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Employment	University of Toronto – St. George	
	Canada Research Chair in the Political Economy of Development	2014 – present
	Professor	2017 – present
	Associate Professor	2011 – 2017
	Assistant Professor	2005 – 2011
	Center for a New Economy	
	Non-Resident Senior Fellow	2007 – present
	Chief Economist and Director, Economic Analysis Unit	2016 – 2017
	University of California – Berkeley	
	Visiting Associate Professor, Center for Labor Economics	2013
Universidad de Puerto Rico – Río Piedras		
Visiting Research Scholar, Center for Social Research	2012	
Princeton University		
Visiting Research Scholar, Center for Health and Wellbeing	2008	
Education	University of California – Berkeley , Ph.D. Economics	2005
	Thesis: <i>Essays on the Social Consequences of Randomized Human Development Programs in Less Developed Countries</i> Advisors: Edward Miguel (Supervisor), David A. Card, Ronald D. Lee, Michael C. Hout	
	University of Puerto Rico – Río Piedras , B.A., Economics	2000
Professional Affiliations and Activities	Bureau for Research and Economic Analysis of Development (BREAD)	
	Fellow	2018 – present
	Affiliate	2009 – 2018
	Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL)	
	Affiliate	2020 – present
	Invited Researcher	2018 – 2020
	Asociación de Economistas de Puerto Rico (AEPR)	
	Member, Representative on the Board	2017 – 2018
	Canadian Institute for Advanced Research (CIFAR)	
	Institutions, Organizations, and Growth (IOG) Program Fellow	2008 – 2015

	American Economic Association (AEA) Member	2004 – present
	Canadian Economics Association (CEA) Member	2006 – present
Editorial Responsibilities	Chief Editor, <i>Economia, Journal of the Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association (LACEA)</i>	2021 – present
	Associate Editor, <i>The Review of Economics and Statistics</i>	2021 – present
	Associate Editor, <i>Economic Development and Cultural Change (EDCC)</i>	2014 – 2022
Publications	Bobonis, Gustavo J., Paul Gertler, Marco Gonzalez-Navarro, and Simeon Nichter (2022). “Vulnerability and Clientelism.” <i>American Economic Review</i> , 112(11), 3627-59 (NBER Working Paper #23589).	
	Bobonis, Gustavo J., Luis Raúl Cámara Fuertes, Harold J. Toro, and Julie Wilson (2022). “Development and Decay: Political Organization and Municipal Corruption in Puerto Rico, 1952-2015.” <i>CENTRO: Journal of the Center for Puerto Rican Studies</i> , 34(2), 287-334.	
	Marazzi, Mario, Boriana Miloucheva, and Gustavo J. Bobonis (2022). “Mortality of Puerto Ricans in the United States Post-Hurricane Maria: An Interrupted Time Series Analysis.” <i>BMJ Open</i> , 12(8), 1-8.	
	Bobonis, Gustavo J., Juan Camilo Chaparro, Marco Gonzalez-Navarro, and Marta Rubio-Codina (2021). “Appropriate Institutions? Traditional Governance and Public Goods Provision in Oaxaca, Mexico.” <i>American Economic Association Papers and Proceedings</i> , 111, 243-247.	
	Bobonis, Gustavo J., Mark Stabile, and Leonardo Tovar (2020). “Military Training Exercises, Pollution, and their Consequences for Health.” <i>Journal of Health Economics</i> , 72, 102345 (NBER Working Paper #22909).	
	Bobonis, Gustavo J., Luis R. Cámara Fuertes, and Rainer Schwabe (2016). “Monitoring Corruptible Politicians”, <i>American Economic Review</i> , 106(8), 2371-405.	
	Bobonis, Gustavo J., and Peter M. Morrow (2014). “Labor Coercion and the Accumulation of Human Capital”, <i>Journal of Development Economics</i> , 108, 32-53.	
	Bobonis, Gustavo J., Melissa González-Brenes, and Roberto Castro (2013). “Public Transfers and Domestic Violence: The Roles of Private Information and Spousal Control”, <i>American Economic Journal: Economic Policy</i> , 5(1), 179-205.	
	Bobonis, Gustavo J. (2011). “The Impact of Conditional Cash Transfers on Marriage and Divorce”, <i>Economic Development and Cultural Change</i> , 59(2), 281-312.	
	Bobonis, Gustavo J., and Frederico Finan (2009). “Neighborhood Peer Effects in Secondary School Enrollment Decisions”, <i>Review of Economics and Statistics</i> , 91(4), 695-	

