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INFORMATION**

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EDUCATION

- 2019 **Ph.D. (Expected) Agricultural Economics** - Purdue University
Dissertation: *Household and Community Components of Intergenerational Mobility in the U.S.*
Fields: Spatial, Health and Population Economics (SHaPE); International Development
Committee: Michael Delgado (chair), Gerald Shively, Brigitte Waldorf
& Tom Hertz
Andrews Fellowship Recipient
- 2014 **M.S. Agricultural Economics** - Purdue University
Field: International Development
- 2011 **B.A. Public Policy, Global Studies, History Minor** - University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

**RESEARCH &
PROFESSIONAL
INTERESTS**

Intergenerational economic mobility
The empirics of public policy scale decisions
Persistent poverty in the developed world
The influence of geographic factors on inequality and opportunity

**PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE**

Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Agricultural Economics, Purdue University
August 2012 to Present - West Lafayette, IN

**ACADEMIC &
TEACHING
EXPERIENCE**

2018 Teaching Assistant - AGEC 690 Applied Nonparametric Econometrics, Dr. Michael Delgado
2017 Teaching Assistant/Instructor - AGEC 631 Spatial Econometrics, Dr. Raymond J. G. M. Florax

**PUBLICATIONS &
RESEARCH****UNDER REVIEW**

Tim Smith and Gerald Shively. "Individual, household, and community determinants of child growth: a multilevel approach for Nepal" (2018)

BOOK CHAPTERS

Gerald Shively and **Tim Smith**. "Natural Resources, the Environment and Economic Development in Southeast Asia." in Ian Coxhead (Ed.) *Handbook of Southeast Asian Economics*. London: Routledge

WORKING PAPERS

Tim Smith, Michael Delgado, Raymond J. G. M. Florax, Tom Hertz, Indraneel Kumar, Huan Li, and Brigitte Waldorf. "Mobility in Economic Status Among People and Places" (2017)

Huan Li, Michael Delgado, Raymond Florax, Tom Hertz, Indraneel Kumar, **Tim Smith**, and Brigitte Waldorf. "Socioeconomic Heterogeneity of Racial Income and Mobility Gaps in the U.S." (2017)

Tim Smith, Michael Delgado, and Raymond J. G. M. Florax. “Child Poverty and Intergenerational Mobility in the U.S.” (2018)

CONFERENCE
PRESENTATIONS

2018 North American Regional Science Council Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX
 2018 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting, Washington DC
 2018 Midwest Graduate Summit on Applied Economics, Regional, and Urban Studies, Morgantown, WV
 2017 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting, Chicago (poster)
 2017 North American Regional Science Council Annual Meeting, Vancouver, BC
 2017 Midwest Graduate Summit on Applied Economics and Regional Science, Columbus, OH
 2016 North American Regional Science Council Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN
 2016 Midwest Graduate Summit on Applied Economics and Regional Science, Urbana-Champaign, IL

HONORS & AWARDS

2014 Andrews Fellowship, Purdue University
 2014 First Place, Snyder Lecture Poster Competition, Purdue Dept. of Agricultural Economics

SERVICE &
LEADERSHIP

2018-2019 Purdue Agricultural Economics Graduate Student Organization Orientation Chair
 2016-2018 Purdue Agricultural Economics Graduate Student Organization Academic Chair
 2015-2016 Graduate Student Senator, Department of Agricultural Economics
 2015-2016 Graduate Student Senate Grant Review and Allocation Committee, grant reviewer
 2015-2018 GSO Microeconomic Theory help-desk volunteer
 2016-2018 Ag. Econ. Graduate Student poster competition coordinator

SOFTWARE &
LANGUAGES

Software: GAMS, Stata, R
 Languages: Native English, Basic Spanish