

Curriculum Vitae

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Citizenship	India	
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Language	Hindi (native), English (native proficiency)	

Research

- “The Effect of Job Security Regulations on Output and Employment in a Search Matching Model,” Job Market Paper, October 2007.
- “Testing Efficient Risk Sharing with Heterogeneous Risk Preferences,” University of Wisconsin, submitted to *Econometrica* (joint with Maurizio Mazzocco), June 2007.
- “An Empirical Model of Attrition from College,” Working Paper, University of Wisconsin, April 2005.
- “Bayesian Intervals for Linkage Location,” Working Paper (joint with Ritwik Sinha, Robert C. Elston, Yuqun Luo), February 2007.

Dissertation Committee and References

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Education

<i>Ph.D. in Economics</i>	Currently Pursuing at the University of Wisconsin, Madison Fall 2002- July 2008 (Expected Completion Date)
<i>Major Field</i>	Labor Economics
<i>Research Interests</i>	Labor Economics, Development Economics, Industrial Organization, Econometrics.

M.A. in Economics Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India
B.Sc. in Physics Rajasthan University, Jaipur, India

Awards and Scholarships

- Anna Morris Ely Teaching Award for Spring 2007
- Richard E. Stockwell Graduate Student Fellowship in Economics 2005-06
- NSF grant to attend the 2nd meeting of Nobel laureates at Lindau in August 2006
- Department of Economics Scholarship 2002-03

Employment

Research Assistantship

Fall 2007 Working with Prof. Rob Meyer, Wisconsin Center for Education Research, University of Wisconsin, on estimation of alternative measures of school productivity in large scale accountability systems.

Summer 2005 Worked with Prof. John Kennan and Prof. Jim Walker, University of Wisconsin, studying the Effect of Expected Income on Individual Migration Decisions.

Fall 2004 Worked with Prof. Maurizio Mazzocco, University of Wisconsin, on studying extent of risk sharing through informal mechanisms.

2002-03 Worked with Prof. Meta Brown, University of Wisconsin, on the Effect of Divorce Laws on Marriage

2000-02 Worked with Prof: Sanghamitra Das, Indian Statistical Institute, Deforestation in Nepal due to firewood collection and the Indian Steel Industry.

Teaching Assistantship

Spring 2007 Statistics, Instructor - Roberto Duncan, University of Wisconsin

Fall 2006 Wages and Labor Economics, Instructor - Matthew Kim

Spring 2004 Statistics, Instructor - Prof. Menzie Chinn, University of Wisconsin

Fall 2003 Principles of Microeconomics, Instructor - Elizabeth Kelly, University of Wisconsin

Statistical Packages and Programming Languages

For my research I use Stata for data related work and Fortran-95 for estimation. I have used Gauss, S-plus, R and SAS in the past.