HITANSHU PANDIT

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Education:

Post-Doctoral Research Fellow, July 2023-Continuing Department of Economics and Public Policy, Northeastern University, Boston

Ph.D. in Economics, *June 2023* <u>Dissertation</u>: Mobile-device locations and Labor Markets Department of Economics, University of North Carolina, Greensboro

M.A. Economics, 2018 School of Economics, Central University of Kerala, India

B.Sc.(Hons.) Mathematics , 2014 SGTB Khalsa College, University of Delhi, India

Research Experience and Other Employment:

- 2021 2023 Research Assistant to Prof. Jeremy W. Bray
 - Worked closely with the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services to coordinate data-sharing agreements and communicate results for the estimated cost savings of mental health policy in North Carolina using Medicaid claims and encounters data.
 - 2019-2021 Teaching Associate at Department of Economics, UNC, Greensboro
 - Implemented a training strategy with corresponding curriculum to achieve department's objective and conducted performance gap analysis to assess current state and prioritize performance issues based on the course goal.
 - 2018-2019 Academic Associate at Department of Economics, IIM, Udaipur, Rajasthan, India
 - Heavily contributed as a valuable team member in the collaborations of curriculum development for business management training and performed one-on-one coaching with students that required customized training tailored to individual learning types.
 - 2011 Field Investigator, 2011 Census of India, Govt. of India, India
 - Collected, sorted and compiled detailed information for around 5,500 households with a population of around 25,000 and transmitted work electronically to the Census-2010 database and maintained hard copy backups for the Office of the Registrar General & Census Commissioner, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India.

Skills:

- R, STATA, Python, Mathematica, Matlab
- Causal Inference, Econometric/Statistical Analysis, Cost-effectiveness analysis.
- $\bullet\,$ rMarkdown , ${\rm IAT}_{\rm E}\!{\rm X},\,{\rm Git}$

Research(s) **Papers**:

City Limits: The relationship between employment and minimum wage using mobiledevice locations (*Under Review*)

Crossing Borders and Changing Lives: Evaluating the labor market response when local areas change minimum wage (*Draft available on request*)

Simply can't wait: Evaluating the effect of voluntary employer minimum wage increase on local labor markets

Estimating the Cost Savings of High-Fidelity Wraparound: Evidence from North Carolina (*With Jeremy Bray, Zubab Moid & Kat Morand*)

Professional Activities:

<u>Reviewer:</u> Southern Economics Journal

Conference presentations:	Carolina Region Empirical Economics Day, Charleston, SC, May 2022
	Western Economic Association, Portland, OR, June 2022
	3 Minutes Thesis, UNC, Greensboro, Oct 2022
	Rising Scholars Conference at Chicago Booth, Virtual, Nov 2022
	Southern Economic Association, Fort Lauderdale, FL, Nov 2022
	Southeastern Micro Labor Workshop, Athens, GA, March 2023
Discussant:	Western Economic Association, June 2022
	Southern Economic Association, Nov 2022
Other Services:	International student Ambassador (2021), International Programs Center, UNC, Greensboro

Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships:

2022-23 Kathleen Price and Joseph M. Bryan Fellowship

- 2022 Graduate School Association UNCG Professional Development Grant
- 2016-18 University Grant Commission Merit Scholarship, Govt. of India
- 2011-14 CBSE CSSS Merit Scholarship, Govt. of India

References:

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Dr. Jeremy W. Bray Jefferson-Pilot Excellence Professor Department of Economics, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro ⊠ jwbray@uncg.edu