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## Education

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### Northwestern University

PRE-GRADUATE CERTIFICATE, MATHEMATICS AND ECONOMICS, 3.81 GPA(CURRENT)

• References:

- Joel Mokyr, j-mokyr@northwestern.edu
- Edoardo Teso, edoardo.teso@kellogg.northwestern.edu
- Leander Heldring, leander.heldring@kellogg.northwestern.edu

*Evanston, IL*

*2018 - present*

### Illinois State University

BS ECONOMICS

- 2013 F. Russell Glasener-Economics Advisory Board Award
- 2012 Caterpillar Scholar, Economics

*Normal, IL*

*2010 - 2013*

## Professional Experience

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- 2020- **Research Assistant**, Northwestern Center for Economic History, Managing Professor Joel Mokyr
- 2019-2020 **Research Assistant**, Northwestern-Kellogg School of Management, Managing Professor Edoardo Teso
- 2015-2020 **Accountant**, Michuda Construction
- 2013-2015 **Market Analyst**, World Auto Group
- 2013-2013 **Undergraduate Teaching Assistant**, Illinois State University, Managing Professor Rajeev Goel

## Research Assistantship

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### PUBLISHED PAPERS CONTRIBUTED TO

“Attitudes, aptitudes, and the roots of the great enrichment”

Joel Mokyr. 2021. The Handbook of Historical Economics, Edited by Alberto Bisin and Giovanni Federico, pp. 773-794

“The Holy Land of Industrialism’ Rethinking the Industrial Revolution”

Joel Mokyr. 2021. Journal of the British Academy, 9: 223-247

“Institutions, ideas and economic change: some reflections on Geoffrey Hodgson’s ‘Culture and Institutions’”

Joel Mokyr. 2021. Journal of Institutional Economics, 1-6

“The Wheels of Change: Technology Adoption, Millwrights, and the Persistence in Britain’s Industrialization”

Joel Mokyr, Assaf Sarid, and Karine van der Beek. Accepted at the Economic Journal

“The Holy Land of Industrialism’ Rethinking the Industrial Revolution”

Joel Mokyr. Accepted at the Journal of the British Academy

“Economic Recessions and Congressional Preferences for Redistribution”

Maria Carreri and Edoardo Teso. Accepted at the Review of Economics and Statistics

### WORKING PAPERS CONTRIBUTED TO

“Politics at Work”

Emanuele Colonnelli, Valdemar Pinho Neto, and Edoardo Teso

“From Patronage to the Modern State. Evidence from 100 Years of Personnel Policies of the U.S. Federal Bureaucracy”

Siddhant Agarwal, Nicola Mastrococco, and Edoardo Teso

“Bureaucracy as a Tool for Politicians: evidence from Weimar and Nazi Germany”

Leander Heldring

## Relevant Coursework

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### MATH

A	<b>Real Analysis (Math 320-A)</b> , Northwestern University	2020
A	<b>Introduction to Optimization (Math 368)</b> , Northwestern University	2021
A	<b>Linear Algebra: Second Course (Math 334)</b> , Northwestern University	2021
A	<b>Abstract Algebra (Math 330-A)</b> , Northwestern University	2019
A	<b>Probability and Stochastic Processes (Math 310-A)</b> , Northwestern University	2018
A	<b>Linear Algebra (Math 240)</b> , Northwestern University	2019
A-	<b>Multiple Integration and Vector Calculus (Math 234)</b> , Northwestern University	2019
A	<b>Differential Calculus of Multivariable Functions (Math 230)</b> , Northwestern University	2019

### ECON

A	<b>Graduate European Economic History (Econ 420-2)</b> , Northwestern University	2021
A	<b>Graduate American Economic History (Econ 420-1)</b> , Northwestern University	2021
B	<b>Graduate Microeconomics (Econ 410-1)</b> , Northwestern University	2021
A	<b>Graduate Mathematical Methods of Economic Theory (Econ 401)</b> , Northwestern University	2021
A	<b>Industrial Economics (Econ 349)</b> , Northwestern University	2020
A	<b>Intermediate Macroeconomics (Econ 311)</b> , Northwestern University	2018
A	<b>Intermediate Microeconomics 2 (Econ 310-B)</b> , Northwestern University	2019
A	<b>Intermediate Microeconomics (Econ 310-A)</b> , Northwestern University	2019
A-	<b>Introduction to Applied Econometrics (Econ 281)</b> , Northwestern University	2019