Bobonis, Gustavo J. (2009). “Is the Allocation of Resources within the Household Efficient? New Evidence from a Randomized Experiment”, *Journal of Political Economy*, 117(3), 453-503.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., and Harold J. Toro (2007). “Modern Colonization and Its Consequences: The Effects of U.S. Educational Policy on Puerto Rico’s Educational Stratification, 1899-1910”, *Caribbean Studies*, 35(2), 31-78.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., and Howard J. Shatz (2007). “Agglomeration, Adjustment and State Policies in the Location of Foreign Direct Investment in the United States”, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 89(1), 30-43.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Edward Miguel, and Charu Puri Sharma (2006). “Anemia and School Participation”, *Journal of Human Resources*, 41(4), 692-721.

Barde, Robert A., and Gustavo J. Bobonis (2006). “Detained at Angel Island: First Empirical Evidence”, *Social Science History*, 30(1), 103-36.

Working Papers

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Roberto Castro, and Juan S. Morales (2020). “Legal Reforms, Conditional Cash Transfer Programs, and Intimate Partner Violence: Evidence from Mexico.” Working paper, Univ. of Toronto.

Cámara Fuertes, Luis R., and Gustavo J. Bobonis (2017). “Challenging Corrupt Politicians: Audits, Electoral Selection, and Accountability in Municipal Governments.” Working paper, University of Toronto.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Paul J. Gertler, Marco Gonzalez-Navarro, and Simeon Nichter (2018). “Does Combating Corruption Reduce Clientelism?” Working paper, University of Toronto.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Juan Camilo Chaparro, and Marco Gonzalez-Navarro (2018). “Traditional Governance, Ethnic Heterogeneity, and Public Goods Provision in Oaxaca, Mexico.” Working paper, University of Toronto.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Anke Kessler, and Xin Zhao (2021). “Externalities in Politicians’ Malfeasance: Norms of Corruption.” Working paper, University of Toronto.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Aneta Bonikowska, Philip Oreopoulos, W. Craig Riddell, and Steven P. Ryan (2021). “A Helping Hand Goes a Long Way: Long-Term Effects of Counselling and Support to Workfare Program Participants.” Working paper, University of Toronto (NBER Working Paper #30405).

Ramos, Antonio P., Simeon Nichter, Lewiwen Gao, and Gustavo J. Bobonis (2022). “Effects of Anti-Corruption Audits on Early-Life Mortality: Evidence from Brazil.” Working paper, University of Toronto.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Orlando Sotomayor, and Jessica Wagner (2022). “The Effects of School Consolidation on Students and Teachers: Evidence from an Underperforming

System.” Working paper, University of Toronto.

**Selected
Work in
Progress**

Arteaga, Carolina, Gustavo J. Bobonis, Paola Salardi, and Dario Toman. “The Effects of Improving Access to Justice for Victims of Intimate Partner Violence: Specialized Domestic Violence Courts in Puerto Rico.” Work in progress.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Marco Gonzalez-Navarro, Daniela Scur, Orlando Sotomayor, and Jessica Wagner. “Improving and Sustaining Management Practices in Public Schools: Evidence from Puerto Rico.” Work in progress.

**Non-Refereed
Publications
(including
popular press
and op-eds)**

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Luis Raúl Cámara Fuertes, and Harold J. Toro (2021). ¿Es posible frenar la corrupción gubernamental en Puerto Rico? Op-ed piece, *El Nuevo Día*, San Juan: Puerto Rico. 18th December 2021. (Title: “*Is it possible to curb public corruption in Puerto Rico?*”)

Varela Vélez, Damarys, Emily Goldman, and Gustavo J. Bobonis. “Pursuing evidence-based policymaking during crisis.” Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab blog post, 23th March 2021. [Link](#).

Bobonis, Gustavo J., and Nicolas Riveros Medelius. “Policymakers and researchers collaborate to improve education quality in Puerto Rico.” Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab blog post, 9th July 2019. [Link](#).

