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Employment	Stanford University: Postdoctoral Fellow (2023-2025) King Center on Global Development & Center for Food Security and the Environment University of Wisconsin Madison: Assistant Professor (2025)		
Doctoral Studies	University of California, Berkeley PhD, Agricultural and Resource Economics, Expected completion May 2023 DISSERTATION: "Border Trade and Information Frictions: Evidence from Informal Traders in Kenya"		
	PRIMARY FIELD: Development Economics SECONDARY FIELD: Econometrics PRIMARY FIELDS OF RESEARCH: Development Economics, Trade, Political Economy		
Prior Education	Yale University	MA in International and Development Economics	2012
	Universite de Louvain-la-Neuve	BA in Engineering, Economics and Management	2011
	University of Cambridge	BA in Economics	2010
Teaching	Stanford	Department of Economics, <i>Development</i> , Guest lectures	2024-2025
	UC Berkeley	Department of Economics, <i>Pedagogy</i> , Instructor	2022
	UC Berkeley	Masters in Development Practice, <i>Statistics</i> , Instructor	2017-2022
	STEG	Macro Dev Course, <i>Barriers in Tech Adoption</i> , TA for Lauren Falcao	2021
	UC Berkeley	Department of ARE, <i>Econometrics</i> , TA for Michael Anderson	2019
Languages	English (native), French (native), Dutch (intermediate)		
Grants, Fellowships, and Awards	STEG; Weiss; J-Pal ATAI Grant; CEGA Development Challenge; J-Pal GI Grant; J-Pal GI Pilot Grant; ARE Travel Grant; Levin Family Seed Grant; WEAI Graduate Student Workshop Fellow; Sidney Hoos prize for best econometrics research paper		
Research: Papers	"Border Trade and Information Frictions: Evidence from Informal Traders in Kenya" (JOB MARKET PAPER) (Coverage: World Bank Development Impact Blog)		
	"Corruption, gender, and small-scale cross-border trade in East Africa: A review" , with Jacqueline M. Klopp and Melissa Trimble; Development Policy Review, 40(5), 2021. (Coverage: ODI Blog)		
	"Private Input Suppliers as Information Agents for Technology Adoption in Agriculture" , with M. H. Dar, K. Emerick, A. de Janvry and E. Sadoulet; <i>AEJ Applied</i> , 2024. (Coverage: Vox Dev)		

Research: Completed Working Papers	"Poisoned by Policy: The Impact of the Flint Water Crisis on Political Participation" , with K. Pennington	
	"Inter-dependencies between Formal and Informal Trade: Border Restrictions and Corruption in Kenya" , 2021. {Previously circulated as: <i>"Trade, Informality and Corruption: Evidence from Small-scale Traders in Kenya"</i> }	
	(Coverage: IGC Blog)	
Research in Progress	"Should Voters be Allowed to Register Anywhere: Evidence from Kenya" with R. Deb and T. Suri, 2017. {Previously circulated as: <i>"Do People Register and Vote Strategically: Evidence from the 2013 Kenyan Election"</i> }	
	"The Effect of Cash Transfers and Village Savings Groups on Youth" with J. Magruder and B. Krause	
	"Fostering trade: Do incentives to trade improve micro-enterprise performance" with P. Falco and M. Stein.	
	"Contracting Frictions and Supply Chain Efficiency in Kenyan Agricultural Goods" with R. Morton	
	"Cold Storage on a Hot Day: The Role of Coldrooms in Climate Adaptation in Agricultural Markets" with S. Bhogale and N. Kala	
	"Climate Shocks, Food Security and Market Prices in Africa: the role of Supply Chains" with M. Gittard	
	"Climate Shocks and Informal Settlements" with M. Gittard	
	"Bargaining for a Bribe: an Audit Study with Traders" .	
	"You Leave, You Lose: the Value of Stall Placement in Kenyan markets" .	
	"Diffusion Mechanism in Technology Adoption: How do Entry Points Matter?" with E. Sadoulet and A. de Janvry.	
Prior Employment	UC Berkeley, Graduate Student Researcher (Prof Jeremy Magruder)	2018 - 2020
	UC Berkeley, Graduate Student Researcher (Prof Elisabeth Sadoulet)	2016 - 2017
	McKinsey and Co, Junior Associate	2014 - 2015
	J-Pal, Project Manager (Prof Tavneet Suri)	2012 - 2014
Talks	2025	Stanford
	2024	University of Houston, University of Washington, IFPRI, Stanford University, PacDev, MIEDC, UW Madison, Paris Peace Forum
	2023	NEUDC, NYU, Columbia University, Northwestern University, UW Madison, Stanford, Boston University, Sciences Po Paris, University of Leuven, IIES
	2022	UC Berkeley ARE Seminar, UC Berkeley Development Seminar, UC Berkeley Development Workshop, UC Berkeley Development Lunch, UC Berkeley Trade Lunch, NEUDC
	2021	IPES, UC Berkeley Trade Lunch, WIDER, UC Berkeley Development Workshop, UC Berkeley Development Lunch
	2020	WEAI, UC Berkeley Development Lunch, SANEM, UC Berkeley Development Workshop, BESSBEC, NEUDC, UC Berkeley PERL, CEGA
	2019	UC Berkeley Development Lunch, UC Berkeley Development Workshop, MIT Development Lunch
	2018	UC Berkeley Development Lunch, KU Leuven
Refereeing	<i>JPE, EJ, AER, Journal of Development Economics, Economic Development and Cultural Change</i>	