

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Development Studies, 2006-2010

University of London, School of Oriental and African Studies.

Thesis title: “The building of a poor tax State: The political economy of the income tax in Mexico, 1925-1964”

M.S., Development Studies, 2002-2003

University of London, London School of Economics and Political Science.

B.A., Financial Administration, 1996-2000

Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Occidente (ITESO).

(4.0 GPA, valedictorian)

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- Assistant Professor, Political Science & Economics Department, Marquette University, 2018-present.

Teaching: “Principles of Microeconomics” and “Urban Political Economy” at BA level.

- Research Professor, El Colegio de México, Centro de Estudios Demográficos y Ambientales, (2017-2018).

Teaching: “Urban Political Economy” and “Public Finances” at MA level. Member of Mexico’s National Researchers’ System (SNI I) (2013-present)

- Visiting Scholar, Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, Cambridge Massachusetts (2016-2017)

Research: UN Habitat-Lincoln Global municipal data base, pilot project.

<http://globalmunicipaldatabaseprototype.org/about>

- Research Professor, ITESO University (2010-2016)

Teaching: “Development Theory” and “Public Finances” at the BA and MA levels.

Member of Mexico’s National Researchers’ System (SNI) (2013-present)

- Assistant Professor, ITESO University (2003-2006)

Teaching: “Mexican Economic Structure” and “Development Theory”, at the BA and MA levels.

Coordinator of the Academic Council on Social Policy of Guadalajara (2004-2006)

Editorial adviser of MAGIS magazine <http://www.magis.iteso.mx> (2003-2006)

- Research Assistant, ITESO University (2000-2002)

Research Project: “Employment and income distribution in western Mexico” funded by the National Council of Science and Technology (CONCACyT).

PUBLICATIONS

Books

El fracaso de la reforma fiscal de 1961 [The failure of the 1961 fiscal reform], (with Luis Aboites Aguilar), El Colegio de México, 2012, Mexico.

Compendio de Política Económica de México: 1980-2000 [Compendium of economic policy in Mexico: 1980-2000], ITESO-Coecytjal, 2003, Mexico.

Articles

“Una hacienda local pobre: qué explica la recaudación predial en México”, [Poor local governments: what explains the property tax collection in Mexico], *Estudios Demográficos y Urbanos*, 36:1, 2021.

[Forthcoming](#)

“Los límites de la recaudación predial en los municipios urbanos de México: un estudio de casos”, [“The property tax limits in Mexican urban municipalities”], *Estudios Demográficos y Urbanos*, 33:3, 2018.

<https://estudiosdemograficosyurbanos.colmex.mx/index.php/edu/article/view/1741>

“A Tale of Two Taxes: the Diverging Fates of the Federal Property and Income Tax Decrees in post-Revolutionary Mexico”, *Economic History Research*, 13:2. pp. 107-116, 2017. [http://www.elsevier.es/en-revista-investigaciones-historia-economica-economic-328-pdf-S1698-6989\(16\)00010-2-S100?login=ko](http://www.elsevier.es/en-revista-investigaciones-historia-economica-economic-328-pdf-S1698-6989(16)00010-2-S100?login=ko)

“La recaudación del impuesto predial: un análisis de sus determinantes económicos en el período 1969-2010” [“The property tax collection: an analysis of its economic determinants in the 1969-2010 period”], (with Carlos Moreno), *Revista Mexicana de Ciencias Políticas y Sociales*, 60:225, pp. 53-84, 2015.

<http://www.revistas.unam.mx/index.php/rmspys/issue/view/4060/showToc>

“La reforma tributaria de 2013: lejos de abordar los problemas de la hacienda pública” [The 2013 tax reform: far from addressing the public finance challenge], *Espiral*, 23:64, pp. 69-99, 2015.

<http://www.publicaciones.cucsh.udg.mx/ppperiod/espiral/volumenes/espiral64.htm>

Chapters

“El papel de los contribuyentes en la introducción de impuestos directos en la década de 1920” [The role of tax payers during the adoption of direct taxes in 1920’s Mexico], in Colin Márquez, (ed.), *De Contribuyentes y contribuciones en la fiscalidad mexicana, siglos XVIII-XX*, Colegio de México y Universidad Veracruzana, pp. 319-357, 2018.

“La baja recaudación y la poca progresividad del sistema tributario y el impuesto sobre la renta en México: un primer acercamiento” [“The low revenue and tax progressivity of the tax system and the income tax: an exploratory analysis], in Calva, José Luis, (ed.), *México 2018-2024. Nueva estrategia de Desarrollo, Equidad Fiscal*, Juan Pablos Editor, 2018.

“Los factores políticos y administrativos en la recaudación predial en México: un análisis de casos” [Political and administrative factors in property tax collection in Mexico: a case study analysis], in Ady Carrera Hernández, (ed.), *El municipio ante la crisis del federalismo mexicano*, Red de Investigadores en Gobiernos Locales Mexicanos, IGLOM, pp. 271-312, 2017.

“El sistema tributario mexicano en perspectiva histórica e internacional después de la reforma de 2013” [“The Mexican tax system in historical and international perspective after the 2013 reform”], in Valencia,

Enrique, (ed.) *Nueva ronda de reformas estructurales en México, ¿nuevas políticas sociales?*, Colegio de la Frontera Norte, pp. 155-176. 2016.

“La reforma tributaria en México durante la época del desarrollo estabilizador: reformas al ISR de 1961 y 1964” [“Tax reform in Mexico during stabilizing growth: income tax reforms in 1961 and 1964”], in Calva, José Luis, *Reforma Fiscal Integral*, Juan Pablos Editor, pp.137-164, 2012.

Working papers

“Una hacienda local pobre: un análisis de los determinantes del predial en México 1989-2013”. [Poor municipal governments: an analysis of the property tax determinants in Mexico, 1990-2010], Lincoln Institute Working Paper Series. <http://www.lincolninst.edu/publications/working-papers/una-hacienda-local-pobre-los-determinantes-la-recaudacion-predial-en>

“Finanzas municipales en México: porqué unos municipios recaudan más y gastan mejor”, [Municipal Finance in Mexico: why some cities extract more and spend better], Lincoln Institute Working Paper Series. <https://www.lincolninst.edu/publications/working-papers/finanzas-municipales-en-mexico>

ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

Latin American Studies Association, Boston, USA, May 2019.

Red de Economía Política de América Latina, REPAL, New Orleans, USA, May 2019.

Western Political Science Association, San Diego, USA, April 2019.

Latin American Studies Association, Barcelona, Spain, May 2018.

Congreso de la Red de Investigadores en Gobiernos Locales Mexicanos, Mexico city, November 2017.

Cuarto Congreso de Economía y Políticas Públicas, Iberoamericana, Mexico city, April 2017.

Congreso de la Red de Investigadores en Gobiernos Locales Mexicanos, Puebla, October 2015.

Latin American Studies Association, San Juan, Puerto Rico, June 2015.

Terceras Jornadas de Historia Económica, Mexico City, February 2015.

Congreso Latinoamericano de Historia Económica, Bogotá, July 2014.

Seminario Red Mexicana de Investigación en Política Social, Guadalajara, November 2013.

Congreso Red de Investigadores en Gobiernos Locales Mexicanos, Guadalajara, September 2013.

Segundas Jornadas de Historia Económica, Mexico City, August 2013.

Congreso Latinoamericano de Historia Económica, Bariloche, Argentina, October 2012.

Primeras Jornadas de Historia Económica, Mexico City, February 2012