiation and public speaking skills lab

Skills

Language: Korean (Native), English (Professional Proficiency), French (Elementary Proficiency)
Technical Skills:
- Statistical Analysis: Stata (Advanced; ado-file programming, panel data), R (Intermediate; ggplot2, dplyr, shiny)
- Survey Tools: SurveyCTO (Intermediate; Questionnaire design & logic programming)
- Data Visualization: R (Intermediate; ggplot2, shiny)