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EMPLOYMENT Associate Economist, RAND Corporation, June 2022-present

EDUCATION *Ph.D.*, Economics (awarded 2022) and *M.A.*, Economics (awarded 2018)
University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

B.A., Mathematics (awarded 2016)

University at Buffalo - State University of New York, Amherst, NY

B.S., Economic Analysis and *B.A.*, English Rhetoric (awarded 2015)
Binghamton University, Binghamton, NY

RESEARCH

Publications

[Lifestyle and Mental Health Disruptions During COVID-19](#) (with Osea Giuntella, Silvia Saccardo, and Sally Sadoff) (*Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, 2021)

[Pandemics, Economic Freedom, and Institutional Tradeoffs](#) (with Vincent Geloso and Ilia Murtazashvili) (*European Journal of Law and Economics*, 2021)

Working Papers

[Learning About Subjective Uncertainty: Overinference from Observable Characteristics in Disaggregated Data](#) (Job Market Paper)

[The Regressive Costs of Drinking Water Contaminant Avoidance](#)

[Heat Exposure and Dietary Choices](#)

[Water Availability and Heat-Related Mortality: Evidence from South Africa](#)

[Drinking Water Contamination and COVID-19 Mortality in the United States](#)

[Well Excuse Me! Replicating and Connecting Excuse-Seeking Behaviors](#) (with Beatriz Ahumada, Yufei Chen, Neeraja Gupta, Marissa Lepper, Will Mathews, Neil Silveus, Lise Vesterlund, Taylor Weidman, Alistair Wilson, K. Pun Winichakul, and Liyang Zhou)

Works in Progress

[Gender-Specific Shocks & Household Bargaining Power: A Machine Learning Approach To Scanner Data](#) (with Rania Gihleb, Osea Giuntella, and Dor Morag)

[Living Jerrycan to Jerrycan: The Cost of Drinking Water in Urban Nigeria](#)

GRANTS

National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant (Co-PI), \$62,600, July 2020

PRESENTATIONS Health Policy and Management Seminar, University of Pittsburgh, October 2021
American Society of Health Economists (ASHEcon) Annual Conference, June 2021
Population Association of America Annual Meeting, May 2021
1st Applied Microeconomics Workshop (AMIE), March 2021
North American Regional Sciences Council (NARSC) Annual Meeting, November 2020
IESR-GLO Conference on COVID-19, June 2020
American Society of Health Economics (ASHEcon) Annual Conference, June 2020¹
Stanford Rosenkranz Global Health Policy Symposium, April 2020¹
Centre for the Study of African Economies: Economic Development in Africa (University of Oxford), March 2020¹
Population Health Sciences Research Workshop (University of Pennsylvania), December 2019
Camp Resources (North Carolina State University CEnREP), August 2019
American Society of Health Economists (ASHEcon) Annual Conference, June 2019
Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 2019
Advancing Research through Computing (University of Pittsburgh Center for Research Computing), March 2019
Grad Expo (University of Pittsburgh Graduate Student Organization), March 2019

TEACHING

Instructor

Health Economics (undergraduate), University of Pittsburgh, Summer 2020

Teaching Assistantships

Math Methods for Economists (graduate), Professor Roe Teper, Fall 2018
Introduction to Microeconomic Theory (undergraduate), Instructor Malory Avery, Summer 2018

Introduction to Macroeconomic Theory (undergraduate), Professor James Kenkel, Spring 2018

Advanced Microeconomic Theory I (graduate), Professor Luca Rigotti, Fall 2017

AWARDS

Agora Fellowship, Center for Governance and Markets, University of Pittsburgh, Fall 2021

ASHEcon Diversity Fellowship, June 2020

Best Second Year Paper Award, University of Pittsburgh, September 2019

Andrew W. Mellon Predoctoral Fellowship, 2019

Student Poster Contest Winner, Advancing Research through Computing, March 2019

Summer Research Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh, Summer 2018

Slesinger Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh, Fall 2016

¹Cancelled or postponed due to COVID-19.