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CURRENT ACADEMIC POSITION

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS RIO GRANDE VALLEY (UTRGV), Edinburg, TX

September 2015 to Present

Professor and Chair, Department of Economics and Finance

FORMER ACADEMIC POSITIONS

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS RIO GRANDE VALLEY (UTRGV), Edinburg, TX

Interim Chair, Department of Economics and Finance

February 2015 to August 2015

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS-PAN AMERICAN (UTPA), Edinburg, TX

Professor of Economics, Department of Economics and FinanceSeptember 2010 to presentDirector of the Ph.D. Program, College of Business AdministrationJune 2008 to May 2011Associate Professor of Economics, Department of Economics and FinanceSeptember 2004 to August 2010

ITESM-CAMPUS MONTERREY, Mexico

Associate Professor of Economics, Department of Economics

August 2003 to July 2004

Assistant Professor of Economics, Department of Economics

January 2000 to July 2003

FORMER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE, NON-ACADEMIC

Treasury Dealer and Manager, Treasury Department, American Finance Center SONY Capital Corporation, New York, from July 1998 to January 2000.

Responsibilities: 1) Foreign Exchange (FX) Trading; 2) Financial Analysis: FX Hedging under Forwards and Options; 3) Analysis of Latin American and U.S. Markets; and 4) Supervision of Treasury Analyst.

Assistant Vice President, Foreign Exchange and Funds Trader

The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi, Miami Agency, from March 1997 to June 1998.

Responsibilities: 1) Economic Research of Latin American Countries; 2) FX and Funds Trading (Lending/Borrowing). Control of the Daily Flow of Funds; and 3) Acting Chairman of the Asset-Liability Management Committee.

Visiting Economist, Bank of Japan, Tokyo, May to June 1996. Institute of Monetary and Economic Studies, Research Division I.

EDUCATION

- **Ph.D. in Economics**, University of Tsukuba, Japan, 1996. Doctoral Program in Policy and Planning Sciences. Dissertation Title: "Four Essays on the Empirical Open Economy: On Exchange Rates and the Current Account."
- Master of Science (M.Sc), Economics, University of Tsukuba, Japan, 1994.
- Bachelor of Arts (BA), Economics, University of Brasília, Brazil, 1987. Dept. of Economics.

RESEARCH AREAS

International Finance, Development Economics, and Macroeconomics.

COURSES TAUGHT AT UTRGV (UTPA before Fall 2015)

- Ph.D. Level: International Finance, International Trade, Macroeconomic Theory, Seminar in International Business Issues.
- MBA Level: Managerial Economics, Principles of Economics.
- Undergraduate Level: Principles of Macroeconomics, Principles of Microeconomics, Macroeconomic Theory, Microeconomic Theory, Money and Banking.

COURSES TAUGHT AT MONTERREY TEC

Undergraduate Level: Econometrics 1, Finance Theory, Seminar of International Economics, Seminar of the Mexican Economy.

REVIEWER ACTIVITIES FOR PROFESSIONAL JOURNALS

Served as Referee/Reviewer for the following professional journals [* indicates more than one refereeing activities of different manuscripts]:

Acta Oeconomica,

AIMS Energy,

Annals of Regional Science,

Applied Energy,

Asian Academy of Management, Bulletin of Economic Research*, Cogent Economics and Finance,

Eastern Economic Journal*,

Economic Change and Restructuring,

Economic Modelling*,

Economics and Business Letters,

Economies*,

Emerging Markets Finance and Trade*,

Energy Economics*,

Ensayos, Revista de Economía,

European Journal of Operational Research,

Global Economy Journal*, Growth and Change*,

International Journal of Central Banking, International Journal of Emerging Markets,

International Studies Review, Japan & the World Economy, Journal of Applied Economics, Journal of Cleaner Production, Journal of Economic Asymmetries,

Journal of Economic Studies,

Journal of International Financial Markets, Institutions &

Money*,

Journal of International Trade & Economic Development,

Journal of Money, Credit and Banking,

Managerial Finance,

North American Journal of Economics and Finance,

Publius: The Journal of Federalism*,

Review of Urban & Regional Development Studies,

Revista Brasileira de Economia de Empresas,

Social Problems.

