

# Miguel Ortiz

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## EDUCATION

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### University of California, Berkeley

*Ph.D., Business and Public Policy group at the Haas School of Business* 2018 – 2024 (*exp.*)

Committee: Ernesto Dal Bó (co-chair), Francesco Trebbi (co-chair), Frederico Finan, Edward Miguel

Fields: development economics, political economy, behavioral economics

### Universidad de los Andes (Bogotá, Colombia)

*B.A. in Economics with minor in Philosophy, summa cum laude (ranked 1st of 126)* 2012 – 2016

## JOB MARKET PAPER

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**“Hate, Fear and Intergroup Conflict: Experimental Evidence from Nigeria”**

## PUBLICATIONS

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**“Monopoly of Taxation Without a Monopoly of Violence: The Weak State’s Trade-Offs from Taxation”**

*Review of Economic Studies* (accepted)

with Soeren Henn, Mastaki Mugaruka, Raúl Sánchez de la Sierra and David Q. Wu

## WORK IN PROGRESS

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**“Local Markets as Intergroup Contact Platforms: Evidence from an RCT in Nigeria”**

**“Ethiopian Factory: The Effect of Managerial Practices of Chinese Firms on Ethiopian Workers”**

with David Q. Wu

## AWARDS & GRANTS

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**ACES Gerard Roland Dissertation Fellowship**, Assoc. for Comparative Econ Studies, \$40,000 USD, 2023

**N2PE Research Grant**, Network for a New Political Economy, \$5,000 USD, 2023 (co-PI)

**IGC Full Research Grant**, The International Growth Center, £52,000 GBP, 2023 (PI)

**Weiss Pilot Grant**, The Weiss Fund, \$8,000 USD, 2023 (PI)

**CEGA Development Economics Challenge**, Center for Effective Global Action, \$15,000 USD, 2022 (PI)

**ACES Research Award**, Association for Comparative Economic Studies, \$20,000 USD, 2022 (PI)

**EGAL Research Grant**, Center for Equity, Gender, and Leadership, \$5,000 USD, 2022 (PI)

**Peter Jones Memorial Fund Grant**, Institute for Business Innovation, \$4,500 USD, 2021 (PI)

**Portafolio Prize, Best Student in Economics or Business in Colombia**, Honorable Mention, 2017

**Academic Excellence Prize (×2)**, Universidad de los Andes, Fall 2015 and Spring 2016

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### University of California, Berkeley

*Graduate Student Instructor for Microeconomics (MBA)*

*Fall 2021, Fall 2022, Fall 2023*

*Graduate Student Instructor for Ethics in Business (MBA)*

*Fall 2020*

### Universidad de los Andes (Bogotá, Colombia)

*Graduate Student Instructor for Intermediate Microeconomics (Undergraduate)*

*Spring 2018*

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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<b>R.A. for Ernesto Dal Bó</b> ( <i>UC Berkeley</i> )	2021
<b>R.A. for Raúl Sánchez de la Sierra</b> ( <i>UC Berkeley and UChicago</i> )	2019 – 2020
<b>R.A. at Fedesarrollo</b> ( <i>thinktank</i> )	2018
<b>R.A. for James Robinson</b> ( <i>UChicago</i> )	2017
<b>R.A. for Adriana Camacho</b> ( <i>UniAndes</i> )	2016 – 2017

## OTHER

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**Languages:** Spanish (native), English (fluent), French (intermediate)

**Programming:** Stata, Matlab, Python, SurveyCTO

**Referee:** *Econometrica*, *Journal of Public Economics*, *Journal of Health Economics*

**Service:** Mentor for underrepresented minorities, Berkeley Economist for Equity, Spring and Fall 2022

**Citizenship:** Colombia, Spain