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EXPERIENCE

International Finance Corporation Economist, Economics & Market Research Department	Washington, DC 2024 - present
World Bank Consultant, Development Research Group	Washington, DC 2023 - 2024
Johns Hopkins University Postdoctoral Researcher, School of Advanced International Studies	Washington, DC 2022 - 2023
Yale University Visiting Postdoctoral Fellow, Cowles Foundation	New Haven, CT 2021 - 2022
Harvard University Evidence for Policy Design Research Fellow, Kennedy School of Government	Cambridge, MA 2014 - 2015
National Bureau of Economic Research Research Assistant	Cambridge, MA 2013 - 2014
Oxera Consulting Analyst	London, UK 2013
Weatherford International Intern	Mumbai, India 2010
National Geophysical Research Institute Research Fellow	Hyderabad, India 2009

EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley PhD in Economics	Berkeley, CA 2015 - 2021
London School of Economics MSc in Econometrics & Mathematical Economics	London, UK 2011 - 2013
Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur BTech in Mining Engineering	Kharagpur, India 2007 - 2011

RESEARCH PAPERS

- [Breaking Invisible Barriers: Does Fast Internet Improve Access to Input Markets?](#)
(with Banu Demir and Beata Javorcik)
- [Endogenous Spatial Production Networks: Quantitative Implications for Trade & Productivity](#)
- [Triad Trade & Small Worlds of Large Spatial Production Networks](#)

HONORS AND AWARDS

Cowles Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship, Yale University	2021 - 2022
Distinguished CESifo Affiliate Award in Global Economy	2021
Best Paper Prize, GEP/CEPR Annual Postgraduate Conference	2021
Best Conference Paper Award, FIW Research Conference	2021
Doctoral Completion Fellowship, University of California – Berkeley	2020 - 2021
PEDL Exploratory Research Grant, CEPR/DFID Research Initiative	2020 - 2021
Clausen Center Grant Award for Doctoral Research, University of California – Berkeley	2020 - 2021
Graduate Division Summer Research Grant, University of California – Berkeley	2020

Institute for Humane Studies Fellowship, George Mason University	2019 - 2020
Bhattacharya Graduate Research Fellowship, University of California – Berkeley	2019
Exploratory Data and Travel Grant, Economic History Association	2019
Weiss Fund Grant for Research in Development Economics, Harvard University	2018 - 2019
Clausen Center Grant Award for Doctoral Research, University of California – Berkeley	2017 - 2018
Economics Department Fellowship, University of California – Berkeley	2015 - 2018
Institute Silver Medal, Indian Institute of Technology – Kharagpur	2011
Chandrakala Medal, Mining, Geological and Metallurgical Institute of India	2011
3 rd Place, Student Design Competition, Society for Mining, Metallurgy & Exploration	2011
Summer Research Fellowship, Indian Academy of Sciences	2009

PRESENTATIONS

Comparative Analysis of Enterprise Data, Global Economic Networks Workshop, World Bank-Asia School of Business Trade and Global Value Chain in Times of Insecurity Conference, Midwest International Economic Development Conference, NSF Network Science in Economics Conference, Georgia Institute of Technology, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, AEA Annual Meeting, NEUDC Conference, CEPR European Research Workshop in International Trade, LACEA LAMES Annual Meeting, Urban Economics Association North American Meeting, Missouri Valley Economic Association Annual Meeting, Midwest International Trade Conference, European Trade Study Group Annual Conference, EARIE Annual Conference, Econometric Society European Summer Meeting, Econometric Society Australasian Meeting, Joint Sunbelt and NetSci Conference, Society for Economic Dynamics Annual Meeting, Econometric Society China Meeting, Econometric Society Asian Meeting, Warsaw International Economic Meeting, AEEFI Conference on International Economics, Econometric Society North American Summer Meeting, FREIT International Trade Online, Econometric Society Africa Meeting, Trans-Atlantic Doctoral Conference, RCEA Future of Growth Conference, CESifo Area Conference on Global Economy, GEP/CEPR Annual Postgraduate Conference, Urban Economics Association European Meeting, HSE Market Studies and Spatial Economics Workshop, Royal Economic Society Annual Conference, FIW Research Conference, Yale University, Johns Hopkins University SAIS, Universität Bielefeld, Academia Sinica, Indian School of Business, Pennsylvania State University, University of Toronto, Singapore Management University, Université libre de Bruxelles ECARES, Università Bocconi, Indian Institute of Technology – Kanpur, Ashoka University, Econometric Society DSE Winter School, University of California – Berkeley

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Referee for *Econometrica*, *Journal of International Economics*, *Review of International Economics*
Cowles Trade Day (Co-Organizer); 20th GEP/CEPR Postgraduate Conference (Scientific Committee)