# Jennifer Richmond

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#### Education

## University of Maryland, College Park, MD

PhD Public Policy

Advisor: Anand Patwardhan

*Coursework:* econometrics, survey design, survey sampling and weighting, spatial econometrics, normative inquiry, energy science and technology, microeconomics, quantitative methods, qualitative methods

# American University, Washington, DC

MA Global Environmental Policy

Advisor: Ken Conca Coursework: policy analysis, environmental economics, political economy of energy, environment and development

Norwegian University of Life Sciences, Ås, Norway (MA semester abroad) Aug. - Jan. 2012 Coursework: climate change ecology, marine resource management, restoration ecology, impact assessment

#### Shepherd University, Shepherdstown, WV

BS Political Science/Environmental Studies minor

#### RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

- Denee, Brynn, Rohini Kohli, Anand Patwardhan, Jennifer Richmond, Simran Singh, and Julie Teng (2021). "What makes a "good" NDC? A content analysis of adaptation components of NDCs within the Paris Agreement framework," United Nations Development Programme and University of Maryland, *Working Paper, expected May 2021*.
- Gould, Carlos, Xiaoxue Hou, Jennifer Richmond, Anjali Sharma, and Johannes Urpelainen (2020). "Adoption, Use, and Exclusive Use of Clean Cooking Fuels in Rural India," Johns Hopkins University, Columbia University, and University of Maryland, *Environmental Research Communications*, 2(8).
- Richmond, Jennifer, Shalu Agrawal, and Johannes Urpelainen (2020). "Drivers of Household Appliance Usage: Evidence from Rural India," University of Maryland and Johns Hopkins University, Energy for Sustainable Development 57, 69-80.
- Richmond, Jennifer and Johannes Urpelainen (2019). "Electrification and Appliance Ownership Over Time: Evidence from Rural India," University of Maryland and Johns Hopkins University, *Energy Policy* 133, 22-32.
- Richmond, Jennifer and Anand Patwardhan (2018). "Can Cooperatives Strengthen Electric Connections?," Economic and Political Weekly, Commentary.
- Atansah, Priscilla, Masoomeh Khandan, Todd Moss, Anit Mukherjee, and Jennifer Richmond (2017). "When Do Subsidy Reforms Stick? Lessons from Iran, Nigeria, and India," Center for Global Development, Policy Paper.
- Birdsall, Nancy, James Fishkin, Farraz Haqqi, Abel Kinyondo, Mujobu Moyo, Jennifer Richmond, and Justin Sandefur (2015). "How should Tanzania use its natural gas? Citizens' views from a nationwide deliberative poll," International Initiative for Impact Evaluation (3ie), Final research report.

#### Research Awards

University of Maryland Graduate School Summer Research Fellowship (\$5,000, 2020)

University of Maryland Graduate School Summer Research Fellowship (\$5,000, 2019)

American University practicum grant to conduct research with the World Resources Institute (\$5,000, 2013)

Aug. 2017 - present

Aug. 2011 - Aug. 2013

Aug. 2006 - May 2010

# UNDP and University of Maryland, College Park, MD Contract Researcher, UNDP Climate Promise

Duties: Collaborate with team members and UNDP partners to qualitatively analyze baseline adaptation commitments in countries' Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) and assist countries with technical assistance needs in compliance with the Paris Agreement NDC enhancement process.

## University of Maryland, College Park, MD

Graduate Research Assistant for Anand Patwardhan

Duties: Complete research tasks and generate research products related to energy, climate, adaptation, and environmental issues

# University of Maryland, College Park, MD

Graduate Teaching Assistant for Angela Bies, Michael Busse, and Juan Pablo Martínez Guzmán

- Duties: Lesson planning, course materials selection and review, led group activities and discussions, guest lectured two class sessions, and independently designed and taught two weekly discussion sections for one semester of undergraduate statistics for public policy
- Courses: 1) PLCY388G Special Topics in Public Policy, Global Perspectives on Leading and Investing in Social Change, 2) PLCY304 Evaluating Evidence: Finding Truth in Numbers, 3) PLCY303 Public Economics: Raising and Spending the People's Money

World Wildlife Fund, Washington, DC

Graduate Social Science Intern, Global Science Team

Duties: Designed inputs and field manual for an impact evaluation of the implementation of community forest management cooperatives in Papua, Indonesia. This included conducting power calculations, sampling, questionnaire design, literature review, theory of change mapping, piloting and field enumeration guides, and focus group discussions design.