Bobonis, Gustavo J. “Gobernanza y desarrollo: desafíos y oportunidades para Puerto Rico.” (Title: “*Governance and Development: Challenges and Opportunities for Puerto Rico.*”) Keynote Address: Puerto Rico Economists Association XXVIIth Annual Meeting. 25th August 2017.

Bobonis, Gustavo J. “Deterioro del Estado, inestabilidad y vulnerabilidad.” Op-ed piece, *El Nuevo Día*, San Juan: Puerto Rico. 30th July 2017. (Title: “*Deterioration of the State, Instability, and Vulnerability*”)

Bobonis, Gustavo J. “Hay que reestructurar la deuda para crecer.” Op-ed piece, *El Nuevo Día*, San Juan: Puerto Rico. 21st May 2017. (Title: “*To Grow, We Need Debt Restructuring.*”)

Bobonis, Gustavo J. “Política fiscal y competitividad en el siglo XXI.” Op-ed piece, *El Nuevo Día*, San Juan: Puerto Rico. 26th March 2017. (Title: “*Fiscal Policy and Competitiveness in the XXIst Century.*”)

Bobonis, Gustavo J. “Repensar la asistencia económica para el desarrollo.” Op-ed piece, *El Nuevo Día*, San Juan: Puerto Rico. 15th January 2017. (Title: “*Rethinking Economic Assistance for Development.*”)

Bobonis, Gustavo J. “Una visión para el desarrollo.” Op-ed piece, *El Nuevo Día*, San Juan: Puerto Rico. 18th November 2016. (Title: “*A Vision for Development.*”)

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Mark, Stabile, and Leonardo Tovar “Los ejercicios navales de la Marina de EEUU en Vieques y la salud neonatal de los residentes de la Isla Nena,

1990-2003” (Title: “U.S. Navy Military Exercises in Vieques and Neonatal Health of Residents of the “Isla Nena”, 1990-2003.”) In *Informe sobre Desarrollo Humano de Puerto Rico* (“Puerto Rico Human Development Report”). Instituto de Estadísticas de Puerto Rico, 2016.

Bobonis, Gustavo J. “Dándole peso al futuro.” Op-ed piece, *El Nuevo Día*, San Juan: Puerto Rico. 8th December 2013. (Title: “Giving Weight to the Future.”)

Bobonis, Gustavo J. “Monitoreando nuestro gobierno, ganamos.” Op-ed piece, *El Nuevo Día*, San Juan: Puerto Rico. 14th June 2013. (Title: “Monitoring Our Government, We Win.”)

Bobonis, Gustavo J. “En el nuevo año, experimentemos.” Op-ed piece, *El Nuevo Día*, San Juan: Puerto Rico. 6th January 2013. (Title: “In the New Year, Let’s Experiment.”)

Bobonis, Gustavo J. “¿Reformas estructurales o reformas graduales?” Op-ed piece, *El Nuevo Día*, San Juan: Puerto Rico. 4th November 2012. (Title: “Structural or Gradual Reforms?”)

**Work with
Policymakers/
Practitioners**

Arteaga, Carolina, Gustavo J. Bobonis, and Paola Salardi (2021/2022). “The Effects of Improving Access to Justice for Victims of Intimate Partner Violence: Interim Report – Year 1, Year 2.” Reports on Collaborative Project between Puerto Rico Judicial Branch and the University of Toronto.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Marco Gonzalez-Navarro, Emily Goldman, Daniela Scur, and Jessica Wagner (2020). “Improving and Sustaining Management Practices in PRDE Public Schools: Interim Report – Year 1.” Report on Collaborative Project between Puerto Rico Department of Education and the University of Toronto.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Marco Gonzalez-Navarro, Nicolas Riveros Medelius, Daniela Scur, and Jessica Wagner (2019). “Improving and Sustaining Management Practices in PRDE Public Schools: Interim Report – Baseline Development World Management Survey.” Report on Collaborative Project between Puerto Rico Department of Education and the University of Toronto.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Frederico Finan, Marco Gonzalez-Navarro, and Deepak Lamba Nieves (2017). “Puerto Rico Self-Sufficiency Project: Progress Report.” Report on Collaborative Project between Administration for Socioeconomic Development of the Family (ADSEF - Government of Puerto Rico) and University of Toronto.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Paul J. Gertler, Marco Gonzalez-Navarro, and Simeon Nichter (2018). “Government Transparency and Political Clientelism: Evidence from Randomized Anti-Corruption Audits in Brazil.” Report for Corporación Andina de Fomento (CAF) – Development Bank of Latin America.

