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EDUCATION

- 2018 **PhD**, Natural Resources, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
Focus: Science and Technology Studies & Political Economy of Agricultural Policy
Dissertation title: "Role of Information in Environmental Governance"
- 2013 **MPA**, Cornell Institute of Public Affairs, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
Focus: Environmental Policy
- 2007 **BSc Economics**, Singapore Management University, Singapore
Focus: Economics and Statistics

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- 2018– **Post-doctoral (Faculty) Fellow**, Department of Environmental Studies
New York University, New York City
- 2016–2017 **Lecturer**, Department of Natural Resources
Cornell University, Ithaca, New York
- 2010–2011 **Research Associate**, The Economics of Ecosystems and Biodiversity (TEEB) Project
Green Indian States Trust (GIST), New Delhi
- 2007–2010 **Economist**, Centennial Asia Advisors, Singapore

TEMPORARY/SHORT-TERM POSITIONS

- 2012 **Summer Intern**, Department of Economics and Social Affairs
United Nations, New York City
- 2006 **Summer Intern**, International Operations Division
International Enterprise Singapore (IE), Government of Singapore
- 2005 **Research Intern**, Value Added Tax Project
National Institute of Public Finance and Policy (NIPFP), Government of India

GRANTS RECEIVED

- 2016 Frosty Hill Fellowship, For CGIAR research
- 2014–15 Einaudi Center for International Studies, Cornell University.
- 2014 Institute of Social Sciences, Cornell University.

AWARDS/FELLOWSHIPS

- 2018 Best Teaching Assistant, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, Cornell University
- 2016 Best Presentation Award, Cornell Natural Resources Graduate Symposium
- 2013 Awarded Pi Alpha Alpha Fellow
- 2013 Cornell Graduate Fellowship
- 2011 CIPA Graduate Fellowship

PUBLICATIONS

PEER REVIEW

- 2019 "Appetite for Imprecision: The Role of Bureaucracy in Implementing a Pay-for-Performance Program." *Annals of the Association of American Geographers*.
- 2019 "A practice-centered analysis of environmental accounting standards: Integrating agriculture into carbon governance." *Land Use Policy*. Co-authored with **Steven Wolf**.

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2018 "Supplying the supply curve: an ethnography of environmental reverse auctions." *Journal of Cultural Economy*. Volume 11, Issue 1. Pages 20–35.

BOOK REVIEWS

2018 "Climate–resilient development: Linking climate adaptation and economic development." *Science and Public Policy*. Volume 45, Issue 2. Pages 286–287

BOOK CHAPTERS

2010 "Global Economic and Financial Crisis: Impact on Developing Asia and Policy Responses." In *A Resilient Asia amidst Global Financial Crisis: from Crisis Management to Global Leadership*. Book edited by Kohli, Harrinder S. and Sharma, A. New Delhi, India. SAGE. Co-authored with **Manu Bhaskaran** and **Harrinder Kohli**.

2010 "Impact and Policy Responses: People's Republic of China." In *A Resilient Asia amidst Global Financial Crisis: from Crisis Management to Global Leadership*. Book edited by Kohli, Harrinder S. and Ashok Sharma. New Delhi, India. SAGE. Co-authored with **Manu Bhaskaran**.

2010 "Impact and Policy Responses: Indonesia, Philippines, and Thailand." In *A Resilient Asia amidst Global Financial Crisis: from Crisis Management to Global Leadership*. Book edited by Kohli, Harrinder S. and Ashok Sharma. New Delhi, India. SAGE. Co-authored with **Manu Bhaskaran**.

2010 "Impact and Policy Responses: Indonesia, Philippines, and Thailand." In *A Resilient Asia amidst Global Financial Crisis: from Crisis Management to Global Leadership*. Book edited by Kohli, Harrinder S. and Ashok Sharma. New Delhi, India. SAGE. Co-authored with **Manu Bhaskaran**.

2010 "Impact and Policy Responses: India." In *A Resilient Asia amidst Global Financial Crisis: from Crisis Management to Global Leadership*. Book edited by Kohli, Harrinder S. and Ashok Sharma. New Delhi, India. SAGE. Co-authored with **Manu Bhaskaran**.

2010 "Impact and Policy Responses: Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Bhutan, and Maldives." In *A Resilient Asia amidst Global Financial Crisis: from Crisis Management to Global Leadership*. Book edited by Kohli, Harrinder S. and Ashok Sharma. New Delhi, India. SAGE. Co-authored with **Manu Bhaskaran**.

