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| **Academic Positions** | GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (Georgia Tech)**Assistant Professor**, 2016 – Present, Sam Nunn School of International Affairs and School of City and Regional Planning |
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| **Education** | MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (MIT), **Ph.D**. **in Management**, 2014, Institute for Work and Employment Research (IWER), Sloan School of Management |
|  | MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (MIT), **Master of City Planning**, 2007, with a focus in International Development and Regional Planning |
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|  | YALE UNIVERSITY, **BA in Economics**, 2004 |
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| **Fellowships** | GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (Georgia Tech), **Post-doctoral Fellow**, 2014-2016, Sam Nunn School of International Affairs |
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| **Publications** | ***Peer reviewed*** |
|  | “Learning Targets: Policy Paradigms and State Responses to the Anti-Corruption Transnational Advocacy Network (TAN) Campaign in Guatemala.” Forthcoming in *Latin American Politics and Society.*“The Divergent Institutional Logics of Industrial Change: A comparison of export-cheese processors in Nicaragua.” *Socio-Economic Review*, 19(1), 2021.“Ideology, Expertise, and Industrial Transformations with Mutual Gains: Developmental Professionals in Nicaragua’s Cheese Industry.” *Latin American Research Review*, 54(3), 2019.“Neither synthesis nor rivalry: Complementary policy models and technological learning in the Mexican and Brazilian petroleum and automotive industries.” *Business and Politics*, 21(1), 2019. (with Seth Pipkin) “Los Apóstoles del Desarrollo y la Modernización de la Industria Azucarera Guatemalteca.” *Anuario de Estudios Centroamericanos.* 43, 2017.“Spurred to Upgrade: A Review of Triggers and Consequences of Industrial Upgrading in the Global Value Chain Literature.” *World Development*, 98, 2017. (with Seth Pipkin) “Self-Discovery in The Dark: the demand side of industrial policy in Latin America.” *Review of International Political Economy*, 23(1), 2016. (with Seth Pipkin) |
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|  | “A Vocation for Industrial Transformation: Ideology, Organizational Isomorphism and Upgrading in the Guatemalan Sugar Industry.” *Studies in Comparative International Development*, 49 (3), September 2014*.* |
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|  | “La Discriminación y su relación con la diferencia de ingresos en el mercado laboral guatemalteco.” *Perfiles Latinoamericanos*, Número 27. México: FLACSO; 2006.  |
|  | ***Revise and Resubmit***“Appetite for Reform: When do Exogenous Shocks Motivate Industrial Policy Change?” (with Seth Pipkin)***Book Chapters in Edited Volumes***“Guatemala.” In Biescholwsky, R. *Patrones de desarrollo económico en los seis países de América Central (1950-2018): luces y sombras tras una trayectoria de siete décadas*. Forthcoming.***Book Reviews***“Structural Change and Growth in Central America and the Dominican Republic: An Overview of Two Decades, 1990-2011 – by Beteta, Hugo and Moreno-Brid, Juan C.” *Bulletin of Latin American Research*, 36(4), 2017.“Reseña de libro: John Maynard Keynes, 1883-1946: Economist, philosopher, statesman.” *ECO Revista Académica*, 4, 2009 |
|  | ***Book Proposal in Progress*** |
|  | *The ideational approach to the political economy of development****Other Publications***United Nations Development Program. *Informe Nacional de Desarrollo Humano 2007/2008: Guatemala: una economía ¿al servicio del desarrollo?* Guatemala; 2008. (with the Guatemalan Human Development Report team) |
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| **Refereed Presentations** | “Partial Capture: Queretaro’s path out of the middle-income trap” (with Seth Pipkin), APSA (virtual), 2021“Partial Capture: Queretaro’s path out of the middle-income trap” (with Seth Pipkin), REPAL (virtual), 2021“Partial Capture: Queretaro’s path out of the middle-income trap” (with Seth Pipkin), SASE (virtual), 2021“Muddling through the Middle-Income Trap: Building growth coalitions to overcome structural cleavages in Mexico, 1994-2015” (with Seth Pipkin), ACSP (virtual), 2020“ACSP 2020 Roundtable: Transnational University-Community Collaborations for Post-Disaster Recovery” (with Catherine Ross), ACSP (virtual), 2020“Escaping the Middle-Income Trap: A subnational perspective” (with Seth Pipkin, MPSA, Chicago, 2020 (conference cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic)“The Vulnerability of Transnational Advocacy Network (TAN) Targets: Structural or Ideational?” MPSA, Chicago, 2020 (conference cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic)“Partial Capture: Querétaro’s Path out of Mexico’s Middle-Income Trap” REPAL, Buenos Aires, Argentina, 2020 (conference cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic)“Learning by Satisficing: Rehabilitating punctuated institutional change in an incrementalist world” (with Seth Pipkin), APSA, Washington DC, 2019“Bringing events back in: aspiration, slack and institutional change in Mexico and Brazil” (with Seth Pipkin), CHSS, Chicago, 2019.