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EDUCATION

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<b>Haas School of Business, UC Berkeley</b> PhD Business and Public Policy	2022-
<b>Northwestern University</b> Non-degree-seeking student in Mathematics and Spanish	2020-21
<b>Columbia University</b> MA Economics	December 2019
<b>Shri Ram College of Commerce (SRCC), University of Delhi</b> BA (Hons) Economics	May 2018

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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<b>Haas School of Business, UC Berkeley</b> <i>Research Assistant for Prof Francesco Trebbi</i> – Working on topics related to federal regulation and rule-making in the US	May 2023 -
<b>Global Poverty Research Lab, Northwestern University</b> <i>Research Analyst for Prof Dean Karlan</i> – Designed survey and data collection strategy, and contributed to research design for development economics RCTs – Performed data cleaning, econometric and machine learning analysis, and editing for academic and policy research	January 2020 - April 2022
<b>Department of Economics, Columbia University</b> <i>Research Assistant for Prof Jack Willis</i> – Conducted descriptive analysis for cross-country convergence in the World and European Values Survey data	Oct - Nov 2019
<i>Research Assistant for Divya Singh (PhD student)</i> – Data cleaning and econometric analysis for the paper ‘Safer Elections and Women Turnout: Evidence from India’	Sept 2018 - May 2019
<b>Evidence for Policy Design, Yale University</b> <i>Summer Research Intern in Bihar, India</i> – Conducted semi-structured interviews and scoping activities on low financial engagement of rural women – Designed and implemented web scraping algorithms to set up a data collection system for ongoing RCTs	June - August 2019
<b>Research and Information System for Developing Countries, India</b> <i>Research Intern</i> – Wrote a chronological review comparing poverty line methodologies of the Indian Planning Commission, Ministry of Rural Development, the World Bank, and United Nations Development Programme	June - July 2017

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

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“Anonymous Political Donations... Until They Aren’t: Evidence from India’s Electoral Bonds” (with Simoni Jain, Jonathan Old, and Nachiket Shah)

“The Role Of Geography in Generating Poverty Traps” (with Dean Karlan and Christopher Udry)

“Public Sector Recruitment” (with Guo Xu)

GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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Berkeley Economy and Society Institute Research Grant (\$7,000)	2024
Berkeley Haas Institute for Business Innovation Summer Grant (\$3,495)	2023
Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ Scholarship for Academic Excellence, SRCC	2016, 2017, 2018
National Talent Search Examination (NTSE) Scholarship, Government of India	2013

SKILLS

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Software/Programming: Stata, Python, R, Matlab

Languages: English, Hindi, Punjabi, Spanish (Beginner)