

# Allan Hsiao

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## Positions

2023-           Assistant Professor of Economics and Public Affairs, Princeton University  
2022           Postdoctoral Fellow, Princeton University  
2021-2022     Saieh Family Fellow in Economics, Becker Friedman Institute, University of Chicago

## Education

2015-2021     PhD in Economics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
2013-2015     MPhil in Economics, University of Oxford  
2009-2013     AB in Economics, Harvard College

## Research interests

Environmental economics, development economics, industrial organization

## Working papers

1. Coordination and Commitment in International Climate Action: Evidence from Palm Oil (revise and resubmit at Econometrica)
2. Democratization and Infrastructure Investment: Evidence from Healthcare in Indonesia
3. Educational Investment in Spatial Equilibrium: Evidence from Indonesia

## Work in progress

1. Sea Level Rise and Urban Adaptation in Jakarta

## Honors and awards

2021           Restud Tour  
2021           China Star Tour  
2021           Robert M. Solow Prize for Graduate Student Excellence in Teaching and Research  
2019           Jerry Hausman Graduate Dissertation Fellowship  
2015           National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship  
2013           Rhodes Scholarship  
2012           Kentucky Colonel

## Grants

2022           Becker Friedman Institute International Economics and Economic Geography Initiative  
2020, 2019     George and Obie Shultz Fund  
2019, 2018     Weiss Fund for Research in Development Economics

## Teaching

2023           The Economics of Climate Change Policy, MPA, Princeton SPIA  
2021           14.273 Adv Topics in Industrial Organization, Graduate, MIT Econ (TA)  
2018-2021     15.024 Applied Economics for Managers, MBA, MIT Sloan (TA)

## Refereeing

American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Economic Review, American Economic Review: Insights, Econometrica, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Public Economics, Nature Climate Change, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics

## Seminars

2023 Columbia, Columbia SIPA, Imperial, Stanford, UPF  
2022 BFI-China, LSE Geography/Environment, NUS Business, NYU, OSUS, UCSB, UCSD, UPenn, UPenn Wharton  
2021 Berkeley Haas, Bocconi, Brookings, Brown, CEMFI, Chicago, Chicago Harris, Duke, ESSEC, Federal Reserve Board, Harvard, Mannheim, NUS Public Policy, Princeton, Sciences Po, Stanford, Stockholm IIES, Toronto, UBC, UCL, UPenn Wharton, UPF, World Bank, Yale SOM  
2019 International Actuarial Association Health Section  
2018 World Bank Jakarta

## Conferences

2023 ASSA  
2022 ASSA, BSE Summer Forum (Geography, Trade, and Growth), CEPR/IFS/UCL/BREAD/TCD Workshop in Development Economics, CEPR STEG Theme Workshop, Coase Project Conference, Conference on Urban and Regional Economics, IEB Workshop on Urban Economics, LEAP Conference in Development Economics, NBER Development Fall Meeting, NEUDC, UChicago IO+ Conference, UEA North American Meeting, UW-Madison Emerging Scholars Conference  
2021 CEPR STEG Theme Workshop, Indiana Trade and Environment Workshop, NBER SI Development, NBER SI Environment & Energy, Northwestern Development Rookiefest, PacDev, Quantitative Spatial Economics Junior Workshop  
2020 DEVPEC, EMCON  
2019 CSAE, EMCON, NEUDC  
2018 Harvard Cities and Development Workshop