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	The University of Chicago, Chicago, IL Master in Public Policy, June 2014	
	Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM), México City, México B.A. in Economics, July 2012	
ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT	University of Notre Dame, Keough School of Global Affairs Assistant Professor of Development Economics	August 2019 – Present
OTHER EMPLOYMENT	World Bank, Washington, DC Short-Term Consultant • Macroeconomics, Trade and Investment in Latin America and the Caribbean	June 2019 – Present
	Oxford University Press, Oxford, United Kingdom Consultant Editor • Book title: “Macroeconomics: Institutions, Instability and the Financial System”	July – August 2018
	World Bank, Washington, DC Short-Term Consultant • Project: “Building State Capacity for Property Taxation in Colombian Municipalities”	October 2015 – March 2016
	Institute for Fiscal Studies (IFS), London, UK PhD Scholar	October 2014 – June 2019
	Center for the Economics of Human Development, Chicago, IL Research Assistant	June 2013 – June 2014
	Ministry of Social Development (Sedesol), México City, México Senior Policy Analyst	February – August 2012
	Presidency of the Republic, México City, México Senior Policy Analyst Policy Analyst	August 2011 – January 2012 February 2010 – July 2011
AFFILIATIONS	Institute for Fiscal Studies, International Research Fellow Kellogg Institute for International Studies, Faculty Affiliate Pulte Institute for Global Development, Faculty Affiliate	2020 - present 2019 - present 2019 - present
AWARDS	Outstanding teaching assistant award (UCL) Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) 4-year grant Presidential scholarship (CONACYT, Mexico) ITAM scholarship	2017 2014 2012 2006

RESEARCH PAPERS	<p>“Taxing Property in Developing Countries: Theory and Evidence from Mexico City” with Anne Brockmeyer, Karina Ramírez, and Juan Carlos Suárez-Serrato, preliminary draft, January 2021.</p> <p>“When the U.S. Sneezes, Mexico Catches a Cold: The Impact of U.S. Offshore Manufacturing on Mexican Labor Markets and the Family,” preliminary draft, January 2021.</p> <p>“Online Training for Micro-Entrepreneurs in Developing Countries: Evidence from an RCT in Guatemala” with Martina Improta, Romina Ordóñez, and Paul Winters, preliminary draft, January 2021.</p> <p>“Optimal Schooling Investments in Developing Countries,” preliminary draft, October 2018.</p>	
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	<p>Principles of Economics (Undergraduate Major in Global Affairs) Instructor August 2020–Present Keough School of Global Affairs, University of Notre Dame</p> <p>Advanced Econometrics for Policy (Master of Global Affairs) Instructor January 2020–Present Keough School of Global Affairs, University of Notre Dame</p> <p>Poverty Policy (Master of Global Affairs) Instructor August 2019–Present Keough School of Global Affairs, University of Notre Dame</p>	
PRESENTATIONS	<p>Workshop on Public Policies: Inequality of Opportunity (Barcelona), ZEW Mannheim Taxation Conference (online), APPAM Fall Research Conference (online), Conference of the Urban Economics Association (online), Conference on Urban and Regional Economics (online), RIDGE Public Economics Workshop (online) 2020</p> <p>FGV-EPGE (Rio de Janeiro), University of Notre Dame (South Bend), University of Arizona (Tucson), Banco de Mexico (Mexico City), International Association for Applied Econometrics (Nicosia), LACEA-LAMES (Puebla) 2019</p> <p>Stockholm School of Economics (Stockholm), Toulouse School of Economics (Toulouse), Society of Economics of the Household (Paris), 1st Queen Mary PhD workshop (London), International Association for Applied Econometrics (Montreal), Advanced Graduate Workshop on Poverty, Development, and Globalization (Bangalore), European Trade Study Group (Warsaw), Workshop of Labour and Family Economics: Poster Session (York), Oxford Development Economics Workshop (Oxford), CREDIT Seminar (Nottingham), North East Universities Development Consortium Conference (Ithaca), University College London (London) 2018</p> <p>Conference on Public Finance in Developing Countries (Zurich) Institute for Fiscal Studies (London), European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society (Barcelona) 2017</p>	
REFEREE SERVICE	<i>Economic Development and Cultural Change</i>	
UNIVERSITY SERVICE	<p>Junior Recruitment Committee, “The Future of Work” 2020 - 2021</p> <p>Junior Teaching Faculty Reappointment Committee 2020</p> <p>Global Policy Initiative Subcommittee 2020</p> <p>Master of Global Affairs Admissions Committee 2020</p>	
POLICY WRITING	<p>“Effective policies for addressing economic inequality” with Belén Carriedo, Uriel Galace, Laura Guerra, Shadwa Ibrahim, Eleanor Jones, <i>Dignity and Development</i>, October 2020, open access at: https://keough.nd.edu/effective-policies-for-addressing-economic-inequality/</p>	

“On economic inequality and human dignity” with Belén Carriedo, Hugo Ernesto Flores Navarro, Uriel Galace, Laura Guerra, Shadwa Ibrahim, Eleanor Jones, *Dignity and Development*, September 2020, open access at: <https://keough.nd.edu/on-economic-inequality-and-human-dignity/>

“Optimal economic policy during COVID-19,” *Dignity and Development*, June 2020, open access at: <https://keough.nd.edu/optimal-economic-policy-during-covid-19/>

OTHER WRITING

“Supply and Demand Shocks in Mexico” *Gaceta de Economía*, ITAM, 2014, Vol. 20, No. 33, open access at <http://gacetadeeconomia.itam.mx/docs/gaceta33.pdf>