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**PRESENT POSITION**

2001-present      Assistant Professor of Economics, Department of Economics and  
the Woodrow Wilson School of International and Public Affairs,  
Princeton University

**OTHER POSITIONS**

2003-present      Faculty Associate, Education Research Center, Princeton  
University  
2001-present      Faculty Research Fellow, National Bureau of Economic Research  
2001-present      Faculty Associate, Center for Health and Well Being, Princeton  
University  
2001-present      Faculty Associate, Office of Population Research, Princeton  
University

**EDUCATION**

2001    **Ph.D.** Economics, Columbia University  
1998    **M.A.** Economics, Columbia University  
1996    **B.A.** Economics, Louisiana State University  
1995    **DEUG** Economics, Université de Paris IX–Dauphine

**HONORS AND GRANTS**

2005      Ralph O. Glendinning University Preceptorship of Economics and Public  
Affairs, Princeton University  
2004      NIH Grant “The Relationship between College Education and Health”  
(With Christina Paxson and Cecilia Rouse)  
2003-2004    NBER Aging and Health Research Fellowship  
2002      Dorothy S. Thomas Award by the Population Association of America  
awarded to the best graduate paper on the relationship between health and  
SES.  
2001      PhD with distinction, Columbia University  
1996-2001    President’s Fellow, Columbia University  
1998-1999    Public Policy Consortium Fellowship, Columbia University  
1998-1999    Bradley Fellowship, Columbia University  
1996      B.A. Summa cum Laude (GPA 4.0)

1995            DEUG Cum Laude Top 2% of graduating class (9<sup>th</sup> out of 768)  
1992-1993      Valedictorian Scholarship, Universidad Externado de Colombia

## **PUBLISHED AND FORTHCOMING PAPERS**

“Competing Risks and the War on Cancer,” joint with Bo Honoré, *Econometrica*, forthcoming.

“Financial Development and Pathways of Growth: State Branching and Deposit Insurance Laws in the United States From 1900 To 1940,” joint with Rajeev Dehejia, *Journal of Law and Economics*, forthcoming.

“The Determinants of Mortality,” joint with David Cutler and Angus Deaton, *Journal of Economic Perspectives*, forthcoming.

“Estimation of Models with Grouped and Ungrouped Data by Means of “2SLS”,” joint with Phoebus J. Dhrymes, *Journal of Econometrics*, forthcoming.

“The Effect Of Education On Medical Technology Adoption: Are The More Educated More Likely To Use New Drugs?,” joint with Frank Lichtenberg, special issue of the *Annales d’Economie et Statistique* in memory of Zvi Griliches, forthcoming.

“Access to Care, Provider Choice and the Infant Health Gradient,” joint with Anna Aizer and Mark Stabile, *American Economic Review Papers and Proceedings*, Vol. 95, No. 2, May 2005.

“The Relationship between Education and Adult Mortality in the United States,” *Review of Economic Studies*, Vol.72 (1), January 2005. (Reprinted in Modern Classics in the Economics of Education, edited by Clive R. Belfield, Edward Elgar Publishing Inc., 2006.)

“Booms, Busts and Babies’ Health,” joint with Rajeev Dehejia, *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, Vol. 119, Issue 3, August 2004.

“Were Compulsory Education and Child Labor Laws Effective? An Analysis from 1915 to 1939 in the U.S.,” *Journal of Law and Economics*, October 2002.

## **WORKING PAPERS**

“Longevity and human capital investments: evidence from declines in maternal mortality,” joint with Seema Jayachandran

“Student performance and racial gaps in military schools,” joint with Janet Currie.

“Education and Health: Evaluating theories and evidence,” joint with David Cutler, February 2006

“The needs of the Army: using compulsory relocation in the military to estimate the effect of air pollutants on children’s health,” October 2005

“Infant Health Gradients and Access To Care: Evidence from California’s Disproportionate Share Program,” joint with Anna Aizer and Mark Stabile. NBER Working Paper #10445, April 2004

“Health Inequality, Education and Medical Innovation,” joint with Sherry Glied, NBER Working Paper #9738, May 2003.

## **OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

Commentary on “Immigration, Health, and New York City: Early Results Based on the U.S. New Immigrant Cohort of 2003,” by Guillermina Jasso, Douglas S. Massey, Mark R. Rosenzweig, and James P. Smith. Federal Reserve Bank of New York *Economic Policy Review* 11, no. 2 (December): 153-5.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Princeton University 2001-2006

Intermediate Microeconomics with calculus (Economics Undergraduate Course)

The Economics of Health and Health Care (MPA Course)

Public Finance (Economics Ph.D. course)

Advanced Topics in Economics (Economics Undergraduate course)

Columbia University 1996-2001

Teaching Assistant for Intermediate and Graduate Microeconomics

## **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

### **Referee**

*American Economic Review, Economics of Education Review, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Journal of Population Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Development Economics, Economic Journal, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Population Economics, National Science Foundation.*

### **Seminar presentations**

Columbia University, Cornell University, Dartmouth University, Princeton University, Harvard, MIT, University of Illinois-UC, Michigan State University, UC-Davis, UC-Irvine, UC-Berkeley, Federal Reserve Board Washington, Federal Reserve Bank New York, Federal Reserve Bank Philadelphia, University of Maryland, University of Montreal, NBER Summer Institute, World Bank, IHEA conference, University College London, London School of Economics, Brigham Young University, NYU, University of Texas A&M, University of Houston, Toronto University, Vanderbilt University, Pompeu Fabra University, Tillburg Institute.

### **PhD students supervised**

Economics Department: Nisreen Salti, Wesley Yin, Debopam Bhattacharya

Office of Population Research: Juan Guzman.

**PERSONAL**

U.S. citizen, born in Colombia.