

ABIGAIL OSTRIKER

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EDUCATION

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

September 2018 - June 2023

Ph.D., Economics

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

September 2012 - June 2016

Bachelor of Science, Mathematics

EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor

July 2024 -

Boston University Questrom School of Business

Postdoctoral Fellow

Sept 2023 - June 2024

Harvard Center for the Environment

PUBLICATIONS

Screening and Selection: The Case of Mammograms

(with Liran Einav, Amy Finkelstein, Tamar Oostrom, and Heidi Williams)

- American Economic Review, December 2020

WORKING PAPERS

The Effects of Floodplain Regulation on Housing Markets

(with Anna Russo)

- Winner of Best Student Paper Prize, Urban Economics Association 12th European Meeting

INVITED TALKS

Boston University; Berkeley Agriculture and Resource Economics; Haas School of Business; Fletcher School of International Affairs; Harris School of Public Policy; Lincoln Land Institute; NBER Summer Institute - Urban; New York Federal Reserve; Questrom School of Business; Tufts University; University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign Finance; Urban Economics Association (European Meeting); Vancouver School of Economics; Wharton School

2023

ASSA Annual Conference; Chicago-Princeton Spatial Economics Conference; MIT Center for Real Estate; MIT Climate Change and Real Estate Symposium; Stanford Economics; University of Hawai'i - Manoa

2024

HONORS AND AWARDS

Outstanding Dissertation Award

March 2024

Society of Benefit-Cost Analysis

Hausman Dissertation Fellowship

September 2021

MIT Department of Economics

Young Researcher Seed Grant

December 2021

(with Anna Russo)

MIT Center for Real Estate

C. Lowell Harriss Dissertation Fellowship <i>(with Anna Russo)</i>	May 2020 <i>Lincoln Institute Department of Valuation and Taxation</i>
Graduate Research Fellowship <i>Awardee</i>	2020-2023 <i>National Science Foundation</i>
Carl (1976) Shapiro Fellowship	2019-2020 <i>MIT Department of Economics</i>
Graduate Research Fellowship Program <i>Honorable Mention</i>	April 2018 <i>National Science Foundation</i>
Phi Beta Kappa	April 2016

SERVICE

Referee <i>American Economic Review: Insights, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Urban Economics</i>	
Co-organizer <i>BU-Harvard-MIT Housing reading group</i>	2023-2024