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## **EMPLOYMENT:**

August 2015 - Present: AMERICAN UNIVERSITY

Assistant Professor, School of International Service

Affiliated Faculty, Center for Latin American and Latino Studies

August 2014 – Present: INSTITUTE OF LABOR ECONOMICS (IZA)

Research Fellow

August 2014 - August 2015: EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Senior International Economist Council of Economic Advisers

July 2007 – August 2015: UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics

Affiliated Faculty, Department of Latin American and Latino Studies

July 1998 – July 2001: FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK

**Assistant Economist** 

March 1997 – July 1997: INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION

Consultant

# **EDUCATION:**

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO

Ph.D., Economics, 2007

SMITH COLLEGE

B.A., Economics, 1998

#### **PUBLICATIONS:**

- "Trade and Labor Reallocation with Heterogeneous Enforcement of Labor Regulations," 2017, *Journal of Development Economics*, 126, pp. 154-166 (with R.K. Almeida).
- "Wage Effects of Trade Reform with Endogenous Worker Mobility," 2014, *Journal of International Economics*, 93 (2), pp. 239-252 (with P. Krishna and M.Z. Senses).
- "Knowledge Transfers from Multinational to Domestic Firms: Evidence from Worker Mobility," 2013, *The Review of Economics and Statistics*, 95 (2), pp. 393-406.
- "Trade, Labor Market Frictions, and Residual Wage Inequality across Worker Groups," 2012, *American Economic Review*, 102 (3), pp. 417-423 (with P. Krishna and M.Z. Senses).
- "Wage effects of trade reform with labour-market frictions and endogenous worker mobility," 2011, VoxEU.org, CEPR's Policy Portal (with P. Krishna and M. Senses).
- "Globalization and Formal-Sector Migration in Brazil," 2010, *World Development*, 38 (6), pp. 840-856 (with E. Aguayo-Tellez and M.A. Muendler).
- "Explaining the Rising Concentration of Banking Assets in the 1990s," 2000, *Current Issues in Banking and Finance*, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, (with K. Stiroh).
- "Guns Into Ox-Ploughs: A Study into the situation of conflict-affected youth in Uganda and their reintegration into society through training, employment, and life skills programmes," 1997, *International Labour Organization* (with R. Muhumuza).

# **WORK IN PROGRESS:**

- "The Impact of Digital Technologies on Workers' Tasks: Do Labor Policies Matter?" October 2017 (with R.K. Almeida and C.H.L. Corseuil).
- "Computers, Trade, and the Changing Task Composition of the Vietnamese Labor Market," September 2017 (with A. Santos-Paulino).

- "How are Firms Organized? A Descriptive Analysis of Firm-Level Networks of Establishments," July 2017 (with C. Laffineur).
- "Business Travel as an Input to International Trade," July 2016, view the coverage at GlobalAtlanta.com.
- "Evaluating the Effectiveness of Single-Sex Institutions," July 2016.

## **TEACHING:**

International Economic Policy (Undergraduate), AU-SIS: Spring 2018 (scheduled).

Economic Development (Masters), AU-SIS: Spring 2018 (scheduled), Fall 2017, Spring 2017, Spring 2016. International Economics (Masters), AU-SIS: Fall 2017, Fall 2016, Fall 2015.

International Trade (undergraduate), UCSC: Fall 2013, Fall 2012, Fall 2011, Spring 2010, Winter 2010, Winter 2009, Fall 2008, Winter 2008, Fall 2007.

Latin American Economics (undergraduate), UCSC: Fall 2013, Winter 2013, Spring 2012, Fall 2008, Fall 2007.

Empirical International Trade (Ph.D.), UCSC: Winter 2013, Spring 2012, Spring 2011, Spring 2010.

International Economic Policy (undergraduate), UCSC: Fall 2012, Fall 2011.

International Economics (undergraduate), UC Washington Center: Winter 2011.

# **SEMINAR AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:**

- 2018: American Economic Association Annual Meetings (scheduled, discussant).
- 2017: Bank of Canada (scheduled); Southern Economic Association Annual Meetings (scheduled); CESifo Area Conference on the Economics of Digitization (scheduled); International Monetary Fund (scheduled); NBER Summer Institute, IT and Digitization Group; Geneva Trade and Development Workshop; International Studies Association Annual Convention; American Economic Association Annual Meetings.
- 2016: The World Bank; American University; Western Economic Association International (discussant); Washington Area International Trade Symposium (discussant); University of California, San Diego.
- 2015: Peterson Institute for International Economics; Inter-American Development Bank; George Mason University, School of Policy, Government, and International Affairs; American University, School of International Service.
- 2014: Council of Economic Advisers; Federal Reserve System Applied Micro Conference; U.S. Bureau of the Census, Center for Economic Studies; NBER Spring Meetings, International Trade and Investment Group; Federal Reserve Board of Governors.
- 2013: University of Munich; Danish Institute of Governmental Research; University of Copenhagen; Danish International Economics Workshop; UNCTAD; GREDEG-CNRS; Costa Rican High Technology Advisory Committee; Instituto Tecnológico de Costa Rica; Syracuse University; West Coast Trade Workshop; American Economic Association Annual Meetings.
- 2012: UC San Diego; Claremont McKenna College; Yale University; All California Labor Conference; Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco; NBER Summer Institute, International Trade and Investment Group (discussant); UC Irvine; Rocky Mountain Empirical Trade Conference; World Bank Economists' Forum; American Economic Association Annual Meetings.
- 2011: UC Davis; Stanford University; University of Oregon.
- 2010: Hong Kong University of Science and Technology; International Symposium on Contemporary Labor Economics; Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association Meetings; American University; Empirical Investigations in International Trade (discussant); World Bank Development Economics Research Group; Carnegie Mellon University; California Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo; Santa Clara University; CSWEP CeMENT National Mentoring Workshop; American Economic Association Annual Meetings.
- 2009: Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia; Instituto de Pesquisa Econômica Aplicada—Rio de Janeiro; NBER Summer Institute, International Trade and Investment Group; CESifo Venice Workshop on Heterogeneous Firms in International Trade (discussant); Asia Pacific Economic Association Meetings; COST Workshop on Wages and Firms: The Use of Linked Employer-Employee Datasets in Comparative Analysis of Enterprise Data.

