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## Education

### **Georgia State University**

Ph.D., Economics, Expected Completion Date: May 2020.

Fields: Education Economics, Environmental Economics, Health Economics

### **Georgia State University**

M.A., Economics, May 2016.

### **University of Georgia**

B.A., Economics and History, *cum laude* 2013.

Minor, French

UGA en France Study Abroad, Montpellier, 2012

## Research

**Austin, G.W.**, Dan Kreisman, and Garth Heutel (2018). "School Bus Diesel Emissions, Student Health, and Academic Performance: Evidence from Georgia." *Working Paper*.

Chong, Alberto, Michele Baggio, Yasin Civelek, and **G.W. Austin** (2018). "Natural Disasters and Mental Health" *Working Paper*.

Sass, T. and **Austin, G.W.** (2017). "An Analysis of the Effects of Implementing Personalized Learning Connections in Broward County Schools." *Technical Report*.

## Employment

### **Economics Department, Georgia State University**

2nd Century Initiative Research Fellow, Tim Sass, *August 2016 - Present*

Graduate Research Assistant, Carlianne Patrick, *August 2014 - August 2016*

### **Urban Studies Institute, Georgia State University**

Research Assistant, *October 2017 - Present*

### **State Charter Schools Commission, Georgia Department of Education**

Research Assistant, *August 2015 - August 2016*

## Teaching

### **Economics Department, Georgia State University**

Instructor, Introductory Macroeconomics, *Spring 2018*

Teaching Assistant, Economics of Cities, *Fall 2015, Spring 2016*

## Languages and Skills

English (native), French (advanced), Spanish (basic)

Stata, ArcGis, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Matlab, Python, SAS

## References

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