State and Local Government Review,

Studies in Nonlinear Dynamics & Econometrics,

Third World Quarterly, and

African Development Review,

American Journal of Agricultural Economics,

Applied Economics*,

Applied Financial Economics, Asian Review of Accounting*,

Contemporary Economic Policy*,

Economia Aplicada*,

Economic Development Quarterly*,

Economic Systems,

Economics Research International,

El Trimestre Económico, Empirical Economics*, Energy Strategy Reviews, Estudios Económicos*, Financial Review,

Global Economic Review,

International Economics and Economic Policy, International Review of Economics and Finance*, International Review of Financial Analysis*,

International Trade Journal*, Journal of African Business*, Journal of Asian Economics, Journal of Development Studies*,

Journal of Economic and Administrative Sciences,

Journal of International Money and Finance*,

Journal of Macroeconomics*,

Journal of Risk and Financial Management,

Portuguese Economic Journal,

Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance,

Resources Policy*,

Revista Estudiantil de Economia, South African Journal of Economics*,

Studies in Comparative International Development,

Theoretical Economics Letters,

World Development*.

PARTICIPATION IN EDITORIAL BOARDS

Associate Editor of *Revista Brasileira de Economia de Empresas* (RBEE, *Brazilian Journal of Business Economics*, Brazil), Catholic University of Brasília, 2002 -.

Associate Editor of *Políticas Públicas* (Mexico), Monterrey Institute of Technology, 2013-2014.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Member of the American Economic Association (AEA) since 1993.
- Member of the American Society of Hispanic Economists (ASHE) since 2008.
- Member of Mexico's Sistema Nacional de Investigadores (SNI), Level I, in 2004.

PUBLICATIONS IN INTERNATIONAL JOURNALS

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- 82. Rodríguez-Nieto, Juan Andrés, and Mollick, André V., The U.S. Financial Crisis, Market Volatility, Credit Risk, and Stock Returns in the Americas, *Financial Markets and Portfolio Management*, 2021, 35: 225-254.
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- 78. Huang, Wanling, and Mollick, André V., Tight oil, Real WTI prices and U.S. Stock Returns, *Energy Economics*, 2020, 85: article 104574.
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- 67. Huang, Wanling, Mollick, André V., and Khoa H. Nguyen, Dynamic Responses and Tail-Dependence among Commodities, the U.S. Real Interest Rate and the Dollar, *Empirical Economics*, 2017, 53 (3): 959-997.
- 66. Cabral, René, García-Díaz, Rocío, and Mollick, André V., Does Globalization Affect Top Income Inequality? *Journal of Policy Modeling*, 2016, 38: 916-940.
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- 24. Mollick, André V., The Rise of the Skill Premium in Mexican Maquiladoras, *Journal of Development Studies*, 2008, 44 (9): 1382-1404.
