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## PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENT

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**Samuel DuBois Cook Center on Social Equity**  
**Duke University**  
*Postdoctoral Associate*

**Durham, NC**  
*July 2023 –*

## EDUCATION

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**Georgia State University**

*Ph.D., Economics*

Dissertation Title: Three Essays in Education and Health Policy for  
K-12 Students and Young Adults

Committee: Dr. Tim R. Sass, Dr. James Marton,  
Dr. Daniel Kreisman, Dr. Haeil Jung

**Atlanta, GA**

*August 2023*

**Georgia College & State University**

*B.S., Economics*

*Mathematics Minor*

**Milledgeville, GA**

*May 2018*

**Pukyong National University**

*B.B.A., International Trade and Logistics*

*B.B.A., International Business*

**Busan, South Korea**

*August 2016*

## PUBLISHED WORK

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*Policy Report*

- Gender Differences in Remote Learning amid COVID-19 (with Dr. Tim R. Sass)  
[policy brief](#) / [report](#) / [appendix](#)

## WORKING PAPERS

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- The Unintended Cost of Distance Learning: An Analysis of Child Maltreatment (with Jeongsoo Suh) [*In Submission*]
- Gender Differences in Remote Learning amid COVID-19: Disruptive Peers and Self-Control
- Closing the Coverage Gap: The Impact of the ACA Medicaid Expansion on Young Adults
- The Effect of Universal Gaming Shutdown Policy in South Korea

## WORKS IN PROGRESS

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- Navigating Post-Pandemic Educational Disparities: K-12 Public School Disenrollment, Chronic Absenteeism, and School Choice
- Replicating and Extending “Does the Healthcare Educational Market Respond to Short-Run Local Demand?”

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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<b>Georgia Policy Labs</b> <b>Metro Atlanta Policy Lab for Education</b> <i>Graduate Research Assistant</i>	<b>Atlanta, GA</b> <i>August 2018 – May 2023</i>
<b>Georgia State University</b> <i>Graduate Research Assistant [to Dr. Tim Sass]</i>	<b>Atlanta, GA</b> <i>August 2018 – May 2023</i>
<b>Georgia College &amp; State University</b> <i>Summer Undergraduate Researcher</i>	<b>Atlanta, GA</b> <i>May 2017 – August 2017</i>

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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<b>Duke University</b> <i>Guest Speaker – History of Inequality</i>	<b>Durham, NC</b> <i>Spring 2024</i>
<b>Georgia State University</b> <i>Instructor – Principles of Microeconomics (ECON 2106)</i>	<b>Atlanta, GA</b> <i>Spring 2023</i>
<b>Georgia State University</b> <i>Graduate Teaching Assistant [to Dr. Shelby Frost] (ECON 2106)</i>	<b>Atlanta, GA</b> <i>August 2018 – July 2019</i>
<b>Georgia College &amp; State University</b> <i>Peer Tutor</i>	<b>Milledgeville, GA</b> <i>August 2017 – May 2018</i>

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS & WORKSHOPS (\*: scheduled)

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2024: Canadian Economics Association (CEA) Annual Meeting (presentation)*, Duke Department of Economics Labor Lunch*
2023: American Economics Association (AEA/ASSA) Annual Meeting (poster), Association for Education Finance and Policy (AEFP) Annual Conference (presentation)
2022: Southern Economic Association (SEA) Annual Meeting (presentation)*
2021: AEA-CSWEP & ASHEcon Health Mentoring Workshop (virtual)
2018: Academy of Economics and Finance (AEF) Conference (presentation)
2017: Georgia Undergraduate Research Conference: 6 <sup>th</sup> Annual Southeast Preeminent Regional Research & Creative Endeavors Conference (poster), Georgia College & State University Fundraising Gala (poster)

## HONORS & AWARDS

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Dan E. Sweat Dissertation Fellowship	<i>AY 2022 – 23</i>
Carole Keels Endowed Scholarship	<i>AY 2022 – 23</i>
MURACE Summer Research Grant	<i>Summer 2017</i>
Phi Kappa Phi	<i>Spring 2017</i>
Omicron Delta Epsilon	<i>Spring 2017</i>
Undergraduate International Student Scholarship	<i>AY 2016 – 18</i>
PKNU Study Abroad Scholarship	<i>Fall 2015</i>
PKNU Honors Scholarship	<i>AY 2014 – 15, AY 2012 – 13</i>

## SKILLS & OTHERS

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Software: STATA, LaTeX, R, Python, Tableau

License: English for International Trade – Korea Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KCCI)

Language: Korean (native), English (fluent), Vietnamese (basic)

Citizenship: South Korea (Republic of Korea)

## REFERENCES

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