2010 "Impact and Policy Responses: Pakistan and Afghanistan." In *A Resilient Asia amidst Global Financial Crisis: from Crisis Management to Global Leadership*. Book edited by Kohli, Harrinder S. and Ashok Sharma. New Delhi, India. SAGE. Co-authored with **Manu Bhaskaran**.

2010 "Impact and Policy Responses: The Caucasus, Central Asia, and Mongolia." In *A Resilient Asia amidst Global Financial Crisis: from Crisis Management to Global Leadership*. Book edited by Kohli, Harrinder S. and Ashok Sharma. New Delhi, India. SAGE. Co-authored with **Manu Bhaskaran**.

POLICY REPORTS (SELECT)

2011 "Demystifying India–China Trade Possibilities." For The Takshashila Institution: An Independent Networked Think Tank on India's Strategic Affairs. Co-authored with **A.V. Nageswaran**.

2010 "Global Economic and Financial Crisis Impact on Developing Asia and Immediate Policy Implications." Report prepared for ADB, Manila. Co-authored with **Manu Bhaskaran**.

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- 2009 "A dynamic macro-economic case for the Sunda Straits Bridge in Indonesia." Prepared for Undisclosed Client. Co-authored with **Manu Bhaskaran**.
- 2008 "The Iskandar Development Region and Singapore." Prepared for Undisclosed Client. Co-authored with **Manu Bhaskaran**.

WORKSHOPS/CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2018 Paper, "A practice-centered analysis of environmental accounting standards". Presented at the panel on Geographies of Climate Change Mitigation. American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. April 15.
- 2018 "When environmental quantification fails to drive institutional change". Presented at the Department of Natural Resources Annual Graduate Symposium. Ithaca, NY. January 19.
- 2017 "Valuation-at-a-Distance." Presented at the Science Studies Research Group (SSRG), Cornell University. Ithaca, NY, November 20.
- 2017 Paper, "The Inevitable Bureaucracy of Data". Presented at the panel on Quantification and Regulation. Science and Democracy Network. Cambridge, MA, June 30.
- 2017 Paper, "The Bureaucracy of Data". Presented at the panel on Data Infrastructures. American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. April 5.
- 2017 Paper, "Struggling to Quantify: A Turn to Practice". Dimensions of Political Ecology, Lexington, KY. February 24.
- 2016 Invited, "Inter-disciplinary research: Conceptual Challenges". Workshop presentation: Bridging the Gaps in Sustainability Research and Practice – A discussion workshop for Social Scientists, Cornell University. October 21.
- 2016 "Putting Science to Practice Through Algorithms". Presented at the Department of Natural Resources Annual Graduate Symposium. Ithaca, NY. January 26.
- 2015 "Payments For Ecosystem Services In Indonesia". Presented at the Department of Natural Resources Annual Graduate Symposium. Ithaca, NY. January.
- 2015 Paper, "Market efficiency in environmental governance: Pursuit or Performance?" Presentation for Contested Global Landscapes – Graduate Student Paper Workshop, Cornell University.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

COURSES TAUGHT

- 2019 Global Environmental Politics, *New York University*, Spring
- 2019 Green Economy, *New York University*, Spring
- 2018 Science in Environmental Policy, *New York University*, Fall
- 2016 Environmental Governance, *Cornell University*, Fall

TEACHING ASSISTANT

- 2018 INFO1200: Information Ethics, Law and Policy. *Cornell University*. Spring
- 2017 NTRES3311: Environmental Governance. *Cornell University*. Spring.
*Awarded Best Teaching Assistant Award
- 2017 NTRES2201: Society and Natural Resources. *Cornell University*. Spring
- 2012 PADM6040: Public Policy Capstone. *Cornell University*. Fall and Spring

INVITED LECTURER

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- 2018 "Challenges in Constructing Carbon Markets" for PADM5570: *Corporate Responsibility*.
- 2017 "Challenges in Measuring Environmental Value" for PADM5570: *Corporate Responsibility*.
- 2017 "Putting Economic Ideas to Practice", for NTRES 3311: *Environmental Governance*.
- 2017 Panelist For Cornell Institute Of Public Affairs *PhD Roundtable*.
- 2016 "Markets and Valuation" for DSOC3240: *Environment, Society, and Land*
- 2016 "Valuation of Nature and the Nature of Valuation" for PADM5570: *Corporate Responsibility*

UNIVERSITY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2019 Editorial Board Member, Society and Natural Resources
- 2015 President, Graduate Student Association, Department of Natural Resources, Cornell University
- 2015 Organizer, Special Graduate Proposal Workshop on Land Politics

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Bengali (Mother-tongue), Hindi (Fluent), Urdu (Basic), Bahasa Indonesian (Intermediate)