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Education

Cornell University Ph.D. Applied Economics and Management	Expected July 2024
Boston University MA in Economics	May 2019
The State University of New York at Geneseo BA in Economics/Mathematics	May 2017

Research Interests

Development Economics, Child Health, Maternal Health, Nutrition, Violent Conflict, Family Planning

Publications

Karra, Mahesh, **Dan Maggio**, Muqi Guo, Bagrey Ngwira, and David Canning. “The Causal Effect of a Family Planning Intervention on Women’s Contraceptive Use and Birth Spacing.” *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 119, no. 22 (May 31, 2022)

Working Papers

Job Market Paper: “Family Planning and Children's Human Capital: Experimental Evidence from Urban Malawi”
(With Mahesh Karra and David Canning) *R&R; Demography*

“The Protective Role of Index Insurance in the Experience of Violent Conflict: Evidence from Ethiopia”
(With Tekalign Gutu Sakketa and John McPeak) *Households in Conflict Network Working Paper, R&R; Journal of Development Economics*

“Impact Evaluation of a Maternal and Child Cash Transfer Intervention, Integrated with Nutrition, Early Childhood Development and Agriculture (MAZIKO-IE): A Study Protocol for a Cluster-Randomized Controlled Trial” (With Aulo Gelli and 14 others) *R&R; Trials*

“Family Planning and Female Labor Supply: Experimental Evidence from Urban Malawi”
(With Mahesh Karra and David Canning) *Under Review*

“The Effect of Cash Transfers on Maternal Health Seeking: Evidence from Ecuador”
(With Jack Cavanagh)

“An Exploration of Targeting Leakage and Under-coverage: Evidence from Mexico’s Progresa Cash Transfer Experiment”
(With Jack Cavanagh)

Works in Progress

“Estimating Parental Preferences for Nutritious Foods using Randomly Assigned Cash Transfers”
(With John Hoddinott, Aulo Gelli, and Anissa Collishaw)

“Close to Home: The Impacts of Conflict-Related Fear on Poultry Production in Burkina Faso”
(With Jessica Leight, Jean-Pierre Tranchant, Abdoulaye Pedehombga, Rasmane Ganaba, and Aulo Gelli)

“The Effect of a Light-Touch Financial Planning Intervention on Women’s Empowerment and Intimate Partner Violence: Evidence from Liberia” (With Jessica Leight, Simone Schaner, and Sarika Gupta)

Grants

PI: Market Formation and Cash Transfers 2023
J-PAL/EPoD Social Protection Initiative Proposal Development Grant. \$3,925
(With John Hoddinott and Aulo Gelli)

Co-PI: Measuring the Elasticity of Nutrition Among Mothers of Young Children. 2023 – 2024
NSF Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant. \$25,000
(With John Hoddinott)

Previous Employment

International Food Policy Research Institute Washington, DC
Research Assistant (Jessica Leight) Jun. 2023 – Present
Research Assistant (Naureen Karachiwalla, Jessica Leight, Aulo Gelli) July 2021 – Jan. 2022

World Bank, Social Protection and Jobs Global Practice Washington, DC
Research Assistant (Sarika Gupta, Jessica Leight, Simone Shaner) Nov. 2022 – Jun. 2023

United States Army Various Locations
Civil Affairs Officer/Military-Government Specialist Jul. 2018 – Present
Engineer Officer May 2017 – Jul. 2018

Economics and Technology Inc. Boston, MA
Economic Consultant Aug. 2018 – Jun. 2019

Reach the Children Inc. Bukura, Kenya
Field Engineer Aug. 2017 – Apr. 2018

Conference and Seminar Presentations

2023: University of Malawi, World Bank – KDI School Development Impact Conference, Northeastern Universities Economic Development Consortium (NEUDC), Cornell University Development Economics Seminar, Pacific Development Conference, Midwest International Economic Development Conference, American Society of Health Economists (ASHE) Annual Conference, International Health Economics Association (IHEA) World Congress

2022: Center for the Study of African Economies (CSAE) Annual Conference, International Conference on Family Planning (ICFP)

2021: Northeastern Universities Economic Development Consortium (NEUDC), International Conference on Development Economics (ICDE), International Population Conference (IPC), Cornell University Development Economics Seminar, Cornell University Student Seminar Series

Teaching Experience

Instructor
Civil-Military Cooperation Tactical Operator Course Motta Di Livenza, Italy Spring 2022

Teaching Assistant
Research Methods in International Development Cornell University Spring 2021
Strategic Responses to Poverty and Hunger in Developing Countries Cornell University Fall 2020

Service

Refereeing

PLOS ONE, PLOS Global Public Health, Food Policy, Journal of Population Economics

2023 – Present

Co-Mentor, STAARS Program

Fellowship program for early career African researchers

2019 – 2022

Co-Editor, Economics that Really Matters Blog

2021 – 2022

Dissertation Committee

John Hoddinott (Chair)

Chris Barrett

John Cawley

Mahesh Karra (External Member, Boston University)