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EDUCATION

New York University , Graduate School of Arts and Science	New York, NY
Doctor of Philosophy in Economics, Henry M. MacCracken Fellowship	<i>Dec 2025 (Expected)</i>
Master of Philosophy in Economics, Henry M. MacCracken Fellowship, CGPA: 3.72	<i>Sep 2024</i>
Columbia University , School of Engineering and Applied Science	New York, NY
Bachelor of Science in Applied Mathematics, Magna Cum Laude, CGPA: 3.85	<i>May 2015</i>
Bard College	Annandale-on-Hudson, NY
Bachelor of Arts in Economics, Levy Economics Scholarship, CGPA: 3.92	<i>May 2015</i>

RELEVANT TRAINING: applied econometrics; causal inference; machine learning; empirical industrial organization

WORK EXPERIENCE

NERA Economic Consulting , Antitrust and Competition	New York, NY
<i>Senior Analyst, Analyst, Associate Analyst, Research Associate</i>	<i>Jul 2015 – Jul 2020</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implemented econometric models in R and MATLAB to quantify damages and assess competitive effects of mergers, contributing to the completion of multi-billion-dollar acquisitions in consumer products and other industries • Led teams of 2–10 researchers to process and analyze terabytes of structured and unstructured data in SAS and SQL, resulting in economic exhibits, arguments, and expert reports presented to antitrust authorities worldwide • Communicated with external business and legal teams to propose rebuttal strategies, coordinate efficient data queries, and discuss technical economic results; created SAS, Python, and R training materials for new and experienced hires 	

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

New York University , Department of Economics	New York, NY
<i>PhD Candidate, Dissertation</i>	<i>Aug 2023 –</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Studied the equilibrium implications of open banking in credit markets • Built an original mortgage search dataset in Python by merging information from multiple high-volume data sources • Used econometric and machine learning methods in R to report new evidence on the effects of data sharing on lending • Designed an economic framework of binary-type borrower search and lender pricing, estimated the model in Python, and quantified novel results on the welfare implications of counterfactual data interoperability regimes 	
<i>Co-author with PhD Candidates A. Berman and N. Hickok (MIT)</i>	<i>Jul 2023 –</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explored the cost and adoption consequences of new and second-hand purchase subsidies for electric cars • Developed a dynamic model of the vehicle market with forward-looking consumer replacement decisions; calibrated the model in Julia using millions of car registrations to analyze equilibria under alternative subsidy designs 	
<i>Co-author with Profs. J.E. Humphries (Yale), S. Nelson (Chicago), W. van Dijk (Yale), D. Waldinger (NYU)</i>	<i>Jun 2022 –</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investigated drivers of rental evictions using uniquely collected property management ledger data • Estimated a model of landlord eviction choice in MATLAB to deliver new results on the scope for commonly-proposed policies to create tenant forbearance and reduce landlord evictions 	

SKILLS

Languages: Native Bilingual: Vietnamese, Polish; Fluent: English

Computer: Advanced: Python, SQL, SAS, R, MATLAB, Microsoft Office; Intermediate: Julia, Unix; Basic: Stata

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WORKING PAPERS

Nonpayment and Eviction in the Rental Housing Market (with J.E. Humphries, S. Nelson, W. van Dijk, and D. Waldinger). November 2024. Submitted. [PDF]

Matching with Random Components: Simulations (with P.A. Chiappori and B. Salanié). December 2019. [PDF]

WORK IN PROGRESS

The Distributional Effects of Data Interoperability: Evidence from the U.S. Residential Mortgage Market
Copyrights and Product Variety: Evidence from the Golden Age of Hip Hop

Out with the Old, In with the New: Equity and Efficiency of Secondary-Market Subsidies for Electric Vehicles (with A. Berman and N. Hickok)

OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Columbia University, Department of Economics New York, NY

Co-author with Profs. P.A. Chiappori and B. Salanié (Columbia) 2016 – 2019

Research Assistant to Profs. P.A. Chiappori, B. Salanié, and W. Kopczuk (Columbia) 2014 – 2015

Levy Economics Institute Annandale-on-Hudson, NY

Research Assistant to Profs. O. Giovannoni and S. DeSilva (Levy/Bard) 2013

TAU Investment Management, Strategy & Transformation New York, NY

Part-time Intern February – May 2014

AWARDS, HONORS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS

CV Starr Center Research Funding (2022), New York University New York, NY

Henry M. MacCracken Fellowship (2020-2025), New York University New York, NY

NYU Economics Summer Stipend (2020-2021), New York University New York, NY

Magna Cum Laude (Top 15% of Class of 2015), Columbia University New York, NY

Dean's List (2013-2015), Columbia University New York, NY

Amicus Foundation Scholarship (2013), Bard College Annandale-on-Hudson, NY

Bard Summer Research Institute Stipend (2013), Bard College Annandale-on-Hudson, NY

Levy Economics Institute Scholarship (2010-2013), Bard College Annandale-on-Hudson, NY

NCAA Men's Soccer All-Academic Team (2010-2013), Bard College Annandale-on-Hudson, NY