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EDUCATION

PhD in Public Policy

Sep 2024

Dynamics of Demography, Democracy, and Public Policy RTG

summa cum laude

Hertie School Berlin and Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

Project: Essays on the Causes and Demographic Consequences of Employment Uncertainty

Supervision Committee: Michaela Kreyenfeld (Hertie School); Mark Hallerberg (Hertie School);

Anna Matysiak (University of Warsaw); Daniele Vignoli (University of Florence)

Visiting Student Researcher

Jan 2023 - Jun 2023

University of California-Berkeley

Host Supervisor: Josh Goldstein

Master of Public Policy

Sep 2019 - Jun 2021

Hertie School Berlin

MA Thesis Supervisor: Dennis Snower

Bachelor of Science in Economics

Jun 2013 - Jun 2017

University of the Philippines-Diliman

cum laude

BS Thesis Supervisor: Sarah Lynne Daway-Ducanes

EMPLOYMENT

University of Southampton

May 2024-onwards

Postdoctoral Researcher, Centre for Population Change

Supervisor: Ann Berrington

Philippine Competition Commission

Jul 2017 - Jun 2019

Economist, Economics Office

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES

1. **Ramos, V.** (2024). Extreme Lockdowns and the Gendered Informalization of Employment: Evidence from the Philippines. *Work, Employment and Society*, 09500170241247121.
2. Kreyenfeld, M., Konietzka, D., Lambert, P., & **Ramos, V.** (2023). Second Birth Fertility in Germany: Social Class, Gender, and the Role of Economic Uncertainty. *European Journal of Population*, 39(1), 5.
3. Ducanes, G., Engblom, A., & **Ramos, V.** (2023). Informal Employment and Irregular Migration Status: A Double Whammy for Migrant Workers in Thailand. *Asian and Pacific Migration Journal*, 32(2), 234-262.
4. Ducanes, G. & **Ramos, V.** (2023). COVID-19 lockdowns and female employment: Evidence from the Philippines. *Journal of Family and Economic Issues*, 44(4), 883-899.

5. Daway-Ducanes, S., Pernia, E., & **Ramos, V.** (2022). On the “income advantage” in course choices and admissions: Evidence from the University of the Philippines. *International Journal of Educational Development*, 91, 102578.
6. **Ramos, V.**, & Daway-Ducanes, S. (2024). Nonlinearities in the Intellectual Property-Manufacturing Growth Nexus in the Post-TRIPS Era: Evidence from a Dynamic Panel Analysis. *Journal of the Knowledge Economy*, 1-31.

BOOK CHAPTER

1. **Ramos, V.**, Halabisaz, F., Frago Jr, L., & Martinez, R. (2023). Are Militarized Lockdowns the Great Equalizer? Evidence from the Philippines. In A. Stojanovic, L. Scarcella, & C. Mosalagage (Eds.), “The First 100 Days of Covid-19: Law and Political Economy of the Global Policy Response” (pp. 55-85). Palgrave Macmillan

WORKING PAPERS

1. [Initial Labor Market Conditions and Subsequent Fertility Behavior](#) (*sole author*)
Revise & Resubmit
2. On the Transition from Union Formation to Collective Bargaining: Evidence from the Philippines (*first author*), with E. Suguitan, *Revise & Resubmit*
3. [Future Caregiving Responsibilities, Employment Uncertainties, and Expected Childbearing Behavior: Survey Experimental Evidence from Germany](#) (*first author*)
with M. Kreyenfeld, J. O’Sullivan, E. Alonso Perez, JP. Heisig, P. Gellert, *under review*
4. Merry Now, Marry Later? Initial Employment Conditions and Marital Intentions (*first author*), with M. Vital, *under review*

WORKS IN PROGRESS

- A. Research Area 1. *Workers’ Demographic Responses to Employment Uncertainty*
 1. Class, Precarity, and Parental Coresidence in the UK (w/ A. Berrington)
 2. Future Uncertainty and Fertility: Comparative Case of Germany and Italy (w/ M. Kreyenfeld, D. Vignoli, et. al.)
 3. Family Complexity and Beliefs on Intergenerational Support: A Cross-National Study (w/ A. Berrington)
- B. Research Area 2. *Workers’ Mobilization Responses to Insufficiency and Discontent*
 1. Too Little, Too Weak? Paid Parental Leaves and Workers’ Bargaining Response
 2. Concentration, Representation, and Bargaining in Local Labor Markets (w/ E. Jopson)
- C. Research Area 3. *Workers’ Belief Responses to Firms’ Exercise of Power*
 1. Chains that Bind: On Restrictive Covenants and the Preventive Conditions for Occupational Mobility (w/ B. Radoc)
 2. Outside Options and Female Labor Force Participation (w/ S. Menon)

