

# Jacob Penglase

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## Employment

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Assistant Professor, San Diego State University, September 2020 -  
Associate, Analysis Group Boston, 2019 - 2020  
Postdoctoral Fellow, Université de Bordeaux, 2018 - 2019

## Education

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Ph.D. in Economics, Boston College, 2018  
B.A. in Economics-Mathematics, Colby College, 2012

## Research Fields

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Family Economics, Labor Economics, Applied Econometrics

## Publications

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[“The Impact of Unilateral Divorce Laws on Divorce Rates in Mexico”](#) with Lauren Hoehn-Velasco  
**Economic Development and Cultural Change**, 2019

[“Consumption Inequality Among Children: Evidence from Child Fostering in Malawi”](#)  
**Accepted, Economic Journal**

“Interim Measures in Antitrust Investigations: An Economic Discussion”  
with Juliette Caminade and Antoine Chapsal, **Accepted, Journal of Competition Law and Economics**

## Working Papers

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[“Sharing the Pie: Undernutrition, Intra-household Allocation and Poverty”](#)  
with Caitlin Brown and Rossella Calvi, **R&R, Journal of Public Economics**)

[“The Impact of Unilateral Divorce in Mexico: Bargaining Power and Labor Supply”](#) with Lauren Hoehn-Velasco, **R&R, Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization**

“The More The Poorer? Resource Shares and Scale Economies in Large Families” with Rossella Calvi, Denni Tommasi, and Alexander Wolf

## Research in Progress

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“Changes in Assortative Matching and Educational Inequality: Evidence from Marriage and Birth Records in Mexico ” with Lauren Hoehn-Velasco

“Marital Instability and Child Outcomes” with Lauren Hoehn-Velasco

“Has the Covid-19 Recession been Harder on Women? Evidence from Employment and Time Use Data for Men, Women and Children in Mexico”, with Lauren Hoehn-Velasco, Adan Silverio-Murillo, and Jose Roberto Balmori de la Miyar

“Do Child Labor Laws Work? Evidence from the Child Rights Act in Nigeria”

## Conferences, Workshops, and Presentations

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2021 (*incl. scheduled*): • PacDev (UC, San Diego) • PAA Annual Meeting • Society of the Economics of the Household (Boston University)

2020: • University of Texas at San Antonio • San Diego State University

2019: • Analysis Group • Institute for Defense Analyses • Bureau of Labor and Statistics • University of Verona • Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research (LISER) • Workshop on Family Economics (Bordeaux) • Society of the Economics of the Household (Lisbon, Portugal) • NEUDC (Northwestern)

2018: • Rice University • NERA • Society of the Economics of the Household (Paris, France), • IDEA-GREThA Conference (Bordeaux, France) • Université de Bordeaux • Families in Macroeconomics (Mannheim, Germany) • Southern Economic Association Annual Meetings (Washington, DC)

2017: • PacDev (Riverside, CA) • 14th Midwest International Economic Development Conference (Madison, WI) • Southern Economic Association Annual Meetings (Tampa Bay, FL) • Boston College Human and Economic Development Seminar • NEUDC Poster Session at Tufts University • University of Haifa • BU-BC Workshop in Econometrics (Boston, MA)

## Grants

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Center for Health Economics & Policy Studies Research Fellowship

San Diego State University Critical Thinking Grant

## Referee Service

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Economic Journal, Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, Review of Economics of the Household, Journal of African Economics, Review of Income and Wealth, Population Research and Policy Review