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Employment

Independent Research and Evaluation Consultant for International Development. November 2015-present (please see below for a list of projects and clients).

Technical Coordinator. STAR Initiative. UNICEF Innocenti. March 2022 - present.

Results for Development Institute. *Economist*. October 2018 to December 2021.

Evidence for Policy Design, Center for International Development, Harvard Kennedy School of Government, *Post-doctoral Research Fellow*, June 2014-November 2015

Lafayette College, *Visiting Assistant Professor of Economics*, 2013-2014

Gettysburg College, *Visiting Assistant Professor of Economics*, 2011-2013

University of Colorado at Boulder, *Graduate Part-Time Instructor*, 2009-2011

University of Colorado at Boulder, *Teaching Assistant*, 2006-2009

University of Colorado at Boulder, *Research Assistant for Murat Iyigun*, 2008

"The Daily Journal". Caracas, Venezuela. *Nation Editor and Reporter*. 2005-2006

Dex Media, LLC, (Now RH Donnelly). Denver, CO. *Pricing Associate*. 2004-2005

"VenEconomy". Caracas, Venezuela. *Editorial Intern*. 2003

Education

B.S. Economics and Spanish & Latin American Studies, Duke University, 2004

M.A. Economics, University of Colorado, 2008

Ph.D. Economics, University of Colorado, 2011

Publications

Journal Articles

"Violence Against Children in Nyarugusu Refugees Camp: Reporting and Perceptions Across Generations." With Seth Gitter and Savannah Wilhelm. *Journal of European Development Research*, 2021.

"Estimating the Rate of Underdiagnosis of Childhood Pneumonia in Tanzania." With T. Salibury, A. Redfern, F. Bundala, A. Connor, J. Arkedis, N. Kapologwe, J. Massaga, N. Mkongwa, B. Musa, & C. Lee *BMJ Open*, 2021.

"Terrorism and Women's Employment in Afghanistan." With Seth Gitter and Lauren Calahan. *Oxford Development Studies*, 2020.

"Women and Work in India: Descriptive Evidence and a Review of Potential Policies." with Rohini Pande and Charity Troyer Moore. *India Policy Forum* 2019. Vol. 15.

"Leveraging Existing Household Survey Data to Map Livelihoods in Nigeria." 2019. With Richard Barad and Christopher Hillbruner. October 2019, *World Development*.

"Reporting Violence Against Children: Social Norms in Nyarugusu Refugees Camp." With Seth Gitter and Savannah Wilhelm. *Migration Letters*, 2018.

"Paying for Violence: Spousal abuse and son preference." With Shatanjaya Dasgupta. *Journal of Development Studies*, 2017.

"Pre-pregnancy BMI and Gestational Weight Gain: The relationship between maternal obesity and infant outcomes." with Susan Averett. *Maternal and Child Health*, November 2015.

"Share Portfolios in the Age of Financial Capitalism." 2014. With Ann Carlos and Larry Neal. *Economic History Review*.

"Subjective Match Quality and Maternal Investments in Children." 2013. *Review of Economics of the Household*.

"Bolívar Distorted: The effects of exchange controls on the Venezuelan Economy." Fall 2004. *Duke Journal of Economics*.

Book Chapters & Proceedings

"The relationship between pre-pregnancy BMI and preschool obesity." With Susan Averett. In *Applied Demography and Public Health in the 21st Century*. 2016.

"Re-Financing the South Sea Company." *Modern Macro Policymaking: Credible Commitment*. (2013). Cambridge Press, eds Jaghit Chadha and Sean Holly, pp.147-168. With A. Carlos, L. Neal and K. Wandschneider.

"Reducing Gender-Based Violence." *Handbook of Gender and Psychology*, (2013). SAGE. With L. Ball and E. Levy Paluck.

"Assessment Tool for Prioritization of Source Water Protection, Distribution and Sanitation Projects in Developing Communities." With T. Zearley, A. Lyons, and M. Diekmann. *WQTC Conference Proceedings*. November 2010.

Completed Working Papers and Under Review

"Getting Rigor Right: A Framework for Methodological Choice in Adaptive Monitoring and Evaluation." With Luke Heinkel, Taylor Salisbury, and Christina Synowiec. Working Paper. Revise and Resubmit *Global Health: Science and Practice*. November 2021.

"Storytelling to Engage Citizen Participation in Anti-corruption Initiatives in Nigeria." With Laura Keen, Praneetha Vissapragada and Yemi Adalmolekun. Working Paper. November 2021.

"Networks, social norms, and community perceptions of violence against children: Evidence from Nyarugusu Refugees Camp." Working Paper. April 2019.

“Female Labor Force Participation in Asia: Constraints and Challenges.” with Rohini Pande and Deanna Ford. ADB Working Paper. November 2015.

“Expectations of Support: Health Investments and Promises of Financial Assistance for Children.” Working Paper. January 2014.

“Culture, Clashes and Peace.” With Murat Iyigun. IZA Discussion Paper No. 4116, April 2009.

Consultancy reports

“Evidence Review of Child Marriage in South Asia: 2014-2019.” UNICEF ROSA and UNFPA APRO. March 2019.

“Developing Guidance for an Indicator on Improved Skills: Summary Literature Review.” With Catherine Honeyman. USAID Education. March 2019.

“Technical Note on Phase II of a Pilot Study to Use a Large, Household Survey for Livelihoods Analysis in Nigeria.” FEWS NET. November, 2018.

“Technical Summary of Pilot Study to Use a Large, Household Survey for Livelihoods Analysis in Nigeria.” FEWS NET. November, 2017.

