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**Geography:** Victoria, British Columbia

**Education:** B.A, Economics University of Victoria.

### **Past employment**

**Founder @ MyFair** - Designed, built and launched a virtual fair experience with a team of 3 engineers that connected 40 livestream exhibitors with 20,000 viewers.

**Associate Product Manager Co-op @ Workday** - Worked with product managers, engineers, designers, and senior leaders to usher in new features and enhancements for a new suite of Workday People Experience products.

**Student Project Manager @ UVic Center for Aerospace Research** - Worked with principal investigators and team leads to drive forward a successful grant proposal for the Canadian Cubesat Project worth \$200,000 in funding and a free launch into low earth orbit. Coordinated with teams to recruit new talent and break down work.

## **Business Intelligence Analyst @ BC Oil and Gas Commission -**

Conducted a company wide mixed methods study to understand the challenges users were facing when using our internally developed self-service BI application; presenting recommendations that led to a significant increase in weekly active users once implemented.

### **Program Goals:**

- 1.) Find big problems to solve.
- 2.) Develop a deep and broad understanding of how municipal, provincial and federal authorities fund public goods, overcome market failures, and structure microeconomic incentives.
- 3.) Figure out why shifting power (scope of governance, taxation, and expenditure) to municipalities or special economic zones would be a bad idea in Canada.

### **Scholarly areas of Interest:**

- Complexity Science.
- Mechanism design and Microeconomic policy.
- Public choice and experimental governance.
- Public goods.
- Industrial organization.
- Crypto Economics.
- Cyberdefense, open source intelligence, and social media consensus manipulation.