

# ERIC ZHOU

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EDUCATION **Ph.D.** in Public Administration (expected in 2024)  
Wagner School of Public Service, New York University  
Committee members: Brian Elbel, Amy Ellen Schwartz, Laura Wherry

**M.A.** in Public Policy Analysis (2019)  
Harris School of Public Policy, University of Chicago  
Adviser: David Meltzer

**M.A.** in Applied Quantitative Research (2017)  
New York University

**LL.B.** in Sociology (2015)  
Xiamen University

## Research

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AREAS OF RESEARCH INTERESTS **Health Economics:** Healthcare Delivery, Environmental Health, Access to Care  
**Public Health:** Children's Health, School Health, Social Determinants of Health  
**Applied Econometrics:** Program Evaluation, Causal Inference, Machine Learning

PUBLICATIONS [2] Accepted and forthcoming at *Obesity*: **Eric Zhou**, Brian Elbel, Amy Ellen Schwartz. Gentrification and Childhood Obesity: Evidence from New York City Public School Students in Public Housing

[1] Elbel, Brian, **Eric Zhou**, David C. Lee, Willy Chen, Sophia E. Day, Kevin J. Konty, and Amy Ellen Schwartz. "Analysis of School-Level Vaccination Rates by Race, Ethnicity, and Geography in New York City.", 2022, *JAMA network open* 5, no. 9

WORKING PAPERS [3] **Job Market Paper:** Eric Zhou, The Effects of COVID-19 Vaccines on the Health and Educational Outcomes of Children: Evidence from New York City Public Schools

[2] Eric Zhou, The Predictors of Covid Vaccine Uptake of Public School Students in NYC

[1] Eric Zhou, The Delay of Routine Medical Care And Vaccinations Among Children during the Covid Pandemic

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT **Associate Research Scientist** (2019-present)  
Department of Population Health, NYU Grossman School of Medicine

**Research Analyst** (2018-2019)  
TMW Center for Early Learning + Public Health, the University of Chicago Medical Center

**Research Analyst** (2017-2019)  
The Center for Health and The Social Sciences, the University of Chicago Medical Center

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM) 2023  
American Public Health Association (APHA) 2023

SKILLS Programming Languages: R, Stata, Python, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

## Teaching

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AS INSTRUCTOR **Wagner School of Public Service, New York University**

- Advanced Research Projects in Quantitative Analysis (CAP-GP 3148) with Eriia Wu (Fall 2022, Spring 2023, Fall 2023, Spring 2024)

AS TEACHING ASSISTANT **New York University**

- Applied Quantitative Research II (for Mike Hout, Spring 2020)

## Additional Academic Activities

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REFEREEING ACTIVITIES *Obesity, Data in Brief*

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS Doctoral Fellow, Department of Population Health, NYU Grossman School of Medicine (2019 - present)  
Research Fellow, The Center for Health and The Social Sciences, the University of Chicago Medical Center (2017-2019)  
Member of Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (2023 - present)  
Member of American Public Health Association (2023 - present)

## References:

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