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EDUCATION	Ph.D. Candidate, Economics, University of British Columbia (Expected 2027) M.A. Applied Economics, Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM), 2021, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i> . B.A. Political Sciences, ITAM, 2020, <i>Cum Laude</i> . B.A. Economics, ITAM, 2018, <i>Cum Laude</i> .
EMPLOYMENT	2024–2025: Consultant, Inter-American Development Bank, Research Department 2024: Research Associate (Dr. T. Jaccard), University of British Columbia 2023: Consultant, Inter-American Development Bank, Research Department 2019–2022: Research Analyst, Banco de México, Economic Research Division 2016–2019: Research Assistant, Centro de Estudios Espinosa Yglesias 2018–2019: Junior Researcher, ITAM Centre of Energy and Natural Resources 2017: Research Assistant, Department of Political Sciences, ITAM 2014–2017: Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, ITAM
WORKING PAPERS	“Public Transportation Infrastructure and Consumer Prices: Chain Stores, Street Vendors and Mom and Pop Stores” (link) Angel Espinoza E. Banco de México, Working Papers Series, 2024. “Mexico City’s Bus Rapid Transit System and Air Quality” (link) Angel Espinoza E., Emilio Gutiérrez “Poverty Evolution in Mexico: Analysis of the Statistical Algorithm for the Continuity of MCS-ENIGH” (link) Angel Espinoza E. <i>Conditionally accepted</i> at Estudios Económicos, El Colegio de México.
WORK IN PROGRESS	“Automation at Home, Triggered Abroad: Firm Responses to Foreign Technological Change” Angel Espinoza E. “Beyond Final Goods: The Firm-Level Impact of Capital Goods Liberalization” Angel Espinoza E. “Firms’ Strategic Responses to Rules of Origin: Evidence from the USMCA” Angel Espinoza E., Miguel Ángel Talamás Marcos, María José Orraca “The Effects of Suppressing Company Unions: Evidence from Mexico” Angel Espinoza E., León Fernández Bujanda, Ratzanyel Rincón “How Shocks Travel: The Cross-Border Impact of Natural Disasters in Firm Networks” Vanessa Alviarez, B. Fujiy, Angel Espinoza E., T. Swiecki “Tariff Day: Impact of Recent U.S. Tariff Increases on Latin America and the Caribbean” Vanessa Alviarez, Angel Espinoza E. “Industry-Specific Measures of Exposure to International Trade” Angel de Jesús Espinoza E., María José Orraca, Carlos Ramírez Dávila “Industry-Specific Cost Indices to Monitor Pressures on Inflation” Regina Briseño, Angel Espinoza E., Vicente López, María José Orraca
APPLIED PROJECTS	Design and execution of an RCT protocol to measure the impact of a program of extracurricular tutoring on educational outcomes.

AWARDS	<p>Stone Ph.D. Fellowship in Wealth and Income Inequality, 2024–2025 Stone Centre on Wealth and Income Inequality, UBC</p> <p>Liu Scholars Program , 2023 School of Public Policy and Global Affairs, UBC</p> <p>Ex ITAM Research Award, 2022 M.A. Applied Economics. 1st Place.</p> <p>Pedro Aspe Award for Academic Excellence, 2020. Recognizes the top two students of ITAM's M.A. Applied Economics.</p> <p>Banamex National Prize for Economics, 2019 Undergraduate category. 2nd Place.</p> <p>Best University Practices in the Promotion of Citizenship, 2020 Mexican Center for Philanthropy. Top 8 practices. Granted to <i>ITAM Construye</i>, an organization I founded and of which I was president.</p> <p>ITAM Pride Award, 2019 Social responsibility category. 1st Place. Granted to <i>ITAM Construye</i></p> <p>National Social Development UVM Award, 2018 UVM and YouthActionNet. Winner. Granted to <i>ITAM Construye</i></p> <p>National Contest of Evidence-Based Practices for Social Prevention of Violence, 2017 Secretariat of the Interior of Mexico and USAID. Top 15 practices. Granted to <i>ITAM Construye</i></p>
PRESENTATIONS	<p>2024: University of British Columbia.</p> <p>2022: University of British Columbia.</p> <p>2021: EconTR International Conference on Economics; Banco de México; Bolivian Conference on Development Economics; Indian Statistical Institute, 16th Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development.</p>
SKILLS AND LANGUAGES	<p>Programming Languages R, Julia, Python, Stata, EViews, Matlab</p> <p>Languages Spanish (native), English (fluent)</p>
OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS	<p>ITAM Construye Founder, former president, advisor, and active member since 2015. Leading volunteer organization at ITAM, dedicated to strengthening social cohesion through community service initiatives.</p> <p>Dissemination of Economics Columnist for the ITAM University Newspaper and host at Radio ITAM, 2018–2019.</p> <p>Reforestation Brigade Executed a reforestation initiative in a semi-arid region of Mexico, 2021.</p>