# Center for Global Development, Washington, DC

Research Assistant, Natural Resource Management

- Duties: Research, data management, data analysis, writing, communicating research, budget and grant management, event coordination, and general support for senior researchers; focused on energy, climate, global health, and trade.
- Field work: I lived in Tanzania for a month to help manage a nationally representative intervention (as part of a randomized controlled trial) to evaluate citizens' opinions on how impending natural gas revenues should be used for economic development gains.

# **Oil Change International**, Washington, DC

Contractor

Duties: Collected and managed data to support Oil Change International's Dirty Energy Money Campaign Database; contributed research focused on rail, truck, and pipeline transportation of fossil fuel energy resources

# Alliance to Save Energy, Washington, DC

Policy and Research Assistant

Duties: Conducted research and wrote a white paper on electric vehicle technology and city-level adoption policies; drafted and contributed to reports, fact sheets, and research documents on energy efficiency policy

# Natural Resources Defense Council, Washington, DC

Intern, Government Affairs

Duties: Drafted and edited blogs and articles concerning fossil fuels, wildlife, and water legislation and policies; researched political and environmental issues to generate informative reports and advocacy fact sheets

May 2019 - Oct. 2019

March 2014 - Aug. 2017

Nov. 2013 - Feb. 2014

May - Aug. 2012

Feb. - May 2012

April 2020 - present

Aug. 2017 - present

Aug. 2019 - May 2020

# Conference Presentations

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM) Conference, (abstract, Denver, CO, 2019)
University of Maryland Graduate Research Appreciation Day (Washington, DC, 2019)
Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM) Conference (abstract, Washington, DC, 2019)
AfrEA (African Evaluation Association) Conference (Kampala, Uganda, 2017)
UNDP 4th International Conference on National Evaluation Capacities (Bangkok, Thailand, 2015)
3ie Conference on Transparency and Accountability in Natural Resources Governance Sector (London, England, 2015)
Feedback Labs Seminar on Deliberative Democracy and Citizen Feedback Loops (Washington, DC, 2015)

Skills

Software:	Quantitative Analysis:	Qualitative Analysis:
Microsoft Office suite (advanced) IAT <sub>E</sub> X (intermediate) Tableau (intermediate) Zotero (advanced) Qualtrics (advanced) SurveyMonkey (advanced)	R (intermediate) STATA (intermediate/advanced) QGIS, ArcGIS (beginner) Excel (intermediate/advanced)	NVivo (advanced)

#### PEER REVIEWING SERVICE

Utilities Policy academic journal

# OTHER ACTIVITIES

Student Fellow at the Initiative for Sustainable Energy Policy (ISEP) at Johns Hopkins University (2018-present)
Professional member of Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM) (2017-present)
Interviewed by The Chronicle of Higher Education about interdisciplinary academic departments (2020)
Participated in a teaching workshop on group discussions at UMD's Teaching and Learning Transformation Center (2019)
Participated in teaching pedagogy workshop at UMD's Teaching and Learning Transformation Center (2018)
Represented Center for Global Development at UNFCCC's Conference of the Parties 22 in Marrakech, Morocco (2016)
Panelist for a research symposium at Center for Global Development for DC area university and graduate students (2016)
Participated in STATA coding and data management training workshop at STATA Corp (2015)
Lectured on resource curse economics to visiting law students at Center for Global Development (2015)