

Personal Information

Full Name: Natalia Ordaz Reynoso

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Education

2015-Present PhD Program in Applied Economics (University of Minnesota)

2013-2015 Masters in Economic Theory (ITAM)

2008-2013 Bachelor's Degree in Economics (ITAM)

Awards

- Outstanding Research Award (2019), Minnesota Population Center, for the paper *You Know What I Know: Interviewer Knowledge Effects in Subjective Expectation Elicitation*
- Center for Global Health and Social Responsibility Faculty Mentor Awards program (with Jason Kerwin)
- Consejo Nacional de Ciencia y Tecnologia (Mexico) PhD Fellowship: 2015 - 2019.
- Center for International Food and Agricultural Policy (CIFAP) Research Grant. \$ 15,000 for the project *Appointments versus Hard Commitments: Overcoming Self-Control Problems in Preventive Health*, (With Jason Kerwin). Partially funding an experiment performed in Southern Malawi in summer 2019.
- Center for International Food and Agricultural Policy (CIFAP) Research Grant. \$ 25,000 for the project *Determinants of Learning, and Learning Gaps, of Secondary Students in Peru*, (With Paul Glewwe). Partially funding the collection of data from the secondary schools attended by the Young Lives children in Peru, in early 2017.

Publications

“You Know What I Know: Interviewer Knowledge Effects in Subjective Expectation Elicitation”, with Jason Kerwin. (*Accepted, Demography*)

Working Papers

“The Impacts of Mandated Paid Maternity Leave on Human Capital Accumulation”

Appointments versus Hard Commitments: Overcoming Self-Control Problems in Preventive Health (with Laura Derksen, Jason Kerwin, and Olivier Sterck)

“Soup Kitchens and Food Security: The Case of Mexico’s Crusade Against Hunger”

Work in Progress

How Housing and Education Interventions Shape Justice System Involvement: Evidence from Minnesota (with Christopher Uggen and Caitlyn Curry)

Indigenous Language Textbooks and Learning in Mexico

The Evolution of the Share of Female Headed Households Across the World and its Determinants (with Khoa Vu and Anna Bolgrien)

What difference do the schools make? A mixed-methods study in Peru, (With Santiago Cueto, Gabriela Guerrero, Juan Leon & Paul Glewwe)

Relevant Work Experience

Spring 2020 Associate, Akua Capital

Spring 2020 Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota
Teaching Assistant

Fall 2019 Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota
Teaching Assistant

- Summer 2019 Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota
PhD Math Review Instructor.
- 2017- Present University of Minnesota
Research Assistant for the Grand Challenges: Justice and Equity multi-disciplinary team lead by Prof. Christopher Uggen, Prof. Paul Glewwe, and others.
- 2016 Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota
Teaching Assistant for the undergraduate course: Principles of Microeconomics. Assisting Dr. Tade Okediji.
- 2016 Department of Economics, ITAM
Instructor for the summer undergraduate course: Economic Development.
- 2014 La Gaceta de Economia, ITAM
Editor in Chief
- 2013-2014 Centro de Investigacion Economica (CIE) ITAM
Research Assistant for Dr. Cesar Martinelli
- 2013 International Relations Department, ITAM
Regional Report on Human Development 2013, UNDP Research Assistant in the project: Demand Surge in calculating natural disaster premiums.

Conferences and Seminar Presentations

- PAA 2018 Population Association of America, Denver, CO, USA.
- 2018 Trade and Development Seminar, University of Minnesota, MN, USA

Languages

- Spanish: First Language
- English: Proficient, 114 IbT Toefel, Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE) Cambridge
- Portuguese: Intermediate