- 23. Mollick, André V., Faria, João R., Albuquerque, Pedro, and León-Ledesma, Miguel, Can Globalization Stop the Decline in Commodities' Terms of Trade? The Prebisch-Singer Hypothesis Revisited, *Cambridge Journal of Economics*, 2008, 32 (5): 683-701.
- 22. Giudici, Emiliano, and Mollick, André V., Convergence in Eastern Caribbean States, *The Annals of Regional Science*, 2008, 42 (4): 893-909.
- 21. Kim, Sei-Wan, Mollick, André V., and Nam, Kiseok, Common Nonlinearities in Long-Horizon Stock Returns: Evidence from the G-7 Stock Markets, *Global Finance Journal*, 2008, 19: 19-31.
- 20. Mollick, André V., Relative Wages, Labor Supplies and Trade in Mexican Manufacturing: Evidence from Two Samples, *Journal of International Trade & Economic Development*, 2008, 17 (2): 213-241.
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- 18. Mollick, André V., What Explains Unemployment in U.S.-Mexican Border Cities? *The Annals of Regional Science*, 2008, 42 (1): 169-182.
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- 15. Mollick, André V., The Growth of Texas Counties in the 1990s: The Roles of County Size and Industry Clusters, *Review of Regional Studies*, 2006, 36 (1): 87-120.
- 14. Ibarra-Salazar, Jorge, and Mollick, André V., Mexican Northern Border Municipalities, Financial Dependence and Institutions, *The Annals of Regional Science*, 2006, 40 (4): 859-874.
- 13. Mollick, André V., Cortez-Rayas, Abigaíl, and Olivas-Moncisvais, Rosa A., Local Labor Markets in U.S.-Mexican Border Cities and the Impact of Maquiladora Production, *The Annals of Regional Science*, 2006, 40 (1): 95-116.
- 12. Mollick, André V., and Wvalle-Vázquez, Karina, Chinese Competition and its Effects on Mexican Maquiladoras, *Journal of Comparative Economics*, 2006, 34: 130-145.
- 11. Mollick, André V., Ramos-Durán, René, and Silva-Ochoa, Esteban, Infrastructure and FDI Inflows into Mexico: A Panel Data Approach, *Global Economy Journal*, 2006, 6 (1): Article 6.
- 10. Faria, João R., and Mollick, André V., The Nominal Theory of Interest under Habit Formation: Evidence for the U.S., 1959-2002, *The North American Journal of Economics and Finance*, 2004, 15: 333-354.
- 9. Mollick, André V., Production Smoothing in the Japanese Vehicle Industry, *International Journal of Production Economics*, 2004, 91 (1): 63-74.
- 8. Mollick, André V., and Quijano, Margot, The Mexican Peso and the Korean Won Real Exchange Rates: Evidence from Productivity Models, *Journal of Economic Development*, 2004, 29 (1): 189-208.
- 7. Mollick, André V., Employment Determination at Mexican Maquiladoras: Does Location Matter? *Journal of Borderlands Studies*, 2003, 18 (2): 45 67.
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- 4. Mollick, André V., Effects of U.S. Interest Rates on the Real Exchange Rate in Mexico, *Economics Bulletin*, 2002, 6 (3): 1-15.

