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## Education

- Ph.D. Candidate Economics**, *Ohio State University*, Columbus, Ohio, August 2013 to present.  
Ph.D. Expected May 2019
- 2014 **M.A. Economics**, *Ohio State University*, Columbus, Ohio, August 2014.
- 2011 **M.A. Economics**, *Universidad de los Andes*, Colombia, March 2011.
- 2009 **B.A. Economics**, *Pontificia Universidad Javeriana Cali* (with honors), Colombia, May 2009.

## Dissertation

- Title **Essays in Heterogenous Agent Monetary Economics**  
Committee Julia Thomas, Aubhik Khan, Kyle Dempsey

## Job Market Paper

**Debt Overhang, Monetary Policy and Economic Recoveries After Large Recessions.**

## Teaching and Research Fields

- Primary Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics.  
Secondary Computational Methods, Econometrics.

## Published Articles

- 2015 **Countercyclical Reserve Requirements in a Heterogeneous-Agent and Incomplete Financial Markets Economy**, (with Franz Hamann), *Journal of Macroeconomics*, Vol. 46: 55–70.
- 2008 **Race as Determinant on the Access of a Job of Quality: A Study for Cali**, [in Spanish] (with Santiago Arroyo), *Ensayos sobre Política Económica (ESPE)*, Vol. 26, No. 57: 130–175.

## Working Papers and Work in Progress

Available at <http://cbustamante.co/research>.

- **More Money for Some: Monetary Policy Meets a Rich and Persistent Household Wealth Distribution**, (February 2018).
- **Non-Degenerate and Persistent Distributions in Search-Theoretic Models of Money**, (May 2017).
- **Protectionism, International Trade, and Inequality**, (with Heejeong Kim, in progress).

## Previous Working Papers

- 2012 **Constant-Interest-Rate Projections and Its Indicator Properties**, (with Luis E. Rojas), *Borradores de Economía*, No. 696, Banco de la República.

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## Work Experience

- 2009–2013 **Economist**, *Macroeconomic Modelling Department, Banco de la República*, Bogotá.
- 2009–2009 **Economist**, *Department of Financial Research, Colombian Banking Association (Asobancaria)*, Bogotá.
- 2008–2009 **Research Assistant**, *Macroeconomic Modelling Department, Banco de la República (Internship)*, Bogotá.
- 2007–2008 **Research Assistant**, *Research Group on Applied Microeconomics and Experimental Methods, MIMEX, Pontificia Universidad Javeriana*, Cali.

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## Conference Presentations

- North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society, University of California at Davis, Davis, CA, June 2018.
- Midwest Macroeconomic Meetings, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, November 2017.
- Annual Meeting of the Central Bank Researchers Network of the Americas (CEMLA), Central Bank of Uruguay, Montevideo, Uruguay, November 2012.
- Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, Science Po, Paris, France, July 2009.

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## Fellowships, Awards, and Honors

- Dice Dissertation Fellowship, Department of Economics, Ohio State University, 2018.
- University Fellowship, Graduate School, Ohio State University, 2013-2014.
- Graduated with Honors (ranked first), Pontificia Universidad Javeriana Cali, May 2009.

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## Teaching Experience

- Teaching Assistant (Ohio State):
  - PhD Macro Theory IB: Fall 2015-17 (Prof. Julia Thomas).
  - PhD Macro Theory IIA: Spring 2016-18 (Prof. Stefania Albanesi, Prof. Sanjay Chugh, Prof. Kyle Dempsey).
  - Introduction to Microeconomics (Undergrad), Spring 2015 (Prof. Ida Mirzae).
- Teaching Assistant (Previous Experience):
  - Universidad de los Andes: DSGE Modelling: Theory and Practice (Grad), Microeconomics 3 (Undergrad).
  - Pontificia Universidad Javeriana Bogotá: Macroeconometrics, Macroeconomic Theory (Grad).
  - Pontificia Universidad Javeriana Cali: Macroeconomics 1, Macroeconomics 2, Microeconomics 2 (Undergrad).
- Instructor:
  - Central Bank of Guatemala: Applied Dynamic Macroeconomics (Grad).

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## Computational Skills

Software, Programming Languages  
Fortran (with OpenMP and MPI), MATLAB, R, Stata.

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## Languages

Spanish **Native**  
English **Fluent**

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