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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

George Washington University, Assistant Professor 2022 –
School of Business, Department of International Business
Department of Economics (*by courtesy*)
Harvard Business School, Visiting Fellow 2021 – 2022

Research fields: Macroeconomics, Labor Economics, International Trade, Organizational Economics

EDUCATION

Georgetown University, Ph.D. in Economics, *graduated with Distinction* 2022
University of Pennsylvania, M.A. Economics, UPenn fellowship 2012
Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México, B.A. Economics, *Summa Cum Laude* 2010

WORKING PAPERS

“Robot Adoption, Organizational Capital and the Productivity Paradox”, 2021 (*JMP*)
“U.S. Robots and their Impacts in the Tropics: Evidence from Colombian Labor Markets”, with A. Kugler, M. Kugler, and L. Ripani, *NBER Working Paper No. 28034*, November 2020 (*R&R*)

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Determinants of New Technology Diffusion”, with M. Ayyagari and A. Weinberger
“Firm Organization Over the Life Cycle” (*RAIS*), with M. Felix
“Workers-led Innovation” (*RAIS*), with A. Manera
“The Economic Consequences of Industrial Policy”, with W. Kerr

PUBLICATIONS

“Cheating and Incentives: Learning from a Policy Experiment”, with C. Martinelli, S. Parker, and A. Pérez-Gea. *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, 10: 298–325, February 2018 (*highlighted by the AEA*)
“Closing the Achievement Gap on Mathematics: Evidence from a Remedial Program in Mexico City”, with E. Gutierrez. *Latin American Economic Review*, 1–30, November 2014

AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND GRANTS

2023	George Washington University, CIBER, research grant – “Automation Diffusion in the U.S.”
2021	Georgetown, Department of Economics, Razin Prize, for the best graduate student paper Georgetown, Department of Economics, Maloof Fellowship, outstanding dissertation The Economy of Francesco, Research Fellow
2020	World Bank, Research Grant – “The impacts of Covid-19 on Mexican firms”
2019	Inter-American Development Bank, Research Grant – “The Impact of Robots in LAC” Georgetown, Department of Economics, Summer Dissertation Fellowship
2018	Banco de México, Summer Research Fellow
2016–2021	Georgetown, Department of Economics, Ph.D. Graduate School Fellowship
2015	Colegio de México, Víctor L. Urquidí - Economics Research Prize 2014, first place Citi-Banamex, Economic Research Prize 2014, honorary mention
2011	Citi-Banamex Prize for Undergraduate Thesis on Economics 2010, second place
2010	IPEA, Young Social Entrepreneur Award, first place
2006	Friedrich Naumann Foundation, National Essay Contest on Education Policy, first place

REFEREE WORK

Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Political Economy: Macro, Econ. Innov. & New Technology, Journal of Public Economics, World Development, Journal of Economics and Statistics, Research in Labor Economics – IZA.

PRESENTATIONS (* scheduled)

2023 Harvard Kennedy School – Growth Lab
AOM Annual Meeting 2023*

2022 University of Toronto – Department of Economics – Macroeconomics Seminar
NBER SI – Macroeconomics and Productivity, Conference in Research in Income and Wealth
NASMES 2022; SED 2022
GWU School of Business – International Business Department
Delaware – Department of Economics
Universidad de Los Andes – Department of Economics
University of Queensland – Department of Economics
ITAM Business, Banco de México, PUC Chile – Department of Economics

2021 Harvard – Department of Economics – International Lunch
HBS - Entrepreneurial Management – Faculty Seminar
LACEA – LAMES, and LACEA – RIDGE Showcase
Boston University - Technology & Policy Research Initiative
World Bank - Firms, Entrepreneurship, and Innovation
European Economic Association
Georgetown, Department of Economics - Macro Seminar
AOM, TIM – Doctoral Consortium, Wharton Innovation Doctoral Symposium
Georgetown, McDonough School of Business – Strategy Seminar, Trade Seminar

2020 Georgetown, Department of Economics - Macro Seminar

2019 Georgetown, McDonough School of Business - Trade Lunch

2018 Southern Economic Association; Banco de México

Pre-PhD XX-LACEA 2015; JPAL-Matchmaking Conference 2014; NIP-LACEA 2011; COLMEX-IMCO 2011

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Georgetown University, McDonough School of Business, *Research Assistant* to F. Monte, 2019

World Bank, Trade and Competitiveness Global Practice

“The Changing Skills Demand,” *World Bank and LinkedIn (Consultant)*, 2018

“Structural Transformation and its Determinants across Countries,” *World Bank Policy Paper (PI)*, 2017

International Labor Office

“Public-Private Dialogue for Mexico’s Productivity Growth,” *ILO Policy Paper. (PI)*, 2016

Center for Economic Research, ITAM, *Research Assistant* to S. Lizarazo and J. M. Da Rocha, 2008

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

George Washington University, *Instructor*: International Business (*Spring 2023*)

Georgetown University, *Teaching Assistant*: MBA Macroeconomics, (*Fall 2019*); MA Econometrics (*Fall 2018*); BA - Thesis Tutoring (*Spring 2020*); Intermediate Macroeconomics (*Spring 2019*); Economic Statistics (*Spring 2018*); Introduction to Microeconomics (*Fall 2017*)

Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México, *Instructor*: MA - Economics of Institutions, 2016. *Teaching Assistant*: BA- Intermediate Microeconomics, 2006 – 2008

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Ministry of Finance, Economic Productivity Unit, *Director of Economic Productivity Policy*, 2013 – 2016

Spectron Desarrollo, Consulting, *Research Assistant* to S. Parker and L. Rubalcava, 2009 – 2010

SKILLS

Languages: Spanish (Native), English (Fluent)

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