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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Class of 1948 Career Development Assistant Professor of Work and Organization Studies,
& Core Faculty, Institute for Work and Employment Research, MIT Sloan

AFFILIATIONS

Nonresident Senior Fellow, Peterson Institute for International Economics

EDUCATION

PhD in Economics, Harvard University, 2016-2021

Dissertation: “*Essays on Power in Labor Markets*”. Upjohn Institute Dissertation Award.

Visiting student at Stanford Institute for Economic Policy Research, February 2019

Master in Public Policy, Harvard Kennedy School, 2013-2015

Policy Analysis Exercise: “*Tackling financial inclusion through community investment*”

BA in Economics, Cambridge University, 2010-2013

First class degree. Adam Smith prize for (joint) best performance in Economics

Dissertation: “*Did rising income inequality affect the build-up of US household debt?*”

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Jacob Greenspon, Anna Stansbury, & Lawrence H. Summers (2021). “[Productivity and Pay in the United States and Canada](#)”. *International Productivity Monitor*, Fall 2021.

Anna Stansbury & Lawrence H. Summers (2020). “[The Declining Worker Power Hypothesis: An explanation for the recent evolution of the American economy](#)”. *Brookings Papers on Economic Activity*, Spring 2020.

Anna Stansbury & Lawrence H. Summers (2019). “Productivity and Pay: Is the link broken?”. Chapter 8 in [Facing Up to Low Productivity Growth](#), Eds. Adam Posen and Jeromin Zettelmeyer. Peterson Institute for International Economics: Washington DC.

WORKING PAPERS

Karen Dynan, Jacob Funk Kirkegaard, and Anna Stansbury (2022). “[Why Gender Disparities Persist in South Korea’s Labor Market](#)”. *PIIE working paper 22-11*, July 2022.

Robert Schultz & Anna Stansbury (2022). “[Socioeconomic Diversity of US Economics PhDs](#)”. *PIIE working paper 22-4*, March 2022.

Anna Stansbury (2021). “[Do US Firms Have an Incentive to Comply with the FLSA and the NLRA?](#)” *PIIE working paper 21-9*, June 2021.

Gregor Schubert, Anna Stansbury, & Bledi Taska (2021). "[Employer Concentration and Outside Options](#)". *WCEG working paper*, January 2021.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS / RESEARCH REPORTS

Lindsay Judge & Anna Stansbury (2020). "[Under the Wage Floor: Exploring firms' incentives to comply with the minimum wage](#)". *Resolution Foundation Briefing Note*, Jan 2020.

Ed Balls, James Howat & Anna Stansbury (2016). "[Central Bank Independence Revisited: After the financial crisis, what should a model central bank look like?](#)" *Harvard Kennedy School MRCBG Associate Working Paper 67 (updated version: HKS MRCBG WP 87)*.

Lyell Sakaue & Anna Stansbury (2015). "[Tackling Financial Exclusion Through Community Investment](#)". *Harvard Kennedy School MRCBG Associate Working Paper 41*.

Community Development Project (2015). "Paving the Path: Helping young adults transition from the street to stability". *Report for Y2Y Harvard Square*, May 2015.

HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS, & FELLOWSHIPS

2022	MIT Outstanding Teacher Award
2022	European Economic Association Career Structures Initiative Grant
2021	Upjohn Institute Dissertation Award
2021	Russell Goldsmith Graduate Student Aid Fellowship, Harvard
2019	Washington Center for Equitable Growth Doctoral Grant (w/ G. Schubert)
2017-pres.	Stone Ph.D. Scholar in Inequality and Wealth Concentration, Harvard
2015,16,19	Harvard Certificate of Distinction in Teaching
2013-15	Kennedy Memorial Scholarship to Harvard
2013	Adam Smith Prize (joint) for Best Performance in Economics, Cambridge Uni.
2013	Larmor Award, St John's College, Cambridge University
2010-13	Deutsche Bank Start-Up Scholarship

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

MIT Sloan (as assistant professor)

2022, 23	15.677 <i>Labor Markets and Employment Policy</i>
2022, 23	15.662 <i>People and Profits: Shaping the Work of the Future</i>
2021	Team Project Faculty Advisor, 15.311 <i>Organizational Processes</i>

Harvard (as graduate student)

2015, 17, 18, 19, 20	Head Teaching Fellow and/or Teaching Fellow for <i>The Political Economy of Globalization</i> (Lawrence Summers & Robert Lawrence)
2020	Teaching Fellow for <i>The Financial Crisis and Great Recession</i> (Karen Dynan).
2017	Course Assistant for <i>Inside Government</i> (Lawrence Summers & Cass Sunstein)
2015, 16	Teaching Fellow for <i>American Economic Policy</i> (Martin Feldstein, Jeff Liebman, Kate Baicker & Lawrence Summers)
2014	Course Assistant for <i>Great Powers in the Global System</i> (Nicholas Burns)
2014	Teaching Fellow for <i>Game Theory</i> (Janina Matuszeski)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Presentations (including invited & upcoming):

- 2022 Brown; Chicago Fed; University of Nevada Reno; UMass Boston; UC Santa Barbara; LERA Annual Meeting; PIIE; University of Stockholm; Stockholm School of Economics; NHH Bergen; Ohio State, WCEG Grantee Conference, Resolution Foundation, NIESR, Centre for Cities.
- 2021 Central Bank of Ireland; PIIE; Berlin Schumpeter-BSE Seminar; Federal Trade Commission; NBER Wage Dynamics in the 21st Century Conference; LERA Annual Meeting; ECINEQ Meeting; UT Austin Macroeconomics; Wharton People and Organizations; MIT Sloan EFA; MIT Sloan Applied Economics Brown Bag; University of Copenhagen & Copenhagen Business School Macroeconomics; Wayne State University; Georgetown & George Mason Law and Economics; Upjohn Institute; Federal Reserve Conference on Diversity and Inclusion; MIT Macroeconomics; University of Virginia Microeconomics; QMUL Centre for Research in Equality & Diversity.
- 2020 WCEG Grantee Conference; SEA Conference; IZA workshop "Labor Markets and the Phillips Curve"; Harvard Program in Inequality "Five Big Ideas in Inequality"; OECD Employment, Labour, and Social Affairs; UEA Conference; Labor and Finance Online Seminar; MIT Institute for Work and Employment Research; Harvard CID Growth Lab Seminar; Oxford NuCamp Virtual PhD Workshop; Brookings Papers on Economic Activity (with L. Summers).
- 2019 Midwest Macro Meetings panel on Diversity in Macroeconomics; Wharton People and Organizations; IDSC of IZA/CAIS workshop "Matching Workers and Jobs Online"; Bank of Canada workshop "Productivity: Filling the Knowledge Gaps"; PIIE panel "Facing Up to Low Productivity Growth".
- 2018 briq workshop "Firms, Jobs, and Inequality"; PIIE panel "Central Bank Independence Revisited" (with E. Balls); European Central Bank Wage Expert Group; European Central Bank Directorate General Economic Developments; Resolution Foundation.
- 2017 PIIE conference "Policy Implications of Sustained Low Productivity Growth" (with L. Summers), Harvard University (with E. Balls).

Refereeing:

American Economic Journal: Applied, American Economic Review: Insights, American Law and Economics Review, Economic Journal, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Financial Economics, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Labour Economics, Management Science, National Science Foundation, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Science.

Other

International Advisory Committee, International Productivity Monitor

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT (CURRENT/RECENT)

- 2021-pres. Frontline100, Advisory Board
2016-2022 The Wilberforce Society, Trustee
2018-2020 Harvard Graduate Women in Economics, Co-Founder and Co-Chair