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EDUCATION

- Ph.D., Economics**, University of California, Riverside *2013-2018 (Expected)*
Thesis Title: Essays on Female Labor Supply in Developing Countries
- M.A., Economics**, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi *2009-2011*
- B.A., Economics (Honors)**, Kirori Mal College, University of Delhi *2006-2009*

RESEARCH FIELDS

Development Economics, Health Economics, Labor Economics

RESEARCH

Peer-Reviewed Publications:

Agarwal, N., Aiyar, A., Bhattacharjee, A., Cummins, J., Gunadi, C., Singhanian, D., Taylor, M., & Wigton-Jones, E. 2017. Month of Birth and Child Height in 40 Countries. *Economics Letters*, Vol. 157, pp. 10-13.

Subica, A., Agarwal, N., Sullivan, G., & Link, B. 2017. Obesity and Associated Health Disparities among Understudied Multiracial, Pacific Islander, and American Indian Adults. *Obesity*.

Working Papers:

To Work or Not To Work? Male Earnings and Female Labor Force Participation in India (*Job Market Paper*)
Dynamics in Physical Functioning Limitations (with Subha Mani and Hans-Peter Kohler) (*under review*)

Work-In-Progress:

Fertility and Female Labor Supply: Who are the Compliers? (with Mindy Marks, Joseph Cummins, & Tymon Sloczynski)
Decomposition Analysis of Changes in Female Labor Force Participation in India
Effect of Health Insurance on Reproductive Health of Women: Case Study from Mexico (with Anaka Aiyar)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Research Assistant** for Professor Joseph Cummins, UC Riverside *2016-2017*
Data management for Rang-Din Nutrition Study.
- Research Assistant** for Professor Mindy Marks, UC Riverside *2016*
Data analysis for project on Fertility and Female Labor Supply.
- Research Assistant** for Professor Bruce Link, UC Riverside *2015*
Data analysis for project on intervention to change attitudes regarding mental illness among adolescents.
- Research Assistant** for Professor Subha Mani, Fordham University *2012-2014*
Trained enumerators and managed primary survey of urban slum-dwellers in Delhi for project on 'Evaluation of a Subsidized Training Program for Low Income Women- A Randomized Experiment'.
- Young Professional**, Planning Commission, Government of India *2012-13*
Worked on computation of poverty estimates, drafting various official reports, and qualitative field evaluation of National Rural Health Mission in Punjab.
- Research Intern**, Small Industries Development Bank of India *2010*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor, UC Riverside*Summer 2015*

Course: Introduction to Microeconomics

Teaching Assistant, UC Riverside*Summer 2014-Fall 2017*

Courses: Introduction to Microeconomics, Introduction to Macroeconomics, Introduction to Environmental Economics, Introduction to Money, Banking, and Credit

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS & HONORS

Grant-in-Aid for Dissertation Research, Taraknath Das Foundation, Columbia University	<i>2016</i>
Ronald Coase Workshop Fellowship, The Ronald Coase Institute	<i>2017</i>
Graduate Student Travel Grant, Department of Economics, UC Riverside	<i>2017</i>
Graduate Student Travel Grant, Graduate Student Association, UC Riverside	<i>2017</i>
Graduate Division Dean's Fellowship Award, UC Riverside	<i>2013-18</i>
Qualified National Eligibility Test (NET) for college and university lectureship, University Grants Commission, India	<i>2012</i>

SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS AND WORKSHOPS

Presentations

Applied Economics Colloquium, UC Riverside	<i>October 2017</i>
The Ronald Coase Workshop, Xiamen University, China	<i>May 2017</i>
Population Association of America (poster and oral), Chicago	<i>April 2017</i>
APPAM Regional Student Conference, UC Riverside	<i>April 2017</i>
Pacific Development Conference, UC Riverside	<i>March 2017</i>
Applied Economics Brown Bag Seminar, UC Riverside	<i>2016-2017</i>
Gender and Development Workshop by UNU-WIDER & University of Namur, Belgium	<i>October 2015</i>

Workshops

Workshop on Transparency in Social Science Research, UC Berkeley	<i>June 2017</i>
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ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Business Analyst, Fractal Analytics Ltd.	<i>2011-12</i>
Summer Intern, Central Information Commission, Government of India	<i>2008</i>

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Reviewer, Pacific Development Conference held at UC Riverside	<i>2017</i>
External Liaison Officer, Economics Graduate Students Association, UC Riverside	<i>2015</i>

SKILLS

Software: Proficient in STATA, L^AT_EX, ArcGIS, R, and MATLAB
Languages: English (Fluent) and Hindi (Native)

REFERENCES

Mindy Marks (Chair) Associate Professor Department of Economics Northeastern University Boston, MA 02115 <i>m.marks@northeastern.edu</i>	Anil Deolalikar (Co-Chair) Professor/Founding Dean School of Public Policy University of California Riverside, CA 92521 <i>anil.deolalikar@ucr.edu</i>	Joseph Cummins Assistant Professor Department of Economics University of California Riverside, CA 92521 <i>joseph.cummins@ucr.edu</i>	Robert Kaestner Professor Department of Economics University of Illinois Chicago, IL 60607 <i>kaestner@uic.edu</i>
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