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- 2. Mollick, André V., The Real Exchange Rate in Brazil: Random-Walk or Mean Reversion in the Long-Run?, *International Review of Economics and Finance*, 1999, 8 (1): 115-126.
- 1. Faria, João R., and Mollick, André V., Urbanization, Economic Growth, and Welfare, *Economics Letters*, 1996, 52: 109-115.

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- 6. Sachsida, Adolfo, Mollick, André V., and Mendoça, Mario Jorge Cardoso de, An Empirical Examination of Firearm Users in Brasilia, DF, *Economia Aplicada*, 2009, 13 (4): 425-438.
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- 1. Urciaga-García, José, and Mollick, André V., Las Importaciones Mexicanas y el Tipo de Cambio: El Papel de las Expectativas, 1985-2000, *Momento Económico*, 2002, 122: 20-31.

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- Violence in Mexico and its Effects on Labor Productivity, Annual Meeting of the Western Economic Association International (WEAI), Denver, CO, June of 2014. (With René Cabral and Eduardo Saucedo).
- Wage Convergence in Mexico, NAFTA at 20: Effects on the North American Market Conference organized by the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, Houston, TX, June of 2014.
- Margins of Adjustment and Productivity in Mexican Maquiladoras, Annual Meeting of the Western Economic Association International (WEAI), Seattle, WA, June of 2013. (With René Cabral).
- *Mexico's Regional Convergence in Output and Wages after NAFTA*, Annual Meeting of the Allied Social Sciences Associations (ASSA), Denver, CO, January of 2011. (With René Cabral).
- *Income Inequality in the U.S.: The Kuznets Hypothesis Revisited*, Annual Meeting of the Allied Social Sciences Associations (ASSA), Atlanta, GA, January of 2010.
- Changes in the Earnings of Mexican Americans along the U.S. Mexico Border between 2000 and 2005, 87th Annual Meeting of Southwestern Social Science Association (SSSA), Albuquerque, N.M., March of 2007. (With Marie T. Mora and Alberto Dávila).
- *Mexican Northern Border Municipalities, Financial Dependence and Institutions*, 31st Annual Meeting of the Eastern Economic Association, New York City, NY, March of 2005. (With Jorge Ibarra).
- Rising Relative Wages, Technology and Trade in Mexican Manufacturing: 1987-1995, 14th International Conference of the International Trade and Finance Association, San Antonio, TX, May of 2004.
- Employment Determination at Mexican Maquiladoras: Does Location Matter?, Annual Conference of the Association for Borderlands Studies, Salt Lake City, UT, April of 2004.
- Employment Determination at Mexican Maquiladoras: Does Location Matter?, 73rd Annual Conference of the Southern Economic Association, San Antonio, TX, November of 2003.
- Production Smoothing in the Japanese Vehicle Industry, 7th International Conference on Technology Policy and Innovation, Monterrey, Mexico, June of 2003.
- Consumption Dynamics and the Current Account: Evidence for Canada and Mexico before NAFTA, 35th Annual Meeting of The Canadian Economics Association, Montréal, Canada, June of 2001.
- Exchange Rates, Policy Rules, and Optimal Central Bank Intervention, 71st Annual Conference of the Western Economic Association International, San Francisco, CA, June of 1996.
- Leaning Against the Wind: Does it Explain Anomalies in Foreign Exchange Markets?, Competitiveness in International Business and Trade Conference, International Trade and Finance Association, San Diego, CA, May of 1996.
- Fiscal Policy and the Current Account: Evidence for Japan, Pacific Rim Allied Economic Organizations Conference 2nd Biennial, Western Economic Association, Hong Kong, January of 1996.
- Fiscal Policy Experiments and the Current Account in the Long Run: Evidence for Japan, Annual Meeting of the Japanese Association of Economic Theory and Econometrics, Tokyo, Japan, September of 1995.
- Terms of Trade Shocks and Dynamic Responses: Econometric Evidence under Non-traded Goods for Canada and Mexico, Economic and Financial Cycles and NAFTA: Issues and Micro and Macroeconomic Analysis, Mexico City, Mexico, June of 1995.

• Reconsidering Pricing-to-Market under Adjustment Costs and the Behavior of Japanese Exports, Annual Meeting of the Japanese Association of Economic Theory and Econometrics, Nagoya, Japan, September of 1994.

PRESENTATIONS IN SPONSORED MEETINGS/CONFERENCES

- Wages and NAFTA, presented in "Texas in a Changing World Economy: A Symposium" at LBJ School of Public Affairs in Austin, TX, October 16, 2017.
- U.S. Stock Returns and Oil Prices: The Tale from Daily Data and the 2008-2009 Financial Crisis, (joint paper with Tibebe Assefa in Energy Economics, 2013), presented in a research meeting organized by Tec de Monterrey's EGADE Business School in ITESM-Mexico City Campus, Mexico City, May 21 of 2015.
- Productivity Effects on the Wage Premium of Mexican Maquiladoras, Challenges and Facts of Industrial Growth in Mexico ("Retos y realidades del crecimiento industrial en México"), organized by EGAP and EGADE, graduate schools of Tec de Monterrey, together with Techint. Monterrey, Mexico, August 31 of 2012.
- Fiscal Effort and the Borderlands: Evidence of the U.S.-Mexico Border, The Puentes Consortium. Second Annual Symposium on Border Security: Economic Development and the U.S.-Mexico Border, Rice University, Houston, TX, March 9-11 of 2011. (With Jorge Ibarra-Salazar).

