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## **Education:**

**Harvard Kennedy School of Government, Cambridge, MA** **2012-2014**

- Master in Public Administration and International Development ([program website](#))
- Public Service Fellow ([fellowship website](#)): Prestigious fellowship for graduate students committed to working in public service careers
- Outstanding SYPA Award Winner 2014 ([award website](#)): Top thesis in graduating class
- Cultural Bridge Fellow 2013 ([award website](#)): Summer research fellowship sponsored by the Women and Public Policy Program

**Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA Bachelor of Arts** **2005-2009**

- Graduated Phi Beta Kappa
- Economics Major
- GPA: 3.86 (3.97 in all Economics classes and seminars)

## **Employment:**

**IDinsight ([website](#))** **2014-present**

*Director, Technical Team and Economist – San Francisco, CA*

- Sets the organizational strategy to ensure the technical rigor of the company's portfolio
- Manages a team of impact evaluation specialists to support client-facing staff
- Designs and implements impact evaluations in South Asia and sub-Saharan Africa
- Oversees training and technical professional development of staff

**Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab ([website](#))** **2009-2012**

*Research Manager, MIT – Cambridge, MA*

- Oversaw the design and analysis of impact evaluations of governance research projects

*Research Associate, IFMR – Bihar, India*

- Managed on-the-ground activities of impact evaluations on voter education campaigns
- Managed three surveys each covering thousands of households in rural India
- Analyzed data from projects evaluating caste-based politics in northern India

## **Publications**

- "Are Poor Voters Indifferent to Whether Elected Leaders are Criminal or Corrupt? A Vignette Experiment in Rural India" (with Abhijit Banerjee, Donald P. Green and Rohini Pande). *Political Communication*, 31(3): pp. 391-407, August 2014.
- "New Evidence on Governance" (with Rohini Pande). Prepared for the Asian Development Bank as a Special Evaluation Study on Enhancing Good Governance, June 2013.
- "Horticulture Exports and African Development (with Stephen S. Golub). Prepared for the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, November 2008.

## **Skills:**

- Topical expertise: Statistics/econometrics, impact evaluation, causal inference, survey design, data collection, data analysis
- Software and programming: Stata, R, Python