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Education

University of Pennsylvania

Ph.D in Economics

Aug 2022 – Present

Yale University

M.A. in International and Development Economics

May 2020

St Stephen's College, Delhi University

B.A. in Economics, Distinction

May 2019

Publications

- Amanda Chuan, John List, Anya Samek & Shreemayi Samujjwala. "Parental Investments in Early Childhood and the Gender Gap in STEM," **American Economic Review Papers and Proceedings**, 2022

Working Papers

- Amanda Chuan, Anya Samek & Shreemayi Samujjwala, "Evaluating the Impact of Preschool on Patience, Time Inconsistency and Commitment Demand." *Revise and resubmit, Experimental Economics*.
- Nicolas Grau, Paul Hewett, Shreemayi Samujjwala & Petra Todd, "Risk Compensation among Men in Zambia's National Program of Voluntary Medical Male Circumcision." (*under review*)
- Ornella Darova & Shreemayi Samujjwala, "Indigenous Teacher Supply and Cognitive Outcomes: Evidence from Mexico's Bilingual Education System." (*Draft available upon request*)

Research Experience

Research Assistant

Jun 2025 – Present

Clement Joubert, Development Research Group, World Bank

- Evaluating the impact of universal social pension schemes on labor market outcomes.

Project Manager & Research Specialist

Jun 2020 – Jun 2022

Anya Samek, University of California, San Diego & University of Southern California

- Collaborated on grants, papers and experiment design in behavioral, health and education economics.

Research Assistant

Nov 2019 – May 2020

Behavioral Lab, Yale School of Management

Academic Service

Referee, International Economic Review

2025

Awards

Gautam Krishna Research Fellowship

May 2018- May 2019

"Do you Work More when you are Paid More? A Study of Labour Supply of Cab Drivers"

Based on extensive primary data collection of daily earnings data of Uber drivers in New Delhi, India

Conference Presentations

North American Economic Science Association, Tucson, AZ

Oct 2021

Presented "Assessing the Impact of Preschool on Childhood Obesity: Follow-Up from an RCT."

Technical Skills

Stata, R, MATLAB	proficient
Python, ArcGIS	intermediate
LaTeX, Qualtrics	proficient
Adobe Photoshop	proficient