PRESENTATIONS IN OTHER CONFERENCES

- Productivity Effects on the Wage Premium of Mexican Maquiladoras, Keynote Speaker at Mexican and Border Economic Business Issues, Research Symposium organized by the School of Business, University of Texas -Brownsville, April of 2012.
- A Study of the U.S. Mexico Border Earnings Penalty between 2000 and 2005, Economic Issues Affecting Hispanic American Communities, Texas A & M University, College Station, TX, October of 2008. (With Marie T. Mora and Alberto Dávila).
- The Growth of Texas Counties in the 1990s: The Roles of County Size and Industry Clusters, Second Cross-Border Workshop in Economics and Finance, University of Texas Pan American, Edinburg, TX, April of 2006.
- Local Labor Markets in U.S.-Mexican Border Cities and the Impact of Maquiladora Production, First Cross-Border Workshop in Economics and Finance, TexasA&M International University, Laredo, TX, October of 2004.
- Fiscal Illusion and Local Government Spending in Mexico: 1975-2000, (With Jorge Ibarra). XXXIV Congreso de Investigación y Extensión del Sistema Tecnológico de Monterrey, Monterrey, Mexico, February of 2004.
- Efectos "Spillover" de las Exportaciones en el Crecimiento del Producto Manufacturero en las Entidades Federativas de México, Colloque "La Mondialisation et ses effects: Nouveux Débats, Nouvelles Approches, ESCP-EAP de Paris, Paris, France, June of 2003.
- Financial Innovations and Demand for Money: Mexico, 1982-1995, XXXIII Congreso de Investigación y Extensión del Sistema Tecnológico de Monterrey, Monterrey, Mexico, January of 2003.
- Effects of U.S. Interest Rates on Capital Flows, the Real Exchange Rate, and Reserves in Mexico, XXXII Congreso de Investigación y Extensión del Sistema Tecnológico de Monterrey, Monterrey, Mexico, January of 2002.
- Financial Liberalization and the Demand for Money in Mexico: 1982-1995, IV Congreso de Administración en México: Teoría y Práxis, ITESM-Campus Monterrey, Monterrey, Mexico, May of 2000.
- *Perspectives on the Brazilian Economy*, Conference to Japanese Entrepreneurs, organized by the Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi, Miami, FL, June of 1997.

OTHER PARTICIPATIONS IN CONFERENCES

- *Border Economic Development and Entrepreneurship Symposium*, University of Texas Pan American, Edinburg, TX, December of 2012. Moderator of Panel 1 (Day One).
- Border Economic Development and Entrepreneurship Symposium, In Collaboration with Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, El Paso Branch. Network of Border Economics / Red de la Economia Fronteriza (NOBE/REF), University of Texas Pan American, Edinburg, TX, December of 2011. Moderator of Panel 4 (Day One): Border Research on Maquiladoras.
- Second Cross-Border Workshop in Economics and Finance, University of Texas Pan American, Edinburg, TX, April of 2006. Workshop Coordinator.
- NAFTA, Globalization and Social Conditions, NBER Inter-American Seminar on Economics, ITESM-Campus Monterrey, Mexico, November of 2002. Discussant of Galiani, S. and P. Sanguinetti, "Wage Inequality and Trade Liberalization: Evidence from Argentina."

• Financial Management Association, Mexican Chapter, ITESM-Campus Monterrey, Mexico, October of 2002. Chair of Session: "Financial Crisis."

PARTICIPATIONS IN SPONSORED RESEARCH GROUPS

The Economic Agenda of Mexican Northern Border (Agenda Económica de la Región Frontera Norte de México), Sponsored Research Group (Cátedra de Investigación), ITESM-Campus Monterrey, Mexico, from January of 2003 to July of 2004.

PARTICIPATIONS AS VISITING PROFESSOR

- EGADE Business School, Finance and Macroeconomics Research Group, Tecnológico de Monterrey, Monterrey, Mexico, January 2016 to December 2018.
- School of Business Administration, University of Puerto Rico, San Juan, Puerto Rico, September of 2009.
- Department of Economics, Catholic University of Brasília, Brasília, DF, Brazil, June of 2002.
- Department of Economics, Trinity University, San Antonio, TX, USA, March of 2001.

Ph.D. THESIS SUPERVISION (DISSERTATION COMMITTEE CHAIR)

"Equity Crowdfunding in the United States: Evolution, Determinants and Performance" by Kenny Ozuna, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on May 1, 2020. (Chair)

"Three Essays on Economic and Financial Development in Latin America: Evidence from the 2000s Commodity Boom" by Andre Vianna, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on April 6, 2018. (Chair) Current position: Ministry of Finance of Brazil, SAMF/SC.

"Essays on Financial Decision-Making" by Corey Shank, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on December 7, 2017. (Co-Chair)

Current position: Assistant Professor, Dalton State College, Dalton, Georgia.

"Two Essays on International Equity Flows" by Lu Sui, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on December 1, 2017. (Chair)

Current position: Assistant Professor, Shandong Technology and Business University, Laishan, Yantai, China.