GRANTS AND AWARDS

Bocconi Laboratory for Effective Anti-Poverty Policies (LEAP), co-PI (€4,000)	2024
Philippine Competition Commission, Principal Investigator (≈ €16,000)	2023-24
Evidence in Governance and Politics (EGAP) Research Grant, co-PI (\$ 6,000)	2023
DAAD Scholarship for Doctoral Students (Semester Abroad) (≈ €3,500)	2023
DYNAMICS RTG Grant for Semester Abroad (€4,500)	2023
Principal Investigator, PH Competition Commission Research Grant (≈ €16,000)	2022-23
DAAD Helmut Schmidt Scholarship for Good Governance (MA, full ride)	2019-21

TEACHING

Economic Demography (BA) (co-taught with M. Pajaron) Senior Lecturer, University of the Philippines School of Economics	Fall 2024
Applied Economic Demography; Labor Economics (BA); Introduction to R Workshop (BA) Senior Lecturer, University of the Philippines-Baguio Average Student Evaluation: 4.7/5	2021-23
Public Policies and Demographic Change; Longitudinal Data Analysis (*3); Logistic Regression (MA) Course Assistant to M. Kreyenfeld (R and grading support), Hertie School	Spring 2022-24
Economics I (*2); Advanced Economics (MA) Head Teaching Assistant, Hertie School Average Student Evaluation (Economics I): 9.0/10	Fall semesters 2021-23
Introductory Economics (BA) Teaching Assistant, Freie Universität Berlin-JFK Institute of North American Studies	2020

RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIPS AND INTERNSHIPS

Nina McMurtry, PhD (WZB Social Science Center Berlin)	Oct 2020 - Jun 2021
Prof. Geoffrey M. Ducanes, PhD (Ateneo de Manila University)	Jul 2020 - Dec 2020
Prof. Sarah Lynne S. Daway, PhD (Univ. of the Philippines)	Sep 2016 - Jun 2017; Jun 2020
Institute for Development and Econometric Analysis	Oct 2016 - Jun 2017
Philippine National Bank, Business Loans Unit	Jun 2015 - Jul 2015

OP-EDS AND POLICY CONTRIBUTIONS

Labor	
Minimum Wages have been Historically Stagnant—It's Time to Act. Rappler	Feb 2023
Non-compete Clauses in Employment Contracts: Time's Up. Rappler	Jan 2023
In Times of Crises, the Youth is Left Behind. Rappler	Nov 2020
Select Topics in Public Policy	
They Go Hand in Hand: A Response to Locsin's Tweet. Rappler	May 2021
Rethinking Patent Policies for the Coronavirus Era and Beyond. Rappler	Jun 2020

On Potential Competition Concerns in the Shipping Industry (with J. de Vera and G. Jusi) <i>PCC Policy Note 2020-01</i>	2020
On Potential Competition Concerns in the Rice Sector (with J.Olivo) <i>PCC Policy Note 2019-02</i>	2019

