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CITIZENSHIP	Singapore	
EDUCATION	Ph.D. in Economics, The Ohio State University M.A. in Economics, The Ohio State University B.A. in Economics, Rice University	Aug 2019 Jun 2014 Jun 2013
PRIMARY FIELDS	Economics of Science and Innovation, Labor Economics	
SECONDARY FIELDS	Public Economics, Urban Economics, Applied Econometrics	
PUBLICATIONS	Unequal effects of the COVID-19 pandemic on scientists ( <a href="#">full author list</a> ) <i>Comment in Nature Human Behaviour</i> , July 2020	
RESEARCH IN PROGRESS	Science, Interrupted: Funding Delays Reduce Research Activity but Having More Grants Helps ( <a href="#">paper</a> )  The Effect of Temporary Colocation on Knowledge Flows: Evidence from NIH Study Sections ( <a href="#">slides</a> )  The Effect of Targeted Increases in Science Funding: Stem Cell Research in California (w/ Joseph Staudt)	
WHITE PAPER	Measuring Innovation in Science (NBER-IFS White Papers on the Value of Medical Research)  I provide an overview of recent efforts to measure outcomes such as scientific novelty and impact using citation networks and text analysis.	
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Department of Economics, The Ohio State University  ECON 2367.02 Economic Issues in the United States Independent Instructor  ECON 2002.01 Principles of Macroeconomics Teaching Assistant  ECON 2001.01 Principles of Microeconomics Teaching Assistant	Fall 2017  Fall 2016  Fall 2014
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	Research Associate for Karim Lakhani and Kyle Myers, Harvard Business School	Fall 2019 - present

Research Assistant for Bruce Weinberg and David Blau, Spring 2015 - Summer 2019  
The Ohio State University

GRANTS, Fellow, NBER-IFS Value of Health Research Network 2017  
FELLOWSHIPS, University Fellowship, Graduate School at The Ohio State University 2013-2014  
& AWARDS

PRESENTATIONS 14th Workshop on the Organisation, Economics and Policy of Scientific Research at the Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition 2020  
2nd Research on Innovation, Science and Entrepreneurship Workshop at the Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition 2019  
MTEI Research Seminar, EPFL (cole polytechnique fdrale de Lausanne) 2019  
Department of Economics, SUNY Albany 2018  
Census ARiS Brown Bag 2018  
13<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Urban Economics Association 2018  
Value of Medical Research Network Meeting 2018  
Society of Labor Economists (SOLE) Annual Meeting (poster) 2018  
Midwest Economics Association Conference 2018

SKILLS R, Git, Stata, SQL, MATLAB  
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