“Bringing events back in: aspiration, slack and institutional change in Mexico and Brazil” (with Seth Pipkin), LASA, Boston, 2019“The double-movement of anti-corruption campaigns: a case from Guatemala,” MSPA, Chicago, 2019.“The Institutional Logics of Industrial Transformation in Hierarchical Market Economies,” LASA, Barcelona, 2018.“Bringing Critical Junctures Back In: Aspirations and Institutional Change in the Mexican and Brazilian Petroleum and Auto Industries,” (with Seth Pipkin) International Business in an Era of Institutional Disruption, University of South Carolina, 2018. “Institutional Logics and Coordination Problems in Nicaragua,” ACSP, Portland, 2016.“The Runner or the Course: Vulnerability and Policy Preferences in the Industrial Development of Mexico and Brazil” (with Seth Pipkin), REPAL, Boston, 2016.“Capabilities and Compatibilities: Vulnerabilities and Policy Paradigms in the Industrial Development of Mexico and Brazil” (with Seth Pipkin), SASE, Berkeley, 2016.**“**Spurred to Upgrade: A Review of Triggers of Change in the Global Value Chain Literature” (with Seth Pipkin), SASE, London, 2015. |
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|  | **“**A Fork in the Upgrading Road: The Contrasting Ideologies and Business Models of the Nicaraguan Cheese Industry's Industrial Transformation” SASE, London, 2015. |
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|  | **“**Spilling Over or Pumping Out: Ideologies, Business Models, and the Divergent Firm-Stakeholder Outcomes of the Industrial Transformation in Nicaragua’s Cheese Industry” ISA, Kansas City, 2015. |
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|  | **“**Self-Discovery in The Dark: The Demand Side of Industrial Policy in Latin America” (with Seth Pipkin), SASE, Chicago, 2014. |
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| **Courses Taught** | ***Undegraduate***INTA 2050. Introduction to Global Development, Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Summer 2020 (online), Spring 2021 (online), Fall 2021.INTA 4340/MGT 8803. Economics in Latin America, Study Abroad Program Argentina-Uruguay Summer 2017, Summer 2019 (with Kirk Bowman, John McIntyre)INTA 2241. Politics and Government of Latin America, Spring 2018, Fall 2020, Fall 2021.INTA 3020. Contemporary Mexico, Fall 2020.***Graduate***INTA 6304/CP 8883. Modernization and Development, Fall 2016, Fall 2018, Spring 2020.CP 6052. Studio: Puerto Rico – Disaster Mitigation and Recovery. Spring 2019, Spring 2020. |
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| **Service** | GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**Co-director of the Global Development Minor** (with Neha Kumar), 2016 – Present, Sam Nunn School of International Affairs |
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| **Grants** | Seed Grant Award. Georgia Tech, 2021 (with Catherine Ross, Kirk Bowman, Nima Golshani, Elora Raymond) ($49,947)Steve A. Denning Chair in Global Engagement Faculty Award, 2021. Georgia Tech (with Catherine Ross) ($15,000)Neal Family Chair Grant, 2021. Sam Nunn School of International Affairs (with Catherine Ross) ($5,420)Faculty Foundation Grant, 2020. Ivan Allen College ($1,756)SGR-B Award, 2019. Ivan Allen College ($2,600)Faculty International Travel Grant, 2019. Atlanta Global Studies Center ($2,600)Puerto Rico: Disaster Mitigation and Recovery – Joint Studio, 2018. American Planning Association Foundation ($15,000) (with Catherine Ross)Serve-Learn-Sustain, 2017. Grant to update course: INTA 2050. Introduction to Global Development ($3,000).Serve-Learn-Sustain, 2016. Grant to support the dissemination campaign of the Global Development Minor ($2,600) (with Neha Kumar and Jonathan Colton).CIS Summer Study Grant, 2010. Research Grant to study the transformation of the Guatemalan sugar industry ($3,000). |
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| **Academic Memberships** | The Society for the Advancement of Socio-EconomicsAssociation of Collegiate Schools of PlanningRed de Estudios de Economia Politica de America LatinaInternational Studies AssociationAmerican Political Science AssociationMidwestern Political Science Association |
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