Jared D. Grant

CONTACT INFORMATION

The Ohio State University

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EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor, Department of Agricultural, Environmental, and Development Economics, The Ohio State University

2023-Present

Athens, GA

Spring 2023

Athens, GA

Spring 2019

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Food Security, Food Accessibility, Trust, Game Theory, Spatial Econometrics, Data Science, Bayesian Econometrics, Behavioral Economics, Grocery Shopping Habits, and Geographic Information Systems

EDUCATION

University of Georgia

PhD: Agricultural and Applied Economics Certification: Geographic Information Science

Advisor: Jeffrey H. Dorfman

Dissertation Title: Food Security, Food Accessibility, and Trust

Current GPA: 3.76/4.00

University of Georgia

MS: Agricultural and Applied Economics

Certification: Intermediate SQL Advisor: Jeffrey H. Dorfman

Thesis Title: Do Food Deserts Affect Food Insecurity When Redefined More Broadly?

Current GPA: 3.68/4.00

Florida A&M University

BS: Agribusiness Minor: Economics Current GPA: 3.72/4.00 Tallahassee, FL Spring 2017

PUBLICATIONS

Dorfman, Jeffrey H., Jared D. Grant, and Julian M. Worley. "Using Truck - to - Trunk Programs to Increase Food Security and Help Support Farm Incomes." *Applied Economic Perspectives and Policy*, 44 (2022): 1440-1447.

IN REVIEW

Jared D. Grant, Michee Lachaud and Daniel Solis. An Overview of the History, Role, Struggles, and Future of Agricultural Economics and Business Programs at 1890 Land-Grant Historically Black College and Universities (HBCU). (R&R)

Jared D. Grant and Jeffrey H. Dorfman. Staples in the Community: A Trust Game Approach for Establishing Grocery Stores in Underserved Areas. (Under Review)

WORKING PAPERS

Craig Gundersen, Jared D. Grant, Jeffrey H. Dorfman. The Geography of Black-White Differences in Food Insecurity in the United States.

Jeffrey H. Dorfman, Jared D. Grant, and Craig Gundersen. The Relative Strength of Relationships between Food Access Components and Food Insecurity.

Jared D. Grant and Jeffrey H. Dorfman. Grocery Store Grand Openings and Racial/Ethnic Disparities: Bayesian Trust Game Outcomes from Merged Data Sources.

Jared D. Grant. Survival Analysis of SNAP Allowable Retailers.

Jared D. Grant and Joel Cuffey. Equity in Access to SNAP Healthy Eating Incentives: Where are Retail Food Stores Needed?

Sean Posey and Jared D. Grant. Access to Fresh Produce: Examining the Impact of Cultural and Non-Cultural Barriers to Farmers Markets.

SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

- Grant, J. D and J. H. Dorfman, "Local Food Initiatives and Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Trust: An Application of a Bayesian Trust Game" Paper presented at the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Meeting, New Orleans, LA, July, 2024. (Forthcoming)
- Gundersen, C, J.D. Grant, J.H. Dorfman, "The Geography of Black-White Differences in Food Insecurity in the United States", Paper presented at the Agricultural Economics Society Conference, March, 2024. (Forthcoming)
- Grant, J. D, "Survival Analysis of SNAP Allowable Retailers" Paper presented at the SNAP Healthy Eating Incentives Workshop, Auburn, AL, October, 2023.
- Grant, J. D, "Raising the Chance of Successful Grocery Store Openings: Survey-based Application of Bayesian Trust Games" Paper presented at the Auburn University Academic Seminar, Auburn, AL, September, 2023.
- Grant, J. D, "Moving Toward a Continuous Local Food Access Measure" Paper presented at the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Meeting, Washington D.C., July, 2023.
- Grant, J. D, "Food Security, Food Accessibility, and Trust: Analyzing Racial/Ethnic Disparities in the Los Angeles Metro Area." Paper presented at the Conference on Economics of Inequity in Agricultural, Food, and Environmental Systems, Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN, May, 2023.

