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**Education**

- PHD CANDIDATE IN ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY** From 2015  
LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS, GEOGRAPHY AND ENVIRONMENT, *London*  
Main research interests: Foreign direct investment, local labour markets, returns to education, outward FDI and policy.  
Supervisors: Professors Simona Iammarino and Andrés Rodríguez-Pose.
- VISITING RESEARCH STUDENT** Mar-Jul 2018  
POLITECNICO DI MILANO, *Milano*  
Project on outward FDI and policy in Mexican regions in collaboration with Professor Lucia Piscitello
- MSC (MERIT) LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** 2013-2014  
LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS, *London*  
Dissertation (Distinction): "High-Tech, Social Conditions and Spillovers: Cross-Municipality Evidence of Regional Growth in Mexico"
- BSc ECONOMICS** 2007-2011  
CIDE, CENTRE FOR RESEARCH AND TEACHING IN ECONOMICS *Mexico City*  
Major in Econometrics and Microeconomics. Dissertation: "Regional Integration and Competitiveness in the Mexican Automotive Industry".
- ACADEMIC EXCHANGE** 2010  
UNIVERSITY OF GOTHENBURG, *Sweden*  
Relevant modules: Development Economics, Economic Policy and Individual Behaviour.

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- Academic Employment** LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS, London UK From 2015
- RESEARCH**
- *Research Assistant* on remittances, crime and protests in Mexico with Dr. Covadonga Meseguer, Department of International Relations.
  - *Research Assistant* on FDI policy with Professor Simona Iammarino, Department of Geography and Environment.
- TEACHING**
- *Graduate Teaching Assistant* in Methods in Spatial and Social Analysis, Department of Geography and Environment, Autumn 2016, Spring 2018.
  - *Graduate Teaching Assistant* in Economics of European Integration, Summer School, Department of Economics, Summer 2017, Summer 2018.
- CIDE, CENTRE FOR RESEARCH AND TEACHING IN ECONOMICS, Mexico Jan-Jul/2015
- RESEARCH**
- Spatial analysis and market integration of the Mexican agro-industries with Professors Hector Nuñez and Rafael Garduño
  - Accessibility to employment subcentres in Mexico with Professor Laura Atuesta

## TEACHING

- *Teaching Fellow* in Economic Development, BSc Public Policy, Spring 2015
- *Teaching Assistant* in Industrial Organisation, BSc Public Policy, Spring 2015

WORLD BANK GROUP, URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND RESILIENCE, UK Mar-Jul/2014

## SHORT TERM CONSULTANT

Urbanisation and development in Africa. With Professor Vernon Henderson.

CIDE, CENTRE FOR RESEARCH AND TEACHING IN ECONOMICS, Mexico 2011-2013

## RESEARCH ASSISTANT

- Regional economics, competitiveness in Mexico and health economics, with Professors Kurt Unger and Victor Carreon

## TEACHING

- *Teaching Fellow* in Intermediate Microeconomics, BSc Public Policy, Spr. 2013
- *Teaching Assistant* in Introductory Microeconomics, BSc Public Policy, Aut. 2012
- *Teaching Assistant* in Introductory Microeconomics, BSc Political Science, Aut. 2011
- *Teaching Assistant* in Intermediate Microeconomics, BSc Economics, Aut. 2011
- *Teaching Assistant* in Public Economics, BSc Economics, Aut. 2011
- *Teaching Assistant* in Introduction to Economics, BSc Political Science, Spr. 2010

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## Non-Academic employment

PROMÉXICO TRADE AND INVESTMENT, *London* Oct-Dec/2014

**RESEARCH INTERN.** Country and market reports within the Intelligence Unit.

ADECO ACTIONS FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT (NGO), Mexico 2005-2008

**PROJECT MANAGER.** Literacy programme in Mexican rural communities. Fund raising, financial management, recruitment, logistics and training of the group.

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## Leadership

LSE STUDENTS' UNION, London UK 2016-2017

**GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT REPRESENTATIVE.** Representing GTAs in School-wide forums and Academic Board meetings. Issues: fair remuneration and working conditions

LSE DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY AND ENVIRONMENT 2016-2018

**CO-CHAIR** of the Economic Geography Work in Progress Seminar

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## Published

### Work

- Atuesta, L.H.; Ibarra-Olivo, J.E.; Lozano-García, N. & Deichmann, U. (2018) "Access to Employment and property values in Mexico" *Journal of Regional Science and Urban Economics*, 70 (May), pp. 142-154
  - Meseguer, C.; Ley, S.; & Ibarra-Olivo, J. E. (2017) "Sending money home in times of crime: the case of Mexico", *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 43:13, 2169-2192
  - Unger K.; Flores D.; Ibarra, J.E. (2014) "Labour Productivity and Human Capital: Complementary Sources of Competitiveness in Mexican States", *El Trimestre Económico*, LXXXI (4), 324 (octubre-diciembre), pp. 909-941
  - Garduño R.; Ibarra, J.E. & Dávila R. (2013) "Measuring Competitiveness in Mexico: Advantages and Disadvantages of Different Indicators", *Reality, Data and Space, International Journal of Statistics and Geography*, 4(3), septiembre-diciembre, pp. 28-53
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- Unger K.; Garduño R. & Ibarra, J.E. (2013) “*Revealed Competitive Advantages and Specialisation in the Mexican Bajío Region*”, *Econoquantum*, Vol 11, Núm 2, Segundo semestre 2014, México, pp. 41-74
  - Carreón V.; Guijarro M. & Ibarra, J.E. (2012) “*Universal Health Coverage and Infrastructure*” in Fausto Hernández (ed), “*Universal Social Security. Challenges to its Implementation in Mexico*”, Coyuntura y Ensayo, CIDE, Mexico, pp. 203-242
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## Scholarships

<b>SCHOLARSHIP FOR POSTGRADUATE STUDIES</b>	2015
CONACYT, NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, <i>Mexico</i>	
<b>STUDENT LOAN FOR POSTGRADUATE STUDIES</b>	2013
FIDERH, FUND FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES, <i>Mexico</i>	
<b>SCHOLARSHIP FOR POSTGRADUATE STUDIES</b>	2013
CONACYT, NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, <i>Mexico</i>	

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## Presentations

<b>in conferences</b>	58 <sup>TH</sup> ERSA CONGRESS, Cork, Ireland	August, 2018
	3 <sup>rd</sup> YEGN Workshop, Lindlar, Germany	July, 2018
	RSA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, Lugano, Switzerland	June, 2018
	RSA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, Dublin, Ireland	June, 2017
	56 <sup>TH</sup> ERSA CONGRESS, Vienna, Austria	August, 2016
	29 <sup>TH</sup> ERSA SUMMER SCHOOL, Politecnico di Milano, Italy	July, 2016

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<b>Languages</b>	English: fluent / Italian: intermediate / Spanish: native
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<b>Software</b>	STATA: proficient / ArcGIS & GeoDa: proficient
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<b>Interests</b>	Swimming, coffee-drinking, long walks and reading about astrophysics in my spare time
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<b>References</b>	Available upon request
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