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## Education

*University of Toronto Scarborough, HBA* 9/2020 - Present

Major in Economics for Management Studies  
Minor in Geographic Information Science & Applied Statistics  
Cumulative GPA: 3.98 out of 4

## Honours & Awards

*University of Toronto Excellence Awards* 2023

C\$7500 scholarship for undergraduate students to conduct summer research projects

*University of Toronto Scarborough Dean's List* 2021, 2022

Annual GPA equal to or greater than 3.5 in the previous academic year

*University of Toronto Scholar* 2021

C\$1500 scholarship for top 20 students in the previous academic year

## Research & Teaching Experiences

Teaching Assistant 5/2023 - Present

Course: [GGRA30](#) Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and Empirical Reasoning at  
*University of Toronto Scarborough*

Duties: Conduct tutorials, invigilate examinations, grading assignments and tests

Research Assistant 11/2022 - Present

Project 1: "Newcomers' Accessibility to Agencies"  
Project 2: "Metrolinx Service for OSAP Students"  
Project 3: "Investment Priority on Transportation Infrastructures"  
Project 4: "Dar-es-Salaam BRT System Analysis"  
Project 5: "Toronto Cycling Survey"  
Program: [Suburban Mobilities Cluster](#)  
Supervised by: [Dr. Steven Farber](#), [Dr. Andre Cire](#), and [Dr. Ignacio Tiznado-Aitken](#)

Research Assistant (Volunteer) 5/2022 - 8/2022

Project 1: "E-scooters as a Last-Mile Transit Solution? Travel Behavior Insights from

Los Angeles and Washington D.C.”  
Project 2: “Survey of Evacuation Behavior in the 2021 Marshall Fire, Colorado”  
Project 3: “Digital Twin with Real-time Transit Data: UF Campus with RTS”  
Project 4: Developing Spatial Interpolation Functions for Sociodemographic and Built-environment Variables in R  
Project 5: “The E-scooter as a Feeder-mode to Transit: Re-evaluating a Common Assessment Protocol”  
Supervised by: [Dr. Xiang ‘Jacob’ Yan](#)

## Publications & Reports

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Forrister, A., Yan, X., **Yin, Z.**, Zhao, X., Cova, T., Lovreglio, R., Nilsson, D., & Kuligowski, E. (2022). Survey of Evacuation Behavior in the 2021 Marshall Fire, Colorado. *Natural Hazards Center Quick Response Grant Report Series*, 349. Boulder, CO: Natural Hazards Center, University of Colorado Boulder. Available at: <https://hazards.colorado.edu/quick-response-report/survey-of-evacuation-behavior-in-the-2021-marshall-fire-colorado>

## Certificates

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| <a href="#">Bayesian Statistics</a> , Coursera                         | 7/2021 |
| <a href="#">Linear Regression and Modeling</a> , Coursera              | 6/2021 |
| <a href="#">Inferential Statistics</a> , Coursera                      | 6/2021 |
| <a href="#">Welcome to Game Theory (with Honours)</a> , Coursera       | 5/2021 |
| <a href="#">Introduction to Probability and Data with R</a> , Coursera | 5/2021 |

## Languages

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English: Full Professional Proficiency  
Mandarin Chinese: Native Language

## Research Interests

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Spatial & Temporal Data Analysis  
Econometrics  
Cartography & Data Visualization  
Programming & Automation  
Transit & Transportation Equality

## Computational Methods & Data Science Training

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*MGEC11*: Introduction to Regression

*STAC53*: Applied Data Collection

*MGEB12*: Quantitative Methods in Economics II

*GGRC42*: Making Sense of Data: Applied Multivariate Analysis

*MATA32/33*: Calculus for Management I/II

*CSCA20*: Introduction to Programming (Python)

*University of Toronto Scarborough*

## Programming Languages & Software

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Proficient: R (Spatial/GIS: *sf*, *terra*, *sp*, *raster*, *r5r*; Modelling: *apollo*, *ranger*; Visualization: *ggplot2*), ArcGIS, Markdown, Microsoft Office suite

Working experience: Python, SQL, QGIS,  $\text{\LaTeX}$ , VBA, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Leaflet, MATLAB, GitHub

## References

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Available upon request