Bobonis, Gustavo J., Roberto Castro, and Juan S. Morales (2015). “Conditional Cash Transfers and Spousal Violence: Evidence of the Long-Term Relationship from the Oportunidades Program in Rural Mexico.” Report for Institutions for Development Sector, Inter-American Development Bank (IADB).

Invited

2022-23: Aix-Marseille University (p), American Economic Association Meetings,

**Seminars and
Conference
Presentations**

LACEA Labor Network Meetings, LACEA Political Economy Group (PEG) Meetings, LACEA Annual Meeting, LAMES Annual Meeting, NBER Summer Institute (Development of the American Economy – DAE), Paris School of Economics (p), UC San Diego, University of Namur (p) (p = postponed due to Covid-19 pandemic)

2021: American Economic Association Meetings, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Research Conference, Center for a New Economy (CNE) 2021 Growth Policy Summit, Corporación Andina de Fomento, George Mason University (Public Policy), Global Integrity Anti-Corruption Evidence (GI-ACE) Workshop, Pacific Conference for Development Economics (PacDev), Toulouse School of Economics (p), University of Malaga, University of Maryland (Pop. Studies)

2020: University of Michigan

2019: Brock University, International Health Economics Association Congress, Latin America and Caribbean Economics Association (LACEA) Political Economy Group (PEG) Meetings

2018: Corporación Andina de Fomento, Inter-American Development Bank (IADB), LACEA Annual Meetings, University of Houston

2017: Barcelona Graduate School of Economics (GSE) Summer Forum, INSEAD, LACEA Political Economy Group (PEG) Meetings, National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER) Environment and Energy Economics Spring Meeting, UC-Santa Cruz, University of Puerto Rico (UPR)-Medical Sciences (Demography), York University

2016: CIREQ Applied Economics Conference (Montreal), LACEA 2016 Meeting (Medellín, Col.), UC-Berkeley, UPR-Río Piedras (RP) (Graduate School of Business)

2015: Canadian Economic Association (CEA) Meetings, Columbia University, Households in Conflict Network 11th Annual Workshop, UC-Berkeley, University of Miami, UPR-Río Piedras (2) (Graduate School of Business; Graduate School of Planning), World Bank Development Economics Research Group

2014: Canadian Institute for Advanced Research (CIFAR) Institutions, Organizations, and Growth (IOG) Program Spring 2014 Meeting, IADB Workshop on Citizen Security and Gender Issues (Washington, DC), EH-Cliometrics Lab Catholic University of Chile Conference, McGill University, International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), University of Chicago (Harris School), Western University, University of Guelph

2013: Latin American Studies Association (LASA) Meetings, Stanford University, UC-Berkeley (2) (Economics, Demography), UC-Merced, UPR-Rio Piedras.

2012: Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) 2012 Meetings

2011: Canadian Economic Association (CEA) Meetings, Cornell University, Dalhousie University, McGill University, Ryerson University, University of Toronto (Law & Economics), Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) 2011 Annual Meetings

2010: Duke University, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, Johns Hopkins University–School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS), Michigan State University, National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER) Summer Institute (Development of the American Economy), Northeast Universities Development Consortium Conference (NEUDC) 2010, Northwestern University, Simon Fraser University, World Bank, University of California (UC)-Berkeley, UC-Davis, University of Maryland, University of Texas-Austin, Yale University

2009: CIFAR Institutions, Organizations and Growth (IOG) Program, Carleton University, Harvard University (Economic History Seminar), Harvard/MIT (Development Seminar), LACEA Annual Meetings, Latin American Studies Association (LASA), NEUDC Conference, Università Bocconi, University College London, Washington University at St. Louis

2008: Brown University, CEA Meetings, CIFAR IOG Program, Dartmouth College, LACEA Political Economy Group Meeting, NEUDC Conference, Princeton University, ASSA 2007 Meeting, Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics (SITE), Bureau for Research and Economic Analysis of Development (BREAD) Conference

2007: University of Arizona, UCLA, York University, ASSA 2007 Annual Meeting

Honors and Awards

Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching by Faculty
Department of Economics, University of Toronto 2008, 2015

Excellence in Refereeing Award 2014
American Economic Review

John Charles Polanyi Prize for Economics 2009
Government of Ontario

Grants

Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL), MIT. “Enhancing Socio-Emotional Skills through the School System: Evidence from a Teacher Training Program in Puerto Rico.” State and Local Innovation Initiative Grant, September 2022 – May 2024 (\$266,682 USD) (PI).

