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## Summary / Statement

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I am a Ph.D. candidate in Economics at Georgia State University. My research interests lie in the effects of health policy, institutions, market structure, and reproductive and gender economics. I am particularly interested in understanding how organizational and policy contexts influence the decision-making processes of healthcare providers, and the resulting implications on patient well-being and other health outcomes.

## Education

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Ph.D., Economics, Georgia State University, Atlanta, USA	(expected) 2026
Pre-Doctoral Fellow, The Dartmouth Institute, Hanover, USA	2023-2025
M.A., Economics, University of Rajasthan, Rajasthan, India	2015
B.A. (Hons.), Economics and Psychology, International College for Girls, Rajasthan, India	2013

## Research Interests

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Health Care Economics, Gender Economics, Industrial Organization, Antitrust, Applied Econometrics, Health Policy & Impact Evaluation

## Academic Employment

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<b>Fiscal Research Center, AYSPS, GA, USA</b>	
Research Assistant	2024 - Present
<b>Georgia State University, GA, USA</b>	
Graduate Research Assistant	2021 - 2024
Graduate Teaching Assistant	2020 - 2021
<b>University of Rajasthan, RJ, India</b>	
Graduate Teaching Assistant	2013 - 2015
<b>International College for Girls, RJ, India</b>	
Mentoring for Financially Disadvantaged Girl Students	2010 - 2013

## Professional Experience

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National Institute for Transforming India, Rajasthan Chair - Research Assistant  
Kisaan Uthaan, Rajasthan - Impact Evaluation of Welfare Policies at State Level  
Rajasthan Economic Consultancy Organisation

## Work In Progress

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- Midwifery Model of Care: Examining the Role of Certified Nurse-Midwives in Improving Maternal Health Inequities
- Impact of Change in Hospital Ownership on Maternal and Child Health
- Association of Retail Health Clinic Market Presence with Medical Appointment Wait Times, 2014-2018 (with Antonios M. Koumpias & Kevin N. Griffith)
- Effects of the Affordable Care Act's Medicaid Expansion on Physician Residency Programs (with Ricardo B. Ang III)
- Changes to ACA Individual Insurance Markets after States leave Healthcare.gov, 2018-2023 (with David M. Anderson & Salpy Kanimian)
- Impact of ACA Medicaid Expansion on Appointment Wait Time in Community Medical Centers (with Shishir Shakya, Salpy Kanimian & David Anderson)

## Publications

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- Beniwal, S. and Shakya, S. (2024). Hospital Ownership Changes and Charge-to-cost Shifts. *Economics Letters* [Download](#)
- ACA Medicaid Expansions and the Use of Non-Physician Providers: Evidence from Certified Nurse Midwives (with Lauren Hoehn-Velasco & Diana R. Jolles), revise & resubmit at *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management (JPAM)* [Download](#)

## Conference & Seminar Presentation

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- Presentation: "Healthcare Organization Modells: Evidence from Changes in Hospital Ownership" at Souther Economic Association & Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (Nov, 2024)
- Chair: "Healthy Diets: Contributing Factors and Health Care Utilization Impacts." American Society of Health Economists 13th Annual Conference, San Diego (June 2024)
- Presentation : "Midwifery Model of Care: Examining the Role of Certified Nurse-Midwives in Improving Maternal Health Inequities." The Dartmouth Institute Symposium (May 2024)
- Presentation: "ACA Medicaid Expansions and the Use of Non-Physician Providers - Evidence from Certified Nurse Midwives" Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) (January 2024)
- Poster Presentation: Effects of Retail Health Clinic Entry on Medical Appointment Wait Times: American Society of Health Economists 12th Annual Conference, St. Louis, MO (June 2023)
- Impact of Targeted Regulation of Abortion Providers on Teen Sexual Behaviour and Contraceptive Use : Applied Health Services Research and Public Policy (2022)
- Private Equity and Integrated Healthcare System: Southern Economic Association (SEA) - Mentoring Workshop (2021)

## Teaching Experience

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### Primary Instructor

- Economics of Poverty & Public Policy - (Undergraduate Upper Level Course - GSU) **Fall 2023**
- Health Economics & Policy (Masters level Course - GSU) **Spring 2024**

### Graduate Research Assistant

- ECON 4950 Econometrics & Applications **Spring 2021, 2022**

## Honors & Awards

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Carol Keels Endowed Scholarship, Georgia State University	<b>2024</b>
Dartmouth Health Equity Pathways Pre-doctoral Fellow at The Dartmouth Institute	<b>2023-2025</b>
Association For Public Policy Analysis & Management - Equity & Inclusion Student Fellowship	<b>2023</b>
American Society of Health Economics Diversity Scholarship	<b>2023</b>
Knee Center at West Virginia University Excellence Project grant	<b>2023</b>
E.D. (Jack) Dunn Fellowship and Research Fund, Georgia State University	<b>2023, 2025</b>
Academic Achievement Award, Georgia State University	<b>2023</b>
PhD Scholarship (full tuition and stipend), Georgia State University	<b>2020-Present</b>
Second Century Initiative, Health Informatics cluster, Georgia State University 2020	<b>2020-Present</b>
Applied Health Services Research and Public Policy Grant	<b>2020</b>
Junior Research fellowship, India	<b>2015-2019</b>

## Ph.D. Economics Coursework

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Mathematical Methods for Economics, Game Theory, Econometric Theory, Health Economics, Machine Learning, Experimental Economics, Causal Inference, Communication and Economic Evidence

## Miscellaneous

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**Professional Affiliation** Vice President, Economics Graduate Student Association

**Programming** Stata, R, SAS, Latex

**Citizenship:** India