# Vivek S. Moorthy

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#### **ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, Massachusetts Assistant Professor of Economics, 2022-Present

## **EDUCATION**

University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana

Ph.D. in Economics, 2017 – 2022

Thesis: "The Economics of Life and Death"

M.A. in Economics, 2017 – 2019

University of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC), Baltimore, Maryland

B.S. in Financial Economics, 2012 – 2016

B.A. in Mathematics, 2012 – 2016

Phi Beta Kappa, Magna Cum Laude

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Development Economics, Labor Economics, Population Economics, Economic History

#### PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

"Every Day is Earth Day: Evidence on the Long-term Impact of Environmental Activism" (with Daniel Hungerman). *AEJ: Applied Economics (January, 2023)* 

## **WORKING PAPERS**

"Agricultural Technological Change, Female Earnings, and Fertility", STEG Working Paper #041

\*\*R&R: Economic Journal\*\*

"Blue Collar Booms and American Mortality" (with Paul Shaloka)

"Industrialization, Religion, and Fertility Decline in the 1800s France"

## **WORKS IN PROGRESS**

"Religion and Demography: Papal Influences on Fertility" (With Lakshmi Iyer and Paloma Moyano)

"Improving the Working Conditions of Domestic Workers in Brazil", JPAL JOI Brazil Funded Initiative, Field Work in Progress

"Can Human Capital Investments Lower Coercive Institutions? Evidence from US History"

## **CONFERENCES AND INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

**2023:** Southern Economic Association(Scheduled); LAC Development Economics Conference (Scheduled); College of the Holy Cross; LAC Public and Labor Conference (Invited Discussant)

2022: University of Missouri; NBER Gender in the Economy SI 2022 (Invited Participant); 19th

World Economic History Congress; Eastern Economic Association Conference; College of the Holy Cross; University of Akron

**2021:** Development Day Annual Conference; North East Universities Development Consortium (NEUDC); Structural Transformation and Economic Growth (STEG) First Annual Conference

**2020:** Health, History, Demography & Development (H2D2)

**2017:** Public Choice Society Meetings

**2015:** *Undergraduate Research and Creative Achievement Day (URCAD)* 

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

# **College of the Holy Cross**

Population Economics: Fall 2023, Spring 2023 Quantitative Microeconomics: Spring 2023

Statistics: Fall 2022

## University of Notre Dame, Department of Economics

Introduction to Linear Regression: Fall 2021

Tutorial Section for Statistics for Economics: Spring 2021

Teaching Assistant to Timothy Dunne, Principles of Macroeconomics, 2017–2018

## **ADVISING**

## **College of the Holy Cross**

Nicholas Lupone (Class of 2024), College Honors Thesis Adviser 2023-2024

## HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

Research Associates Program (\$783.75), J.D. Power Center for Liberal Arts in the World, 2022 JOI Brazil Travel Grant (\$3510.24), Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL), 2022 Kellogg Conference Travel Grant (\$1,250), Kellogg Institute for International Studies, 2022 The Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts Research Grant (\$3500), College of Arts and Letters, the University of Notre Dame, 2020

Kellogg Doctoral Student Affiliate, University of Notre Dame, 2020-2022

Graduate Assistantship, University of Notre Dame, 2017–2022

Sondheim Public Affairs Scholar, UMBC, 2012 – 2016

Honors College, UMBC, 2012 – 2016

## SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

#### Referee

Journal of Human Resources

## **Conference Reviewer**

2023 Annual Meeting of the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association; 2022 Annual Meeting of the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association

# SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY

# **College of the Holy Cross**

Weiss Summer Research Program, 2023

Awards Committee, 2022-2023

# **University of Notre Dame**

Fulbright Award Campus Committee, 2021 Truman Scholarship Campus Committee, 2021 Fulbright Award Campus Committee, 2020

## **UMBC**

Sondheim Scholar Selection Panel, 2016

# OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

Business Management Analyst at Northrop Grumman, Linthicum, Maryland, USA, 2016–2017

## **SKILLS**

Stata, MATLAB, Julia, ArcGIS