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- Education**
- Ph.D., Economics**, expected Summer 2020
University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, USA
Dissertation: “*Caste-Based Dimensions of Tuberculosis Control Effectiveness in India: Three Essays*”
Supervisor: Dr. Norman J Waitzman, Department of Economics, University of Utah
- M.A., Economics**, 2010
University of Hyderabad, India
- B.Sc., Economics (Honours)**, 2008
University of Calcutta, India
- Research Interests**
- Health Economics, Social Determinants of Health, Public Policy, Caste inequalities and its consequences, Applied Microeconomics, Political Economy, Environmental Economics
- Teaching Interests**
- Microeconomics (Principles and Intermediate), Macroeconomics (Principles and Intermediate), Health Economics, Environmental/Ecological Economics, Political Economy
- Research**
- Job Market Paper:**
“*Is Tuberculosis Control Caste-blind? An Empirical Investigation of Socio-economic Dimensions of the Revised National Tuberculosis Control Program Performance in India*”
- Teaching Experience and Training**
- Independent Instructor:
ECON 4020: Intermediate Macroeconomics (f2019, sp2019, f2018, f2017)
ECON 2020: Principles of Macroeconomics (sp2015)
ECON 2010: Principles of Microeconomics (s2013, sp2014, f2014, sp2015, su2015, sp2016, su2016, f2016, sp2017, su2017, su2018)
 - Teaching Assistant:
ECON 3190: Introduction to Health Economics
FINAN 6026: Managerial Economics
ECON 6300: Public Finance
ECON 6060: History of Economic Doctrines
ECON 6420: China and Global Economy
 - Training in Teaching in Higher Education:
Attended class at the “Center for Teaching and Learning Excellence”, U of U
CTLE 6000: Teaching in Higher Education [Final grade received: **A**]
- Conferences and Workshops**
- 2019 (scheduled): CAKE Talks, Department of Economics, University of Utah
 - 2019 (scheduled): Labor/Demography/Applied Micro Research Group, Department of Economics, University of Utah
 - 2019: Western States Graduate Workshop in Economics, Fort Collins, CO (presented)
 - 2018: 2016 Labor/Demography/Applied Micro Research Group, Department of Economics, University of Utah (presented)
 - 2015: Advance Graduate Summer Workshop (by INET-YSI), Bangalore, India (attended)

**Awards,
Honors,
Fellowships**

- **Doctoral Completion Fellowship**, Dept. of Economics, University of Utah (2018-19)
- **Herbert W. Gustafson Memorial Fellowship**, University of Utah (2017-18)
- **Jewell J. Rasmussen Doctoral Research Grant**, University of Utah (2016, 2018)
- **Nominated for the Department of Economics' Graduate Instructor Teaching Award**, University of Utah (2016, 2017)
- **Full Tuition Waiver and Graduate Teaching Fellowship**, University of Utah (2012-16)

**Activities
and
Services**

- **Co-organizer** of workshop: *Re-imagining Economic Development* (July, 2015) Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India
(Sponsored by: INET- YSI)
- **Co-chair** of *Heterodox Economics Student Association* (2013-14)
Department of Economics, University of Utah
(Organized Speaker Series)

Skills

- **Computer** STATA, LaTeX, MS Office
- **Languages** English (Fluent), Bengali (Native), and Hindi (Fluent)

References

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