Predicting the economic outcomes of Australian permanent migrants

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This research seeks to understand the extent that migrant characteristics (such as age, gender, education and English language skills, geographic location, permanent visa category, temporary visa history and country of birth) can predict the economic outcomes or Australian permanent migrants. This analysis is conducted using data from the Multi-Agency Data Integration Project (MADIP).

The research uses three main techniques:
Descriptive analysis that visually presents the aggregate economic outcomes of migrants in the years following the grant of a permanent visa.
'Mincer' regressions that estimate the marginal impact of covariates on migrant outcomes.
Oaxaca-Blinder analysis that decomposes the difference in economic outcomes between groups of migrants into components that can be explained by different observable characteristics and unobservable and unexplained components.

This presentation will also briefly cover two extensions. The first compares the determinants of migrants' outcomes with similar analysis for the non-migrant population. The second examines how well nominated income predicts the incomes of Employer Sponsored migrants and the extent to which migrants with higher levels of nominated income are explained through observable characteristics.

Details
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