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## Education

<b>Colorado State University</b>	Fort Collins, CO
<i>Doctor of Philosophy in Economics (ABD)</i>	Expected 2023
Dissertation Title: “Three Essays on Health and Inequality”	
Committee: Professors Sammy Zahran, David Mushinski, and Ray Miller	
<i>Master of Arts in Economics</i>	Dec. 2019
<b>Colorado College</b>	Colorado Springs, CO
<i>Bachelor of Arts in Mathematical Economics</i>	May 2017

## Research Interests

Applied Microeconomics, Applied Macroeconomics,  
Health Economics, Public Economics

## Teaching Interests

Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Economic Development,  
Health Economics, Welfare/Public Economics,  
Demographics/Labor, Econometrics

## Teaching Experience

<b>Colorado State University</b>	Fort Collins, CO
<i>Graduate Teaching Instructor</i>	Jul. 2020 – Present
ECON 202: Principles of Microeconomics (2 Sections)	Fall 2022
ECON 306: Intermediate Microeconomics	Spring 2022
ECON 202: Principles of Microeconomics	Spring 2022
ECON 460: Economic Development	Fall 2021
ECON 306: Intermediate Microeconomics	Fall 2021
ECON 304: Intermediate Microeconomics (2 Sections)	Spring 2021
ECON 202: Principles of Macroeconomics (2 Sections)	Fall 2020
ECON 202: Principles of Microeconomics	Summer 2020
<i>Graduate Teaching Assistant</i>	Aug. 2017 – May 2020
ECON 204: Principles of Macroeconomics (3 Sections)	Spring 2020
ECON 204: Principles of Microeconomics (3 Sections)	Fall 2019
ECON 202: Principles of Macroeconomics (3 Sections)	Spring 2019
ECON 204: Principles of Macroeconomics (3 Sections)	Fall 2018
ECON 204: Principles of Macroeconomics (3 Sections)	Spring 2018
ECON 202: Principles of Microeconomics (3 Sections)	Fall 2017

## Publications

The Welfare Cost of Late-life Depression  
(Joint with Ray Miller and Ashish Kumar Sedai)  
Forthcoming in the *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*

<b>Working Papers</b>	Beyond Income: Health, Wealth, and Racial Welfare Gaps Among Older Americans (Joint with Ray Miller) In preparation for a submission to the <i>Review of Economic Dynamics</i>										
<b>Works in Progress</b>	Neighborhood Violence and Infant Health: The Causal Effect of Crime on Infant Birth Outcomes  Machine Learning and Natural Language Processing in Population Well-Being: An Application to Daylight Saving Time (Joint with Sammy Zahran)  Quantifying the Labor Market Price of Moral Values: Evidence from Occupational Switching (Joint with Sammy Zahran)  The Effect of Unemployment Insurance on the Depression Impact of Job Loss (Joint with Ray Miller)  Does Better Fuel Choice Lead to Better Employment? An Analysis by Gender and Caste in India (Joint with Ashish Kumar Sedai)										
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<b>Conference Presentations</b>	The Western Social Science Association’s 63 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Virtual Conference 2021										
<b>Programming</b>	Proficient in: Python, R, MySQL, Git, GitHub										
<b>Certifications</b>	Tools for Data Science, Python for Data Science, Python for Data Science and AI, Data Science Methodology, Database and SQL for Data Science, Data Analysis with Python, Machine Learning with Python, Data Visualization with Python, Python Project for Data Science										
<b>Professional Memberships</b>	American Economic Association, American Society of Health Economists, Association for Institutional Thought										