

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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### ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

2013: Masters (Economic Science), University of the Witwatersrand

2011: Honours (Economic Science), University of the Witwatersrand

2010: Bachelors (Economic Science), University of the Witwatersrand

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### EMPLOYMENT

Jan 2022 – present      Junior Research Fellow, Development Policy Research Unit (DPRU), University of Cape Town

May 2018 – Dec 2021      Junior Research Analyst, Development Policy Research Unit (DPRU), University of Cape Town

May 2016 – May 2018      Intern Researcher, Development Policy Research Unit (DPRU), University of Cape Town

Apr 2015 – Apr 2016      Intern Researcher, Budget Analysis Local Government, Financial and Fiscal Commission

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### PUBLICATION

1. Thornton, A.; Bhorat, H.; Lilenstein, A., Monnakgotla, J. and van der Zee, K. 2022. Crime, income and inequality: non-linearities under extreme inequality in South Africa. *Economic Development and Cultural Change*

2. Ncube, M., and Monnakgotla, J. 2017. Amalgamation of South Africa's rural municipalities: is it a good idea? *Commonwealth Journal of Local Governance*, (19), 75-95.

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### RESEARCH PROJECTS AND WORKING PAPERS

1. Bhorat, H., Signe, L., Asmal, Z., Monnakgotla, J., and Rooney, C. 2023. Digitalization and digital skills gaps in Africa: An empirical profile. Brookings Institution, USA. Available [here](#).

2. Bhorat, H., Hill, R., Köhler, T., Monnakgotla, J. and Steenkamp, F. 2023. Who are the Robots Coming For? The Evolving Task Content of Employment in South Africa. SARChI Industrial Development Working Paper Series WP 2023-06. SARChI Industrial Development, University of Johannesburg. Available [here](#).

3. Monnakgotla, J. and Oosthuizen, M. 2021. Job Quality in South Africa: A Proposed Index for Ongoing Monitoring of Job Quality. Development Policy Research Unit Working Paper 202103. DPRU, University of Cape Town.

4. Allen, C., Asmal, Z., Bhorat, H., Hill, R., Oosthuizen, M., Monnakgotla, J. and Rooney, C. 2021. Employment creation potential, labour skills requirements, and skill gaps for young people: A South African case study. Available [here](#).

5. Asmal, Z., Bhorat, H., Culligan, S., Hofmeyr, H., Monnakgotla, J., Oosthuizen, M. and Rooney, C. 2020. Skills Supply and Demand in South Africa 2020. The Labour Market Intelligence Research Programme.

6. Bhorat, H., Lilenstein, A., Monnakgotla, J., Thornton, A. and van der Zee, K. 2017. The Socio-Economic Determinants of Crime in South Africa: An Empirical Assessment. Development Policy Research Unit, Working Paper 201704, University of Cape Town.

7. Ncube, M., and Monnakgotla, J. 2016. The Funding Model for Rural Local Municipalities and Rural Development. The Financial and Fiscal Commission, Chapter 11 Annual Submission for the Division of Revenue Bill 2017/18. Available [here](#).

8. Monnakgotla, J. 2013. The Effect of the Global Financial Crisis on South African Financing Decision. Unpublished Masters report paper completed at Wits, supervised by Prof Tendai Gwatidzo (Wits).

*Some reports prepared for a number of government departments:*

1. A report prepared for the South African Department of Small Business Development (2019) on the trends and drivers of growth in the informal sector in South Africa (contributing author)

2. A report prepared for the South African Department of Women (2018) on a gender analysis of the Department of Trade and Industry's services and funding processes (contributing author)

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## FACT SHEETS

1. Development Policy Research Unit. *Various Quarters*. An Overview of the South African Labour Market for the Year Ending 2017Q4. Monitoring the Performance of the South African Labour Market: Factsheet 23. Cape Town: DPRU, UCT. Available [here](#).

2. Development Policy Research Unit. 2017. An Overview of the Informal Sector from 2017 Quarter 3 to 2016 Quarter 3. Monitoring the Performance of the South African Labour Market: Factsheet 18. Cape Town: DPRU, UCT. Available [here](#).

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## UPCOMING & ONGOING WORK

1. Bhorat, H.; Hill, R.; Lilenstein, A.; and Monnakgotla, J. (forth-coming) From Regulatory Amendments to Employment Shifts: Atypical Employment in South Africa.

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## FURTHER TRAINING

1. Evaluating Social Programmes (2019) J-PAL Africa Training Course, University of Cape Town.

2. NIDS Panel Data Course: Analysing Waves 1, 2 & 3 Using Stata (2016) SALDRU Short Course, University of Cape Town.

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macroeconomics, Finance, International Trade, Labour Markets, Development and Growth.