

# EDDY (WEIJIAN) ZOU

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## CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

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- **Institute For Fiscal Studies** September 2022 - present  
Research Economist, Education and Skills Sector

## EDUCATION

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- **London School of Economics & Political Science** 2019-2022  
BSc. Econometrics & Mathematical Economics (1<sup>st</sup> Class Honours)

## PUBLICATIONS

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**Is a UK Government commitment to the Sustainable Development Goals good for the economy and business in general?** (with Brooklyn Han, Sally Yang and Patrick Leitloff), *Brown University Journal of Philosophy, Politics, and Economics*, 2022, vol. 3 Issue 2

## WORKING PAPERS

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**Resource Cursed? The Short- and Long-run Effects of Coal Mining on Human Capital Accumulation in Indonesia**

**Can decentralisation be a force for bad? New evidence from environment clearances in India** (with Brooklyn Han, Chloe Chong and Vishisheka Baheti)

## AWARDS

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2022: Best Performance in BSc. Quantitative Thesis, London School of Economics

2021: Winner of the University of Chicago Oeconomica Econometrics Game, Allyn Young Prize for Top Performance in Microeconomics Principles II

2020: UK Office for National Statistics (ONS) Renaissance Prize

Pre-2020: Top in China Awards in AS and A-level Economics (Cambridge International Examinations)

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND SEMINARS

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2022: University of Sydney SSEAC Emerging Scholars Conference (Online), Oxford MPhil Novel Ideas Seminar (Oxford, UK), Georgetown University 21<sup>st</sup> Carroll Round (Washington, D.C), British Conference of Undergraduate Research Poster Session (Postponed), Chinese National Academy of Social Sciences (Online)

2021: Chinese National Academy of Social Sciences (Online), LSE Interdisciplinary Student Research Conference

## REFEREEING ACTIVITIES

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Journal of Environmental Planning and Management

## SKILLS & LANGUAGES

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**Programming:** Stata, R, ArcGIS, Python

**Languages:** Bilingual (written and spoken) in English and Chinese, Spanish (Basic)