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Education

2023 Ph.D. in Economics, University of Michigan
Committee: Andrei Levchenko (Co-Chair), Sebastian Sotelo (Co-Chair), Jagadeesh Sivadasan, Dmitriy Stolyarov
2019 M.A. in Economics, University of Michigan
2016 M.A./B.A. in Economics, Universidad del Pacifico, Peru

Professional experience

2023- Economist, Business Dynamics Statistics Group, Center for Economic Studies, U.S. Census Bureau

Research

Published and Accepted Papers

- “Cultural Proximity and Inter-Firm Trade” with Gaurav Khanna and Hiroshi Toma, *European Economic Review*, Volume 179, October 2025, 105129

Working Papers

- “Cross Border Intra-Firm Trade and the Propagation of Idiosyncratic Shocks” with Vanessa Alviarez and Tomasz Swiecki, *In Preparation for the IMF Economic Review Special Issue “From Micro to Macro: Leveraging Microdata to Address Macroeconomic Issues*
- “Production Networks and Firm-level Elasticities of Substitution” with Devaki Ghose and Gaurav Khanna
- “Measurement Matters: Financial Reporting and Productivity” with John M. Barrios, Petro Lisowsky and Michael Minnis
- “The Geography of Inventors and Local Knowledge Spillovers in R&D” with Katia Gallegos

Work in progress

- “Currency Mismatches and Production Networks” with Miguel Acosta-Henao and Maria A. Amado
- “Economies of Scope in Transportation and Domestic Trade” with Gaurav Khanna and Brock Rowberry

Presentations, Conferences, and Discussions

2024 18th North American Meeting of the Urban Economics Association| 13th European Meeting of the Urban Economics Association | 4to Viernes Economico, Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos (online)| Spring 2024 Midwest Macroeconomics Meeting | 13th Washington Area International Trade Symposium
2023 BSE Summer Forum Workshop on Firms in the Global Economy | Entrepreneurial Management Unit, Harvard Business School | Center for Economic Studies, U.S. Census Bureau | 12th Washington Area International Trade Symposium | 20th Midwest International Economic Development Conference
2022 SEA 92nd Annual Meeting | NEUDC Conference | XVI Danish International Economics Workshop; Economics of Firms and Labor, Utting am Ammersee | 19th Midwest International Economic Development Conference

2021 Global Value Chains, Bank of Italy | International Student Group Advising, University of Michigan
2018-22 Summer Seminar, University of Michigan | Macro/International Lunch Seminars, University of Michigan

Awards, Fellowships, and Funding

2017-23 Rackham Travel Grant, University of Michigan (2023) | Economics Fellowship, University of Michigan (2023) | Rackham One-Term Dissertation Fellowship, University of Michigan (2022) | LSA Tuition-Only Fellowship, University of Michigan (2022) | Rackham Travel Grant, University of Michigan (2022) | Hellman Fellowship Sub-award, UCSD (2021-22) | Outstanding Third Year Paper Award, University of Michigan (2020) | Summer Research Apprenticeship, University of Michigan (2019) | Summer Research Apprenticeship, University of Michigan (2018) | Rackham Graduate Fellowship, University of Michigan (2017-18)

Refereeing

Review of International Economics, IMF Economic Review, EconomiA

Pre-doctoral experience

2021 Remote Intern/Consultant at RES, Inter-American Development Bank
2019-20 Research Assistant to Heitor Pellegrina and Sebastian Sotelo
2014-17 Research Assistant to Liliana Rojas-Suarez, Center for Global Development
2013 Analyst, Superintendence of Banking, Insurance, and Pension Funds (SBS), Peru
2012 Research Assistant to German Alarco, Universidad del Pacifico, Peru
2012 Intern, National Center of Strategic Planning, Peru

Personal Information

Citizenship: Peru | U.S.

Languages: Spanish (native) | English (fluent)