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Education

- **University of Washington—Seattle, WA**
Ph.D., Economics, 2021 (expected graduation)
M.A., Economics, 2017
- **Oregon State University—Corvallis, OR**
B.A., Economics and Mathematics, 2014

Awards

Graduate Fellowship, Department of Economics, University of Washington, Spring 2016
Langton Teaching Award, Department of Economics, University of Washington, 2017-2018
Graduate Fellowship, Department of Economics, University of Washington, Spring 2020

Teaching Experience

- **Teaching Assistant, University of Washington**
Econ 200: Introduction to Microeconomics
Econ 201: Introduction to Macroeconomics
Econ 230: Economics of Fisheries and Oceans
- **Instructor, University of Washington**
Econ 200: Introduction to Microeconomics
Econ 201: Introduction to Macroeconomics
Econ 301: Introduction to Macroeconomics
Econ 404: Industrial Organization and Price Analysis

Working Papers

- “Did the US Interstate Highway System Contribute to Agglomeration”, Job Market Paper
- “Economics and Roads: Location Theory, Cost-Benefit Analysis, Market Access & Graphs”
- “An Agent Based Spatial Model of the Economy”
- “Fossil Fuel Subsidies in Belgium”

Skills

Stata, R, Python, Excel, machine learning, image processing

Research Interests

Transportation Economics, Urban Economics, Location Theory, Industrial Organization, Climate Change, Machine Learning

Extracurricular University Service

Badminton Club
Philosophy Club Treasurer
Table Tennis Club
ASUW Food Coop

Community Involvement

350 Seattle—climate change activist group, research and support
Green Seattle—landscape restoration
Climate Crisis Policy Digest—transportation policy analysis