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## Academic Degrees

- PhD in Economics, London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), U.K., 2007.
- Master of Research in Economics, LSE, U.K., 2005.
- Bachelor in Economics, Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México, 2002.

## Managerial Background

- Founding Partner at ALTRAC.
- Director of the AD-2 Program, IPADE Business School, campus León.
- First Chief Executive of the Mexican Railway Transport Regulatory Agency, 2016-2018.
- Chief Financial Officer of the Institute for Social Security of the State of Mexico and Municipalities (ISSEMYM), 2009-2010.
- Head of the Information, Planning, Programming and Evaluation Unit of ISSEMYM, 2008-2009.
- Director of Labour Benefits, ISSEMYM, 2007-2008.

## Professional Activities

- Consultant in economics, competition, regulation, public finance and social protection.
- Head of the regulatory authority of the Mexican Railway System, 2016-2018.
- Senior Economic Advisor to the Secretary of Finance and Public Credit, 2012-2016.
- Chief of Staff to the Secretary of Finance of the State of Mexico, 2010-2012.
- Chief Financial Officer of ISSEMYM, 2009-2010.
- Chief Economist, ISSEMYM, 2008-2009.

## Publishing

- *Trade and Decent Work: Adequate Earnings in the Mexican Manufacturing Industries*, ILO Working Paper 37, International Labour Organization, 2021.
- *Mujeres y hombres en busca de un trabajo decente*, ISTMO 373, 2021.
- *Trade and Labour Market Outcomes: Theory and Evidence at the Firm and Worker Levels*, ILO Working Paper 12, International Labour Organization, 2020.
- *El comercio internacional y el mercado laboral*, ISTMO 369, 2020.
- *Decent Work in Mexico 2005–2020: Analysis with a gender perspective*, with Karla CUILTY Esquivel, CIMAD, 2020.
- *Trade Liberalization, Customs Unions and Labour Market Outcomes: A Cross-Country Analysis*, International Labour Organization, 2013.
- *La reforma estructural del sistema de pensiones del Instituto de Seguridad Social del Estado de México y Municipios*, IAPEM, 2010.
- *Seguridad Social Sustentable. Evaluación de Reformas Recientes a Sistemas de Pensiones en México y América Latina*, with Osvaldo A. Santín Quiroz, Biblioteca Mexiquense del Bicentenario, 2009.
- *The Returns to Temporary Migration to the United States: Evidence from the Mexican Urban Employment Survey*, CEP Discussion Paper No. 804, LSE, 2007.
- *The Effect of Trade Liberalization on Informality and Wages: Evidence from Mexico*, CEP Discussion Paper No. 763, LSE, 2006.

## Areas of Interest

- International Trade
- Labour Economics
- Public Finance
- Social Protection
- Market Structures and Competition