"Essays on Stock Market Contagion: Evidence from the Americas" by Juan Andres Rodriguez-Nieto, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on July 21, 2017. (Chair) Current position: Assistant Professor, Drury University, Springfield, Missouri.

"Three Essays on Shareholder Activism" by Khoa Nguyen, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on July 7, 2017. (Chair)

Current position: Assistant Professor, Southern Connecticut State University, New Haven, Connecticut.

"Essays on the Impact of Securitization, Bank Liquidity Shocks and Government Intervention on Lending and Banks' Asset Composition: Evidence from the U.S. during 2007-2009 Financial Crisis" by Peter V. Egly, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas - Pan American on December 5, 2013. (Chair)

Current position: Adjunct Faculty, The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley Brownsville, Texas.

"The Role of Liquidity in the Market for American Depository Receipts" by Alma D. Hales, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas - Pan American on August 8, 2012. (Chair)

Current position: Assistant Professor of Finance, Tennessee Technological University, Cookeville, Tennessee.

"The Impact of Financial and Trade Openness on Economic Growth and Stock Returns: The Case of Africa" by Tibebe Assefa, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas - Pan American on July 31, 2012. (Chair) Current position: Assistant Professor, College of Business, Bowie State University, Bowie, Maryland.

"CAPM and Irrational Market: Theories and Empirical Studies"

by JaeHan Koh, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas - Pan American on July 31, 2012. (Chair)

Current position: Adjunct Faculty, Kumoh National Institute of Technology, South Korea.

"Three Essays on the Effects of Reverting Capital Flows on U.S. Financial Markets"

by Radhames Lizardo, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas - Pan American on April 24, 2009. (Chair)

Current position: Assistant Professor, Department of Accounting, Finance, and Economics, Texas A&M University-Central Texas, Killeen, Texas.

"Forward Market Efficiency: Evidence from Emerging and Advanced Economies in Crisis"

by Shuming Bai, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas - Pan American on August 14, 2008. (Chair)

Current position: Associate Dean and Professor of Finance, School of Business, Eastern Washington University, Cheney, Washington.

"Three Essays on the Determinants of Foreign Direct Investment in Sub-Saharan Africa"

by Adil H. Suliman, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas - Pan American on August 13, 2007. (Co-Chair)

Current position: Department of Finance, Gulf University for Science & Technology, Kuwait.

MEMBERSHIP IN Ph.D. THESIS COMMITTEES (DISSERTATION COMMITTEE MEMBER)

"Essays in Workplace Safety Issues in Finance" by Md Ruhul Amin, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on July 23, 2021. (Member)

Current position: Assistant Professor, Valdosta State University, Valdosta, Georgia.

"Two Essays in Corporate Finance" by Md Noman Hossain, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on July 9, 2021. (Member)

Current position: Assistant Professor of Finance, Central Washington University, Ellensburg, Washington.

"Essays in Corporate Finance" by Bina Sharma, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on May 3, 2019. (Member)

Current position: Assistant Professor, Bellevue University, Bellevue, Nebraska.

"Essays on American Depositary Receipts: New Fears, Investor Attention and Financial Bubbles" by Juan Gutierrez, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on July 2, 2018. (Member)

Current position: Assistant Professor, California State University, Bakersfield, California.

"Essays on Financial Markets and Investments" by Shahil Sharma, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on July 3, 2018. (Member)

Current position: Assistant Professor, Texas A&M University, San Antonio, Texas.

"Essays on the Effects of Developed Equity Markets on Developing Country Trading Partner Growth" by Jorge Maldonado, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on March 8, 2018. (Member)

"Regression-Discontinuity Analysis of the Effects of Government Housing Policies" by Alejandro Rojas, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on December 11, 2017. (Member)

"Essays on Non-traditional Activities in the Banking Industry" by Lijuan Sun, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on August 14, 2017. (Member)

"Equity Mispricing, Firms' Innovation and Institutional Investors by Hamidreza Sakaki, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on June 7, 2017. (Member)

Current position: Associate Professor of Finance, Department of Finance, Central Connecticut State University, Connecticut.

