

TREVOR J. BAKKER

EDUCATION

- 2016 – Stanford University, PhD Economics (Candidate)
2011 – 2012 University College London, MSc Economics with Merit
Dissertation: “Differential Access to Improved Sanitation in Nigeria”
2006 – 2010 Harvard College, AB Social Studies, secondary field in Economics, *magna cum laude*
Thesis: “Transmitting International Justice: The Model of the Special Court for Sierra Leone”
2004 – 2006 Hope College, Dual Enrollment in Mathematics

PRIMARY RESEARCH FIELDS

Household Finance, Public, Labor

POSITIONS

- 2015 – 2016 Stanford SIEPR and Harvard LEAP Pre-Doctoral Fellow with Raj Chetty, John Friedman, Nathaniel Hendren, and Stefanie Stantcheva
2012 – 2015 Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, Research Assistant (economist series)
2011 Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab, Research Associate for Abhijit Banerjee, Rohini Pande, and Michael Walton
2010 – 2011 Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab, Research Associate for Esther Duflo, Michael Greenstone, and Rema Hanna
2009 – 2010 Rogers Family Research Fellow, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University
2008 – 2009 Institute of Politics Research Assistant to Jacqueline Bhabha, Harvard University

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2017 R24 Travel Grant to University of Chicago Human Capital and Economic Opportunity (HCEO) Global Working Group 2017 Summer School on Socioeconomic Inequality
2016 Graduate Research Fellowship Program Award, National Science Foundation
2015 District Alumni Achievement Award (Michigan), National Speech & Debate Association
2011 – 2012 Fulbright-University College London Postgraduate Award
2010 George Caspar Homans Prize for Excellence in the Social Sciences
2009 Elected early to Phi Beta Kappa in Harvard College’s “Senior 48”
2009 Named one of *The Harvard Crimson’s* “15 Most Interesting Seniors”
2009 – 2010 Summer Research Grant, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University
2009 Justice Grant, Department of History, Harvard University
2009 Human Rights Essay Prize, “How Comprehensible is Genocide?” Harvard University
2008, 2009 Harvard University Committee on Human Rights Studies Grant
2008 Lester Kissel Grant in Practical Ethics, Edmond J. Safra Center for Ethics, Harvard University
2008 Harvard College Research Program Grant
2007 Detur Book Prize
2007 John Harvard Scholar
2006 – 2010 Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship
2004, 2005, 2006 State Champion in Extemporaneous Speaking, Michigan Interscholastic Forensics Association

SEMINARS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2016 Stanford University, Mobilize Center Seminar
2015 Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, Office of Research Seminar
2014 FDIC 4th Annual Consumer Research Symposium

WORKING PAPERS

- 2014 “The Dynamics of Overdraft Fees and Incidence” with Éva Nagypál and Colin Watson

POLICY REPORTS

- 2014 “Data Point: Checking Account Overdraft” with Nicole Kelly, Jesse Leary, and Éva Nagypál

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 2013 – 2014 Coordinator of Research Assistant Hiring, Consumer Financial Protection Bureau

2011 – 2012 MSc Representative, Graduate Staff-Student Committee, Dept. of Economics, UCL
2008 – 2010 Elected Representative, Student Affairs Committee, Social Studies, Harvard College