“Research Survey Protocol for Sierra Leone Study of Ex-Combatants Livelihoods and Social Health.” With Zoe Marks. July 2017.

“Background Paper for the Expert Group Meeting on Accelerated Action to End Child Marriage.” UNFPA/UNICEF. October 2016.

“Report on the Expert Group Meeting for Accelerated Action to End Child Marriage.” UNFPA/UNICEF. October 2016.

“Social Norms of Violence in and around Schools in Tanzania and Iraq. IRC. Phase II Report.” August 2016.

“Social Norms of Violence in and around Schools in Tanzania and Iraq. IRC. Phase I Preliminary Findings.” January 2016.

“Looking Back, Moving Forward: Evidence-based Programming for Adolescent Girls.” With Satvika Chalasani. UNFPA. December 2015.

“Social Norms and Societal Discrimination Against Adolescent Girls.” Girl Hub, DFID, Nike Foundation. December 2012. With L. Ball Cooper.

“Cost Benefit Analysis of a Child Protection System in Zimbabwe.” UNICEF-Zimbabwe. June 2014.

“Cost Benefit Analysis of a Community Cardiac Health Intervention in Colorado.” CPC Community Health. December 2014.

Consultancies

Quasi-Experimental Impact Study of Feed the Future. USAID/Resilience and Food Security. July 2021-present

Haiti Gender Assessment. Contributing Writer. The World Bank Group. March 2022-June 2022

Angola Gender Assessment. Contributing Writer. The World Bank Group. March 2022-August 2022.

Bangladesh Child Marriage Sentinel Site Monitoring Survey. UNFPA. November 2021-present.

Women's Empowerment through Coffee Collectives. Root Capital/IFPRI. April 2021-present.

Skills Indicators for Workforce Development Programming. USAID. July 2018-July 2019.

Famine Early Warning Systems-Network (FEWS-NET)/USAID/Chemonics. June 2016-December 2019.

Street Business School. Monitoring and Evaluation Specialist. Completed: May 2018-February 2019.

EffectX. Review of Literature on Schools and Bridges. Completed: July 2018.

"External Review of Gender Pay Equality for a US-based Engineering Firm of 150-300 employees." Completed: November 2017.

UNFPA Bangladesh. Technical editor for University of Dhaka study on Ending Child Marriage Survey in Bangladesh. Completed: November 2017.

GLOW Consultants. Conduct cost-benefit of analysis using original data on CBDRM program in Pakistan. Completed: August 2017.

Quantitative Survey Protocol with Sampling Design for Sierra Leone Ex-Combatants Livelihoods and Social Health Study. With Prof. Zoe Marks. Completed: July 2017.

UNFPA/UNICEF. Writer for child marriage donor reports. Completed: June 2017.

UNFPA/UNICEF. Background researcher and report writer for Expert Group Meeting on Accelerated Action to end Child Marriage, Bangkok, September 23-25, 2016. Completed: October 2016

The International Rescue Committee (IRC). Principal Investigator for Social Norms on Violence in and around Schools in Iraq and Tanzania. August 2015-August 2016.

UNFPA. Rapporteur and report writer for meeting on Evidence-based Programming for Adolescent Girls, New York, March 2016. Completed: May 2015

CPC. Conducted cost-benefit analysis of community cardiac health program in Colorado. August 2014-December 2014.

UNICEF-Zimbabwe. Conducted modeled cost-benefit analysis of tertiary service component of child protection system for Zimbabwe. March 2013-June 2014.

GirlHub. Conducted review and worldwide mapping of social norms programming to reduce violence against adolescent girls. Completed: January 2013.

Courses Taught

Lafayette College

Intermediate Microeconomics. (2 sections) Fall 2013.

Econometrics. (3) Fall 2013-Spring 2014.

Econometric Analysis. (1) Spring 2014.

Gettysburg College

Principles of Microeconomics. (5) Fall 2011-Spring 2013

Labor Economics. (1) Fall 2012

Quantitative Methods. (5) Spring 2012-Spring 2013

Latin American Economic History and Development. (1) Fall 2011

University of Colorado at Boulder Department of Economics

Intermediate Microeconomics. (2) Spring 2010, 2011

Principles of Microeconomics. (2) Fall 2009, 2010

Intermediate Macroeconomics. (2) Summer 2009, 2010

University of Colorado at Boulder College of Engineering

Statistics for Graduate Engineers. (1) Fall 2010

Conferences and Invited Seminars

2022: Governance and Local Development Conference. Brastad, Sweden.

2019: What Works Global Summit, American Evaluation Association, IGC International Conference on Gender and Development.

2018: Eastern Economic Association, Midwest International Economic Development Conference.

2018: Governance and Local Development Conference. Gothenburg, Sweden.

2017: Eastern Economic Association, Annual Conference of the Program on Governance and Local Development at the University of Gothenburg.

2015: Population Association of America, Fudan University, Eastern Economics Association

2014: Western Economics Association, Eastern Economics Association, Population Association of America

2013: SVRI Forum, Lafayette College

2012: Canadian Network of Economic Historians, DFID/Nike Adolescent Girls Expert Meeting, Population Association of America, Central Pennsylvania Consortium on Women's Studies, Eastern Economics Association

2011: Western Economics Association, Canadian Economics Association, Canadian Network of Economics Historians

2010: Water Quality Technology Conference and Exhibition, Water and Health: Where Science Meets Policy, Western Economics Association, Duke University Conference on Islam and Economics, Harvard University Religion and New Technologies Conference

Languages

English-fluent (native), Spanish-fluent (near-native), Portuguese-intermediate

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