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Curriculum Vitae

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Current Position

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, American University
Washington, DC

Previous Positions

Postdoctoral Research Scholar, Columbia University, 2017-2019

Education

University of Massachusetts, Amherst
PhD Economics, 2012-2017

Universitat Pompeu Fabra / Barcelona Graduate School of Economics, Barcelona, Spain
MSc International Trade, Finance, and Development, 2009

University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada
Bachelor of Arts, 2008

Fields

International Economics, Development Economics, Macroeconomics

Research

Publications in Peer Reviewed Journals:

Libman, E., Montecino, J.A., and Razmi, A. (2019). Sustained Investment Surges. *Oxford Economic Papers*. 71(4), 1071-1095.

Montecino, J.A. (2018). Capital controls and the real exchange rate: do controls promote disequilibria? *Journal of International Economics*. 114(6), 80-95.

Montecino, J.A., Epstein, G., and Levina, I. (2016). Long-term trends in intra-financial lending in the U.S. (1950-2012). *Eastern Economic Journal*. 42(4), 611-629.

Book Chapters:

Montecino, J.A. and Epstein, G. (Forthcoming) The Political economy of QE: who won, who lost, and why did it end? In Rochon, L.P. and Bougrine, H. (Ed.) *Festschrift in Honor of Mario Seccareccia and Marc Lavoie*. Northampton, MA: Edward Elgar Publishing.

Working Papers:

International Strategic Spillovers of Monetary Policy (*under review*)

Montecino, J.A. and Epstein, G. (2015) Did quantitative easing increase income inequality? *Institute for New Economic Thinking, Working Papers*. No 28.

Montecino, J.A. and Epstein, G. (2014) Have large scale asset purchases increased bank profits? *Institute for New Economic Thinking, Working Papers*. No 5.

Work in Progress:

Monetary policy and capital controls: coordination in a world with spillovers (with M. Guzman and J.E. Stiglitz).

The real exchange rate and vertical integration (with J.P. de Souza).

Leaky capital controls and savvy financial markets.

Policy Papers (selected):

Epstein, G. and Montecino, J.A. (2016) Overcharged: the high cost of high finance. *Roosevelt Institute*.

Epstein, G. and Montecino, J.A. (2015) Banking from financial crisis to Dodd-Frank: five years on, how much has changed? *Political Economy Research Institute (PERI)*.

Older Papers:

Montecino, J.A. (2012). Decreasing inequality under Latin America's 'social democratic' and 'left populist' governments: is the difference real? *The International Journal of Health Services*. 42(2).

Conference and Workshop Presentations

International strategic spillovers of monetary policy. Paper presented at the *Macroeconomics Seminar (2018)*, New School for Social Research, New York, NY.

Capital account policies, the real exchange rate, and multilateral spillovers. Presentation at the *INET Taskforce on Macroeconomic Externalities Meeting (2018)*, Columbia University, New York, NY.

Did quantitative easing increase income inequality? Paper presented at the *Research Seminar Series (2018)*, American University, Washington, DC.

The real exchange rate and vertical integration. Paper presented at the *Eastern Economics Association Annual Conference (2018)*, Boston, MA.

Leaky capital controls in the presence of savvy financial markets. Paper presented at the *RIDGE Workshop on Macroeconomics and Development (2017)*, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Did Quantitative Easing Increase Income Inequality? Paper presented at *Aggregate and Distributive Consequences of Unconventional Monetary Policies*, organized by the Council on Economic Policy, Swiss National Bank, and Study Center Gerzensee (2017), Gerzensee, Switzerland.

Capital controls and the real exchange rate: do controls promote disequilibria? *Advanced Graduate*

Workshop (2016), Azim Premji University, Institute for New Economic Thinking, and Initiative for Policy Dialogue, Bangalore, India.

Investment accelerations. Paper presented at the *Eastern Economics Association Annual Conference (2016)*, Washington, DC.

Capital controls and the real exchange rate: do controls promote disequilibria? Paper presented at the *Institute for New Economic Thinking / Young Scholars Initiative Plenary Conference (2015)*, Paris, France.

What does finance do and what should we do about it? (with Gerald Epstein and Joao Paolo De Souza) Paper presented at the *Eastern Economics Association Annual Conference (2014)*, Boston, MA.

The Political economy of quantitative easing (with Gerald Epstein). *CAFCA / PERI workshop on financialization (2014)*, Amherst, MA.

Awards, Grants and Fellowships

John Kenneth Galbraith Award, in recognition of outstanding dissertation research, UMass Amherst, 2016

Dissertation fellowship, Political Economy Research Institute (PERI), 2016

Chair's Summer Research Fellowship, UMass Amherst, 2015

Travel and lodging grant, Institute for New Economic Thinking, 2015

Referee Service

Journal of Banking and Finance. Journal of Globalization and Development. Journal of Money, Credit, and Banking. Metroeconomica.

Professional Affiliations

Senior Fellow, Initiative for Policy Dialogue (IPD), 2020 –

Member, INET Taskforce on Macroeconomic Externalities, 2017 –

Member, American Economic Association (AEA), 2016 –

Member, Young Scholars Initiative, Institute for New Economic Thinking (INET), 2015 –

Teaching Experience

Instructor

Development Macroeconomics (PhD level), American University, Washington, DC, Spring 2020.

The Macroeconomics of Capital Flows and Capital Controls (M.A. level), University of Chile, Santiago, Summer 2018.

Teaching Assistant

Macroeconomic Theory I (Econ 705), University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Spring 2017.

Econometrics and STATA, Amherst College, Fall 2014 – Spring 2017.

Econometrics (Econ 452), University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Fall 2016.

Introduction to Microeconomics (Econ 103), University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Fall 2013.

Introduction to Mathematical Methods (Econ 152), University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Spring 2012.

Introduction to Microeconomics (Econ 103), University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Fall 2012.

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