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Education

- Ph.D. Economics, University of Calgary, Canada** 2018 – 2025
Dissertation: Essays on Access and Inclusion: Residential Schools, Language Policy, and Anti-Poverty Programs (ABD)
Committee: Dr. Arvind Magesan (Primary), Dr. Benjamin Crost, Dr. Sacha Kapoor
- M.Sc. Economics, University of Warwick, England** 2014 – 2015
Dissertation: Effect of Personality on Subjective Well-being
Supervisor: Dr. Robert Akerlof
- B.A. (Honors) Economics, University of Delhi, India** 2010 – 2013

Professional Experience

- Research Assistant**, Department of Economics, University of Calgary Nov 2019 – July 2024
- Analyst**, Grail Research, Noida, India Nov 2016 – March 2017
- Research Analyst**, Outline India, Gurgaon, India Nov 2015 – Sept 2016
Responsibilities: Fieldwork, program survey instruments, and supervise data collection.
Significant Projects: Closing the Child Labor Evidence Gaps, Jharkhand, India; Post Implementation Impact Assessment of WASH Facilities, India; Impact Evaluation of Right to Education, India; Evaluation of Project ENGAGE-10x10 / Girl Rising, India.

Working Papers

1. **Impact of Residential Schools on Educational Attainment of Indigenous Women: Evidence from India – Job Market Paper** ([Download PDF](#))
2. **Political Alignment, Anti-Poverty Programs and Conflict**
3. **State Sponsored Education and Assimilation of Indigenous Peoples** (*with Arvind Magesan, Sacha Kapoor, Michael Vlassopoulos*)
4. **From Birth to Schooling: Impacts of Conditional Cash Transfers on Girls in Karnataka**

Teaching Experience

- Sessional Instructor**, Principles of Macroeconomics, University of Calgary May – June 2025
- Sessional Instructor**, Engineering Economics, University of Calgary May – June 2023

Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics and School of Public Policy, University of Calgary, Sept 2018 – Present

Undergraduate Courses: Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Intermediate Microeconomics, Intermediate Macroeconomics, Advanced Econometrics, Money and Banking, Labor Economics, Managerial and Decision Economics, Economics of Business Fundamentals, Energy Economics and Policy

Graduate Courses: Microeconomic Theory, Health Economics, Energy Systems: Planning and Energy Economics, Markets and Public Policy

Reports and Articles

1. [Canada's Productivity Summit - What We Heard Report](#), *School of Public Policy, University of Calgary*.
2. [The London Bridge has Fallen Down](#), *Qrius (formerly The Indian Economist)*
3. [Currency Ban: Bank Employees the Unsung Heroes Amid the Chaos](#), *The Quint*
4. [South Korean Impeachment](#), *Qrius (formerly The Indian Economist)*
5. [The Only Solution To Xenophobia](#), *Huffington Post India*
6. [Why Trump's Reasons to Exit the Paris Climate Accord Fall Flat](#), *The Quint*
7. [India's The World's Sixth Largest Economy—But Can It Stay There?](#), *Huffington Post India*

Conference Participation

- Economics Profession Data Committee (EPDC) Student Research Competition, CEA Annual Conference, Montreal	2025
- Graduate Poster Presentation, CEA Annual Conference, Montreal	2025
- CEA Annual Conference, Montreal	2025
- CEA Annual Conference, Toronto	2024
- International Conference on Empirical Economics, Penn State Altoona	2023
- CEA Annual Conference, Winnipeg	2023
- Graduate Poster Presentation, CEA Annual Conference, Winnipeg	2023
- German Development Economics Conference, Dresden	2023
- Research Symposium, IFMR Business School, India	2023

Awards

- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) Insight Development Grant, joint with Arvind Magesan, Sacha Kapoor, Michael Vlassopoulos	2025 – 2027
- Winner: Graduate Student Research Competition, EPDC, CEA	2025
- Winner: Graduate Poster Session, CEA	2025
- Eyes High International Doctoral Scholarship, University of Calgary	2024 – 2025
- Doctoral Completion Scholarship, University of Calgary	2023 – 2024
- Department of Economics, Ph.D. Teaching Assistant Excellence Prize	2022 – 2023
- Anton and Dalgarno Memorial Graduate Scholarship, University of Calgary	2020 – 2021
- Pre-candidacy Award, University of Calgary	2019 – 2020
- Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Calgary	2018 – 2020
- Economics Alumni Graduate Scholarship, University of Calgary	2018 – 2019

Technical Skills

STATA, Python, ArcGIS, SQL, L^AT_EX, SurveyCTO, mWater

References

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