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Education

2024 (expected)	Ph.D.	Economics	Clemson University
2022	M.A.	Economics	Clemson University
2019	B.B.A.	Economics	The University of South Dakota

Research Interests

International Trade, Trade Policy, Applied Econometrics, Macroeconomics, Industrial Organization

Research

Working Papers

"Temporary Trade Barriers and Trade Growth" with Cheng Chen [Job Market Paper]

"Determinants of Economic Integration Agreement Formation" with Scott Baier

"Firm Export Responses to Temporary Trade Barriers" with Cheng Chen, Zhang Chen, and Chang Sun (in progress)

"Trade and Tariffs in the Colonial Chesapeake" with Ben Jaros (in progress)

Teaching Experience

Instructor of Record: International Economics (Fall 2021, Spring 2022, Fall 2022, Spring 2023, Fall 2023, Spring 2024)

Instructor of Record: Principles of Microeconomics (Summer 2022, Summer 2023)

Teaching Assistant (Recitation): Principles of Microeconomics (Fall 2020), Principles of Macroeconomics (Spring 2021)

Teaching Assistant: International Microeconomics (Fall 2019), Intermediate Microeconomics (Spring 2020)

Skills

Methods: Causal inference, machine learning

Languages & Software: R, Python, Stata, Git, L^AT_EX, Microsoft Office Suite, Bash

Awards and Honors

Graduate Teaching Assistant Excellence Award, Clemson University	2023
John E. Walker Department of Economics Best Second Year Paper Award, Clemson University	2021
Hugh H. Macaulay Award for Outstanding Graduate Student, Clemson University	2020
Beta Gamma Sigma, International Business Honor Society, University of South Dakota	2019
Omicron Delta Epsilon, International Economics Honor Society, University of South Dakota	2018
Mortar Board National Honor Society, University of South Dakota	2017

Grants and Fellowships

Myles S. Wallace Fellowship, Clemson University	2022 – 2024
Charles G. Koch Annual Fellowship, Clemson University	2021 – 2022
Mark and Janet Mitchell Economics Grant (\$4,000), Clemson University	2021
John E. Walker Department of Economics Assistantship, Clemson University	2019 – 2024

Attended Conferences and Presentations

Clemson University Macroeconomics Workshop	2023 – Present
Clemson University Industrial Organization Workshop	2021 – 2023
Tollison Teaching Workshop with Gail Hoyt	2021

References

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