

# Kathryn Holston

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- EDUCATION**      **Harvard University**  
 Ph.D. Student in Economics, 2017 – Present  
 Fields: Macroeconomics and Finance
- University of Pittsburgh**  
 B.S. in Economics and Mathematics, *summa cum laude*, 2015
- PUBLICATION**      “Measuring the Natural Rate of Interest: International Trends and Determinants,”  
 with Thomas Laubach and John C. Williams, *Journal of International Economics*,  
 108 (2017) S59–S75
- RELEVANT**      **Harvard University**  
**EMPLOYMENT**      Research Assistant to Ken Rogoff, Summer 2018
- Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System**, Division of Monetary Affairs  
 Senior Research Assistant, Monetary Studies Section, 2016 – 2017  
 Research Assistant, Monetary Studies Section, 2015 – 2016
- Federal Reserve Bank of New York**, Research Department  
 Summer Analyst, International Research Function, Summer 2014
- Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland**, Research Department  
 Economic Research Intern, Summer 2013
- U.S. Department of Commerce**, U.S. Commercial Service (Pittsburgh, PA)  
 International Trade Intern (Volunteer), Spring 2013
- University of Pittsburgh**, Department of Political Science  
 Research Assistant to Despina Alexiadou, 2012 – 2013
- University of Pittsburgh**, Center for Industry Studies  
 Research Assistant to Frank Giarratani, 2012
- TEACHING**      **University of Pittsburgh**, Department of Economics  
**EXPERIENCE**      Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, Intermediate Macroeconomics, 2013 – 2014,  
 (3 semesters)
- TECHNICAL**      R, Python, MATLAB, Stata, Linux shell scripting, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Jupyter, FAME  
**SKILLS**              Working knowledge of Dynare, Eviews, Gauss. Bloomberg certified

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS    **Asher Isaacs Prize**, 2015  
Best graduating economics major based on academic performance and faculty input

**University Honors College Scholar**, 2011 – 2015  
Full-tuition merit scholarship

**McKay Prize**, 2013  
Outstanding undergraduate economics student

**Provost’s Scholarship for Study Abroad**, 2013  
Awarded for study at the London School of Economics

**Allan MacLeod Bryson Scholar**, 2011 – 2012  
Academically exceptional undergraduate intending to major in mathematics

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE    **Harvard University**  
Co-chair, Graduate Women in Economics, 2018 – Present

**Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System**  
Mentor, Board-taught Howard University course on R programming, 2016 – 2017  
FedEd Program to increase financial literacy in DC schools, 2015 – 2017

**University of Pittsburgh**  
Undergraduate Economics Society, 2012 – 2015; President, 2014 – 2015  
Spokesperson at events hosted by University Chancellor, 2012 – 2015  
Ambassador, University Honors College, 2014 – 2015  
Referee, Schenker Essay Competition, 2014