- Grant, J. D, "Raising the Chance of Successful Grocery Store Openings: Survey-based Application of Bayesian Trust Games." Paper presented Nourish. Food & Trust. 18th Annual Midwest Interdisciplinary Graduate Conference, Milwaukee, WI, April, 2023.
- Grant, J. D, "Characterizing a Bayesian Equilibrium in Food Access with Varying Levels of Trust and Incomplete Information." Paper presented at the Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, Fort Lauderdale, FL, November, 2022.
- Grant, J. D, "Trust Games and Food Accessibility: Characterizing A Bayesian Nash Equilibrium in Food Access with Varying Levels of Trust and Prices." Paper presented at Energy and Environmental Economics and Policy Initiative Seminar, Pennsylvania State University, September, 2022.
- Dorfman, J. H., J.D. Grant, and J. M. Worley, "Using Truck-to-Trunk Programs to Increase Food Security and Help Support Farm Incomes." Paper presented at the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Meeting, Austin, TX, July, 2021.
- Grant, J.D., and J. H. Dorfman, "Rethinking the Definition of Food Deserts: Modernizing the Concept of Food Access." Paper presented at the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Meeting, Atlanta, GA, July, 2019.
- Grant, J. D, "Does the Severity of Food Deserts Affect Food Insecurity?" Paper presented at the 33rd Annual Minorities in Agriculture, Natural Resources and Related Sciences National Conference Graduate Oral Research Division II Competition, Greensboro, NC, April, 2018.

TEACHING

AEDECON 3300 – Emerging Issues in Agribusiness and Applied Economics Instructor	Spring 2024
AAEC 3020 – Analytical & Computational Tools for Applied Economics Instructor	Spring 2022
AAEC 4760 – The Economics of Agricultural Processing & Marketing Co-Instructor of Record	Fall 2021
AAEC 4760 – The Economics of Agricultural Processing & Marketing Teaching Assistant	Fall 2019–2022

ADVISEMENT

Yanan Liu Fall 2023 – Present

Role: Member of PhD Committee

EXTENSION AND OUTREACH

Jared D. Grant. "Influencers, Price Discounts, and Trust: Optimal Strategies for Improving Food Access". STEAM Exchange on Scarcity. STEAM Factory, Columbus, OH, Feb 2024, (Forthcoming).

Jared D. Grant. "An Influencer's Impact: How Trust May Shape Food Demand". Spring 2024 AEDE Economic Outlook and Policy Webinar series, Columbus, OH, January 2024.

MEDIA MENTIONS

"Using Trust to Build Community". UGA Graduate Studies News- Student spotlight article, October, 2023.

EXPERIENCE

UGA Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics, Athens, GA Aug 2017–May 2023

Graduate Research Assistant

Bayer Crop Science IVM Marketing, Raleigh, NC May–August 2017

Environmental Science Marketing Excellence Intern

USDA Economic Research Service, Washington, DC May–August 2016

Student Scholar/Intern

Kansas State Research Extension Program, Manhattan, KS June–August 2015

Student Research Intern

SERVICE AND ORGANIZATIONS

Multi-State research project (NE2204): A Regional Network of Social, Behavioral, and

Economic Food Systems Research December 2023 – Present

American Economic Association December 2023 – Present

UFSS Planning CommitteeJune 2023 – Present

AEDE Outreach Committee August 2023 – Present

OSU Extension Urban Agriculture Team June 2023 – Present

UGA Community Mapping Lab January 2022–May 2023

Agricultural & Applied Economics Association August 2019–Present

College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences (CAES)

Student Philanthropy Council August 2018–May 2019

Minorities in Agriculture Natural Resources

and Related Sciences (MANRRS)

August 2013–Present

SKILLS

R, SAS, Stata, Microsoft Excel, ArcGIS Pro, QGIS, SQL, Tableau, MATLAB, and Qualtrics

REVIEWER

American Journal of Agricultural Economics

Food Security

AAEA Abstract Reviewer

GRANTS/AWARDS

UGA Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics
Outstanding PhD Student April 2023

Domestic Travel Grant from The UGA Graduate School October 2022

UGA Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award March 2022

3rd Place; MANRRS National Graduate Oral Research Competition April 2018

UGA Graduate Feeder Scholar August 2017–May 2019

USDA 1890's Scholar July 2014–April 2017