CAROLINA ACUÑA ARMENTA

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EDUCATION

University of California, Irvine *2017 - 2022*
PhD in Economics

University of Warwick, England *2009 - 2010*
MSc in Economics

Université Toulouse 1: Sciences Sociales, France *2006 - 2008*
Licence en Sciences Économiques parcours en Économetrie

Universidad Autónoma de Baja California, México *2004 - 2008*
Licenciatura en Economía, *Summa cum laude*

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics, Econometrics, Survey Expectations.

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Marquette University January 2023 -
Assistant Professor *Milwaukee, WI*

· Courses: Principles of Macroeconomics; Intermediate Macroeconomic Analysis; Money, Banking and
Monetary Policy.

Universidad Autónoma de Baja California Fall 2022
Adjunct Professor, Department of Economics *Tijuana, Mexico*

· Courses: Applied Macroeconomics (Ph.D. program).

Federal Economic Competition Commission 2015 - 2016
Mergers and acquisitions Director *Mexico City, Mexico*

Banco de México 2012 - 2015
Researcher *Mexico City, Mexico*

OTHER ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Bank of England PhD Internship Programme

· Cohort 2020 (Spring 2021)

Successfully Navigating Your PhD - Mentoring Workshop

· November 20, 2020

NBER Behavioral Macroeconomics Research Boot Camp

· March 12, 2020

UCI Women in Economics Spring Workshop

· April 26, 2019

CONFERENCES AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

57$^{\text{th}}$ Annual Canadian Economics Association Meetings Winnipeg, Canada
· June 1-3, 2022

56$^{\text{th}}$ Annual Canadian Economics Association Meetings Ottawa, Canada
· June 3-4, 2022

86$^{\text{th}}$ Midwest Economics Association Annual Meetings Minneapolis, MN
· March 25-27, 2022

Bank of England seminar Bank of England
· May and June 2021

2020 BoE Summer Interns Workshop Bank of England
· September 2020

WORKING PAPERS

- Information Frictions: Learning and Inattention in an Estimated New Keynesian Model.
- Do Economic Conditions Matter for Inflation Expectations? Survey Evidence.
- Central Bank Transparency under Adaptive Learning.

WORK IN PROGRESS

- Can Heterogeneous Expectations New Keynesian Models Match the Dispersion of Survey Forecasts (with Fabio Milani, University of California Irvine).
- Does sentiment matter for forecasting? Forecasting performance of a small-scale DSGE model (with Rene Zamarripa, Central Michigan University).
- Heterogenous population and Forward Guidance (with Stephen Cole, Marquette University)
- The Expectational Channel of Monetary Policy.