Arnold Ventures (AV). “Adopting Computer Assisted Learning (CAL) at Scale: Training and Supporting Teachers and Families to Use CAL Technologies in Puerto Rico Public Schools.” Randomized Controlled Trials to Evaluate Social Programs Whose Delivery Will Be Funded by Government or Other Entities, March 2022 – June 2024 (\$139,742 USD) (PI).

Spencer Foundation, Advancing Equity in Research-Practice Partnerships Supplemental Grant Program, April 2022 – February 2023 (\$14,889 USD) (PI).

Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL), MIT. “Adopting Computer Assisted Learning (CAL) at Scale: Training and Supporting Teachers and Families to Use CAL Technologies in Puerto Rico Public Schools.” State and Local Innovation Initiative Grant, June 2021 – May 2024 (\$222,358 USD) (PI).

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC). “Leading Under

- Duress: School Leadership Practices in the Context of Systemic Crises.” Insight Development Grant, June 2021 - May 2023 (\$70,000) (Co-I) (PI: Gaztambide-Fernández, Rubén).
- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC). “The Effects of Improving Access to Justice for Victims of Intimate Partner Violence.” Insight Grant, June 2021–March 2023 (\$81,997) (Co-I) (PI: Carolina Arteaga).
- Open Society Foundations (OSF) Latin America Program. “Preliminary analysis, intervention design and pilot evaluation to reduce intimate partner violence and prevent femicides in Mexico City”, October 2020 – October 2022 (\$220,000 USD) (Co-PI, with Claudio Ferraz and Manisha Shah)
- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC). “Improving Access to Justice in Intimate Partner Violence Cases: Availability, Support Services, and Personnel Quality.” Partnership Engage Grant, September 2020 – August 2021, Explore Grant, April 2020 – March 2021 (\$24,939) (\$3,500) (PI)
- Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL), MIT. “Improving and Sustaining Management Practices in Public Schools: Evidence from Puerto Rico.” Post-Primary Education (PPE) Initiative Grant, July 2020 – September 2021 (\$50,280 USD) (PI).
- William T. Grant and Spencer Foundations, “Raising Academic Achievement in Under-Performing Schools through Improved Management: A Research-Practice Partnership.” Institutional Challenge Grant (ICG), May 2019 – April 2022 (\$650,000 USD) / Continuation Award, January 2023 – December 2024 (\$349,992 USD) (PI).
- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC). “Improving and Sustaining Management Practices in Public Schools: Evidence from Puerto Rico.” Insight Grant, April 2019 – March 2022 (\$299,414) (PI).
- Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL), MIT. “Improving and Sustaining Management Practices in Public Schools: Evidence from Puerto Rico.” State and Local Innovation Initiative Grant, June 2018 - April 2021 (\$249,781 USD) (Co-PI, with Marco Gonzalez-Navarro).
- Corporación Andina de Fomento. “Transparency and Political Clientelism: Evidence from Anti-Corruption Audits in Brazil.” CAF Research Program on Corruption and Prevention Policies, April 2018-December 2018 (\$15,000 USD) (PI).
- Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL), MIT. “Leveraging Data and Science to Enhance Government Effectiveness.” State and Local Innovation Initiative Grant, June 2017-December 2018 (\$120,000 USD) (PI).
- Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab, MIT. “The Puerto Rico Self-Sufficiency Project: A Program to Improve Self- Sufficiency Among TANF Beneficiaries” J-PAL State and Local Innovation Initiative, October 2016–September 2017 (\$100,000 USD) (PI).
- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC). “Understanding the Effects of a Time-Limited Earnings Supplement: A Long-Term Analysis of the Self-Sufficiency Project.” Insight Grant, March 2016–March 2019 (\$139,851) (Co-I) (PI: Craig W. Riddell).

