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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Assistant Teaching Professor 2024 – present
The Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies, University of Washington

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Economics, University of Massachusetts Amherst 2024
Dissertation Title: CRITICAL MINERALS AND THE GREEN TRANSITION

M.A. Economics, University of Massachusetts Amherst 2020

M.Sc. Economics, Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research, Mumbai, India 2016

B.Sc. Economics (Honours) with Mathematics and Statistics, Asutosh College, University of Calcutta, Kolkata, India, *First Class, Rank- First* 2014

FIELDS

Political Economy, Environmental Policy, Economic Development, Macroeconomics

PUBLICATIONS

Published articles

Ghosh, J., Chakraborty, S., & Das, D. (2022). Climate Imperialism in the Twenty-First Century. *Monthly Review*, 74(3), 70-85. [Link](#).

Das, D., Chakraborty, S., & Ghosh, J. (2022). Climate change mitigation strategies: impacts and obstacles in low- and middle-income countries. *Earth4All: Deep Dive paper 7*. [Link](#).

Kaikar, N., Dutta, G., Das, D., & Banerjee, S. (2021). Time-of-use pricing of electricity in monopoly and oligopoly. *Opsearch*, 58(1), 1-28. [Link](#).

Book chapter

Das, D. (2023). Marxian crisis theory, in *Elgar Encyclopedia of Financial Crises*, ed. Sara Hsu. Edward Elgar. [Link](#).

Working papers

Das, D. (2023). Role of the State in the Energy Transition: The Case of China and Lessons for the United States. Available at SSRN 4620256. [Link](#).

Chandrasekhar, C.P., Ghosh, J., & Das, D. (2023). Paying with Austerity: The Debt Crisis and Restructuring in Sri Lanka. Political Economy Research Institute, Working Paper 590. [Link](#).

- Das, D., & Roy, S. (2020). Zombie prevalence and survival. Political Economy Research Institute, Working Paper number 531. [Link](#).
- Das, D., & Das, V. (2016). The Pink Revolution in India: A Gravity Model Analysis. Available at SSRN. 2919382. [Link](#).
- Das, D. (2016). Trends and Analysis of Child Anthropometric Indices for India. Available at SSRN 2929909. [Link](#).

Other published articles in media

- Das, D., & Chakraborty, S. (2022). How is climate change mitigation affecting low- and middle-income countries? *The Club of Rome*. [Link](#).
- Ghosh, J., & Das, D. (2022). Hidden carbon subsidies will destroy us. *Project Syndicate*. [Link](#).
- Das, V.K., & Das, D. (2017). Pink Revolution: Why the Government should boost the bovine meat industry. *The Wire*. [Link](#).

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Political Economy Research Institute, University of Massachusetts Amherst

- Research Assistant to Jayati Ghosh and C. P. Chandrasekhar, Open Society Foundations project on Reforming the Global Economic and Financial Architecture for Development Spring, Summer 2023
- Research Assistant to Jayati Ghosh, The Club of Rome projects related to climate mitigation and adaptation strategies Spring 2022

Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad

Summer 2015

- Research Intern to Goutam Dutta, working on mathematical modeling for time-of-using pricing of electricity in monopoly and oligopoly

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor

University of Massachusetts Amherst

- Economics in the Age of Big Data and the Internet: Liars' Economics (online) Summer 2022
- Economics in the Age of Big Data and the Internet: Liars' Economics Spring 2021, Fall 2021
- Money and Banking (online) Summer 2021
- Advanced Student Loans, Other Debt and the US Economy Fall 2020
- Introduction to Macroeconomics (online) Summer 2020

Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth

- The Mathematics of Money Summer 2019

Teaching Assistant

University of Massachusetts Amherst

- Introduction to Microeconomics Fall 2022, Spring 2018, Fall 2018
- Money and Banking Spring 2020
- Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory Spring 2019
- Introduction to Macroeconomics Fall 2017, Fall 2019

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Political Economy Research Institute (PERI) Dissertation Fellowship (\$12,410.80)	2023-24
University of Massachusetts Amherst Three Minute Thesis Finalist	2023
Conference Travel Grant, Department of Economics, University of Massachusetts Amherst	2023
Endowment Foreign Scholarship, University of Calcutta	2017-18
National Eligibility Test (NET), University Grants Commission of India	2015
<i>First Class-First Rank</i> at Graduation level (B.Sc. Economics Honours), University of Calcutta	2014

CONFERENCES AND TALKS

Conferences

Eastern Economic Association (EEA) Annual Conference, Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Annual Meeting, Business History Conference, Southern Economic Association (SEA) Annual Conference	2024
Political Economy Research Institute (PERI) Conference for Celebrating the Life and Work of Professor Jim Crotty (1938-2023), Business History Conference	2023

Invited Talk

Sole presenter, "The Geopolitics of critical minerals", Webinar, Institute for Policy Studies, Washington, DC	2023
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LANGUAGE SKILLS

English: Full professional proficiency, **Hindi:** Full professional proficiency, **Bengali:** Native proficiency

TECHNICAL SKILLS

R, STATA, MS Office

REFERENCES

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