"Essays on Non-Traditional Activities in the Banking Industry" by Lijuan Sun, Ph.D. Thesis Proposal defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on August 11, 2016. (Member)

"Essays on the Role of Institutional Ownership in Bank Governance" by Mohammad Jafarinejad, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley on April 29, 2016. (Member)

Current position: Assistant Professor, College of Business and Economics, Dept. Finance & Business Law, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, Wisconsin.

"Three Essays on Bailout Banks during Recent Financial Crisis" by Daphne Wang, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas - Pan American on May 1, 2015. (Member)

Current position: Assistant Professor, Jacksonville University, Jacksonville, Florida.

"Mispricing, Speculation and Real Activities Manipulation" by Cristhian Mellado-Cid, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas - Pan American on July 14, 2014. (Member)

Current position: Dean and Associate Professor, FACEA-UCSC (Universidad Católica de la Santísima Concepción), Chile.

"Essays on CEO Networks and Banking" by Fang Fang, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas - Pan American on May 2, 2013. (Member)

Current position: Analyst at Charles Schwab, California.

"Evidence on Banking Efficiency: An Analysis of Financial Intermediation in Mexico" by Violeta Diaz, Ph.D. Thesis defended at The University of Texas - Pan American on April 13, 2011. (Member)

Current position: Associate Professor, Greehey School of Business, St. Mary's University, San Antonio, Texas.

SUPERVISION OF Ph.D. STUDENT RESEARCH

Advisor of the following scholarship seminar projects (2nd Year Ph.D. Students):

- "The Effects of Global Volatility on Forex in Emerging Countries" by Amir Fard, on May 4, 2017;
- "Return and Sentiment: Evidence from Emerging and Industrialized Countries" by Shahil Sharma, on May 5, 2016;
- "Institutions: Key Variable for Economic Development in Latin America" by Andre Vianna, on May 5, 2016;
- "The Dynamic Relationship between U.S. and Latin American Stock Returns" by Jorge Maldonado, on May 8, 2015;
- "Interactive Relationships between Exchange Rates and Stock Prices: Evidence from BRICS around the Recent Global Financial Crisis" by Lu Sui, on May 8, 2015;
- "Regression-Discontinuity Analysis of the Affordable Housing Goals" by Alejandro Rojas, on December 6, 2013; and
- "The Impact of Oil Price Returns on Stock Returns in BRICs" by Lijuan Sun, on December 6, 2013.

CONSULTING EXPERIENCE

- Inflation Targeting in Emerging Markets, ended with writing the following Policy Paper: Cabral, René, Carneiro, Francisco G., and Mollick, André V., Inflation Targeting and Exchange Rate Volatility in Emerging Markets. World Bank Working Policy Paper (WP # 7712) in June of 2016.
- *Theory and Estimation of Total Factor Productivity*, Series of Workshops with CEMEX Employees, sponsored by the Department of Planning of CEMEX, Monterrey, Mexico, April of 2001 March of 2002.

COMPUTER LITERACY

- Experienced in software applications (Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- Working knowledge of Econometric software: EViews, STATA, TSP, PC Give

LANGUAGES

• Fluent in English, Japanese, Spanish and Portuguese (native tongue).

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2018 Outstanding Doctoral Faculty Award, Ph.D. Program in Business Administration, Robert C. Vackar College of Business and Entrepreneurship, Univ. of Texas Rio Grande Valley, May of 2018.
- 2011 College Excellence Award in Research, Univ. of Texas Pan American, May of 2011.
- 2009 Provost's Awards for Latin American Studies, Office of the Provost, Univ. of Texas Pan American, April of 2009.
- Best Research Paper; winner of the 2009 Research Prize in Social Sciences: Premio Rómulo Garza por la Investigación en Ciencias Sociales y Humanidades 2009, Tecnológico de Monterrey, Mexico, November of 2009, to the article: Productivity Effects on Mexican Manufacturing Employment, published in *The North American Journal of Economics and Finance*, 2009, 20, 66-81. (With René Cabral-Torres).
- Doctoral Degree Fellowship: 1991-1996, Ministry of Education, Japan.
- Research Degree Fellowship: 1989-1991, Ministry of Education, Japan.
- Master Degree Fellowship: 1988-1989, Ministry of Education, Brazil.
- Special Training Program for Undergraduate Students: 1985-1987, Ministry of Education, Brazil.