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EDUCATION

Massachusetts Institute of Technology , Cambridge, USA	
Ph.D. in Economics	2030
M.Sc. in Economics	2026
Humboldt University , Berlin, Germany	
M.Sc. in Economics	2022
Harvard University , Cambridge, USA	
DAAD Scholar	2021
Humboldt University , Berlin, Germany	
B.Sc. in Economics	2020

EMPLOYMENT

Massachusetts Institute of Technology , Cambridge, USA	2022 – 2024
Pre-doctoral Research Fellow to Simon Jäger	
Harvard University , Cambridge, USA	2021 – 2022
Research Assistant to Stefanie Stantcheva	

WORKING PAPERS

“Labor Market Tightness and Union Activity”, with Simon Jäger and Patrick Nüß, NBER Working Paper

WORKS IN PROGRESS

“Layoff Prioritization”, with Nathan Lazarus
“Unions and Technology”, with Daron Acemoglu, Kjell Salvanes, and Alexander Willén
“Taxes and Directed Technical Change”, with Nathan Lazarus
“Labor Movements and Electoral Representation”, with Felix Kersting

FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS, AND AWARDS

Harvard CES Krupp Dissertation Fellowship (\$45,000)	2026
John Krob Castle Fellow (\$107,700)	2025
Schmidt Sciences AI at Work Grant (\$200,000)	2025
Institute for Humane Studies Grant (\$5,000)	2025
Shultz Research Grant (\$8,000)	2025
J. Robert Beyster Fellowship (\$25,000)	2025
Shultz Research Grant (\$16,000)	2024
MIT Presidential Fellowship (\$103,205)	2024
DAAD German National Merit Scholarship (\$33,400)	2021
UCEAP Stipend (\$32,475)	2019

REFERENCES

Daron Acemoglu MIT Economics daron@mit.edu	David Autor MIT Economics dautor@mit.edu	Simon Jäger Princeton Economics sjaeger@princeton.edu	Nina Roussille MIT Economics nroussil@mit.edu
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