

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

Spring 2021 Graduates

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Corey Daniel Woodruff
“Three Essays in Applied Microeconomics”
Brian Christopher Marein
“The Economic Development of Puerto Rico
After United States Annexation”

Hoyn Kim
“International Spillovers of Shocks and Economic
Relationships: A Structural GVAR Approach”
Jiannan Zhou
“Augmented Preferences in Macroeconomics”

MASTER OF ARTS

Joel Belsterling
Anand Michael Butler
Andrew Randel Fink
Joseph Patrick Fry

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Samuel Joseph Johnson
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Rimjhim Saxena

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Jaekyeong Shin

HONORS

Sam Dages
“A Model of Electoral Competition
with Media Bias”
summa cum laude

Nicholas Decker
“Aerial Cable Cars as Public
Transportation: Examining the Effects
of Medellin’s Metrocables on Crime”
magna cum laude

Delaney Khung
“Managing Air as a Public Good”
magna cum laude

Joanna Kristensen
“The Effect of Increasing Sea Surface
Temperature on Fishery Production: What
countries are vulnerable?”
magna cum laude

Naresh Kumanduri
“Energy Finance to Developing
Energy Sectors: An Analysis of Chinese
Policy Bank Lending on Energy
Production in Developing Countries
and Determinants of Energy Lending”
magna cum laude

Amanda Liddle
“The Effect of Affordable Housing on
Nearby Property Values in Denver, CO”
summa cum laude

Leonard Tri Nguyen
“The Impact of Medicaid Expansion
on Health Outcomes”
magna cum laude

Nicholas Ochoa
“Poverty and COVID-19
in Subnational Colombia”
magna cum laude

Jack Ohlmeier
“Short Term Rentals and Housing
Prices in Large US Cities”
summa cum laude

Wei Qu
“The Impact of China’s Retaliatory
Tariffs on US Agricultural Exports”
summa cum laude

Olav Rohnebak
“An OLS Analysis Quantifying the Eco-
nomic Growth Effect of European Integra-
tion and Its Growth Mechanisms”
magna cum laude

Emma Scheetz
“The Effect of COVID-19 on Public
Transportation in the City of Chicago”
magna cum laude

Emma Schneider
“Family Background and Earnings
of College Graduates”
magna cum laude

Ao Shen
“How Husbands’ STEM Occupations/
Majors Affect Whether Women
with STEM Majors Work in STEM
Occupations?”
magna cum laude

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