

# B. Vanessa Ordoñez

ordonez.21@osu.edu



The Ohio State University



(818) 987-5622

Department of Economics

bvanessaordonez.com

---

## CITIZENSHIP

U.S. citizen

## EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, *The Ohio State University*

*Expected* May 2022

M.A., Economics, *The Ohio State University*

May 2017

B.A., Economics, *California State University Northridge*

Dec. 2014

## RESEARCH FIELDS

Wealth inequality, monetary and fiscal policy, marginal propensities to consume, macro and applied economics

## RESEARCH

Fiscal Stimulus Payments and their Effect on Aggregate Consumption, *Working paper*  
Job Market Paper

Heterogeneous Returns on Savings and the Right Tail, *Work in Progress*  
Joint work with Rohan Shah

Homeownership & the Distribution of MPCs, *Work in Progress*  
Joint work with Aubhik Khan

Fluctuating Monetary Policy and the Effect on Wealth Inequality, *Work in Progress*  
Joint work with Mohsen Mohaghegh

## AWARDS

William Green Memorial Research Fellowship, *The Ohio State University* 2021 - 2022

William Green Memorial Research Fellowship, *The Ohio State University* 2020 - 2021

Graduate Associate Teaching Award, *The Ohio State University* Fall 2020

Graduate Associate Teaching Award, *The Ohio State University* Fall 2019

Department of Economics Citation for Excellence in Teaching, *The Ohio State University* Fall 2018

Graduate Fellowship, *The Ohio State University* 2016 - 2017

## ACADEMIC SERVICES

Economics Department Newsletter, Graduate Student Spotlight Fall 2021 - Present

Economic Advisory Board, Presenter Fall 2020

Graduate Student Recruitment, Recruiter Spring 2018, 2019

Ohio State University Board of Trustees, Graduate Student Representative Spring 2017

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### **The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH**

Independent Instructor for Intermediate Macroeconomics Fall 2019

- Designed and executed lesson plans, homework assignments, quizzes, and exams to develop and test for understanding of economic concepts
- Presented material and lead in-class discussions to interest and engage students

Admin Graduate Teaching Associate Fall 2018 - Spring 2019 & Spring 2020 - Fall 2020

- Helped coordinate the class structure with 700 - 1,200 students along with the instructor to streamline work for the team of TA's.
- Responded to student concerns and answered emails as acting liaison between students and the course instructor.
- Coordinated, prepared, and oversaw exams for hundreds of students each semester.

Graduate Teaching Associate Fall 2017 - Spring 2018

- Led class discussions with students that helped them delve deeper into economic concepts
- Provided one on one support to students within class as well as during weekly office hours

### **California State University Northridge, Northridge, CA**

Developmental Math Special Needs Assistant Fall 2014

- Guided a student with special needs through his studies by helping to keep him on task and employing repetition throughout our study sessions
- Simplified difficult concepts into steps to help the student think analytically

Developmental Math Assistant Summer 2014 - Fall 2014

- Taught mathematics to students from various underprivileged backgrounds, evaluated their understanding, and developed a question-led approach to encourage self-sufficiency
- Adapted technique to students still struggling by employing different problem solving methods to find the one that best worked for each student

Assistant Coordinator for Supplemental Instruction and SMART Lab Fall 2013 - Spring 2014

- Trained teaching assistants and led subsequent monthly meetings to evaluate program effectiveness
- Supervised undergraduate instructors, including attending class sessions and providing one-on-one feedback to the 60 undergraduates in the programs
- Collected and summarized data on the effectiveness of both programs, proposed methods to improve, and implemented these plans

Supplemental Instruction Leader in Economics Spring 2013

- Prepared daily lesson plans and activities that fostered group discussion of key economic concepts
- Encouraged student-led discussions and supplemented classroom learning of complex concepts

## LEADERSHIP

Graduate Women in Economics, *President & Founder*

Spring 2019 - Present

- Lead board meetings to plan and budget for upcoming events, delegate tasks to board members, follow up on previous task assignments, and receive board member feedback
- Requested formal approval and funding for events, and keep close communication with treasurer, advisor, visiting speakers, and faculty across departments
- Presided over and provide support for all organization's events, and represent organization at field-specific, department-wide, & university-wide events
- Attended annual president training programs on campus to keep up to date on all available resources for student organizations, and improve leadership skills through discussions with other student leaders

## PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

Fortran - proficient

Matlab - proficient

Stata - proficient

Latex - proficient

Excel - proficient

## LANGUAGES

Native speaker - Spanish & English

Limited working proficiency - French

## REFERENCES

### **Aubhik Khan**

Department of Economics  
The Ohio State University  
(614) 247-0097  
khan.247@osu.edu

### **Julia Thomas**

Department of Economics  
The Ohio State University  
(614) 247-0094  
thomas.2108@osu.edu

### **Meta Brown**

Department of Economics  
The Ohio State University  
(614) 292-6701  
brown.991@osu.edu

### **Kyle Dempsey**

Department of Economics  
The Ohio State University  
(614) 292-4198  
dempsey.164@osu.edu