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ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

- 2023 PhD in Economics. Simon Fraser University. Vancouver, Canada.
- 2015 MA in Economics. University of California Santa Barbara. California, USA.
- 2011 MSc in Economics. Tilburg University. Tilburg, Netherlands.
- 2008 BA in Economics. Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú. Lima, Peru.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2018 – 2023 Assistant Professor, School of Management. Universidad de los Andes. Bogotá, Colombia.
- 2017 – 2022 Graduate Teaching Assistant. Simon Fraser University. Vancouver, Canada.
- 2016 – 2017 Consultant. Inter-American Development Bank. Washington D.C., USA.
- 2013 – 2014 Consultant. IDB/Grupo de Análisis para el Desarrollo. Lima, Peru.
- 2012 – 2014 Consultant. International Labour Office. Lima, Peru.
- 2012 – 2012 Intern. Innovations for Poverty Action. Lima, Peru.
- 2011 – 2012 Advisor. Viceministry of Employment Promotion and Labor Training. Lima, Peru.
- 2009 – 2010 Research Assistant. SASE/Carleton University. Lima, Peru.
- 2008 – 2010 Research Assistant. Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú. Lima, Peru.
- 2007 – 2009 Teaching Assistant. Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú. Lima, Peru.
- 2007 – 2008 Research Assistant. Foro Nacional/Internacional-Agenda Peru. Lima, Peru.

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

- To date Assistant Professor. Universidad de los Andes, School of Management.
- 2022 – 2022 Instructor. Simon Fraser University. Department of Economics. Vancouver, Canada
- 2013 – 2013 Instructor. Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú. Department of Economics.

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Article

- 2023 Minoru Higa, Carlos Ospino, and Fernando Aragon (2023) The persistent effects of COVID-19 on labour outcomes: evidence from Peru, *Applied Economics Letters*, 30:8, 1065-1076.

Chapters in Books

- 2014 Ricardo Infante, Juan Chacaltana, and Minoru Higa (2014), "Perú. Aspectos estructurales del desempeño macroeconómico. Situación actual, perspectiva y políticas" in R. Infante y J. Chacaltana, eds., *Hacia un desarrollo inclusivo: el caso de Perú*, CEPAL and ILO.
- 2010 José Rodríguez and Minoru Higa (2010), "Informalidad, empleo y productividad en el Perú" in J. Rodríguez y A. Berry, eds., *Desafíos Laborales en América Latina después de dos décadas de reformas estructurales. Bolivia, Paraguay y Perú (1997-2008)*, ISBN: 978-9972-51-284-1, Peru: PUCP Press and Instituto de Estudios Peruanos (IEP).
- 2010 R. Morales, J. Rodríguez, M. Higa and R. Montes (2010), "Transiciones laborales, reformas estructurales y vulnerabilidad laboral en el Perú: 1998-2008" in J. Rodríguez y A. Berry, eds., *Desafíos Laborales en América Latina después de dos décadas de reformas estructurales. Bolivia, Paraguay y Perú (1997-2008)*, ISBN: 978-9972-51-284-1, Peru: PUCP Press and Instituto de Estudios Peruanos (IEP).

Working Papers

- 2023 Minoru Higa (2023) Traffic Congestion and Labor Supply: Evidence from Smartphone data in Mexico.
- 2023 Jerico Fiestas, Minoru Higa, and Javier Montoya (2023) Nobody's Watching: COVID-19 impacts on the Amazon Rainforest.
- 2023 Minoru Higa (2023) Is it Too Hot to Work? Evidence from Peru.

AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

- 2022 Shiva and Elizabeth Nanda Fellowship. Simon Fraser University. Vancouver, Canada.
- 2022 GSS Professional Development Grant. Simon Fraser University. Vancouver, Canada.
- 2021 SFU Data Fellowships: AI Essentials Grant. Simon Fraser University. Vancouver, Canada.
- 2020 Lang Wong Memorial Endowment Scholarship. Simon Fraser University. Vancouver, Canada.

- 2020 – 2022 Student Community Engagement Competition Grant. Simon Fraser University. Vancouver, Canada.
- 2020 – 2022 Travel and Research Award. Simon Fraser University. Vancouver, Canada.
- 2017 – 2022 Graduate Fellowship. Simon Fraser University. Vancouver, Canada.
- 2014 – 2015 Departmental Andron Fellowship. University of California Santa Barbara. California, USA.
- 2014 – 2015 Departmental Block Grant Fellowship. University of California Santa Barbara. California, USA
- 2010 – 2011 Tilburg University Scholarship. Tilburg University. Tilburg, Netherlands.
- 2009 Annual Research Grant Contest, 1st place, CIES and IDRC. Lima, Peru.
- 2008 Young Environmental Envoy, thesis finalist, UNEP-Bayer. Lima, Peru.