PRESENTATIONS IN ACADEMIC CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

Philippine Economic Society Annual Meeting	Nov 2024
4th UCL Workshop on Experimental Sociology	Sep 2024
British Society for Population Studies Annual Conference	Sep 2024
European Population Conference	Jun 2024
EAEPE Annual Conference-Political Economy and Law Research Stream*	Sep 2023
DYNAMICS Research Training Group DFG Onsite Review	Jul 2023
Ateneo de Manila University Department of Economics	May 2023
UC Irvine Center for Population, Inequality, and Policy [†]	Apr 2023
UC Berkeley Institute for Research on Labor and Employment	Apr 2023
UC Berkeley Department of Demography Graduate Student Workshop	Apr 2023
Population Association of America (PAA) Annual Conference [†]	Apr 2023
UC Berkeley Center for Southeast Asia Studies	Feb 2023
PopFest: 28th Annual Postgraduate Population Studies Conference	Oct 2022
EUI Florence CIVICA Data Science Days 2022 [†]	Oct 2022
Warsaw School of Economics Family Life and the Changing World of Work	Sep 2022
15th EAEPE Summer School: Labor and Welfare in the Post-COVID Era*	Jul 2022
Work and Family Researchers' Network (WFRN) Annual Conference	Jun 2022
Central European University Conference on Poverty and Inequality	Jun 2022
University of Gottingen, Shocks and Resilience in Southeast Asia	May 2022
Deutschen Gesellschaft für Demographie (DGD) Jahrestagung [†]	Mar 2022
Philippine Economics Society, 59th Annual Conference	Nov 2021
Canadian Council for Southeast Asia Studies Conference	Oct 2021
Hertie School Work, Economy, and Social Policy Colloquium	May 2021
Philippine Economics Society, 58th Annual Conference	Nov 2020
INET-Young Scholars Initiative (YSI) Plenary 2020	Nov 2020
Yale Law School, Third Law and Macroeconomics Conference	Oct 2020
Vietnam National University, INET-YSI Asia Convening	Aug 2019
University of Southern California, INET-YSI North America Convening	Feb 2019
University of the Philippines, 5th Philippines-Korea Studies Symposium	Nov 2017
Georgetown University, 16th Carroll Round Conference	Apr 2017
Eastern Economics Association, 43rd Annual Conference	Feb 2017

(*)also co-organizer; (†)poster presentation

TECHNICAL WORKSHOPS

Media Interview Workshop, Berlin, DE	Apr 2024
Grant Proposal Writing Workshop, Berlin, DE	Jul 2023
BSE Short Course on Political Economy of Economic Development, Berlin, DE	Jul 2023
Image Analysis Workshop, Berlin, DE	Jun 2023
UC Berkeley Formal Demography Workshop, Berkeley, CA, US	Jun 2023

Advances in Difference-in-Differences Workshop, Berlin, DE	Nov 2022
MPIDR PhD Course on Digital and Computational Demography, Rostock, DE	Nov 2022
Directed Acyclic Graphs (DAGs) Workshop, Berlin, DE	Nov 2022
Programming Methods for Data Retrieval and Management, Berlin, DE	Jun 2022
Data Protection in PhD Projects, Berlin, DE	Mar 2022
Survey Experiments Workshop, Berlin, DE	Nov 2021
Online Experiments Workshop, Berlin, DE	Nov 2021
Spatial Data Analysis Workshop, Berlin, DE	Sep 2021
Introduction to Computational Thinking in R, Berlin, DE	May 2021
PSRTI: Advanced Regression Analysis Workshop, Quezon City, PH	Sep 2018
World Bank – PCC: Merger Review Training, Quezon City, PH	Jul 2018
OECD Services Trade Restrictiveness Index, Taguig City, PH	Nov 2017
APEC Trade in Services Data Workshop, Kuala Lumpur, MY	Oct 2017
US Federal Trade Commission: Competition Economics Training, Pasig City, PH	Sep 2017
APEC Capacity Building for MSMEs on Competition Policy, Quezon City, PH	Jul 2017
Quantitative Techniques in Competition Analysis, Pasig City, PH	Jul 2017

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Referee Activity: *Journal of Politics(*3), Demographic Research, Asian Economic Journal, International Journal of Educational Development, Journal of the Knowledge Economy (*2)*

Committee Work: *Hertie School Master Thesis Poster Pre-Selection Committee 2022-23, Hertie School Mentorship Program 2022-23*

Organizing Work: *European Association of Population Studies (EAPS) PhD Network Steering Committee Member 2022-24; Institute of New Economic Thinking-Young Scholars Initiative (INET-YSI) Working Group Coordinator 2022-24*

OTHER INFORMATION

Professional Memberships	2022-24 Steering Committee Member, EAPS PhD Network Working Group Coordinator, INET-Young Scholars Initiative 2023-24 Young Scholar and Affiliate, Global Labor Organization Member, Work and Family Researchers Network Member, Population Association of America Member, International Union for the Scientific Study of Population Member, British Society for Population Studies
Languages	Filipino (Native), English (Proficient), German (B1 CEFR)
Statistical Software	STATA, R, Tableau Desktop
Others	Microsoft Office, L ^A T _E X, Mendeley (Reference Manager)
Fields of Interest	Labor and Economic Demography; Labor Market Institutions

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