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CURRENT POSITION	Assistant Professor (UC Santa Cruz)	2021-present
DOCTORAL STUDIES	Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) PhD, Economics, September 2018	
PRIOR EDUCATION	Columbia University in the City of New York B.A., <i>cum laude</i> , Economics (with honors)	2009
CITIZENSHIP	USA	GENDER Female
LANGUAGES	English (fluent)	
FIELDS	Primary Field: Development Economics Secondary Fields: Health Economics, Environmental Economics	
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Energy Economics and Policy (graduate, MIT Sloan School of Management course 15.037) Teaching Assistant to Professor Christopher Knittel	2018
	Principles of Microeconomics (undergraduate, MIT course 14.01) Teaching Assistant to Professor Jonathan Gruber	2017
	Foundations of Development Policy (undergraduate, MIT course 14.74) Teaching Assistant to Professors David Donaldson and Benjamin Olken	2017
	Intermediate Microeconomics (undergraduate, Columbia course ECON 3211) Teaching Assistant to Professor Anna Caterina Musatti	2008
RELEVANT POSITIONS	Ciriacy-Wantrup Postdoctoral Research Fellow	2018-20
	Research Assistant to Professor Tavneet Suri (MIT)	2012-13
	Research Assistant to Professors Abhijit Banerjee (MIT) and Rohini Pande (Harvard)	2011-12
	Research Assistant, Federal Reserve Bank of New York	2009-2011

**FELLOWSHIPS,
HONORS, AND
AWARDS**

Weiss Family Program Fund Grant (with Rebecca Dizon-Ross and Seema Jayachandran)	2020
Becker Friedman Institute (BFI) Grant (with Rebecca Dizon-Ross and Seema Jayachandran)	2020
Global Poverty Research Lab Grant (with Rebecca Dizon-Ross and Seema Jayachandran)	2020
International Growth Centre Grants (with Nick Hagerty)	2020, 2018
Weiss Family Program Fund Grant (with Nick Hagerty and Jeremy Magruder)	2019
George and Obie Shultz Fund Grant	2018
University of Chicago Tata Center for Development Grants (with Rebecca Dizon-Ross)	2018, 2017
International Growth Centre Grant (with Nick Hagerty and Michael Greenstone)	2017
Abdul Latif Jameel World Water and Food Security Lab Grant (with Nick Hagerty)	2017
J-PAL Health Care Delivery Initiative Grant (with Rebecca Dizon-Ross)	2017
India Trust Grant (Rebecca Dizon-Ross and Shilpa Aggarwal)	2017
Fellow, Tata Center for Technology and Design	2014-2016
MIT Presidential Fellow	2013-2014
J-PAL Urban Services Initiative Grant (with Rebecca Dizon-Ross and Shilpa Aggarwal)	2015
Weiss Family Program Fund Grant (with Nick Hagerty)	2015
National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Program: Honorable Mention	2011

**PROFESSIONAL
ACTIVITIES**

Referee: *American Economic Review, American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, Journal of Development Economics, Quarterly Journal of Economics*

Discussions:

Occasional Workshop, UC Santa Barbara 4/30 – 5/1/2022

Presentations:

LMU	2022
Health Economics, Cornell University	2021
Cities and Development Workshop, University of Chicago	2020
Development Workshop, UC Davis	2020
Economics Seminar, UC Merced	2019
Health and Labor Market Effects of Public Policy, UC Santa Barbara	2019
Environmental Market Solutions Lab, UC Santa Barbara	2018

North East Universities Development Consortium (NEUDC),
Cornell University