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Employment

Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond - Economist 2019 - present

Education

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Michigan 2019
M.A. in Economics, University of Michigan 2014
B.A. in Economics, Universidad de Montevideo 2009

Working papers

"High-Skill Migration, Multinational Companies and the Location of Economic Activity"

"The IT Boom and Other Unintended Consequences of Chasing the American Dream", with Gaurav Khanna.

"International Sourcing of Labor, Productivity and Selection into Trade", with Agostina Brinatti.

Publications

"Understanding the Economic Impact of the H-1B Program on the US", with John Bound and Gaurav Khanna. July 2018. *Chapter in NBER book "High-Skilled Migration to the United States and its Economic Consequences". pages 109-175. Edited by Gordon Hanson, William Kerr and Sarah Turner.*

"Reservoir of Foreign Talent", with John Bound and Gaurav Khanna. *Science* vol. 356, Issue 6339, pp. 697, May 2017

"Workforce Trends in Computer Science", with John Bound. *Commissioned Paper for the National Academies of Science, Engineering and Medicine, part of book "Assessing and Responding to the Growth of Computer Science Undergraduate Enrollments" Appendix C, pages 171-184.*

Teaching and Research Experience

University of Michigan – Research Assistant 2013-2017

Professors John Bound, Jeff Smith, Kevin Stange (2013-14); Professor John Bound (2014-15); Professors John Bound and Sarah Turner (2016-17).

University of Michigan – Graduate Student Instructor 2015-2019

European Economy (Undergraduate, Fall 2015), Introductory Metrics and Statistics (Undergraduate, Winter 2016), Introductory Microeconomics (Undergraduate, Winter 2019)

Willis Towers Watson – Analyst

2009-2012

Research on corporate pensions, pension fund investment and human capital

Universidad de Montevideo – Adjunct - Econometrics I (Undergraduate)

2010

Awards and Fellowships

SYLFF Fellowship

Fall 2018

Alfred P Sloan Foundation's NBER Fellowship on High-Skill Immigration

2017-18

William Haber Graduate Fellowship, University of Michigan

2012-13

Presentations

2019 (includes scheduled): UC Santa Cruz, Cornerstone Research, Charles Rivers Associates, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, McGill University, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, Compass Lexecon, Pompeu Fabra/CREI (joint presentation), New Faces in International Trade Conference (Penn State), Universidad de Montevideo, Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics: Migration (Stanford), Mid-Atlantic Trade Workshop (Duke).

2018: University of Michigan; Midwest International Trade Conference (Vanderbilt); LACEA/LAMES (ESPOL, Guayaquil); 8th Annual Conference on Immigration in OECD Countries (OECD).

2017: University of Michigan; Labour Day (University of Western Ontario); 14th Annual Migration Meeting (IZA); 10th International Conference on Migration and Development (CERDI); IT and Digitization Summer Institute (NBER); Upjohn Institute.

2016: Global Talent SI (NBER); University of Michigan; Midwest International Trade Conference (Purdue University); Sociedad de Economistas del Uruguay.

Other Information

Languages: Spanish (native), English (fluent); **Software:** Matlab, Stata, R, Eviews, Julia; **Citizenship:** Uruguay.

References

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