2008: VIII Workshop of the Regional Integration Network; Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association Meetings; Latin American Meetings of the Econometric Society; George Washington University; Santa Cruz Center for International Economics (discussant); Empirical Investigations in International Trade (discussant); World Bank, Development Economics Research Group; Georgetown University; UNU-WIDER Conference on Southern Engines of Global Growth; Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies; Southern Methodist University; University of Texas, Arlington; Empirical Investigations in International Economics; UC Davis.

2007 & Earlier: Santa Cruz Center for International Economics; U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service; U.S. Bureau of the Census, Center for Economic Studies; Federal Reserve Board of Governors, International Finance Division; Washington State University; Scripps College; Syracuse University; Colgate University; University of Notre Dame; UC Santa Cruz; UC Irvine; UC San Diego; UNU-WIDER Conference on the Impact of Globalization on the Poor in Latin America.

## **GRANTS:**

**External** 

2017: Asian Development Bank Institute, "Trade in the Digital Economy"

2016: World Bank Group, Latin America and Caribbean Chief Economist Office, "Regional

Study on Digital Technology Adoption"

2012: Committee on the Status of Women in the Economics Profession, Joan Haworth

Mentoring Funds

2005 – 07: National Science Foundation, Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant

8/2006: National Science Foundation, Travel Award to attend 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of Nobel

Laureates in Economic Sciences

2003 - 04: American Educational Research Association/Spencer Foundation, Pre-Dissertation

Fellowship

7/1999, 12/2000: Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Performance Plus Award

Internal

2017: Conference Travel Award (AU-SIS)

2007 – 13: Academic Senate Committee on Research (UCSC), Faculty Research Grant 2012: Office for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (UCSC), Co-Sponsorship

2012: Center for Collaborative Research for an Equitable California (UCSC), Early Career

Travel Award

2009 – 10: Division of Social Sciences (UCSC), Non-Tenured Faculty Development Award

2008 – 09: Division of Social Sciences (UCSC), Research Award

2006 - 07: Center for Iberian and Latin American Studies (UCSD), Foreign Language and Area

Studies Fellowship, Brazilian Portuguese

9/2004: Department of Economics (UCSD), Walter P. Heller Honorable Mention for

Outstanding Third Year Paper

7/2004: Institute for Applied Economics (UCSD), Data Acquisition Grant

6/2003: Center for the Study of Race & Ethnicity (UCSD), Summer Dissertation Fellowship

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:**

Journal Referee: American Economic Review; Canadian Journal of Economics; CESifo Economic

Studies; Eastern Economic Journal; Economic Development and Cultural Change; Economic Journal; European Economic Review; Industrial and Labor Relations Review; Industrial Relations; International Review of Economics and Finance; Journal of Applied Economics; Journal of Business Research; Journal of Comparative Economics; Journal of Development Economics; Journal of International Economics; Journal of International Trade and Economic Development; Journal of Small Business and Entrepreneurship; Labour Economics; Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics; Regional Science and Urban Economics; Review of Economics and Statistics; Review of International Economics; Review of World Economics; Scandinavian Journal of Economics;

World Bank Economic Review; World Development.

Grants Referee: Economic and Social Research Council; IZA/Department for International

Development; Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada;

National Science Foundation.

Book Review: Elsevier, Inc.

Session Organization: Western Economic Association International Annual Meetings: June 2017.

American Economic Association Annual Meetings: January 2012; January 2013.

Asia-Pacific Economic Association Annual Meetings: June 2009.

Seminar Organization: Global Economy & Development Seminar, AU-SIS: 2016-2017, 2017-2018.

Applied Micro/Trade Seminar, UCSC: 2013-2014.

Santa Cruz Institute for International Economics Seminar, UCSC: 2009-2010.

Brown Bag Lunch Seminar, UCSC: Fall 2007, Spring 2009.

Conference Organization: 19th Annual Empirical Investigations in International Trade, University of

California, Santa Cruz: November 2012.

Inaugural West Coast Trade Workshop, University of California, Santa Cruz:

March 2012.

Visiting Scholar: University of Nice-Sophia-Antipolis: May 2013; June 2017.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco: August 2012 – July 2014.

University of Munich: July 2013.

The World Bank, Development Research Group: July – December 2010. Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia: December 2009, September 2010.

University Service: Graduate Curriculum Committee, AU: April 2017-Present.

Faculty Actions Committee, AU-SIS: 2016-2017.

U.S. Foreign Policy Search Committee, AU-SIS: 2015-2016.

Committee on Faculty Welfare, UCSC: 2013-2014. Applied Micro Search Committee, UCSC: 2012-2013.

Faculty Mentor Program, UCSC: 2011-2012.

*Ph.D. Committee*, UCSC: 2011-2012. *Library Liaison*, UCSC: 2010-2011.

Graduate Teaching Award Committee, UC San Diego: Fall 2007.

Memberships: American Economic Association; Committee on the Status of Women in the

Economics Profession; Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association.

**OTHER SKILLS:** 

Languages: English (native); French (advanced); Portuguese (advanced); Spanish (advanced).