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Academic Affiliations

Assistant Professor of Economics, FLAME University, August 2025 –
Visiting Faculty (Full-time), IIM Bangalore, December 2024 – June 2025
Assistant Professor of Economics, IIM Bangalore, June 2018 – December 2024
Visiting Scientist, Indian Statistical Institute Delhi, May 2022

Education

Ph.D. Economics, Ohio State University, May 2018
M.A., Economics, Ohio State University, June 2013
M.Sc., Economics, Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research, Mumbai, June 2012
B.Tech., Information Technology, PSG College of Technology, Coimbatore, June 2008

Areas of Specialization

Research: Macroeconomics, Labour Economics, Computational Economics
Teaching: Macroeconomics, Labour Economics, Numerical Methods

Publications

“Job Specialization and Labor Market Turnover”, conditionally accepted at *Review of Economic Dynamics* (**ABDC-A***)
“Pandemic Containment and Inequality in a Developing Economy” (with Kunal Dasgupta), *Economic Inquiry*, 2024, 62(2), pages 837-864 (**ABDC-A**)
“Labour Search with Endogenous Outside Option” (with Ritesh Jain), *Economics Bulletin*, 2022, 42(2), pages 1092-1102 (**ABDC-C**)

Revise and Resubmit

“Asymmetric Wage and Employment Dynamics in Segmented Labour Markets” (with Abhishek Naresh, Jong Kook Shin, and Chetan Subramanian), resubmitted to *Economic Modelling* (**ABDC-A**)

Book Chapter

“Pandemics and Macroeconomics: Insights from COVID-19”, in *Flattening the Curve: COVID-19 & Grand Challenges for Global Health, Innovation, and Economy, 2023*, edited by Chirantan Chatterjee, Anindya S Chakrabarti, Anil B. Deolalikar, published by World Scientific.

Under Review

“Gender Gap and Decline in Female Labour Force Participation in India: A Joint Search Perspective” (with Monisankar Bishnu and S Chandrasekhar)

“Macroeconomics of Racial Disparities: Discrimination, Labor Market, and Wealth” (with Guanyi Yang)

“Effect of Social Information on Competition Choice” (with Ritwik Banerjee, Lata Gangadharan, and Anand Kumar)

“Wage Cyclicity Across Time and Frequencies” (with Shweta Sogani)

Selected Works in Progress

“Fiscal-Monetary Coordination over the Business Cycle” (with Abhinav Anand, Kunal Biswas, Jalaj Pathak)

“Family Structure and Female Labour Force Participation” (with Shweta Sogani, Monisankar Bishnu, S Chandrasekhar)

Teaching Experience

IIM Bangalore (MBA and PhD)

MBA: Macroeconomics core for MBA (2018–)

PhD: Dynamic Macroeconomic Theory (2019–)

Ohio State University (Undergraduate)

Principles of Macroeconomics (Independent Instructor)

Intermediate Microeconomics (Independent Instructor)

Money and Banking (Teaching Assistant)

Fellowships and Awards

Teaching

Award for Excellence in Teaching, IIM Bangalore, 2021–22, 2022–23, 2023–24

L. Edwin Smart Departmental Citation for Excellence in Teaching, The Ohio State University, 2017

Research

World Bank Travel grant, Conference on Female Labor Force Participation, 2024
 Second-best paper award at the Macroeconomics and Finance Conference 2023, IGIDR Mumbai
 Young Faculty Research Chair, IIM Bangalore, 2018–2021
 Journal of Money, Credit, and Banking Research Travel Grant, The Ohio State University, 2017
 The Ohio State University Fellowship, 2012-2013

Conferences and Seminars

*: accepted but couldn't attend, +: presented by co-author

- 2025 IIT Bombay, FLAME University
- 2024 Jobs and Development Conference (American Univ. Cairo), Female Labor Force Participation: Drivers and Policy Options (World Bank, Washington DC), ABLE Workshop (IIM Ahmedabad)
- 2023 Asian Meeting of Econometric Society (IIT Bombay), CAFRAL, Midwest Macro (Texas Tech.), WAMS + LAEF (Kuala Lumpur), Macroeconomics and Finance Conference (IGIDR), Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development (ISI Delhi)
- 2022 Society of Labor Economics (Minneapolis)*, Asian Meeting of Econometric Society (Tokyo), Midwest Macro Meeting (Dallas)⁺, Ashoka University, Indian Women and Paid Work (Great Lakes Institute), Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development (ISI Delhi)
- 2021 CMIE-CPHS Seminar, EALE Annual Conference, Winter School (Delhi School of Economics), Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development (ISI Delhi)
- 2020 Econometric Society World Congress, SERI Workshop on COVID-19, DKT Workshop (Ohio State University), European Winter Meetings of Econometric Society.
- 2019 Bank of Korea, IIT Kanpur, Delhi Macroeconomics Workshop (ISI Delhi), Midwest Macro Meeting⁺, Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development (ISI Delhi)
- 2018 Macroeconomics Workshop (Ashoka University), IZA World Labor Conference (Berlin)*, Asian Meeting of Econometric Society (Seoul), SERI Annual Workshop
- 2017 Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development (ISI Delhi), Midwest Macro Meetings (Pittsburgh), Economic Graduate Student Conference (Washington University in St. Louis), Midwest Economic Association Annual Meetings (Cincinnati)
- 2016 PSID Annual User Conference (University of Michigan)

PhD Advising

IIMB:

Abhishek Naresh (committee member), First placement: BIT Mesra

Rahul Rao (committee member), First placement: Ahmedabad University

Tanya Jain (committee member), First placement: Ahmedabad University

Kunal Biswas (committee member), ongoing

Shweta Sogani (committee member), ongoing

Vivek Kandimalla (committee member), ongoing

Service

Referee: Macroeconomic Dynamics, Applied Economics Letters, IIMB Management Review

IIMB:

Seminar coordinator for Economics seminar series

Admission interview panel - PGP, EPGP, PhD

Organizing committee: IMRDC conference

Professional Experience

Research Intern, Reserve Bank of India, Mumbai, India, June 2011-July 2011

System Software Engineer, Hewlett Packard Enterprise, Bangalore, India, June 2008-July 2010