

# Fredric Kong

## Personal

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## Education

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### Massachusetts Institute of Technology

- Ph.D. in Economics 2022-present
- M.A.Sc in Data, Economics, and Development Policy 2019–2020

**Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music** 2014  
Diploma in Piano Performance

## Experience

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MIT, Math Camp Lead Instructor, Master's 2023, 2024, 2025  
MIT, Research Assistant to Daron Acemoglu 2022-2023, 2024-2025  
**Singapore Police Force**, Company Adjutant (Senior Officer) 2021-2022  
MIT, Research Assistant to Abhijit Banerjee 2020-2021  
MIT, Research Assistant to David Autor 2020

## Honors, Fellowships, and Grants

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**2025:** George and Obie Shultz Fund (~\$7100)

**2024-2025:** Bradley Foundation Fellow

**2024:** George and Obie Shultz Fund (~\$7900)

**2022-2024:** Carl Shapiro (1976) Fellow

**2021:** Best in Professional Studies, Singapore Police Force. *Awarded to the Officer Cadet who topped the intake in terms of marks attained for Professional Studies.*

**2021:** Statuette Award, Singapore Police Force. *Presented to the Police full-time National Serviceman officer who topped the intake in terms of total marks attained for his training (in Professional Studies; Operational Fitness; and Peer and Supervisor Appraisal).*