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC). “Appropriate Institutions? Consequences of Indigenous Customary Law Use in Oaxaca, Mexico.” Insight Grant, April 2014–March 2017 (\$156,385) (PI).

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC). “The Costs of Voter Patronage and the Quality of Local Government: A Field Experiment.” Insight Grant, April 2012–March 2015 (\$211,645) (Co-I) (PI: Marco Gonzalez-Navarro)

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC). “The Effect of Asset Building on Poverty Dynamics: A Randomized Study.” Standard Research Grant, April 2010–March 2014 (\$149,500) (PI)

National Academy of Education / Spencer Foundation. Postdoctoral Fellowship, September 2008–August 2010 (\$55,000 USD)

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC). “Helping the Unbanked: A Proposal to Increase the Use of Banking and Direct Deposit Services Among Low- and Moderate-Income Households.” Research Grant – Management, Business and Finance, 2008 – 2010 (\$133,000) (Co-I) (PI: Philip Oreopoulos)

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC). “Development Gone with the Wind? Geography & Quality of Local Governments.” Standard Research Grant, April 2007–March 2010 (\$55,000)

Connaught Fund, University of Toronto. “Human Development Policy and Women’s Welfare in Mexico.” Matching Grant, 2006–2008 (\$30,000)

Teaching Experience

University of Toronto – Department of Economics

Development Economics (Graduate)
Methods for Empirical Microeconomics (Graduate and Undergraduate)
Economic Development (Undergraduate)
Topics in Development Economics and Policy (Undergraduate)
Data Analysis and Applied Econometrics in Practice (Undergraduate)
Honors Essay in Applied Microeconomics (Undergraduate)

University of Toronto – Munk School of Global Affairs and Public Policy

Current Issues in International Development Policy (MPP)
Microeconomics for Policy Analysis (Undergraduate)

Economics Ph.D. Students [First placement]

Brian McCaig [Australian National University]
Courtney Ward [Dalhousie University]
Eik Leong Swee (Co-Chair) [University of Melbourne]
Sacha Kapoor (Co-Chair) [Erasmus University Rotterdam]
Christian Dippel [UCLA-Anderson School of Management]
Elton Dusha [University of Chile]
Margarita Pivovarova [University of Arizona–School of Education]
Asad K.K. Priyo [North South University, Bangladesh]
Ayesha Ali (Co-Chair) [Lahore University of Management Sciences (LUMS)]
Alfia Karimova [University of Michigan-Ann Arbor, Population Studies Center]

Juan S. Morales (Chair) [Collegio Carlo Alberto]
Lisa Stockley (Chair) [Charles Rivers Associates]
Ridwan M. Karim (Co-Chair) [Wilfrid Laurier University]
Julian Dyer (2020) (Co-Chair) [Exeter University School of Business]
Catherine Michaud Leclerc (Chair) [Université Laval]
Jessica Wagner [Brown University – Annenberg Institute]

Ph.D. Candidates in Economics:

Jessica Gallant (Co-Chair) (2023, exp.)
Aly Somani (2023, exp.)
Bisma Khan (Co-Chair) (2024, exp.)
Dario Toman (Chair) (2025, exp.)
Dina O'Brien (Co-Chair) (2025, exp.)

Administrative Positions University of Toronto

Scientific Co-Director, Forward Society Lab
2021-present

University of Toronto (UofT)-Puerto Rico Department of Education (PRDE)
Research-Practice Partnership
Scientific Director, 2018-present

Decanal Promotions Committee
2021/22 - 2022/23

Faculty of Arts and Sciences Data Science Initiative Advisory Committee
2020/21

Center for Research and Innovation Support (CRIS) Advisory Committee
2019/20 - 2021/22

Department of Economics Recruiting Committee
2009/10, 2010/11, 2011/12, 2015/16, 2017/18 - 2019/20 (Chair: 2018/19, 2019/20)

Department of Economics Graduate Admissions Committee
2007/08, 2008/09, 2009/10, 2010/11, 2013/14, 2014/15

Department of Economics Empirical Microeconomics Seminar Co-Organizer
2007/08, 2008/09, 2009/10, 2010/11, 2014/15, 2015/16

Center for a New Economy Growth Commission for Puerto Rico
Co-Chair, 2016 – 2018

Languages English (*fluent*), Spanish (*native*), French (*basic*), Portuguese (*basic*)